# Thírd Sunday of Lent March 3, 2024

"We become the Lord's tabernacles, carrying the Lord with us; to the point that he himself tells us: if we do not eat his body and drink his blood, we will not enter the kingdom of heaven." (Pope Francis – Homily – April 9, 2020)

#### Prayer for the Synod on Synodality

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.

#### **Synod for a Synodal Church**

From the Diocesan, Episcopal Conference, Continental and Universal Phases of the Synod, we now enter into an Interim Phase. The interim Phase consists of Diocesan Consultation Sessions to keep alive the momentum of the synod to help church leaders better understand the lived experiences of the faithful. Regional sessions are currently happening in the Diocese of Austin. See <a href="www.austindiocese.org/synod">www.austindiocese.org/synod</a> for more information.

#### The Society of St. Vincent De Paul

This weekend, 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, St. John's in Marble Falls and St. Charles in Kingsland. If you are contributing a check, please make it out to the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Thank you for your generosity.

#### **Crisis Center Collection**

The Knights of Columbus will hand out bags next weekend to benefit the Crisis Center, which provides services for abused women and their children in the area. Please place your donations in the labeled bags and return them to church at the Masses on the weekend of March 16 & 17. Thanks for your generosity. God bless!

#### **Stations of the Cross Followed by Lenten Suppers**

Stations of the Cross will be held on the following Fridays at 5:30 PM in the church: March 8, March 15 and March 22. Following Stations of the Cross, we will serve a Lenten Supper in the Family Life Center. Friday, March 8, the meal will be soups, salad and bread. Sign-up sheets are located at each door of the church so we can plan adequately. If you can bring a dish, please state it on the sign-up sheet. Hope to see you there.

#### **Lenten Reconciliation Service**

A Reconciliation Service will be held at St. Paul's on Thursday, March 14 at 5 PM. If you cannot attend, there is a listing of other opportunities to receive the sacrament at <a href="https://austindiocese.org/lenten-penance-services">https://austindiocese.org/lenten-penance-services</a>

#### **WWICS Bible Study**

WWICS Bible Study continues the study of "Paul's Letters from Prison" on Monday, March 4 from 2:30 to 4:00 in the FLC.

2023 Contribution Statements are available in the church office or call 830-598-8342 to have your statement emailed



#### **Easter Flower Memorials**

Remember your loved ones on Easter with flowers. Donation envelopes are available at the church entrances. Loved ones will be remembered at all Easter Masses. Please fill out a donation envelope and return no later than Palm Sunday, March 24.

#### Welcome to St. Paul's

Please extend a warm welcome to new parishioners Dean and Linda Schrag. Dean and Linda have been attending St. Paul's as visitors over many years and have recently made a permanent move to our area. We are glad you have joined the parish!

#### **Book Clul**

St. Paul Ladies Book Club is reading *I'm Glad My Mom Died* by Jennette McCurdy for our next meeting on Tuesday, March 19th, at 3:30 in the Family Life Center. In addition, we will be reading *The Mother-in-Law* by Sally Hepworth for April. Please join us.

#### **Holy Hour**

During Lent, the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be live-streamed. Parishioners are invited to spend an hour a week in prayer before the exposed Blessed Sacrament. Holy Hour will take place in front of the Exposition Tabernacle in the sanctuary, each Tuesday from 12:00 noon to 1:00 PM.

#### **Pray the Rosary**

All are welcome to join in praying the rosary together: Sunday, March 3 - 9:45 in the Holy Spirit Chapel; Wednesday, March 6 - 4:50 in the Chapel; Thursday, March 7 -8:20 in the Church; Friday, March 8 - 8:20 in the Church; Sunday, March 10 - 9:45 in the Holy Spirit Chapel.

#### **Building Fund Support - BFF Cards**

BFF cards are available at church after weekend Masses and in the office on weekdays. Cards may be used at any HEB store or gas station, Bay Side Market, PK Nails & Spa.

Your participation is an easy way to help grow our Building Fund!

#### **Rest in Peace**

Father Charlie Brunick, CSP, one of the brothers who came to help out when Father Ruben was in treatment for cancer, has died. He passed away this weekend at the Mother House in New York City. Father Brunick was a campus minister at the University of Texas when Father Ruben was a student. He was one of Father Ruben's advisors when he joined the Paulists. Please pray for the repose of his soul.

#### Friday Fish Dinners at St. John's

Knights of Columbus are hosting their "Annual Fish Fundraiser" every Friday in Lent from 5:30 – 7:30 PM at the St. John's Parish Activity Center in Marble Falls. Cost is \$13/adults and \$7/children (dine in or take out) and all proceeds benefit scholarships for high school graduates, seminarians and various Knights of Columbus charities

#### **Mass Intentions**

March 2	5:30 PM	Maria Dolores Bernal +	March 9	5:30 PM	Patricia Lopez +
March 3	8:30 AM	Jeff Brickley, healing	March 10	8:30 AM	Trisha Belota +
March 3	10:30 AM	Don Niemann jr. +	March 10	10:30 AM	Gracia Grandchildren
March 6	9:00 AM 5:30 PM	Theresa Tichenor +	March 13	5:30 PM	Don Niemann jr. +
March 7	9:00 AM	John Guttery +	March 14	9:00 AM	Dale Breedlove +
March 8	9:00 AM	Will Collier +	March 15	9:00 AM	Kai Ray Breedlove, in thanksgiving



Thank you for your generous contributions of \$12,017.00 to the Sunday collection

#### **Liturgical Ministers**

#### Saturday, March 2, 5:30 PM

Lectors – Mike Brittain, Suzie Kent
Hospitality – Patsy Wiley, Bill Gaylord
Sacristan and Altar Server – Jim Jamail

#### Sunday, March 3, 8:30 AM

Lectors – Jackie Scott, Charles Daniels Hospitality – Dick Heilman, Jim Kuehler

# E.M.-Patricia Heilman, Nancy Danel, Jane Marino

### Sacristan and Altar Server – Joe Marino

#### Sunday, March 3, 10:30 AM

Lectors – Sara Bray, Mark Bohlman Hospitality –Tom Engler, Jack Gless

# E.M. – Lori Villarreal, Carlos Villarreal, Donia Crouch

Sacristan and Altar Server – Lois Girten

#### **Happy Birthday**

Parishioners celebrating birthdays this week:
Angelo Anzivino and Mary Kay Otto, March 2;
Karen Hedges and Patsy Wiley, March 4;
Hank Manka and Phillip Schoch, March 6;
Susan Rodgers, March 7.
God's blessings on your special day!

#### **Happy Anniversary**

Parishioners celebrating anniversaries: Robert and Susan Fenlon, **47** years on March 5. May God continue to bless your marriage!

#### **Prayer Requests**

Please pray for: Peggy Anzivino, Marie D'Arcy, Larry Snyder, John Peter Hayden, Jerry Pawelek, Francie Dix, Emily Fenlon, Celina Moore, Gabriel Cortez Hernandez, Jim & Mimi Lacy, Ana Barksdale-Rothschild, Marilyn Mahoney, Susan Tietjen, Dr. Jerry George, Mary Kalu, Kathryn Trilli, Ken Girten, Ellen Fraser, Paul Figel, TJ Dunlap, Valerie Harvey, Farid Khadduri, Kelley Basiliko, Carolyn Greer, Tom & Julie Mills, Joanne Marie Kindlund, Christian Fox, Patsy Goodman, Lynn Barrett, Terry Hall, Fr. Elmer Holtman, Fr. Mark David Janus, CSP, Fr. Chuck Cunniff, CSP, Sara McLean, Gloria Gracia, Patrick Hall, Marvin Mills, father of Holly Mills Gardner, Steve Hernandez, Zoraida Copa, Wendy Bedortha, Don and Sandy Kerr, Bob Baker, Meredith Hart, Anjie Frost, Anna Laurel, David Edwards, Aaron Eurton, Nancy Caldemeyer, Helen Smith, Karl Koschak, Steven Patrick Kopenitz, Adam Kopenitz, Donna Faye Russell, Isla Daniels, Nonie Wilson, Allan Rundell, Teresa Gill, Brigette Chafin, Marian Averyt, June Jamail, Ali Swenson, CJ Rankin, Jen Piercy, and Jeff Garcia. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Father Charlie Brunick, CSP, who passed away this past weekend. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

#### 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
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
JJ Castro, Jr., USN

# 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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# <u>A Word from Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers</u>

"Into Thy hands oh Lord I commend my spirit. Oh may I be a brave & valiant soldier in thy cause. Oh Jesus take pity on me. Thou knowest our human frailties. Forgive and bless me oh Jesus. The enemy lies always in watch of us. Jesus. Jesus. Jesus."

[Diary, January 30, 1845]

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 Paul Robichaud, CSP, at 212-265-3209 x350 and tell him your story.

