



ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH



Mission Statement/Declaración de la Misión

We, the Catholic community of St. Paul, are building the kingdom of God through the celebration of sacraments, faith formation, support of one another, the sharing of gifts in ministry and by evangelization.

Nosotros, la comunidad Católica de la Iglesia St. Paul, estamos construyendo el reino de Dios por medio de la celebración de los sacramentos, la formación en la fe, el apoyo mutuo, el compartir los dones del ministerio y mediante la evangelización.

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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August 21st, 2022

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Johnson Nellissery, ISP

Associate Pastor: Rev. Hector Vega, ISP

Dcn. Michael Marchek

Dcn. Rey Garza

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Office Administrator

Mauro Reyes

Director of Religious Ed.

Mary Nieves

Music Director

Monique Meiske

Coordinator of Youth Ministry

Ruben Elizondo

Custodian/Maintenance

Anita Gonzalez

MASS SCHEDULE

First Saturday: 8:00 a.m. (English)

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (English)

Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.,

& 5:00 p.m. (English)

12:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Daily Mass: Monday-Friday, Noon (Eng.)

RECONCILIATION

Thursday in anticipation of

First Friday at 7:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

or Call Parish Office for an appointment

BAPTISM

Check the St. Paul Parish website or call the Parish Office

MARRIAGE

Contact parish 6-12 months in advance for an appointment with the Marriage Coordinator

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK/ ANOINTING

Call the Parish Office

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Friday - 12:30p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

First Friday of each Month following the Noon Mass until Saturday at 7:30 a.m.

CHAPEL

Open daily 8:00 am—8:00pm

21^o Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario

21st Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Greetings From Our Pastor

Dear Sisters and Brothers in our Lord,

As the summer comes to an end soon, we hope you experienced vacations that refreshed you and your family. We give thanks to God for your safe travels. My summertime flew by with the regular commitments to the parish and I look forward to my vacation in the Fall.

We are now looking forward to the beginning of another school year. Please keep our children and their parents in your prayers. Another important adventure for our children begins now and it is truly an exciting time for all of us.

September brings special times as we start gathering with each of our ministries. Faith formation and youth ministries are starting up as well. I am so looking forward to seeing everybody come back to the church and being involved and engaged.

I wish to offer a special thank you to all who give so much to the community of St. Paul. With your selfless giving, we are able to run the Parish smoothly. Your good works will be rewarded, as we hear in the gospel today, you pass through the narrow gate, and indeed, the way to heaven is narrow.

Please continue to support and help our Parish grow. Our sick, elderly, poor, children, youth, and couples need all of our support and assistance. Being a member of St. Paul will lead all of us to good things; our belonging gives us identity and will lead us to be selfless and devoted to our parish mission.

As the new school year begins, and we begin planning for 2023, I would ask you to prayerfully think about the following:

- Is there anything you can do for my community of St. Paul? Can you share your time, talent, or money treasures to help others?
- Join one of our ministries. There is a list of volunteer opportunities on our website. Please choose one at <https://saintpaulaustin.org/volunteer-opportunities> and you will have a great opportunity to both engage with other members of our Parish and make a difference for others.
- Evaluate your current financial contribution to St. Paul and plan for the future in 2023. Make adjustments as you can and know that your contributions are vital and important to the parish. Please consider online giving to reduce some administrative costs.
- Make a pledge for Our new Church. If you have already committed, we send a huge thank you. If you have not been asked or committed, please consider the impact you could have as we create the best St Paul community together.

Wishing you all much-needed graces for a smooth transition of times,

Father Johnson

Tabernacle Candle/Vela De Tabernáculo

Intention/Intención: Jeff Merritt
From/De: Maggie Garcia

Saludos de Nuestro Párroco

Queridas hermanas y hermanos en nuestro Señor,

A medida que el verano pronto llega a su fin, esperamos que hayan disfrutado de unas vacaciones que lo revitalizaron a usted y a su familia. Damos gracias a Dios por sus viajes seguros. Mi verano pasó volando con los compromisos regulares con la parroquia y espero con ansias mis vacaciones en el otoño.

Ahora esperamos con ansias el comienzo de otro año escolar. Por favor mantenga a nuestros niños y sus padres en sus oraciones. Otra aventura importante para nuestros hijos comienza ahora y es realmente un momento emocionante para todos nosotros.

Septiembre trae tiempos especiales cuando comenzamos a reunirnos con cada uno de nuestros ministerios. También se están iniciando ministerios de formación en la fe de jóvenes. Tengo muchas ganas de ver a todos regresar a la iglesia y estar involucrados y comprometidos.

Deseo ofrecer un agradecimiento especial a todos los que dan tanto a la comunidad de St. Paul. Con su donación desinteresada, podemos administrar la parroquia sin problemas. Sus buenas obras serán recompensadas, como escuchamos en el evangelio de hoy, pasas por la puerta estrecha, y de hecho, el camino al cielo es angosto.

Continúe apoyando y ayudando a que nuestra Parroquia crezca. Nuestros enfermos, ancianos, pobres, niños, jóvenes y parejas necesitan todo nuestro apoyo y asistencia. Ser miembro de St. Paul nos llevará a todos a cosas buenas; nuestra pertenencia nos da identidad y nos llevará a ser desinteresados y dedicados a nuestra misión parroquial.

A medida que comienza el nuevo año escolar y comenzamos a planificar para el 2023, les pido que piensen en oración sobre lo siguiente:

- *¿Hay algo que puedo hacer para mi comunidad de St. Paul? ¿Pueden compartir sus tesoros de tiempo, talento o dinero para ayudar a otros?*
- *Únase a uno de nuestros ministerios. Hay una lista de oportunidades de voluntariado en nuestro sitio web. Elija uno en <https://saintpaulaustin.org/volunteer-opportunities> y tendrá una gran oportunidad de involucrarse con otros miembros de nuestra parroquia y hacer una gran diferencia para los demás.*
- *Evalúe su contribución financiera actual a St. Paul y planifique para el futuro en el 2023. Haga los ajustes que pueda y sepa que sus contribuciones son vitales e importantes para la parroquia. Considere dar en línea para reducir algunos costos administrativos.*
- *Haga una promesa por Nuestra nueva Iglesia. Si ya se he comprometido, le enviamos un enorme agradecimiento. Si no se le ha pedido o comprometido, considere el impacto que podría tener a medida que creamos juntos la mejor comunidad de St. Paul.*

Deseándoles todas las gracias que tanto necesitan para una transición tranquila suave de los tiempos,

Padre Johnson

Collection Report August 8-14, 2022

Envelope Collection	\$6,613.63
Online Collection	\$3,065.00
Total	\$9,678.63

Envelopes Used	90
Online Offertory	52

Additional Donations:

Building Improvement Fund	\$170
New Building Fund	\$6,936.97
SVDP	\$2,364.11
Other Diocesan 2nd Collection	\$35
Total	\$9,301.08

In Person Attendance:

Saturday 5:00pm	150
Sunday 8:30am	159
Sunday 10:30am	264
Sunday 12:30pm	273
Sunday 5:00pm	120
Total	966

Special Collections/Colecta Especial

August/Agosto

28—Building Improvement Fund

September/Septiembre

4—New Building Fund

11—For the Poor

25—Building Improvement Fund

Mary Lee Foundation-We need you

We are a non-profit organization that has provided diverse services and housing to individuals with special needs since 1963. Currently we serve 107 clients with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities. Because these individuals require 24/7 care, this equates to 219 eight-hour shifts every week.

The organization are looking for people to work one 8 hour shift a week. **They will train you and pay you.** With 219 shifts that need to be filled every week, even one shift covered matters and meets a huge need.

If you're interested in helping or would like to know more, please contact:

Russ Walker (Executive Director)

512-443-5777 / rwalker@maryleefoundation.org

75th Anniversary of Austin Diocese 75 Aniversario de la Diócesis de Austin

On Nov 19th at Bell County Expo Center, Belton there will be the official grand celebration of the anniversary - 9 am - 2 pm. Limited seats are available. We have 76 tickets. If you are interested to go please give us a call this week.

El 19 de noviembre en Bell County Expo Center, Belton, habrá la gran celebración oficial del aniversario, de 9 am a 2 pm. Hay asientos limitados disponibles. Tenemos 76 entradas. Si está interesado en ir, por favor llámenos esta semana.

Fajita Plate Sale

Don't Miss It! The Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe Fajita Plate Sale on Saturday, September 10th from 3 – 6:30 p.m. \$12.00/Plate: includes 2 Beef fajita tacos in flour tortillas, beans, rice, jalapeño, and soda. Purchase your Pre-sale tickets after the weekend Masses throughout August. Funds raised will go to the Fall Festival. Thank you.

¡No te lo pierdas! Venta de platos de fajita de la Sociedad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe el sábado 10 de septiembre de 3 - 6:30 p.m. \$12.00/Plato: incluye 2 tacos de fajita de res en tortillas de harina, frijoles, arroz, jalapeño y refresco. Compre sus boletos en preventa después de las misas de fin de semana durante todo agosto. Los fondos recaudados irán al Festival de Otoño. Gracias.

Rightway Imaging

Good Health and wellness require preventive action, and if necessary, professional medical treatment. Rightway Imaging specializes in providing you an affordable, convenient and technologically advanced health screening service to help detect health concerns **"before"** they become health problems.

Our goal is to provide the very best in Vascular and Abdominal Ultrasound Screenings. Because our quality control standards are high, our Health Screening Services are among the best in the business.

They will be visiting us next weekend Masses to announce their service and pre-register for anyone interested.

Oración para el Proyecto de Construcción

Amado y bondadoso Dios, imploramos tu favor, tu fortaleza y tu sabiduría en este tiempo. Haznos asumir con tu gracia el desafío de construir la comunidad de St. Paul y la construcción del nuevo templo en nuestra propiedad. Concédenos bondadosamente las mejores soluciones para nuestras necesidades y te pedimos que te sean agradables nuestros esfuerzos, dones, talentos y sacrificios. Amén

Friends of the Poor Walk/Run

The Friends of the Poor Walk is coming to South Austin. Everyone is invited to join us to help support St. Vincent de Paul. You're welcome to walk with us or donate to us. The SVDP Conferences of San Jose, St. Peter, St. Paul, and St. Catherine of Siena will be participating. St. Paul SVDP will do a pulpit appeal and Friends of the Poor Walk fundraiser at the end of all masses of August. 27-28, 2022. Email LALarson99@gmail.com for info. You can also go to <https://fopwalk.org/walker/58804> to donate. **St. Paul intends to walk October 1st at Church grounds.**

¡La caminata Friends of the Poor® llega al sur de Austin! Todos están invitados a unirse a nosotros para ayudar a apoyar a la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl. Le invitamos a caminar con nosotros o donar a nosotros. En esta caminata participarán las Conferencias de SVDP de San José, San Pedro, San Pablo y Santa Catalina de Siena. St. Paul SVdP hará un llamamiento desde el púlpito y una recaudación de fondos de Friends of the Poor Walk al final de todas las misas del 27 al 28 de agosto de 2022. Envíe un correo electrónico a LALarson99@gmail.com para obtener información y el enlace de donación—o—vaya a <https://fopwalk.org/walker/58804>

Prayer Requests/*Peticiones de Oración*



Paul Berveld	Mary Ann	Laura Hernandez
Amelia Santos	Cecelia Velasquez	Theo Cyr
Albert Banda Jr.	Diana Acuna	Tom Natoli
Diana Martinez	Kelly Hotz	Robert Gomez
Janie Gomez	Teresa Diaz	Johnathan Hotz
Kenneth Ensell	Audrey Mahboubi	Manuel Canales Jr.
Steven Meiske	Ray Broussard	Norma Nunez
Marcella Cowan	Jane Beck	Fernando Hernandez
Esther Castillo	Tino Dominguez	Geoff Merritt
Richard Boncales		

Online Prayer Requests

Please pray for our parishioners who are ill at this time. Thank you!

Favor de orar por nuestros feligreses que están enfermos. ¡Gracias!

We remove the names of the sick at the end of each month, so please contact the office to update regularly. Thank You!

Eliminamos los nombres de los enfermos al final de cada mes, así que por favor llame a la oficina para actualizar se información regularmente. ¡Gracias!

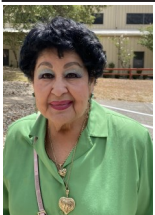
Mass Intentions/*Intenciones de Misas*

Aug. 21	8:30am	Carmen Garduno's Co-workers
	10:30am	† Henry, Percy, and Consuelo Meili
	12:30pm	† Delfino Andrade Zarate
	5:00pm	† Ricardo Reyes
Aug. 22	Noon	Missa pro populo-for the good of our parishioners
Aug. 23	Noon	† Coreless Taylor
Aug. 24	Noon	Roger Sr., Dolores, Roger Jr., and Delane Ibarra
Aug. 25	Noon	† Raquel Castillo Romero
Aug. 26	Noon	† Eppie Carroll
Aug. 27	5:00pm	David Cortez

Feast Days in August

22-The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
24-St. Bartholomew
27-St. Monica
29-St. John the Baptist

Parishioner celebrating Birthday



We would like to recognize our parishioner, Josephine Casanova, on celebrating her 90th birthday on August 21st. We wish her a Happy Birthday and we pray that her heart is filled with love that she embraces from family, friends, and the Holy Spirit. God Bless you always.

Back to School

We would like to pray for our kids as they start a new school year. That they strive for success for a bright future and continue to grow academically and spiritually.

We also pray for our teachers. That they guide their students to push themselves to make a commitment to achieve greatness in their life.

Legion of Mary

We would like to restart our regular meeting this coming Fall. We are looking for new adult members that would like to be part of our St. Paul Parish Legion of Mary.

We gather for prayer once a week, do visitation, and give communion to our Parish community.

Our welcome meeting will be on Thursday, September 15 @ 10:30 am.

For more information:

In English:

Laura Williams 512-822-3074

Karen Klabzuba 512-653-0914

In Spanish:

Claudia Ingram 512-656-9149

STRENGTHEN YOUR MARRIAGE

The Marriage Encounter Weekend offers every couple the insights, tools and the confidence to strengthen and enrich their marriage at a private weekend for couples to focus on just each other. Upcoming weekends are scheduled for September 9-11 at the Wingate Hotel in Round Rock and November 4-6 at Cedarbrake Retreat center in Belton. To apply online visit: www.austinme.org or call 512-677-WWME (9963) or email wwmeaustin@gmail.com. Apply early to ensure a space.



As of **July 21, 2022**, the total adjusted pledge amount is **\$652,029** and the total received in one-time gifts and pledge payments is **\$419,027**.

St. Paul's receives **30%** of the amount collected which will be used to supplement the **New Church Building Fund**. With **64%** received, the parish's share is now **\$125,708**! Please continue regular payments on your pledge commitment. Thank you for your generous support of the *Encountering Christ* Campaign.



A partir del 21 de julio del 2022, el monto total de la promesa ajustada es de **\$652,029** y el total recibido en donaciones únicas y pagos de promesas es de **\$419,027**. St. Paul's recibe el **30%** del monto recaudado, que se utilizará para complementar el Fondo para la **Construcción de la Nueva Iglesia**. ¡Con el **64%** recibido, la participación de la parroquia ahora es de **\$125,708**! Por favor, continúe con sus pagos regulares de su compromiso. ¡Gracias por su generoso apoyo a la Campaña *Encontrando a Cristo*!

Corporate Communion *La comunión corporativa*

The Corporate Communion for the Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be Saturday, September 3, 2022 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass.

La comunión corporativa de la Sociedad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe será el sábado 3 de septiembre de 2022 en la misa de las 5:00 p.m.

Religious Education Corner
Rincón de Educación Religiosa
 Mary Nieves, DRE (512) 420-4070



On-line registrations for the 2022-2023 Religious Education Program are **NOW OPEN**. Please log on to the St. Paul website, click on "What We Offer" then on the link of your preference - "Religious Education/1st Communion" or "High School / Confirmation".

Needed - Catechists and Catechists Assistants. Specifically, we need two Catechists, Year I and Year II Older Communion (Elementary), and four (4) Assistant Catechists (Elementary). Please prayerfully consider serving.

Las inscripciones en línea para el Programa de Educación Religiosa 2022-2023 ya **están abiertas**. Acceda a la página web de St. Paul, haga clic en "What We Offer" y luego en el enlace de su preferencia "Religious Education/1st Communion" o "High School / Confirmation".

Necesitamos catequistas y asistentes de catequistas. Específicamente, necesitamos dos catequistas - Comunión, Año I y Año II (Inglés - Primaria), y cuatro (4) catequistas asistentes (Inglés - Primaria). Por favor, considere en oración la posibilidad de servir.

Youth Ministry / Grupo de Jovenes



Come and join us for our End of Summer BBQ on Sunday, August 21st, 2022. It will begin right after the 5pm youth mass and go until 8pm. We will meet right outside Spark and all high school students are welcome to join us.

Looking forward to seeing you there!

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)
Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RICA)



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is for individuals interested in learning about the Catholic Faith or those interested in becoming Catholic.

English classes are scheduled to begin on **Tuesday, August 23rd**. Classes are held on a weekly basis from 7:00pm - 8:15pm, and run through early Spring. Please stop by the office to pick up a registration form or if you have any questions regarding the process, please feel free to schedule an appointment with Mary Nieves by calling 512-420-4070.

El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RICA) es para individuos interesados en aprender sobre la Fe Católica o aquellos interesados en convertirse en Católicos.

Las clases de Español están programadas para comenzar el **miércoles 24 de agosto**. Las clases se llevan a cabo semanalmente de 7:00pm - 8:15pm, y se extienden hasta principios de la primavera. Por favor, pase por la oficina para recoger un formulario de inscripción o si usted tiene algunas preguntas sobre el proceso, puede programar una cita con Mary Nieves llamando al 512-420-4070.

Readings for the Week of August 21, 2022
Lecturas para la Semana 21 de agosto, 2022

Sunday/Domingo

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigésimo Primero Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

Monday/Lunes

Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Memoria de Bienaventurada Virgen María Reina

2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5; Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday/Martes

Memorial of Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin

Memoria de Santa Rosa de Lima, Virgen

2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13; Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday/Miércoles

Feast of Saint Bartholomew, Apostle

Fiesta de San Bartolomé, Apóstol

Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51

Thursday/Jueves

Memorial of Saint Louis of France

Memoria de San Luis

1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 24:42-51

Friday/Viernes

1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11; Mt 25:1-13

Saturday/Sábado

Memorial of Saint Monica

Memoria de Santa Mónica

1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 25:14-30

Kids Corner



Sunday Gospel Activities

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time LK 13:22-30



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