



A Prayer as I put on my Mask

Creator,
As I prepare to go into the world, help me to see the sacrament in the wearing of this cloth. Let it be “an outward sign of an inward grace.” A tangible and visible way of living love for neighbors, as I love myself. Christ, since my lips will be covered, uncover my heart, that people would see my smile in the crinkles of my eyes. Since my voice will be muffled, help me to speak clearly, not only with my words but with my actions. Holy spirit, As the elastic touches my ears, remind me to listen carefully and full of care to all those I meet. May this simple piece of clothe be shield and banner, and each breath that it holds be filled with your love. In your name and in the name of love, I pray. May it be so, May it be so.

++ All are encouraged to pray the rosary at home at 10:00 am in lieu of praying in the chapel. ++

Our Lady of the Rosary

Every **Thursday at 8:00 am before Mass**, come join us in praying the Rosary in or near the Armed Forces Honor Garden in front of the Linda Finn Family Life Center at St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church. We keep social distancing protocols. Hope you can join us! Questions contact Grace Gless 713.826.9743

Tuesday, October 13th is the 103rd anniversary of the Sixth Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima. We will pray the Rosary at **2:00 – 3:00 pm** at Johnson Park (Near Pavilion 2). Everyone will need to bring a chair, wear a mask, and keep social distancing.

Hope Coast to Coast

The Paulists invite you to join them next Saturday, October 17th at 7:30 p.m. for a very special Gala Event: Hope Coast to Coast: A virtual Groundbreaking with the Paulists. It will be LIVE on the Paulist Fathers YouTube Channel and Facebook Page. It’s going to be a party to celebrate the ground breaking of our new Paulist House of Mission and Studies in Washington D.C. Frank Trogus and Francie Dix will also be honored that evening, receiving the “Spirit of Hecker Award” for their embodying the charism of the Paulist Fathers. This will also be an opportunity to re-launch our Comprehebsive Campaign to secure the future of the Paulists. To RSVP and get in on the prize drawing, go to Paulist.org/Hope. Gather your friends for this uniquely Paulist evening! Remember the Paulists put the FUN in fundraising.

Job Opening – Here at St. Paul’s

Job opening: Administrator at St. Paul the Apostle. This is a paid position. Please pass the word around, there are many skilled persons in this church and area. This position would be a shared position; working every other week from 8:30 am – 1:00pm. All interested parties are to contact the office for more detailed information. 830.598.8342 or stpaul@zeecon.com

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul wants to thank you and the parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle Church for the generous contribution of \$5,173.00 for the Black Bag collection on October 3rd and 4th. During the month of September, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul visited 29 households and assisted with electric and water bills along with food, personal care items, and housing costs. The total expenditures for the assistance provided were \$7,895.00. Thank you again and many blessings for all you do.

Paulist Associates Raffle

The Paulist Associates will hold their own raffle here. The winner will receive a basket full of delectable treats and more from our own local businesses. Raffle tickets will be available at all weekend Masses and also in the office during regular business hours. The winning ticket will be drawn on Saturday, October 17th following the ground breaker. All proceeds will go to the Paulist Fathers campaign for the new seminary. Tickets will be \$10.00 each.

Please consult our website for important information regarding this year’s election.

1. From the Diocese : Election Best Practices – outlines how we are to deal with election advertisements and promotion of candidates. In particular, the Bishop refers us to the USCCB’s document [Faithful Citizens](#). The Bishop also alerts us to the misuse of our mailing lists for promotion of parties or candidates.
2. From the Paulists: a document ([Helping you prepare to Vote](#)) meant as a supplement to the Bishops’ [Faithful Citizens](#).
3. A new book published by Paulist Press : Nicholas Cafardi [Voting and Faithfulness](#)

Mass Schedule

We will have **Mass on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 9:00 a.m., Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m..** The daily masses will be live streamed, but they are also open to the public. On the weekend, only the 8:30 a.m. Mass will be live streamed, but **NOT recorded for later viewing**. We must follow the guidelines issued by the Bishop: seating for 150 consistent with the 50% occupancy limit and the 6 feet apart rule. Masks will be required. Wipes and sanitizers will be provided at the entrance of the Finn Family Life Center. Each person will be responsible for sanitizing their chair with wipes after each service.

**** Those attending Mass should wipe down their chairs before leaving and discard in the trash all paper copies of music and Mass parts. ****

Reconciliation

Confession with Fr. Ruben by appointment only during the week. Call between 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday, October 10, 5:30 p.m.

Lectors-Trudy Leddy, Phil Schoch
Ushers – Ted Shetka

E. M.- Patricia Schoch, Marilyn Ruiz
Sacristan and Altar Server - Lowell Crable

Sunday, October 11, 8:30 a.m.

Lectors –Jeff Ellis, Esther Ellis
Ushers – Jerry Kramer

E.M. - Valerie Becker, Pat Heilman
Sacristan and Altar Server - Duane Young

Sunday, October 11, 10:30 a.m.

Lectors - Penny Breedlove, Sally Stemac
Ushers - Ed Wenzel

E.M.- Susan Araas, Patsy Wiley
Sacristan and Altar Server –Lois Girten

Mass Intentions

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| Oct. 10 | 5:30 p.m. | Dale Breedlove+ | Oct. 17 | 5:30 p.m. | Bob Lowry + |
| Oct. 11 | 8:30 a.m. | Dan Rybaski+ | Oct. 18 | 8:30 a.m. | Martha Burt + |
| Oct. 11 | 10:30 a.m. | Herbert Stahl+ | Oct. 18 | 10:30 a.m. | Fleming & Bard Family + |
| Oct. 14 | 9:00 a.m. | Steve Cuccinello+ | Oct. 21 | 9:00 a.m. | Martha Burt+ |
| Oct. 15 | 9:00 a.m. | Mike Whyte + | Oct. 22 | 9:00 a.m. | Martha Burt + |
| Oct.16 | 9:00 a.m. | Joseph Gordon Breedlove + | Oct.23 | 9:00 a.m. | Martha Burt + |

Thank you for your generous contributions totaling \$7,777.00

Temporary COVID-19 Protocols, Updated September 16, 2020

1. Parishes are to return to their pre-pandemic Mass schedules for Sunday and daily Mass and confessions no later than October 4, 2020.
2. Parishes are to encourage the following parishioners to remain at home and join the community through a live streamed Mass: those who are showing signs of COVID-19; those you have an underlying health condition making them vulnerable; or those who live with or care for anyone in the previous categories.
3. Parishes are to encourage households to maintain safe distance between each other.
4. Parishes are to provide hand sanitizing opportunities at entrances and to the liturgical ministers.
5. Parishes are to encourage the faithful to wear face masks.
6. Holy communion must be received in the hand.
7. Parishes are to disinfect the pews and other regularly touched surfaces after each liturgy.
8. If a parish live streams Mass, it may not save the recorded Mass on social media, the parish website, or on another website.

Happy Birthday

Parishioners celebrating birthdays this week: Larry Davis, Debbie Engler, Harold Myers, October 10th. Cindy Garcia Rivera and Diana Virdell, October 11th. Andrea Ball and Charles Higdon, October 12th. Patricia Bard, October 13th. Evonne Mikkelson, Mary Readel, and Patricia Trembly, October 14th. May your day be memorable and full of blessings.

Happy Anniversary

Happy Anniversary to Roger and Marilyn Johnson who celebrate 8 years of marriage on October 13th. On October 15th, Harold and Nellie Myers will celebrate their 69th anniversary; Bill and Emily Gaylord will celebrate their 60th anniversary; and Michael Thomas and Karen Delhey will celebrate their 26th anniversary. A belated happy anniversary to John and Jo Doherty who celebrated their 51st anniversary on October 4, 2020. May God continue to bless your marriage.

Prayer Request

Please pray for: Richard Heiberg, Kay Bowers, Louise Sullivan, Norm Blanchard, Kathy Ristuccia, Joe Williams, Mary Alice Clark, Tom Eurton, Amy Hare, Fred Akers, Dot (Dorothy) Howard, , Bill Howard, Dorothy De La Garza, Steven Patrick Kopenitz, Adam Kopenitz, Alice Courtney, Kaden LaVine, Don Niemann, Doreen Drinkard, Fr. Robert Matzinger, Roy Ramirez, Ana Schweizer, Marilyn Dyer, Johnny and Marcus Perez Families, Ed Peres, Jay Sutter, The sick and suffering in the Jamail and Caspersen families, Wyatt Crouse, Irl Unruh, Dianne Jones, Roberta and Kori Lawson, Emily Fenlon, Glen Sefcik, Ginger Wright, Rose Padilla, Jack Noriega, Father Scott Mikkelson, Shelby Spangler, Tammy Whitman, Ginny Rhodes, Luke Vargas, Julie Hudson, Allan Rundell and family, Lisa and Neal Bochat, Dick Heilman, Bill and Mary Ann Steffek, Angela Cook, GiGi Fischer, Casey Tennant, Bailey King, Crystal Clements, Tom Barker, David Olfers, Isla Daniels, Amy Johnson and Barbara Shields.

Please pray for those in our Armed Services

Staff Sgt. Josh Zabierek
Army Spc. Warren Andrews
Sgt. Corey K. Bradford
Captain Sean Zarsky, USAF
Lt. Thomas Readel D.D.S.USN
Captain Eric Barton
Michael Cook
Mason Wiley, US Navy
James Hicken, Jr. USAF

Matthew Anderson, USN
SFC Erick DeAlba
Staff Sgt. Adam Long
Captain Hannah Zarsky, USAF
Col. Maria Bochat
Captain Heather Barton
Jeremiah Caspersen, US Army
AF Master Sgt. Steve Alderman

Tiffanie Beotchner
Lt. Christopher Carr
SFC Mary McLean
Ethan Cook
Sgt. James Balestrini
LCDR Darby Gray
Nathaniel Brown USAF
Garon Finley, USAF

St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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MASSES

Saturday at 5:30 p.m. Sunday at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at 9:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

By appointment.

ADORATION

First Fridays -10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

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PARISH BUSINESS ADMINISTRATORS:

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PASTORAL COUNCIL

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Children's Faith Formation - Keith Nesrsta 214-693-4063

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Finn Family Life Center - Ed & Pam Wenzel 214-263-4423

The Samaritans...reaching out: Georgina Christy 830-693-8001 gely@nctv.com

Social Activities – WWICS/Social - Claudia Haydon 830-598-9364

Communications – Pat Schoch 830-220-2201

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A Word from Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers

“There will spring up men of enlarged minds and filled with the sincere love of science; for science, or knowledge, is also one of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit. By the light of this Gift secrets in nature will be discovered which men in our day do not dream of. For God delights to manifest to those who seek His Glory with an upright heart the great mysteries of his creation” [*On the Mission of New Religious Communities*, 1876]

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.

