

YEAR OF FAITH²⁰¹²₂₀₁₃

CHURCH OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE

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OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Red Barn: 938-4530 / Lower Hall: 935-1902 ~ Mrs. Louise Shannon - Faith Formation Administrator ~ Br. Joseph Bellizzi, S.M., DRE
ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE PRESCHOOL ~ Office: 935-4127 ~ Mrs. Gayle Crimarco, Director ~ Mrs. Debbie Oliva, Administrative Assistant
Mr. Bart Piscitello, Supervisor - Buildings & Grounds

Weekday Masses: Monday thru Friday: 8:00 AM

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM

Sunday Masses: 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 AM

Holy Day Vigil: 5:30 PM

Holy Day: as announced in bulletin

CONFESSION: Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 PM

BAPTISM:

First & Third Sunday 1PM / Second & Fourth Saturday 12 Noon

MARRIAGE:

Arrangements can be made by calling the Rectory for an appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

First Saturday of every month at 9:00 am in the chapel

From the Pastor
Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 6, 2013

THE HOLY ROSARY

Dear Parishioners of our Beloved St. Paul:

Praised be Jesus Christ and Mary His Most Holy Mother! We have entered into the month of October which in the devotional life of the Church is the month of the Most Holy Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary. We may ask why is October the month of the Most Holy Rosary? The answer goes back to the year 1571.

In that year the forces of Islam were poised to make yet another incursion into the heart of Christian Europe. The great navy of the sultan was preparing an invasion and for the long held dream of Islam, to turn the Basilica of St. Peter into a pasture where cows would graze. All of Christian Europe was in fear as the sultan's navy was the most powerful in the world.

Under the leadership of the pope and the Christian heads of state a Christian navy was raised under the leadership of Don Juan of Austria (the natural son of Emperor Charles V) and the great Admiral Andrea Doria (after whom the ill-fated ocean liner was named). Don Juan insisted that all his sailors confess before boarding the ships, for their enterprise was not merely military; it was the Cross against the Crescent. They would be fighting for Christ.

On Sunday October 7, 1571, the great naval battle of Lepanto was fought off the Greek coast. The Christian forces were greatly outnumbered but all the Church was praying the Holy Rosary for a great victory. The Christian forces were being decimated when suddenly the wind shifted and the sultan's navy was destroyed upon the rocks. The great green flag with its crescent moon was captured from the flagship of the sultan by Admiral Andrea Doria. He placed it in the chapel of St. Mary Major in Rome where it may still be seen today. The pope at the time, Pope St. Pius V, saw the victory in a vision and decreed that until the end of time the Church would in thanksgiving to Our Lady of Victory keep the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary on the anniversary of the battle, October 7th. And thus did October become the month of the Holy Rosary.

I would encourage all of all parishioners to pray the Rosary each day. We may say we are too busy. But we may pray the Rosary while walking, driving or exercising. There is always time to pray if we really want to. After all have we ever heard someone say I am too busy to eat that ice cream cone? We can always do what we want to do.

Our Lady will bring the true victory over ourselves. She will help us in every way. The *Hail Mary* will take us to heaven. Please pray the Holy Rosary.

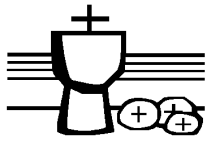
Last Saturday many of our parishioners made pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington. They made great sacrifices for this pilgrimage and left from St. Paul's at 5.30 in the morning on Saturday. They returned at 2.30am on last Sunday. May God bless and reward them as they all prayed for us in Our Lady's Shrine. Special thanks to Mrs. Gina Cinelli who coordinated all the details of the pilgrimage. May God reward her and all the pilgrims.

Perhaps in your Rosary you will say a prayer for your pastor who is in such need of prayers. Please pray that I will always have the Heart of Christ.

Thank you for your generosity to St. Paul's. We depend on your goodness and may God bless and reward you.

In Jesus and Mary,

Monsignor James F. Pereda



Our Weekly Masses

Monday, October 7

8:00 AM Helen & Joseph Terlikosky

Tuesday, October 8

8:00 AM Dorothy & Martin Krahulec

Wednesday, October 9

8:00 AM John Kelly Jr. & Noreen Healy (both living)

Thursday, October 10

8:00 AM Cecilia Eberle

First Friday, October 11

8:00 AM Charles Ganassa

Saturday, October 12

5:00 PM Pia Tenaglia

Sunday, October 13

8:00 AM Helen Mahtaban

9:30 AM Parishioners of St. Paul

11:00 AM Joseph DelPonte, Aldo Nicolletta,
E. Gerard Goodson, Ann Patricia Caulfield



Celebrants of Holy Mass

Weekend – October 12-13

Saturday, October 12

5:00 PM Marianist

Sunday October 13

8:00 AM Msgr. Pereda

9:30 AM Msgr. Pereda

11:00 AM Msgr. Pereda

BANNS OF MARRIAGE



Second Time:

Alexander Vincent—Our Lady of Victory, Floral Park & Christiana Voulo—St. Joseph's, Garden City

If you are new to the parish and have not registered, please stop in at the rectory to fill out our form. We would like to know that you are here. This information helps us in planning for the future. Also if you are asked to be a sponsor for Confirmation or a godparent for Baptism, you must obtain a sponsor certificate from the parish you are registered in.

Thank you.

NEWLY BAPTIZED

Congratulations to the parents and families of the following children who were baptized at St. Paul's this past month:

Gianluca Ferazzoli, Vienna Reina, Xavier Felipe Martinez.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Geraldine Jesberger, Mario Vona, Linda DiBenetto, Bobby Sullivan, Bill Caniano, Matthew DiLascio, William & Patricia Potter, Joyce Comich, Dawn Comisa, Rebecca Slater, Joseph Drapeylo, Noella Rao, Mary Rozmus, Christopher Louie, Anthony Grasso, Sr. Eva Ernandes, OP, Brian Rothmeier, Anthony Ambrosio, Ryan Hassankhani, Johanger Hassankhani, Michael DiBari, Sr. Regina Kraft, O.P., Eugene Armyn, William Hundt, Leon Gish, Kelly Ann Crovello.

IN REMEMBRANCE

Please remember in your prayers all those who have been buried from St. Paul's this year.

ALTAR BREAD, WINE & CANDLES



The intention for the Altar Bread, Wine and Candles used at Mass this week is

In Memory of

All Deceased Parishioners of St. Pauls



SANCTUARY LAMP

In Memory of
The Unborn

ALTAR FLOWERS

In Honor of
All Living Parishioners of St. Pauls



PRAYERS FOR OUR ARMED SERVICE

Please Pray for our parishioners

David J. Munafo, 1st Lt. US Army

John P. Orr, Lt.jg, US Navy CEC

Steven Paniccia. Pfc. US Army

Robert Simon, Jr. MS, US Army

Michael F. Wendelken, Major USAF



PRAYER GROUP

Our Prayer Group / Bible Study meets Thursdays @ 7:30 p.m. in the Red Barn. All are welcome! Bring your Bible and Rosary. Phone Linda at 317-2139 for further information.





Stewardship

A Way of Life

Weekend of September 28-29

\$7,286.

Thank you for your faithful Stewardship to our Parish Family and to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. God Bless you!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

For information concerning religious education classes, please call 938-4530. Do not call the rectory.



October

27th—9:30AM Gr. 8 Confirmation Mass/ Inscription

28th/29th—4:15-5:30PM Gr. 1 MANDATORY Parent Meeting (Parents only) in the Church

FOOD DRIVE BEGINS THROUGH NOVEMBER

November

3rd — 9:30AM Gr. 7 Commitment Statement/ Family Mass

4th/5th — 4:15-5:30PM Gr 3 & 4 MANDATORY Parent Meeting (Parents only) in the Church

— 5:30PM Christmas Pageant Sign Up

PRE SCHOOL

For information on our school, please call 935-4127.

October

7th-25th — MAKE A DIFFERENCE COLLECTION

for The Morgan Center in Hicksville

Our Preschool Children will be collecting art and school supplies to donate to the center. The Morgan Center is a free preschool for children who are suffering from cancer. If you would like to contribute to our collection, please drop off new preschool appropriate supplies to the cardboard box located in the preschool lobby.

Do you have a toddler 30 months or older who is ready to begin school? We still have availability in our Little Angels Program, Monday—Thursday mornings from 9:20 to 11:50am. Please contact the preschool office for details 516-935-4127.

Our school will be closed October 14th for the Columbus Day Holiday.



**MARIAN GUILD— Pizza Dinner
Guest Speaker—Msgr. James Pereda**

Join us for dinner along with our speaker, Msgr. Pereda, as he speaks to us about the Blessed Mother. **Wednesday, October 16 at 6:30pm** in the Parish Hall. **\$10 p/p. Reservations a must, please call Rosemarie at (516) 884-1875. Spouses are welcome.**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Next meeting **October 17 at 7:30PM**
Installation of New Officers

SQUIRES

Next meeting is **October 24 7:00PM**



OUR SENIOR ADULT CLUB

The next meeting of our St. Paul's Senior Adult Club will be **Thursday, October 10 at 1:00 p.m. in the Lower Hall.**



COLUMBUS DAY PIZZA PARTY

Calling All Orders!

**CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS
OPEN HOUSES**

**You are invited to explore the benefits
Of a Catholic High School Education**

Please feel free to visit our schools during the times and dates listed below.

October 2013

Saturday 5th 10:00AM- 1:00PM Kellenberg Mem. HS
2:00PM- 4:00PM Chaminade HS

Sunday 6th 10:00AM—1:00PM St. Anthony HS
11:00AM- 3:00PM Sacred Heart Academy

Saturday 19th 9:00AM-12:00PM McGann-Mercy HS

Sunday 20th 10:30AM- 2:00PM St. John the Baptist

ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL

2013 ACT Exam Prep Course

November 13,14,19,21

December 3,4,10,12

6-8PM

Course Fee \$400—Includes ACT textbook

**Contact Mrs. Sansiviero
(516)922-4888 ext 5315**