

# Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Sunday, October 20, 2019

Please join us in praying the Rosary in the Chapel Sunday at 10:00

**Thank You, Monsignor Elmer Holtman for presiding over Sunday Masses.**

### **Second Collection -World Missions**

This weekend, *October 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>* our second collection will benefit World Missions. Be Baptized and Sent – on Mission in the World! Today we are called to personal encounter with Jesus Christ alive in the Church, and to offer, through the Society for Propagation of the Faith, to continue the mission of Jesus. We are “*sent*” out to witness to Mission in the world through our prayers and personal sacrifices for our brothers and sisters around the world. As little as .. \$25 helps support a catechist for a month in remote Latin America; \$75 provides for the work of religion Sisters caring for orphaned children in Africa and \$100 assists poor children in boarding schools in Asia. As always, your prayers are your most treasured gift to the Missions. Your prayers and financial help, offered today, WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, support mission priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay catechists who are Christ’s witnesses to a world so in need of His healing, love and peace.

**++ There will be no Thursday or Friday Mass on October 24, 25. ++**

### **Bethlehem Missionary Group**

The Bethlehem Nativity Group, a missionary group from the Holy Land, will be selling hand crafted items made from olive wood after all masses on *October 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019*. All proceeds from this sale will help support and maintain the Catholic families in the Holy Land.

### **“Letters to a Suffering Church” by Bishop Robert Barron**

Please pick up a copy of the short book “*Letter to a Suffering Church*” by Bishop Barron if you have not already done so. Bishop Barron writes about the sexual abuse crisis in our Church in this short book. The books are available after the masses this weekend and in our office.

On *Wednesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>*, we will have a community discussion on his “*Letter to a suffering Church*” We will meet at 3:30 pm in the Finn Family Life Center. Come share your questions, concerns, struggles and learnings with the sexual abuse crisis in our small group gathering this Wednesday.

### **90 Minutes in Heaven – sponsored by Men of Faith**

Join us in viewing the movie: *90 Minutes in Heaven* based on the book by Don Piper. The movie will be shown at the Church at Horseshoe Bay Fellowship Hall on *Friday, October 25 at 6:00 pm*. Popcorn and dessert will be served. On *Saturday, October 26 at 8:30 am* there will be a breakfast and program with the author, Don Piper, Minister of Hope. Tickets, which include both the movie and breakfast program, are \$15 (\$30 a couple). Tickets are available at mass; see Sam Morrison (830-613-5596), Frank Trogus (830-596-8470), Dick Heilman (830-598-6491) or Jeff Hedges (830-392-6540). There will also be tickets in the office.

### **Housing Our Homeless**

We are told to see the face of Jesus in all whom we meet. Our homeless have the face of Christ. We have a solution but it will take the entire community and we need support from every church! At this time we cannot put a room over their heads. ***Highland Lakes Haven, a 501©(3) is a solution.*** They will have rules, a job, pay rent, and hopefully attend church. *This is a hand up, not a hand out!* Please give generously to this mission and be a part of helping the homeless in **our community**. *Larry Stahl, President, Highland Lakes Haven, P.O. Box 1678, Marble Falls, 78654, https://www.highlandlakeshaven.org.*

**+++ ALL SAINTS DAY Masses: On October 31<sup>st</sup>, there will be a vigil Mass at 5:30 and on Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, All Saints Day Mass will be at 8:00 a.m. +++**

**200 years, Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers**

**December 18, 1819 – December 18, 2019**

**Celebrating the Anniversary of Hecker’s Ordination**

During this year when we celebrate the 200th birthday of Servant of God, Isaac Hecker, founder of the Paulists, we are honoring his memory in a variety of ways. Hecker entered the Redemptorist novitiate in St. Trond, Belgium in the summer of 1845, a year after his conversion to Catholicism. He continued his studies in the Netherlands and in London. He was ordained in London, England by Bishop Nicholas Wiseman in 1849. October 23rd marks the 170th anniversary of Hecker’s ordination to the priesthood.

### **Caring Bridge**

*“ Last Friday, I went to Seton Hospital in Burnet for a blood transfusion. This time, I received two units. Although it took nearly four hours, I must admit that I felt invigorated. Throughout this week, I have not felt tired or drawn out. This is good because on Saturday evening, I will begin my journey back to full time. I will start with one weekend Mass and build up my stamina so that fairly soon I will be taking the whole weekend. After almost 9 months of illness, I am ready to return to my normal activities. I still have some appointments at the Oncology Center but those are few. This Thursday, I will have an injection of Aranesp, which is a drug used to stimulate the production of red blood cells, and my weekly blood test. Around the beginning of November, I am scheduled for the PET Scan and then the following week, I see Dr. Kasper. At that point, I will find out if I am clear of cancer or if I need to have additional treatments”.*

A detailed account of Father Ruben’s Cancer journey is on the website [www.caringbridge.org](http://www.caringbridge.org).

### **Music Ministry News**

Believe it or not, Christmas planning is under away and even though we are NOT going to perform a cantata this year, we are planning the prelude music sung before each of the Christmas Eve liturgies. This is an opportunity for those of you who love to sing, to participate with the choir in a short length of time commitment. We welcome all peoples interested from our HS students to those of us long-time experienced ones! For information on schedule & times, please call **Mary Williams at 325-388-9120 or email: [jrmwms655@gmail.com](mailto:jrmwms655@gmail.com)** Now is the time to decide!

### **Christmas is just around the corner! Get the gifts you want to give and raise funds for St. Paul.**

The Development Committee will once again offer Gift Cards for the holidays. Starting in November, order forms will be placed in the bulletin allowing you to choose from multiple vendors with many rebates exceeding 10%. Choose from top brand retailers to find something for everyone on your list. Whether you buy the gift cards to give as presents or use them to buy your gifts, your order immediately raises funds for St. Paul. If it’s the thought that counts, count this one twice. Make your plans now to support the Christmas Gift Card program.

### **Make a Tax-Free Gift with an IRA Charitable Rollover**

With the close of the year approaching, it is time to review your IRA for any “Required Minimum Distributions.”

You can direct a gift from your IRA to St. Paul or the Paulist Fathers that will have an immediate and lasting impact with no tax cost to you. If you are 70 1/2 years old or older, you can donate up to \$100,000 annually from your IRA. An IRA charitable rollover gift can satisfy all or part of your required minimum distributions and allow you to see your gift at work today as you build your legacy for the future. For questions regarding IRA charitable rollovers or other planned giving opportunities, contact **Ed Wenzel at 214.263.4424 or [edwardwenzel@hotmail.com](mailto:edwardwenzel@hotmail.com)**. It is also prudent to seek the advice of your financial advisor prior to making a gift.

**\* Next weekend, October 26 and 27, the second collection will benefit Pro Life.**

**\* St. John’s fall festival 9-6:30 October 20.**

**\* RUAH every Tuesday at 11:00 am in the FLC.**

**\* St. Paul Bible Study continues on Monday’s at 2:30 pm in the FLC.**

**\*Pivotal Players will resume on Wednesday, October 30<sup>th</sup>**

**Thank you for your generous contributions totaling \$8,383.00**



Weekday Mass Schedule					
Oct. 19	5:30 p.m.	Jennifer Lowry +	Oct.26	5:30 p.m.	Paul Carriano +
Oct. 20	8:30 a.m.	Ron Mikkelson +	Oct. 27	8:30 a.m.	John Guttery, healing
Oct. 20	10:30a.m	Nancy Casey +	Oct. 27	10:30a.m	Michael Whyte, healing
Oct. 23	5:30 p.m.	Joseph Cannatella III +	Oct. 30	5:30 p.m.	Don Reed +
Oct. 24	8:00 a.m.	No Mass	Oct.31	5:30 p.m.	All Saints Day vigil
Oct. 25	8:00 a.m.	No Mass	Nov. 1	8:00 a.m.	Dan Shetka+

Liturgical Ministers		
<b>October 19, 5:30 p.m.</b>		
Lectors – Esther Ellis, Jeff Ellis	EM – Mark Bentley, Pat Bentley, Kathy Jamail	
Ushers – Marian Trogus, Butch Nery	Sacristan and Altar Server- Jim Jamail	
<b>October 20, 8:30 a.m.</b>		
Lectors –Brian Lucas, Bill Steffek	E.M. –Theresa Phillips, Pat Heilman, Valorie Becker	
Ushers –Jim Kuehler, Dick Heilman	Sacristan and Altar Server – Fred Phillips	
<b>October 20, 10:30 a.m.</b>		
Lectors –Sara Bray, Penny Breedlove	E.M. –Grace Gless, Barbara Fuller, Denny Fuller	
Ushers –Jim Araas, Jack Gless	Sacristan and Altar Server –Lois Girten	

**Happy Birthday**  
Parishioners celebrating birthdays this week: Tom Burt, Sandy Gracia and Roger Johnson, October 19th; Michael Biagini, Adrienne Monroe and Nancy Thomas, October 21st; Emily Gaylord and Dale Wingate, October 22nd; Natalie Negowski and Josh Teitge, October 23rd, and Chriss Dockal, October 24th.

**Happy Anniversary**  
Happy Anniversary to Larry and Beth Snyder who will celebrate their 37th anniversary on October 23rd.  
May God bless this marriage now and always.

**Prayer Request**  
Please pray for: James Kizziar, Barbara Leffingwell, Irl Unruh, Peter Potts, James Huie, Dianne Jones, Bob Lowry, Franz and Broussard Families, Patrick Binagia, Marsha Ruzicka, Debbie Sapp, Anita Fey, Alice Courtney, Sara Freeman, Dale Breedlove, Stephen Thompson, Steven Patrick Kopenitz, Trisha Belota, Father Ruben Patino CSP, Shelby Spangler, Joe Gillespie, Ann Kirkland, Patrick Binagia, Ginny Rhodes, Martha and Tom Burt, Tammy Whitman, Bert Rogers, Jr., Vicki Bouressa, Mary Alice Clark, Johnny and Marcus Perez Families, GiGi Fischer, Emily Fenlon, Althea Rowan, Theresa Ross, Jeff Snyder, John Snyder, Greg Snyder, Janice Garvic, Marian Averyt, Bob Averyt, Edward Sacre, Jody Jamail, Laurie Shadrick, Cas Caspersen, Father Scott Mikkelson, Ed Peres, Tom Eurtion, Pat Keller, Doreen Drinkard, Judy Breaux, Stan Jakubowsky ,Vicki Flam, Angelica Arrigoini , Lynda Rybaski, Anna Mae Kraus family, Lawrence Richards and Mike Lessert.

Please pray for those in our Armed Services		
Staff Sgt. Josh Zabierek	Matthew Anderson, USN	Tiffanie Beotchner
Army Spc. Warren Andrews	SFC Erick DeAlba	Lt. Christopher Carr
Sgt. Corey K. Bradford	Staff Sgt. Adam Long	SFC Mary McLean
Captain Sean Zarsky, USAF	Captain Hannah Zarsky, USAF	Ethan Cook
Lt. Thomas Readel D.D.S.USN	Col. Maria Bochat	Sgt, James Balestrini
Captain Eric Barton	Captain Heather Barton	LCDR Darby Gray
Michael Cook	Jeremiah Caspersen, US Army	Nathaniel Brown
James Hicken, Jr. USAF		

# St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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**MASSES**  
Saturday at 5:30 p.m. Sunday at 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. Thursday & Friday at 8:00 a.m.  
**CONFESSIONS**  
Wednesday & Saturday - 4:45 - 5:15 p.m.  
**ADORATION**  
First Fridays - 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., followed by Benediction

**PASTOR:** Father Rubén Patiño, C.S.P. email: rmpatino@aol.com  
**Paulist Fathers: Website:** [www.paulist.org](http://www.paulist.org)

**PARISH BUSINESS ADMINISTRATORS:**  
**Sandy Gracia/Penny Breedlove**  
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**A Word from Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers**  
*Pope Paul VI called evangelization “the essential mission of the Church.” Although Hecker did not employ that particular terminology, we can readily recognize and apply to our own situation his consistent commitment to call Catholics to the fullness of their mission to evangelize their society – and, to that end, to enhance the quality of Church life, to build up the Catholic Church in the United States. Hecker understood that any successful mission to non-Catholic America presupposed an effective mission and ministry within the American Catholic community. Today, we are even more apt to appreciate the importance of vibrant personal spirituality and internal Church community life for the effectiveness of the Church’s mission outward to our society..*  
“Who knows? Perhaps the time has come when men will consider impartially the causes which have brought about the deplorable religious dissensions and divisions existing among Christians, and that a movement is about to set it on all sides towards unity, and the prayer of Christ that “all who believe in Him might be made perfect in unity” will find its fulfillment. This is our hope. To contribute to this result we labor. [*The Church and the Age*, 1887]  
*If you have asked Father Hecker to pray for you or another person who is ill, and you believe something miraculous has happened, please phone Father Paul Robichaud, CSP, at 212-265-3209 x350 and tell him your story.*

