# Fifth Sunday of Lent March 26, 2023

"Nourishing ourselves of that "Bread of Life" means entering into harmony with the heart of Christ, assimilating his choices, his thoughts, his behavior. It means entering into a dynamism of love and becoming people of peace, people of forgiveness, of reconciliation, of sharing in solidarity. The very things that Jesus did. (Pope Francis, Angelus – August 16, 2015)

#### **Second Collection: Building Fund**

The second collection this weekend, March 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> will be for the building fund and will go toward our final building project, the expansion of the church to provide the much-needed additional seating, restrooms, and Narthex (gathering space).

#### **Society of St. Vincent de Paul Collection**

Next weekend April 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will have our monthly 'Brown Bag" collection to aid the St. Vincent de Paul Society. All proceeds from this collection will go directly to the local conference, which is a joint effort of St. Paul's in Horseshoe Bay and St. John's in Marble Falls.

#### Welcome

Please extend a warm welcome to the newest members of our parish family, Scott and Christine Lammert and Thomas and Catherine Burke and their sons James and William. And welcome back, Sandy Gracia, who has returned to Horseshoe Bay.

#### **Stations of the Cross and Lenten Suppers**

Stations of the Cross will be held each Friday in Lent at 5:30 PM in the church, followed by a Lenten supper in the Family Life Center. Please use sign-up sheets in the church entrances to give us some idea of attendance. All are welcome.

#### **Crisis Center Collection**

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank the parishioners for their generous contribution to the Crisis Center. \$1,855.00 was collected in cash, HEB cards and bagged goods. Your donations make a big difference to those in need.

#### **WWICS Study – Mondays and Thursdays**

The WWICS Bible Study group will continue our study on the Protestant Reformation with Bishop Robert Barron on Monday, March 27, 2:30 - 4 pm in the FLC. The same study will take place on Thursday, March 29 at 4:00 PM in the FLC. If you have any questions, please contact Pat Bentley at <a href="mailto:bentleys@swbell.net">bentleys@swbell.net</a>.

#### **First Friday Adoration**

First Friday Adoration will be held <u>Friday</u>, <u>April 7</u>, <u>2023</u> from 9:30 a.m. and will close with Benediction at 4:30 p.m. Father will anoint the sick at the 9:00 a.m. Mass on that day. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the chapel. Sign-up sheets will be available next week at each entrance to the church. Please try to spend some time with Jesus so that He will never be left alone. Our Lord is waiting for you. Information, please contact Liz Zarsky at (512) 784-9535

#### St. Paul HS Senior Scholarship

Calling all high school seniors who are members of Saint Paul the Apostle parish: it's time to apply for our scholarship to assist you financially in your first year of college. Please contact: Mary Williams: at 325-423-0023 or e-mail – <a href="mailto:jrmmwms655@gmail.com">jrmmwms655@gmail.com</a>. **Applications are due by the Friday before Easter 4-7-23** 



#### **Easter Flowers**

Remember your loved ones on Easter with flowers. Donation envelopes are available at the entrance lobby. We will remember all loved ones at all Masses on Easter. Please return the donation envelopes no later than April 2, Palm Sunday.

#### **Holy Week Schedule**



Palm Sunday Masses – Saturday, April 1 - 5:30 pm and Sunday, April 2 – 8:30 & 10:30 am

Holy Thursday, April 6, Mass of the Lord's Supper – 5:30 pm Good Friday, April 7, Stations of the Cross – 2:00 pm

Good Friday, Celebration of the Lord's Passion with Holy Communion – 5:30 pm Holy Saturday, April 8, Easter Vigil Mass – 8:30 pm (in Church)

Easter Sunday, April 9, Masses - 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 10:30 am (in Finn Family Life Center)

#### **Pray the Rosary**

Sunday, March 26 - 9:45 AM in the Chapel - Wednesday, March 29 - 4:50 PM in the Chapel - Thursday, March 30 - 8:00 AM in the Church - Friday, March 31 - 8:30 AM in the Church - Sunday, April 2 - 9:45 AM in the Chapel.

#### **Holy Hour**

In conjunction with the Eucharistic Revival, the parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle are invited to spend an hour a week in prayer before the exposed Blessed Sacrament. The Holy Hour will take place in front of the Exposition Tabernacle in the sanctuary each Tuesday from 12 noon to 1:00 PM. Holy hour on March 28<sup>th</sup> will be in the chapel.

#### **Social Media Ministry**

We need your help in our Social Media Ministry. Specifically, we need individuals or couples who can help with the video streaming of our Mass and other events onto Facebook. We will provide the training. Our new systems will be installed shortly. This is a great opportunity to reach out to those who can't attend in person and those who are out of the area. Please call Fr Ruben to discuss this opportunity.

#### Save the Date for Women Working in Communion and Spirit General Meeting

All women of the parish are invited to join WWICS on April 18<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 PM in the FLC for our General Meeting. Join us as we welcome new officers, learn about WWICS' activities and explore volunteer opportunities. Drinks and appetizers will be served.

#### St. Paul the Apostle Book Club

The ladies of St Paul the Apostle Book Club will be reading *The Personal Librarian* by Heather Terrell and Victoria Christopher Murray for April. The novel is about J. P. Morgan's personal librarian, Belle da Costa Greene. We will discuss the book on Tuesday, April 18, at 3:30 in the Family Life Center. Contact Jan Ford with questions at 703-470-4820.

#### **Holy Land Pilgrimage**

You are invited to join a very special pilgrimage to the Holy Lands to "Walk Where Jesus Walked" led by Father Red Blevins from July 7 - 16, 2023 with an optional post tour to Rome, July 16 - 20, 2023. If you desire to draw closer to Jesus, come as we follow in His footsteps. Caesera, Nazareth, Cana, Sea of Galilee, Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Mount of Olives, to name a few. For more information, call Liz, Account Manager at 800-206-8687, Liz@206tours.com

#### **Mass Intentions**

March 25	5:30 PM	Allan Rundell, healing	Apr. 1	5:30 PM	Frank Cobb +
March 26	8:30 AM	Micky Virdell +	Apr. 2	8:30 AM	Bard & Fleming Families+
March 26	10:30 AM	Joan Scheider +	Apr. 2	10:30 AM	Roberta Lawson +
March 29	5:30 PM	Fr. William Whelan +	Apr. 5	5:30 PM	Carlisle Rose Braman, anniv. of Baptism
March 30	9:00 AM	Patricia Hull +	Apr. 6	9:00 AM	Holy Thursday
March 31	9:00 AM	Donia Caspersen +	Apr. 7	9:00 AM	Good Friday



Thank you for your generous donations of \$7,872.00 \$4,965.00 was collected for Catholic Relief Services.

#### **Liturgical Ministers**

#### Saturday March 25, 5:30 PM

Lectors – John Fox, Jim Jamail Hospitality –Marian Trogus, Denise Goral

#### Sunday, March 26, 8:30 AM

Lectors – Elizabeth Zarsky, Diana Virdell Hospitality – Jerry Kramer, Pauline Kramer

#### **Sunday, March 26, 10:30 AM**

Lectors –Sally Stemac, Lois Girten Hospitality – Jack Gless, Jim Araas E.M. –Helen Tinoco, Molly Snow, Mimi Lacy Sacristan and Altar Server – Joe Smith

## E.M. – Linda Roach, Theresa Phillips, Jane Marino

Sacristan and Altar Server – Keith Nesrsta

# E.M. – Susan Araas, Grace Gless, Francie Dix Sacristan and Altar Server –Jeffrey Madere

End of the year tax statements are available in the office, or call and we will email them to you.

2023 Breaking Bread Missals are available in the church office Monday-Friday, 8:30-1:00 for \$7 a copy.

Diocesan Anniversary books are on sale for \$20 in the church office.

#### **Happy Birthday**

Parishioner birthdays this week: Carlota Hernandez, March 26; Paula Wingate, March 27; Teresa Solorio, March 28; Roy Sanchez, March 29; Josie Ramirez and Sam Silver, March 30; Lauren Cotton and Joyce Michal, March 31.

God's blessings on your special day!

#### **Happy Anniversary**

Parishioners celebrating anniversaries this week: Michael and Nadia Biagini, 40 years on March 28; Roy and Joyce Sanchez, 23 years on March 30.

May God continue to bless your marriage!

#### **Prayer Requests**

Please pray for: Ellen Rybaski, Robert Baker, Joan Niemann, Leonard Mae Virdell, Judy Stehling, Laura Lalman, Killey Basiliko, Lucas Albert Jones, JW Dunlap, Mike Waag, Jessica Ferra, Elena Segura, Sr. Claudia Fischer, Lorraine Coussons, Judith Rodriguez, Kristen Liesman, Larry Snyder, Ed and Sandy King, Joann Orwick, Mary Kalu, Meredith Hart, Don Niemann, Steven Patrick Kopenitz, Adam Kopenitz, Joe Zarsky, Shelby Spangler, Emily Fenlon, Valerie Richards Barbara Leffingwell, Andy Hartiens, Christian Fox, Donna Faye Russell, Patsy Goodman, Ken Girten, Tom Eurton, Joe Eurton, Barbara Schroeder, Jerry Pawelek, Steven Hernandez, John Wheeler (Gay's brother), Bryan Smitherman, Ross Smitherman, Helen Smith, Allan and Stephanie Rundell, Jane Silva, Emily Riley, Doyle Rogers, Ed and Mary Kohl, Matthew Olson, TJ Dunlap, Wade Herrington, Cheryl Larson, Stan Jakubowsky, Susan Fox, Tom Mills, Joe Vogt, Farid Khadduri, Fr. Mark David Janus CSP, Fr. Chuck Cunniff, CSP

#### Please pray for those in our Armed Services

Adam Deller, USN
Sgt. Corey K. Bradford
Captain Eric Barton
Matthew Anderson, USN
Captain Hannah Zarsky, USAF
Jeremiah Caspersen, US Army
Captain Christopher Ditter, USSF

James Hicken, Jr. USAF
Major Sean Zarsky, USAF
Michael Cook
Mason Wiley, USN
SFC Erick DeAlba
Col. Maria Bochat
Nathaniel Brown, USAF
Lt. Christopher Carr

Pvt. Taylor Ewing
Heather Wiley USAF
Mason Wiley, USN
SFC Mary McLean
Captain Heather Barton
Tiffanie Beotchner
MM2 Ryan William Spears

# 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 at 5:30 p.m. Thursday & Friday at 9:00 a.m.

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Wednesday and Saturday 4:45 p.m. -5:15 p.m.

#### ADORATION

First Fridays -10:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m.

PASTOR: Father Rubén Patiño, C.S.P. email: rmpatino@aol.com

**325-270-3764** (for emergency only)

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

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

"The men, the age and its needs demand depend on a greater infusion of the Holy Spirit into the soul; and the Church has been already prepared for this event." (CA, 28)

If you have asked Father Hecker to pray for you or another person who is ill, and you believe something miraculous has happened, phone Father Ron Franco, CSP, at 212-265-3209 x212 and tell him your story.

