

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 9, 2023

“The Eucharist gives us a grateful memory, because it makes us see that we are the Father’s children, whom he loves and nourishes. It gives us a free memory, because Jesus’ love and forgiveness heal the wounds of the past, soothe our remembrance of wrongs experienced and inflicted. It gives us a patient memory, because amid all our troubles we know that the Spirit of Jesus remains in us. (Homily- June18, 2017)

Crisis Center Donations

The Knights of Columbus will be handing out bags this weekend to benefit the Crisis Center, which serves abused women and their children in the area. Please place your donations in the labeled bags and return them to church next weekend, July 15 and 16. The labels suggest the needed products. Cash donations are also appreciated. Please make checks payable to St. Paul the Apostle for HEB cards. Thank you for your generosity. God Bless!

Update on Church Roof Repairs

Repair work on the church roof damages, caused by May 5th winds, will begin soon under the direction of Williamson Roofing. It may be necessary to return to the Family Life Center for celebrations of Mass towards the end of July. We appreciate your patience as we work through this inconvenience.

“Shingle ER” Collections

To help offset roof repair costs, two special collections will be taken up called “Shingle ER.” These second collections will take place July 15 & 16 and August 19 & 20. Insurance will cover about one-third of the expenses. Your generosity is greatly appreciated in helping deal with these unexpected forces of nature!

Thank You from SVDP

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul thanks St. Paul parishioners for the generous contribution of \$3,903.76 for the Black Bag Collections of July 1 & 2 and parishioner funds collected from June 6 – July 6. During the month of June, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference assisted 44 households with electric and water bills along with food, personal care items and housing costs. The total expenditure for the assistance provided was \$19,454. Thank you again and many blessings for all you do!

Building Fund Support – “BFF Cards”

The cash card program, now known as “BFF Cards” (Building For our Future), featuring cards from HEB, Bayside Market, and PK Nails & Spa, generated \$12,702.58 to our building fund last year. As we enter the new construction phase of our church, every dollar contributed is important. Currently, only about 12% of parish families participate. SO, YOUR HELP IS REQUESTED! Here’s how it works: you buy cards with cash or check and then use the cards for the same value at HEB stores or gas stations (any location), Bayside Market, and PK Nails and Spa. St. Paul’s receives a rebate from the participating vendors. It is an easy way to contribute monies to the building fund, costing you NOTHING. Cards are available at Masses and at the church office. Thank you for your support!

All are Welcome....and a reminder

The parish family of St. Paul welcomes all guests and visitors to join us for Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, and prayer. Along with hot weather and lake activities comes a gentle reminder to dress respectfully in honor of Our Lord's Presence in this sacred space. Parents, please make sure your young people come with modest clothing. Short skirts/short shorts are not appropriate for church. Thank you.

Study of Vatican II

As the Church prepares for the historic Synod on Synodality in October, it would be opportune for us to re-acquaint ourselves on the issues to be discussed. In preparation, I, together with Pat Bentley will offer a class on the Council beginning in August. I have not determined if we should read a book and follow with a five-part film series which was released on the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of the Vatican Council. Please consider this course. For more information, please see me, Fr. Ruben.

Holy Hour

Parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Parish are invited to spend an hour a week in prayer before the exposed Blessed Sacrament. The Holy Hour will take place each Tuesday from 12:00 noon to 1:00 PM

Pray the Rosary

Sunday, July 9- 9:45 a.m. in the Chapel. Wednesday, July 12 - 4:50 p.m. in the Chapel
Thursday, July 13 - 8:00 a.m. in the Church. Friday, July 14 - 8:30 a.m. in the Church
Sunday, July 16 - 9:45 a.m. in the Chapel

Book Club

St. Paul’s Ladies Book Club has chosen two books to read over the summer. They are *The All-Girl Filling Station’s Last Reunion* by Fannie Flagg and *Hope to Die – The Christian Meaning of Death and the Resurrection of the Body* by Scott Hahn. Our next meeting will take place on Tuesday, September 19.

Together in Holiness Marriage Conference

Married and engaged couples are invited to the second *Together in Holiness* marriage conference on August 5, 2023 from 10:45 am – 6:00 pm at St. Albert the Great Catholic Church. This one-day conference will help you strengthen your relationship with your spouse and discover God’s plan for your family. Registration: \$64/couple and \$5/child for on-site childcare. For more information, visit togetherinholiness.org.

Prayer for the Synod of Bishops

**We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.
With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.**

Mass Intentions

July 8	5:30 PM	Bill Shields +	July 15	5:30 PM	Matthew Tamburello +
July 9	8:30 AM	Anita Consuelo Longshore +	July 16	8:30 AM	Trisha Belota +
July 9	10:30 AM	J W Dunlap +	July 16	10:30 AM	Deceased Cannatella Members
July 12	5:30 PM	Elena Marie Galvin in celebration for her Baptism	July 19	5:30 PM	Chris + Angela Hernandez, healing
July 13	9:00 AM	Merlin Davis +	July 20	9:00 AM	Father Anthony Smith +
July 14	9:00 AM	Martha Burt +	July 21	9:00 AM	Charlie Casperson +



Thank you for your generous contributions of \$ 10,185.00 for the Sunday Collection

Saturday, July 8, 5:30 PM

Lectors – Jim Jamail, John Fox
Hospitality – Denise Goral, Bill Gaylord

Sunday, July 9, 8:30 AM

Lectors – Teresa Solorio, Diana Virdell
Hospitality – Jim Kuehler, Bill Steffek

Sunday, July 9, 10:30 AM

Lectors – Betty Carter, Terry Furguele
Hospitality – Ed Wenzel, Gene Blalock

Liturgical Ministers

E. M. – Patricia Schoch, Emily Gaylord, Kathy Jamail
Sacristan and Altar Server – Joe Smith

E.M. – Valorie Becker, Jane Marino, Jerry Kramer
Sacristan and Altar Server – Joe Marino

E.M. – Sheila Boyle, Donia Crouch, Grace Gless
Sacristan and Altar Server – Jeffrey Madere

Happy Birthday

Parishioners celebrating birthdays:
Rosabel Defendorf, Catharine Farmer, and JT Watson – July 8
Kris Cotton, Julie Ross – July 9
Bill Ditter – July 10
Andrew Cotton - July 11
Lori Voyles - July 12
Jeffrey Ellis – July 13
God’s blessings on your special day!

Happy Anniversary

Parishioners celebrating anniversaries: Kevin & Kris Cotton – **25** years on July 11;
Terry and Susan Furguele – **54** years on July 14;
Thomas and Catherine Burke – **16** years on July 14
May God continue to bless your marriage!

Prayer Requests

Please pray for: Charlotte Choquette, John Zarsky, Nancy Hassenmiller, Mike Hassenmiller, Leslie Schultz, Terry Hall, Neal Jakubowsky, Freddie Hodges, Mark Coffin, Francie Dix, Larry Snyder, Brigitte Chafin, Carolyn Greer, Cindy Reid, Debbie Lindholn, Amy Fey, Isla Daniels, Ellen Rybaski, Bob Baker, Leonard Mae Virdell, Judy Stehling, Laura Lalman, Killey Basiliko, Lucas Albert Jones, Mike Waag, Jessica Ferra, Elena Segura, Sr. Claudia Fischer, Judith Rodriguez, Kristen Liesman, Ed and Sandy King, Joann Orwick, Mary Kalu, Meredith Hart, Don Niemann, Steven Patrick Kopenitz, Adam Kopenitz, Shelby Spangler, Emily Fenlon, Valerie Richards, Barbara Leffingwell, Andy Hartiens, Christian Fox, Donna Faye Russell, Patsy Goodman, Ken Girten, Tim Eurtion, Joe Eurtion, Barbara Schroeder, Jerry Pawelek, Steven Hernandez, John Wheeler (Gay’s brother), Bryan Smitherman, Ross Smitherman, Helen Smith, Allan and Stephanie Rundell, Emily Riley, Doyle Rogers, Matthew Olson, Stan Jakubowsky, Susan Fox, Tom Mills, Farid Khadduri, Fr. Mark David Janus CSP, Fr. Chuck Cunniff, CSP, Fr. Charlie Brunick, CSP, Fr. Pedro Garcia
Please remember in your prayers Marie Thomas, who died July 3 back east and was the sister of Fr. Walter Dalton

Please pray for those in our Armed Services

Adam Deller, USN	James Hicken, Jr. USAF	Pvt. Taylor Ewing
Sgt. Corey K. Bradford	Major Sean Zarsky, USAF	Heather Wiley USAF
Captain Eric Barton	Michael Cook	Mason Wiley, USN
Matthew Anderson, USN	SFC Erick DeAlba	SFC Mary McLean
Captain Hannah Zarsky, USAF	Col. Maria Bochat	Captain Heather Barton
Jeremiah Caspersen, US Army	Nathaniel Brown, USAF	Tiffanie Beotchner
Captain Christopher Ditter, USSF	Lt. Christopher Carr	

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.

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

“The wind is the Holy Spirit – the North star is the eternal authority of the Church, the compass is the light of faith. (Egypt, PV, 170)
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.

