

Behold, I am sending you  
like lambs among wolves.



ST. PAUL PARISH · JULY 6, 2025

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## OUR PARISH MISSION

We, the Catholic Community of Saint Paul in Princeton, honor our tradition of welcoming God's sons and daughters from different cultures and backgrounds to hear and live the Good News of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Baptized and formed into the people of God, we continue to grow in the Apostolic tradition of worship, word, and service: Worship through our participation in the Eucharist and celebration of sacraments; Word, in our commitment to Catholic identity through Scripture and catechesis; and Service through living as disciples who share God's love with all by working together for peace and justice to advance the coming of the Kingdom of God.

## CONNECT WITH US



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## RECEPTION HOURS

MON, WED-FRI 9:00am-4:00pm  
TUE 10:30am-4:00pm  
*Closed for lunch 12:00pm-12:45pm*

## REGISTER AT OUR PARISH



## MASS TIMES

DAILY (MON-SAT) 8:15am  
(MON-FRI) 12:10pm

SATURDAY 5:30pm

SUNDAY 8:30am, 10:00am  
11:30am, 5:00pm  
1:00pm en español

## DAILY ROSARY

MON-SAT 9:00am  
FOLLOWING 8:15AM MASS IN CHURCH  
OR VIA ZOOM (SCAN TO JOIN)



## RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY 4:00pm  
AND BY PRIVATE APPOINTMENT

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is available by scheduling an appointment.

Please contact Monica Heucke:  
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## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

SATURDAYS 7:00am-8:00am

FIRST FRIDAYS 9:00am-12:00pm

Bulletin Section  
of Website

Scan here to visit our Weekly Bulletin site which includes our Mass Intentions, sacrament celebrations, and more!



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*Interested in getting involved in a parish ministry? Please be sure to check the website or browse the bulletin for the right ministry head or staff member to reach out to. Become a part of our parish's flourishing!*

## SUPPORT ST. PAUL PARISH

The fastest and most secure way to give online is through Parish Giving. Autopay options ensure you never need to remember your envelopes again! Not enrolled yet? Scan the QR code here to set up your account:



Are you visiting St. Paul Parish this weekend? We are so thrilled to worship with you! Interested in making a one-time gift? Scan the QR code here:



## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

GIVING 6/21-6/22	2024-2025 YTD	2023-2024 YTD
\$24,000	\$1,200,00	\$1,176,500
Budget	Budget	Budget
\$7,440	\$631,795	\$572,658
Identifiable Gifts (#252)	Envelopes/Loose Cash	Envelopes/Loose Cash
\$3,357	\$551,909	\$514,202
Loose Cash	Online Giving	Online Giving
\$13,938	\$1,183,704	\$1,086,860
Online Giving	98.6%	92.4%
<u>\$24,735</u>		

# PROMISE TO PROTECT



# PLEDGE TO HEAL

## Fan the Flame of HOPE

2025 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

This year's Appeal theme, "Fan the Flame of Hope," echoes Pope Francis' call to be Pilgrims in Hope. We affirm our faith through action, supporting vital diocesan ministries.

Our Parish 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal Goal: \$133,000  
Current Progress: \$202,867 (153%)  
Donors: 172

Incentives Achieved:  
Reached Goal: Receive 100% of funds over our goal (\$69,867 as of 6/17)  
Reached Goal by June 30, 2025: 5% (\$6,650) rebate

Pending Incentive:  
Increase donors by 5% (total: 255 donors): 5% (\$6,650) rebate

These new incentives from the Diocese are an impactful way to affect change within our parish, and we appreciate your partnership.

More details about the Appeal's impact can be found at [stpaulsofprinceton.org/annual-catholic-appeal](http://stpaulsofprinceton.org/annual-catholic-appeal)



# A COMMUNITY OF PRAYER

## MASS INTENTIONS

5:30pm People of the Parish

**Sunday / 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30am Deceased Members of the Frank Family |  
Christine Sibley

10:00am Almerindo Sferra | Antonietta Sferra & Family

11:30am Christine Tamasi | Carol Ann Willie

1:00pm *Spanish Intentions*

5:00pm Lorice Alizio | Michael & Gemma De Santis &  
Family

**Monday**

8:15am Angelo & Lidia Pirone | Their Family  
Ela Zawistowska | Hanna Paczynska

12:10pm Vincenza Pirone | Pirone Family  
Antonio Pirone | Vanda Pirone

**Tuesday**

8:15am Filomena Carnevale | Ermelinda Carnevale

12:10pm Mangone & Nini Families | Joe & Jessie  
Mangone

**Wednesday**

8:15am The Living and Deceased Members of the  
Princeton Council of the Knights of Columbus  
| Knights of Columbus Council 636  
Wanda Kucba | Irene Buszko, Christine &  
Leslie Hart

12:10pm Daniel Hildreth Steidl | Sheppard Family  
Vincenzo Baldino | Maria Baldino  
Jorge Bonifacio Revilla | Revilla Family

**Thursday**

8:15am Filomena and Antonino Procaccini | Maria  
Procaccini and family

12:10pm Fr. Coleman J. Costello | Sue and Bill DeHaven

**Friday / Mem. of St. Benedict**

8:15am Intentions of Tom Conroy & Family | Rev.  
Christopher J Dayton

12:10pm Joseph Burdi | Jill and Scott Petrozzini  
Titania Leduna | Santos-Genova Family

**Saturday**

8:15am Rebeca Sanches Garcia | Alessandra Godinho  
Tapajos  
Intentions & Thanksgiving for the Gumabon  
Family | Rose Gumabon

## JUL. WEDDINGS

Kayce West & Patrick Howell  
Teodora Solotchi & Charles Leone  
Rebecca Barus & Brett Anderson  
Amanda Hearney & Mark Barus

## AUG. WEDDINGS

Rosemarie Neri & Philip Rynkowski  
Donna Marie Peppard & Christian Alexander Tabedzki  
Isabel Kingston & Philip Sobocinski  
Laurel Murray & Michael Costello

## OUR SICK

Roy Annese | Denise Baranowski | Annette Donofrio  
Eileen Dormouth | John Paul Gavin | Bob Gini  
Karen Lennon | Anthony Manuelli | Eloise Josephine  
Mason | Colette McGregor | Hanna Paczynska | Doris  
Paetow | Simon Phillip | Mary Agnes Procaccini | Anna  
Marie Revilla | Dan Roach | Eric Rojas | Annmarie Sabb |  
Ralph Sharp | Christopher Joseph Stull | Isabel Galan  
Valerio | Gabrielle Vastardif | Florence Verano | Les  
Walten



*Illuminated by*  
**HOPE**

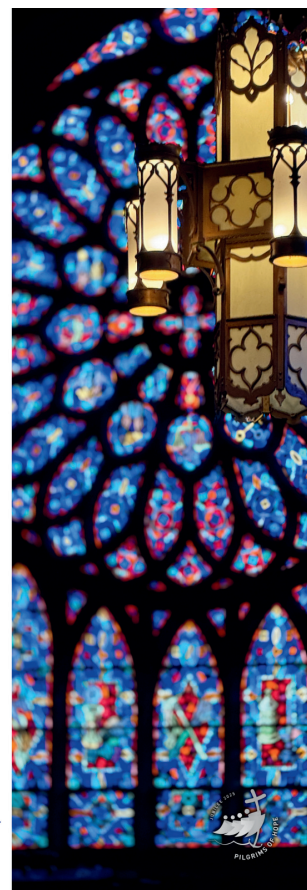
## CHURCH LIGHTING PROJECT

Partner with us in ensuring  
our worship space serves our  
parish family now and for  
generations to come

Naming opportunities  
are available



Scan here to visit  
[stpaulsofprinceton.org/church-lighting-project](http://stpaulsofprinceton.org/church-lighting-project) to learn more  
and to make a contribution





# WEEKLY WORSHIP

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

*Sunday, July 6, 2025*

Today's readings can be found on page 690 of the hymnal. Please visit the livestream section of our website for more resources about this week's Mass.



## FOCUS ON THE READINGS

*The 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Isaiah says to rejoice with Jerusalem and be glad because of her, for there we will find comfort. Paul writes to the Galatians: May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. Circumcision and uncircumcision no longer mean anything, but only being a new creation. Paul bears the marks of Christ on his body. In the Gospel, Jesus sends out seventy-two disciples ahead of him to prepare for his ministry and to proclaim the kingdom of God.

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

*A message from Fr. Chris Dayton*

As we enter the heart of Ordinary Time, the 14th Sunday in Cycle C invites us to reflect more deeply on what it means to be missionary disciples. In today's Gospel (Luke 10:1-12, 17-20), Jesus sends out seventy-two disciples ahead of Him to every town and place He intends to visit. His words to them are both urgent and hopeful: "The harvest is rich, but the laborers are few."

This passage reminds us that Jesus does not work alone. He calls and sends each of us—not only priests or religious, but all the baptized—to labor in His harvest. We are to go forth not in comfort or power, but with simplicity, peace, and trust in God's providence. Like those early disciples, we are sent to bring peace where there is division, hope where there is despair, and healing where there is pain.

The joy of mission is evident when the disciples return:

"Lord, even the demons are subject to us!"

But Jesus gently redirects their focus:

"Do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice because your names are written in heaven."

Here, we are reminded that our true joy is not in success or recognition, but in our relationship with God—one that is eternal, rooted in love, and written in heaven.

As we reflect on being bearers of Christ's light, we also give thanks for the visible light now shining brighter in our own parish. This summer, we are making exciting progress on our Church Lighting Renewal Project. The work already underway is transforming our worship space—enhancing beauty, visibility, and energy efficiency for all who gather here.

We continue to welcome gifts of any size, as every donation helps bring this project to completion. Those who contribute \$1,795 or more will be honored on a commemorative plaque in the church. Our donor recognition levels are:

Founders' Circle: \$1,795–\$4,999

Beacons of Hope: \$5,000–\$9,999

Guiding Lights: \$10,000–\$24,999

Major Donors: \$25,000–\$49,999

Legacy Donors: \$50,000+

Your support ensures that our parish remains a beacon of faith and welcome for generations to come.

This week, let us pray for open hearts to go where Christ sends us. And may we go with courage, humility, and joy—confident that He walks with us.

I hope everyone has a great week and always know of my prayers for each of you.

In His peace,

Fr. Chris Dayton  
Pastor

# PARISH LIFE

## DAILY MASS LOCATION

*in the Mercy Chapel for Summer 2025*

*Effective as of Monday, June 9:*

As work continues throughout the summer for our Parish Lighting Project, daily Masses (Monday–Friday) will be held in the Mercy Chapel at 8:15am and 12:10pm instead of in the church. The Mercy Chapel will also be open for private prayer from 8:45am–6:00pm (*discounting the time for 12:10pm Mass*).

*For those attending the 8:15am Mass:*

If you need a restroom, please use the private restroom in the Spiritual Center lobby, accessible via the parking lot ramp.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we continue our efforts to beautify our worship space and enhance our experience of prayer.

## SUMMER CHOIR

*for kids with Ms. Peggy and Ms. Joyce*

Calling all young singers! Children entering 3rd grade and up—from St. Paul School, local public and private schools, or homeschool settings—are invited to be part of our St. Paul Parish Summer Choir for Kids. This is a wonderful opportunity to make music, build friendships, and express our Catholic faith through song. Whether your child can attend all the rehearsals or just a few, we'd love to have them join us!

Rehearsals will take place in the church choir loft with Ms. Peggy Valenti and Ms. Joyce Kay:

- Wednesday, July 16 | 5:45pm–7:00pm
- Wednesday, July 30 | 5:45pm–7:00pm
- Wednesday, August 6 | 5:45pm–7:00pm
- Wednesday, August 20 | 5:45pm–7:00pm

The children's choir will sing at the 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday, August 24. To sign up or learn more, please contact Carole Moore at [carolekmoore@outlook.com](mailto:carolekmoore@outlook.com) or 609–658–2636.

## COFFEE & DONUTS

*Sunday, July 13*

Following all of our Sunday morning Masses on July 13, parishioners are invited to the Spiritual Center for

coffee and donuts. Join us for complimentary refreshments while meeting new parishioners and catching up with “old” ones. Mark your calendar for our next date, too: Aug. 10

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

*with Fr. Gregory Pine, OP*

We are thrilled to welcome Fr. Gregory Pine, O.P., to St. Paul Parish on Tuesday, July 22, for a special evening open to the entire parish and the Diocese of Trenton. Originally planned as a young adult event, this talk has been expanded due to broad interest and enthusiasm.

Fr. Gregory, a Dominican priest known for his work with Ascension Press and the Thomistic Institute, will present a talk titled: “Living Your Only Life: On Discernment and Living with Grace.”

Mark your calendars and invite friends! More details, including time and location, will be shared soon.

## SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

*The Acts of the Apostles*

St. Paul Bible Study invites you to explore The Acts of the Apostles this summer and fall, a Spirit-filled account of the rise of the early Church. Beginning July 16, sessions will be offered weekly on Wednesday mornings from 10:00am to 11:30am in the St. Paul Spiritual Center and on Thursday evenings via Zoom from 7:00pm to 8:30pm. Both sessions cover the same material, so you can choose the time that works best for you. Each meeting begins with a video lecture by a biblical scholar, followed by a group discussion. There is no cost to participate, and all are welcome. To register or learn more, contact Chuck Balestri at [cbalestri1@gmail.com](mailto:cbalestri1@gmail.com) or 609-921-0279.

## CAN YOU HELP?

*St. Vincent de Paul Society*

We are currently working with a client in need of a car who lacks the financial resources to purchase one. The vehicle should be up to date on inspections, safe



to drive, and in good operating condition. We are a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, and your donation is entirely tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law. If you can help us, please call our hotline at (609) 924-1743, ext. 250. Thank you in advance for your support.

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## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

### *Serving the Princeton Community*

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is here to support our St. Paul community and Princeton neighbors who have fallen on hard times and may need emergency assistance. Here at St. Paul, our dedicated group of volunteers aims to meet face-to-face, providing confidentiality and respect to those seeking our help. Support may include emergency assistance with rent, utilities, food, clothing, medical services, and mental health counseling. Donations can be made through the poor box or by mailing a check to SVDP, 216 Nassau Street, Princeton, NJ 08542. If you or someone you know needs our help, please call the hotline at (609) 924-1743, ext. 250. If you would like to join us in our community outreach, our next meeting will be July 15 at 6:30pm in the Parish Center.

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## PARISHFEST 2025

### *Shining with the Light of Hope*

Our Parish Council is thrilled to announce that this year's ParishFest weekend will be September 13–14, 2025!

#### **Theme: Shining With the Light of Hope**

Inspired by the Jubilee Year and our ongoing Church Lighting Project, this year's ParishFest draws from Isaiah 42:6:

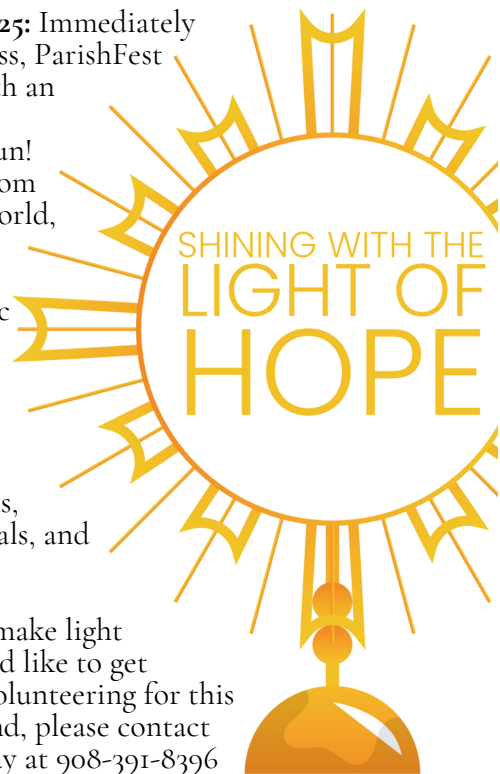
*"I have called you... and set you as a covenant of the people, a light for the nations.*

**Saturday Evening:** Join us on Saturday, September 13 for an evening of fellowship and festivity under the tent! A special dinner will be held that night during which we will honor and thank our parish music ministry—details will be available in the next weeks.

**ParishFest Mass:** On Sunday, September 14, we'll gather for our 11:30am bilingual Mass, celebrating the many cultures that make up our parish family.

**ParishFest 2025:** Immediately following Mass, ParishFest continues with an afternoon of community fun! Enjoy food from around the world, Knights of Columbus grilling, music and dancing, and a host of kids' activities like face painting, bounce houses, balloon animals, and more.

Many hands make light work—if you'd like to get involved in volunteering for this joyful weekend, please contact Donna Murray at 908-391-8396 or [donna.murray@foxroach.com](mailto:donna.murray@foxroach.com).



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## PARISH RECEPTIONIST

### *Front desk reception position at Parish Center*

As staff roles have shifted over the past year, the parish is now seeking a friendly and organized receptionist to staff the front desk of the Parish Center. This is a full-time position, Monday through Friday from 9:00am to 4:00pm, with holidays off.

**Bilingual fluency in English and Spanish is required.**

The receptionist will serve as a welcoming presence for all who visit or call the parish, and will assist with general administrative support. For a full job description and application details, please scan the QR code or visit our website.



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## PARKING AT THE PARISH

### *for Mass and other weekend events*

Cognizant of our limited parking here on our campus, we ask that all who come to Mass ensure you are parking in a single and marked spot. **Please do not double park, park in handicapped spots unless authorized, or park in clergy/resident spots.**

# FAMILY LIFE

## BE STILL

### *Pray for Religious*

Yesterday I learned of the passing of a beloved priest and spiritual father, Father Slavko Soldo, OFM. Born and raised in Medjugorje, Fr. Slavko spent much of his priesthood serving Croatian Roman Catholic communities in the U.S., including as parochial vicar and pastor—twice—at my childhood parish, Sts. Cyril and Methodius in Manhattan.

He played a meaningful role in my life. I received my First Holy Communion from him, and he and the Franciscan priests and sisters at our parish were dear family friends. During the war in the Balkans, Fr. Slavko led our community's relief efforts with compassion and strength. I'm grateful that Joe, the girls, and I were able to visit with him in Croatia last summer.

Formed by the prayerful village of Medjugorje, Fr. Slavko was a man of deep faith and kindness who touched the lives of many. Please take a moment to pray for vocations and for the priests and sisters who have shaped your faith. They are living signs of Christ's love among us.

May God welcome you, dear Father Slavko, with the words, "Well done, my good and faithful servant."

## LITTLE HEARTS

### *Early Childhood at St. Paul Parish*

If you missed the kick-off meeting, please email Laura to be added to our mailing list. We hope to develop a regular playgroup, expand our Elizabethan Ministry, and offer parenting workshops. If you are a young family or are interested in supporting young families, join us!

## WALKING WITH PURPOSE

### *Women's Prayer Group*

Curious about Walking with Purpose but not ready to commit for a full year? Join us for a 4-week summer session on Tuesdays in July (1, 8, 15, 22), from 10:30am–12:00pm in the Spiritual Center. The evening sessions will take place in the fall. Email Laura or sign up using the survey linked on this page!

## FAMILY LIFE WEBPAGE

### *For every season of life*

We will be taking the summer to update our page with opportunities, events, and ideas open to parishioners and the local community. This is not just for young families, but for individuals in every season of life. Young parents, empty nesters, special needs, or social events. We welcome your suggestions for opportunities to include for prayer, learning about our faith, service and fellowship. The link to a brief survey can be found below.

### *Family Life Survey*

Please take a few moments to complete the brief survey on the Family Life page ([stpaulsofprinceton.org/families](http://stpaulsofprinceton.org/families)) to give us your thoughts and suggestions for family life initiatives. See all that family life encompasses below.

## TOGETHER IN MISSION

### *Family Life Initiatives through the Diocese*

Together in Mission is the Diocese of Trenton's initiative to support individuals and families in every season of life. It helps parishes connect all ministries to the real-life faith journeys of Catholic families and become more intentional about evangelization. We accompany:

- Young Adults (18–39): Fostering faith, community, and vocation.
- Newly-married Couples: Supporting life together in Christ.
- Families with Young Children: Nurturing early faith at home and in the parish.
- Families with School-Aged Children: Partnering in faith formation and sacraments.
- Families with Teens: Walking with parents and adolescents during a vital time.
- Single/Married Adults: Providing formation, fellowship, and service opportunities.
- Golden Years: Engaging older adults in spiritual life and ministry.

Together, we grow in faith—at every age and stage.

Laura Sarubbi

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Scan here to sign up for monthly  
Family Life Updates





# OUR YOUNG CHURCH

## FROM THE DRE'S DESK

### *A message from Mrs. Jaime Gostkowski*

In today's Gospel, Jesus sends out 72 of His disciples to share God's love and teach about the Kingdom of God, but He sends them out two by two. Why? Because Jesus knew we need each other.

When we do something important-especially sharing God's love-it can be hard to do it alone. Having a buddy helps us support and encourage each other when we're tired, and gives us someone to pray with or celebrate with when good things happen.

When the disciples came back, they were excited to see how God worked through them. Jesus reminded them that while it's amazing to see God's power, the most important thing is that we belong to God, and He loves us.

It's the same for us as a family. We go to Mass together because we need each other in faith. We help each other in tough times, encourage each other to pray and do what's right, and share God's love with others together.

God didn't create us to be alone. He wants us to walk, pray, and share our faith together. Just like the disciples, we can be braver in living our faith when we know we have each other.

This week, take time as a family to talk about ways you can share God's love together, and pray that God helps you to be brave and joyful disciples, just like the 72 Jesus sent out in pairs.

Many blessings,  
Jaime

## 2025-2026 REGISTRATION Now Open

Registration for Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation for the 2025-2026 year is still open. As you plan your child's activities, we encourage you to prioritize their faith formation.

Classes are held on Sunday mornings from 8:30am-9:45am throughout the academic year for students entering Grades K-8.

For more details and to register, visit the parish website:  
[stpaulsofprinceton.org/prep-registration](http://stpaulsofprinceton.org/prep-registration)  
We look forward to walking with your family in faith!



## THANK YOU

### *Summer Academy and VBC Faculty*

We had a joyful and faith-filled week at St. Paul PREP Summer Academy and Vacation Bible Camp!

We were blessed to welcome 60 students to our Summer Academy, where they deepened their understanding of the Catholic faith, grew together in prayer, and shared meaningful moments as a community. Highlights included morning prayer led by Seminarian Nick, a beautiful Mass with Fr. Chris, and a powerful visit to the Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit, inspired by the work of Blessed Carlo Acutis—all of which helped reignite our Acts of Faith journey.

We also welcomed nearly 20 of our youngest parishioners to Vacation Bible Camp, where they explored the story of Creation through music, prayer, crafts, and games!

A heartfelt "thank you" goes out to our incredible catechists and dedicated volunteers. Your time, energy, and witness of faith made this week not only possible but truly memorable for our students and families. We are deeply grateful for all you do!



**MISSION:**  
Jersey  
2025

**JULY 8, 2025—**  
**CHURCH OF THE VISITATION**  
**AND SEEDS OF SERVICE**  
**BRICK, NJ**  
**9AM – 4PM**  
**(50 SPOTS AVAILABLE)**

**JULY 22, 2025—**  
**SACRED HEART CHURCH**  
**TRENTON, NJ**  
**9AM – 4PM**  
**(30 SPOTS AVAILABLE)**

**JULY 24, 2025—**  
**RISING TREETOPS**  
**OAKHURST, NJ**  
**9AM – 4PM**  
**(50 SPOTS AVAILABLE)**



[www.dotyouth.org/missionjersey](http://www.dotyouth.org/missionjersey)



# ST. PAUL SCHOOL

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

### *Join our team!*

St. Paul School of Princeton, a co-ed PreK–8 Parish elementary school in the Diocese of Trenton serving over 275 students seeks candidates to fill a teaching position for the 2025–26 school year.

Positions include:

- Upper School Social Studies Teacher

Please visit the school website (click or scan the code here) to read full job descriptions.



## APPLICATIONS OPEN

### *for the 2025–2026 school year*

Applications are now being accepted for the 2025–2026 school year for grades Pre–K3 through 8. Visit our website at [www.spsprinceton.org](http://www.spsprinceton.org) and click on the “Join Our School Family” button to begin the process. Parishioners from St. Paul Parish are given priority consideration and discounted tuition rates. Please contact Michele Cano at [mcano@spsprinceton.org](mailto:mcano@spsprinceton.org) for more information.

## NOW BOOKING TOURS

### *Come visit St. Paul School*

Were you unable to make it to our Open House? We are currently booking private tours, so you and your family can come check out what makes St. Paul School so special. To set up your tour, please contact Michele Cano in our Admissions Office today! Click or scan the code for more information and to get in touch.



## JOIN OUR TEAM

### *The Lunch Box*

We are looking for high energy individuals to join our school lunch program! This opportunity is perfect for those looking for rewarding employment while being able to be home for the family. Hours: 8:00am–2:00pm; Full-time and part-time employment; summers and holidays off. Contact: [elia.landino@thelunchboxnj.com](mailto:elia.landino@thelunchboxnj.com) or 201–725–2072



A NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE



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# PASTORAL HISPANA

## MENSAJE DEL P. CHRIS *Pastor de San Pablo*

Este 14º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, el Evangelio (Lucas 10,1-12.17-20) nos recuerda que todos los bautizados estamos llamados a ser discípulos misioneros. Jesús envía a setenta y dos delante de Él, con sencillez, confianza y el mensaje de paz. No trabaja solo: nos invita a colaborar con Él en la cosecha abundante.

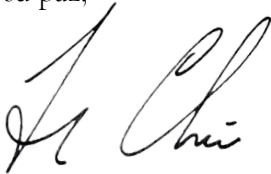
Cuando los discípulos regresan llenos de gozo, Jesús les dice:

“Alégrense, no porque los espíritus se les sometan, sino porque sus nombres están escritos en el cielo.”  
Nuestra alegría más profunda no proviene del éxito visible, sino de nuestra relación con Dios, que es eterna y amorosa.

En medio de un mundo apresurado y dividido, Dios ya está obrando. Esta semana, pidamos un corazón disponible para ir donde Él nos envíe, con humildad, valentía y alegría.

Espero que todos tengan una excelente semana y recuerden que siempre rezo por cada uno de ustedes.

En su paz,



P. Chris Dayton  
Pastor

## RECOMENDACIONES DE INMIGRACION

1. Memorice los telefonos de su abogado y sus familiares.
2. Memorice su numero de alien. este numero empieza con A#
3. Memorice los nombres de sus medicamentos y las dosis.
4. haga un power of attornie o escriba un poder para un abogado para que alguien se encargue de su casa, carro, negocio, cuenta bancaria.
5. Hable con sus hijos del plan que tenga en caso de ser detenido por el ICE para que ellos sepan a quien llamar., pidales que no digan nada ni firmen nada si el ICE los contacta.
6. Revise muy bien el poder que deja al abogado con relacion a sus hijos. No fdirme hasta revisar todas las claudulas. incluidas en la parte de atras,

## PARQUEO EN LA PARROQUIA

### *para misas y otros eventos de fin de semana*

Conscientes de nuestro estacionamiento limitado, le pedimos a todos los que vengan a Misa se aseguren de estacionarse en un lugar demarcado. Por favor, **no se estacione en doble fila, ni en lugares para discapacitados a menos que esté autorizado, ni se estacione en lugares para clérigos o residentes.**

Hay estacionamiento adicional disponible para nosotros en el lote 10 de la Universidad de Princeton (detrás de Old Nassau School). El estacionamiento en este lote es gratuito Sábados y domingos de 6:00 am-12:00 am. Por favor utilice este lugar los fines de semana si el parquadero de la iglesia esta lleno en el momento de su llegada.

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# FRIENDS OF ST. PAUL

## THE AQUINAS INSTITUTE *Princeton University Catholic Campus Ministry*

We provide Princeton University students with Mass & confession on campus, small group bible studies, formation in Catholic life and thought, and vibrant student community! Check out [princetoncatholic.org](http://princetoncatholic.org) for more details and for upcoming events.

## FRANCIS HOUSE OF PRAYER

### *Diocesan Spiritual Center & Retreat House*

Personal Retreat Days

*Thursday, Jul. 17 and Wednesday, Jul. 23 9:30am–2:30pm*

Take a day away from the busyness of your life to rest a while in the Lord and experience God's presence. Come to Francis House for silence, personal prayer, and optional spiritual direction. The day begins and ends with a brief prayer together. Please bring your lunch. Donation: \$10; \$40 with spiritual direction.

A Morning With Jesus' Parables

*Thursday, Jul. 10 9:30am–12:00pm*

Discover the parables in a new way! During this morning retreat, we will meditate on a few parables that will help us reflect upon and connect our lives to Jesus' message. Donation: \$25

Young Adult Dinner & Retreat: Awareness of God's Call

*Wednesday, Jul. 16 6:30pm–9:00pm*

If you are curious about God's call, its meaning, and ways to become aware, please join us! We'll begin with a delicious dinner at 6:30pm followed by music, animated discussions, and prayer together. Donation: \$25 | In-person only — for ages 19–30

Lessons From The Little Prince

*Tuesday, Jul. 22 9:30am–12:00pm*

The Little Prince by Antoine de Saint-Exupéry is full of precious life lessons. Together we'll discuss key messages that help us live with greater love and compassion. Donation: \$25

Letting Go of Worry

*Wednesday, Jul. 30 9:30am–12:00pm*

"Worry is useless," says the Lord. But worry seems to be an all-too-common affliction! Let's pray through it

together and trust that prayer truly changes things. Donation: \$25

Simplicity

*Friday, Aug. 1 9:30am–12:00pm*

Follow the holy path of simplicity through the lives of St. Teresa of Calcutta, Dorothy Day, and St. Thérèse of Lisieux. Their example shows us how God's love flows into everyday moments. Donation: \$25

Pray & Play With "The Potter's Wheel"

*Tuesday, Aug. 5 9:30am–12:00pm*

Join us for a time of contemplation with the scripture passage of "The Potter's Wheel." We'll reflect, pray, and even play—with real clay! Donation: \$25 (includes clay)

Our Lady, Undoer of Knots

*Tuesday, Aug. 12 9:30am–12:00pm*

Blessed Mother is Our Lady, Undoer of Knots. We'll reflect on the grace of being deeply loved and ask for help in "undoing the knots" in our lives through prayer and personal reflection. Donation: \$25

Personal Retreat Day

*Wednesday, Aug. 27 9:30am–2:30pm*

Take a day away from the busyness of your life to rest a while in the Lord and experience God's presence. Come to Francis House for silence, personal prayer, and optional spiritual direction. The day begins and ends with a brief prayer together. Please bring your lunch. Donation: \$10; \$40 with spiritual direction.

St. Teresa of Avila: The Way of Perfection

*Wednesdays, Sept. 3, Oct. 1, Nov. 5, Dec. 3, Jan. 7, Feb. 4, Mar. 4, Apr. 1, May 6 9:30am–11:30am*

St. Teresa of Avila is a master teacher of the interior life and is still being read more than 500 years after her death! Why is this? She speaks to the longing for God that we all carry within our hearts—a response to God's insatiable desire for each of us. This year, we will read *The Way of Perfection* from Volume Two of *The Collected Works of St. Teresa of Avila*. Led by Sister Marcy. Donation: \$200

Fruits and Gifts of the Spirit

*Wednesdays, Sept. 3, Oct. 1, Nov. 5, Dec. 3 1:00pm–2:30pm*

Fr. Thomas Keating teaches how Centering Prayer awakens our consciousness of the Divine Indwelling in each of us. The fruits of this prayer are not experienced during the prayer itself, but in its transforming effects—in the Gifts and Fruits of the Spirit, in putting on the mind of Christ. Join us in

praying and reflecting on these themes using Keating's book *Fruits and Gifts of the Spirit*. Led by Jerry Washko. Donation: \$75 in-person only

Please check [www.FHOP.org](http://www.FHOP.org) for dates, registration, directions, and for our other offerings! All programs will be offered online and in person unless otherwise indicated.

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## PARENT PARTNERSHIP

### *Supporting Families Impacted by Addiction*

When parents and other caregivers recognize that their loved one is struggling with substance use or addiction, we need support and understanding from those who have "been in our shoes." Parent Partnership meetings are led by volunteers with lived experience. Join us once, once in a while, or as often as you'd like. Meetings are friendly and confidential.

Parent Partnership meets on Mondays from 7:00pm-8:15pm in the St. Paul Parish Spiritual Center.

Questions? Contact Michelle King:  
[mokingnj@gmail.com](mailto:mokingnj@gmail.com) or 609-468-8708.

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## MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

### *July 18–20, 2025*

With summer fast approaching, why not take time to invest in your marriage?

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend offers couples a chance to reconnect, deepen communication, and grow spiritually together.

The next weekend will be held July 18–20. Space is limited, so please apply soon!

For information and to apply, contact Tom & Ruth DeFalco at 732-904-9636. Or visit [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) to learn more.

## GUARDIAN ANGEL

### *Dinner/Dance supporting Catholic Charities*

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton, will sell 50/50 raffle tickets after all Masses on July 12 and 13 to support the 36th Annual Guardian Angel Dinner Dance. Tickets are \$10 each or \$90 for a book of 10. The winner need not be present. The dinner will be held September 18 at The Merion in Cinnaminson. Event tickets are available at [www.CatholicCharitiesTrenton.org/GADD36](http://www.CatholicCharitiesTrenton.org/GADD36). To learn more about volunteering, ask a 50/50 seller after Mass.

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## A SPECIAL PERFORMANCE

### *Music of the Night*

Join us for an afternoon of Broadway favorites with John D. Smitherman and his orchestra on Saturday, August 2, 2025 at 3:00pm at Villa Victoria Academy Theatre, 376 W. Upper Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ.

Enjoy songs from *Les Misérables*, *South Pacific*, *Man of La Mancha*, *42nd Street*, *West Side Story*, *Phantom of the Opera*, and more. Smitherman, one of the original Three American Tenors, has performed over 100 roles on professional stages around the world.

This family-friendly performance is a benefit for Villa Victoria Academy. Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased on the Villa website, Instagram bio, Facebook events page, or at <https://cur8.com/14983/project/132009>.

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## ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE

### *Seeking full-time CRE*

The Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine is currently seeking a full-time Coordinator of Religious Education for their Religious Education program. The qualified candidate will work with the Pastor and Director of Religious Education to develop, maintain, and administer the catechetical program for the parish.

Please scan here for the full job description and application information.

