

CHURCH OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE

2534 Cedar Swamp Road, Brookville, N.Y. 11545

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM

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

Weekday: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
and Friday 8:00 AM

First Saturday : 9:00AM

Holy Day: As Announced

PRAYER

NOVENAS AFTER 8:00AM MASS

MONDAY MIRACULOUS MEDAL

TUESDAY MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

WEDNESDAY ST. JOSEPH

FRIDAY SACRED HEART

FIRST SATURDAY after 9:00AM Mass

ROSARY IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

ROSARY: Daily after 8:00AM Mass

ADORATION: 1st Friday 12:00-8:00PM

SACRAMENTS

CONFESSION: Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 PM

BAPTISM:

1st & 3rd Sunday 1:00PM / 2nd & 4th Saturday 12 Noon

MARRIAGE: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance by calling the Parish Office for an appointment with the Pastor or Pastoral Associate, Deacon Ray D'Alessio. At least one of the two people being married must be a parishioner of St. Paul's. Weddings are celebrated on Friday afternoons/evenings and on Saturday between the hours of 11:00AM and 3:00PM and on Sundays between 2:00PM and 4:00PM. All Sunday weddings are ceremonies.

ANointing OF THE SICK:

First Saturday of every month 9:00AM in chapel
Prior arrangements must be made with the Pastor.

PASTOR

Rev. Msgr. James F. Pereda, J.C.D.

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE

Deacon Raymond P. D'Alessio

PARISH OFFICE

Office: (516)935-1880

Monday: 1:00-4:00PM

Tuesday-Thursday: 9:00AM to 12:00PM & 1:00 to 4:00 PM

Friday, Saturday, Sunday by appointment only

Mrs. Deb Cosentino, Parish Assistant/Business Manager

OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Red Barn: (516)938-4530

Msgr. Mario C. Costa (Lower) Hall: (516)935-1902

Br. Joseph Bellizzi, S.M., DRE

Mrs. Louise Shannon, Faith Formation Administrator

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

Commercial Service

DIRECTOR OF LITURGICAL MUSIC

Mr. Gary Ducoing (516)935-1880

**NINETEENTH SUNDAY
ORDINARY TIME**

AUGUST 11, 2019

ADVISORY COUNCILS TO THE PASTOR

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Paula Maturo, Chair
Paula Dawson, Vice Chair
Ann Kissell, Recording Secretary

Peter Boyle	Jesmel John
Gina Cinelli	Anne Maione
Linda Curro	Toni Poolin
Michael D'Costa	Toni Romas
Jay Coronel	

FINANCE COUNCIL

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 Don Cavanaugh
 Antony Kozhipatt

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Michael Maturo James Black

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Andrew Coughlin
 Tom Fitzsimmons
 Joseph Palumbo
 Janice Anderson
 Antony Kozhipatt

PARISH TRUSTEES AND
TRUSTEES EMERITI ARE
EX OFFICIO MEMBERS OF PASTORAL
AND FINANCE COUNCILS

MINISTRIES and ORGANIZATIONS

ALTAR GUILD contact: Ursula Coughlin (516) 433-2450

ALTAR SERVERS contact: Louise Shannon (516) 935-1880 ext. 110 or
 email: louise.stpauls@optimum.net

CENTERSTAGE contact: Chris Black (516) 528-0294 or email centerstageministry@gmail.com

CHOIR meets Tuesdays at 7:30PM in Church - contact: Gary Ducoing (516) 935-1880

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION moderator:

Deacon Raymond D'Alessio (516) 935-1880 x112 or deaconraydalessio@stpaulsbrookville.org

JOB SEARCH contact: Gerard Wendelken for an appointment (516) 364-0640

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS meets 3rd Thursday of each month 7:30PM

contact: Don Cavanaugh, Grand Knight, (917) 769-5128 or email: doncavanaugh@ymail.com

SQUIRES meet 4th Wednesday of each month 7PM

contact: Peter Boyle (516) 937-6516 or email: repeter_65@hotmail.com

LECTORS moderator: Deacon Raymond D'Alessio (516) 935-1880 x112 or
deaconraydalessio@stpaulsbrookville.org

MARIAN GUILD meets 3rd Wednesday of each month 7PM

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION contact: Gina Cinelli (516) 333-5611

OUTREACH contact: Rectory (516) 935-1880

PRAYER GROUP meets Thursday 11:00AM in Chapel - contact: Elise LeVaillant
 (516) 433-3503

PRE CANA contact: Deacon Raymond P. D'Alessio (516) 935-1880 ext. 112 or
deaconraydalessio@stpaulsbrookville.org

RCIA contact: Jesmel & Sachi B. (516) 396-4505

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL / FOOD PANTRY - contact: Joe Curro through rectory
 (516) 935-1880

YOUTH GROUP contact: Grace Lynch (516) 626-7533

USHERS: contact Peter Boyle (516) 937-6516 or email: repeter_65@hotmail.com

TO CONTACT THE PASTOR IN AN EMERGENCY WHEN A PRIEST IS NEEDED FOR
THE SERIOUSLY SICK OR DYING,
 CALL (516) 935-1880.

EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBERS:
 JERICHO FIRE DEPARTMENT (516) 931-0898
 OLD BROOKVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT (516) 626-1300



DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE
OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

August 11, 2019
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Our Church continues to suffer as a result of past sins of sexual abuse of minors. Victim survivors of abuse and their families also continue to carry the terrible effects of that abuse. We pray that the fire of the Holy Spirit may descend upon the Church to purify and sanctify her. It is also important that we are all aware of recent developments that will cause uncertainty and present serious challenges for us in the months and perhaps years ahead.

Governor Andrew Cuomo signed the Child Victims Act (CVA) into law last February. The CVA suspends for one year any statute of limitations associated with alleged sexual abuse of a minor. This law will allow currently time-barred lawsuits to be brought against individuals as well as public and private institutions, regardless of how many years or even decades ago the abuse may have taken place.

When the one-year window to file lawsuits opens on August 14, 2019, hundreds, if not thousands of lawsuits are expected to be filed across New York State against dioceses, parishes, municipalities, public schools, hospitals and a broad range of not-for-profit charitable organizations, both religious and non-religious. The financial impact of this law may be far reaching.

However, if we are people of the Paschal Mystery, we enter the unknown with what we do know – that the death, resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ will sustain and strengthen us in the days ahead. The power of the Resurrection overcomes despair.

No doubt, we will hear about many past failures. We will again hear the heart wrenching stories of victim survivors. I have personally met with survivors of abuse, their families, friends and loved ones. I have listened at a deep level to their stories of tragedy, betrayal, trauma and their heroic efforts to engage in the process of healing. Their lifelong wounds of trauma run so deep, that only the warmth of the Holy Spirit can begin to touch, relieve and heal them. Together, we pray that the fire of the Holy Spirit brings the light of true repentance and reform, moving the Church to continue listening and responding with the humility and compassion of Jesus Christ.

It is also important that we be aware of what is already happening and has been happening for many years in our Diocese as to the extraordinary work that goes into child protection. First, the Diocesan Office for the Protection of Children and Young People was established in 2003. Many years of hard work have made this office one which puts the safety and well-being of children first, and seeks to reach out to and support victim survivors of abuse. It works to ensure the screening and training of every person who works in or volunteers for the Church. If you are an employee or a volunteer in your parish, you know about background checks, VIRTUS training and the call for every member of the Church to be vigilant in protecting children.

For years, we have worked closely with law enforcement whenever an allegation of abuse is made against a member of the clergy, an employee or volunteer in the Diocese of Rockville Centre. Our confidential hotline (516-594-9063) is closely monitored, and calls made to it are returned within 24 hours by a licensed mental health professional. Allegations of abuse are promptly reported to the appropriate district attorney's office and are thoroughly investigated. In addition, pastoral care and mental health support is offered to any abuse survivor who needs assistance.

These are just a few of the reforms, efforts and safeguards that have been in place since 2002 in our Diocese, and have made the Church on Long Island a truly safe environment. And we do not rest there. We continually work to discern the best ways to adjust and enhance our child protection practices, to raise consciousness in the Church and society about vigilance and to support survivors of abuse.

In 2017, we initiated our Independent Reconciliation and Compensation Program (IRCP) to provide a confidential mechanism for survivors to receive compensation and some measure of healing and justice. We intend to continue this program for the foreseeable future, even after the CVA takes effect, so survivors can, if they wish, be heard in a fair, respectful, confidential and timely way. To date, 370 people have filed claims with our IRCP. The vast majority of claimants – 277 to be exact – have accepted compensation totaling just over \$50 million, with 75-80 claims still being processed.

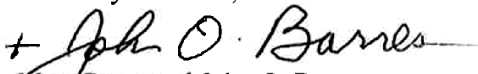
We have worked diligently with our financial and legal advisors to assess our financial position and maximize the availability of insurance coverage to meet the demands that will likely be imposed by anticipated CVA litigation. Please also know that parish collections and financial donations made through the Catholic Ministries Appeal will continue to be used, consistent with our commitment to our parishioners, to support the Diocese, and its ministries and pursue the goals of the Catholic Ministry Appeal. The parish offertory and Catholic Ministry Appeal funds have not and will not be used to resolve claims for clergy sexual abuse.

The work of the Church – of administering the Sacraments, of teaching, healing, advocating, serving, and ministering to the poor and vulnerable – can and must continue, despite the sins of the past. I speak in greater detail about all of this, and about the Diocese's robust safe environment practices and commitment to them, in a Catholic Faith Network (CFN) special video which you can view on CFN television, the Diocesan website (www.drvc.org) and on Diocese of Rockville Centre social media platforms.

The coming months will require perseverance and prayer if we are to emerge even more dedicated to Christ's saving mission. As the opening of the CVA window takes place near the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin, we are reminded to turn to Mary our Mother and draw courage from the one who did not look away from her suffering Son. She waited patiently, suffered with Him, and shared in His victory over sin and death.

This is the same Mary who, as Mother of the Church, gathered with the Apostles in the locked room, waiting for the power of the Holy Spirit to descend at Pentecost. As we enter a time of Paschal Mystery suffering, may Mary guide us, so that together we may continue to carry out the mission of her Son: the building up of the Kingdom of God throughout Long Island and the world.

Sincerely in Christ,


Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre



Our Weekly Masses

Monday, August 12, 2019

8:00 AM For the Bishop

Tuesday, August 13, 2019

8:00 AM Matilda Lebkuecher
(requested by J. D'Auria)

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

8:00 AM NO MASS

7:00 PM Vigil Mass: **The Assumption
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Juanita Gusmanos
(requested by Mr. Chau, Mr. Yiep & Family)

Thursday, August 15, 2019 - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 AM For the Parishioners

12:15 PM William Bowe
(requested by D. Leahy)

Friday, August 16, 2019

8:00 AM Bartolo Piscitello
(requested by Parish)

Saturday, August 17, 2019

5:00 PM Joseph D'Alessio
(requested by J. & A. Borruso)

Sunday, August 18, 2019

8:00 AM Benefactors of St. Paul the Apostle

9:30 AM For the Parishioners

11:00 AM Joseph D'Alessio
(requested by F. & G. Cinelli)
Catharina Fernandes
(requested by D'Costa Family)
Dennis Guango
(requested by Jung Family)



MEMORIALS

ALTAR BREAD, WINE & CANDLES

*In Memory of
Victims of Violence*

ALTAR FLOWERS

*In Memory of
the Unborn*

SANCTUARY LIGHT

*In Memory of the
Souls in Purgatory*

DEVOTIONAL CANDLE

*In Memory of
Persecuted Christians*

AMERICAN & PAPAL FLAGS

March 1, 2019-August 31, 2019

In Memory of Gina Tarantini

Donated by A. Tarantini



CELEBRANT OF HOLY MASS

Saturday, August 17

5:00 PM Msgr. Pereda

Sunday, August 18

8:00 AM Msgr. Pereda

9:30 AM Msgr. Pereda

11:00 AM Msgr. Pereda



REMEMBER YOUR LOVED ONES

Mass Intention	\$ 20
Bread Wine & Candles for the week	\$ 50
Altar Flowers	\$ 125
Sanctuary Light for the week	\$ 25
Devotional Candles before Our Lady & St. Joseph	\$ 50
Tree of Life Memorials	Call Parish Office

Collection: August 4-5, 2019 7,233
Budget 7,760
Difference to Budget (+/-) -527

Thank you for your continued support of our Parish!



The Office of **FAITH FORMATION**
DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE

DRVC SCHOOL OF MISSIONARY DISCIPLES



Encountering Christ Through the Joy of the Gospel

August - September 2019 INFORMATION SESSIONS

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington

Sunday, August 18, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.

440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743

McKenna Room (Lower Level)

Mercy Hospital, Rockville Centre

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.

1000 North Village Ave., RVC, NY 11571

CIJ Room – 1st floor

(ask the receptionist)

St. Anne, Brentwood

Thursday, September 12, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

88 Second Ave., Brentwood, NY 11717

Yellow room (Lower level church)

Haitian Community

Mercy Hospital, Rockville Centre

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

1000 North Village Ave., RVC, NY 11571

CIJ Room – 1st floor

(ask the receptionist)

Hispanic Community

**Our Lady of Consolation Nursing & Rehab,
West Islip**

Thursday, September 12, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

111 Beach Drive, West Islip, NY 11795

Board room (use main entrance,
ask the front desk)

St. Edward Confessor, Syosset

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

205 Jackson Ave., Syosset, NY 11791

Cenacle room in the Holy Family building
(next to the Rectory, look for the blue awning)

St. John the Evangelist, Riverhead

Friday, September 13, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

546 St. John's Place, Riverhead, NY 11901

Parish Center – Room # 6

(in the school building
across from the Rectory)

For more information contact Maria Elena Barbieri 516-678-5800 ext. 540, mbarbieri@drvc.org
or visit our website www.drvc-faith.org/adult-formation

Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Island, Manorville October 5th, 2019

Join us in a day of prayer and reflection

Registration is required

For information please call/email Gina Cinelli

516-532-8799/kidz54321@gmail.com





Mass in Monsignor Costa Hall Final Phase of our Church Renovation

We have now come to the final phase of construction in the Church which will be the enlarging of the narthex, the completion of the Fatima Chapel, the new lighting, and the mounting of the mysteries of the Rosary.

Because of this, we have once again moved our **Sunday Masses** to **Monsignor Costa Hall**. We have done this before during Lent, and now we offer this small inconvenience to God again.

After this final phase, all will be ready.

It will be announced when Sunday Masses are scheduled to return to the Church.



PRAYERS FOR OUR ARMED SERVICE

Please pray for our parishioners in the military:

*Keith Wilkins, Lt. Cmdr. USCG
Francis Son, Pfc. US Army
Michael F. Wendelken, Lt. Col., USAF
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*



ST. PAUL'S CONSOLATION MINISTRY NEEDS YOU!

Our parish is richly blessed to have a few wonderful volunteers who make up the Ministry of Consolation team.

The most valuable gift we can give are the gifts that come from the heart. The precious gifts of our time, love and compassion are especially needed during the time of the loss of a loved one.

This ministry was created to provide warmth, caring and personal attention to assist families in preparation for the Funeral Mass.

Please give some thought as to sharing your time and talents and being a part of this ministry's call to love and care for one another.

Please call Gina Cinelli at 516-333-5611 if you would like to volunteer or have any questions.

Second Banns of Marriage



*Jack Penzi - St. Paul the Apostle, Brookville, NY
Maura Calamari - St. Lawrence, Killingworth, CT*



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Thursday, August 15th
Holy Day of Obligation**

Mass Times:

Wednesday, August 14 - Vigil Mass 7:00pm

Thursday, August 15 - 8:00am & 12:15pm

Reminder:

Masses will be in Monsignor Costa Hall

Please note:

**There is no 8:00am Mass on Wednesday,
August 14.**



SAVE THE DATES

for the following upcoming events.
Detailed information will be provided as the
event dates approach.

Sunday, September 8, 2019 - Parish Picnic
immediately following the 11:00am Mass.

Thursday, October 24, 2019 - Gala Dinner Casino
Night at the Milleridge Inn.

Sunday, October 27, 2019 - Bishop Barres will
rededicate our newly renovated Church at the
11:00am Mass.



Congratulations to the families of the newly baptized:

***Thomas Robert Lorenzo Hoch
Mia Elizabeth DePalo
Erik Robert Martinez
Leah Angelina Martinez
Noah Aldo Letellier
Marco Joseph Talibon
Henry Linden Tonge***

**If you are planning to have your baby baptized, please
contact the religious education office at 516 938-4530.**

**Please do this before making any arrangements with
catering venues to be sure date is available.**

**Please note that godparents must be confirmed
Catholics, at least 16 years old and in good standing
with the Church. They must obtain a sponsor certificate
from the Parish where they are presently living.**



PRAYER MINISTRY

Group meets Thursday mornings at 11:00AM in the chapel to lift up in prayer the requests mentioned in the intentions books. These books are located in the narthex of the church and chapel.

If you are in need of prayer, please make use of these books.

For information, call Elise LeVaillant
516 643-3029 or email intercessorell1@gmail.com

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Please pray for those whose names are on the parish sick list.

Catherine Black, Benny D'Aquila, Agostino Ragusin, Raffaele D'Onofrio, Benjamin Lagumen, George Jung, Jean (Elizabeth) Connolly, Joseph LaRosa, Fr. Martin Klein, Julia D., Maria P. Scopa, Carol Hammel, Karen Keener, Linda DiBenetto, Matthew DiLascio, Christopher Louie, Anthony Grasso, Anthony Ambrosio, Christine DiBari, Kelly Ann Crovello, Teresa Bencardino, Mary Grace Spotter, Nellie Ambrosio, Robert Simone, Vincent Meade, Linda Malone, Guido Penafiel, Jeremiah McCarthy, Santiago Alvarez, Gabriella Fiorillo, Lorraine and Matthew Masiello, Linda LeVaillant, Giovanna Vizzari, Mildred McCarthy, Baby Sergio DeVincent.

Please call the office at 516-935-1880 x100 to add or remove a name from the prayer list.



School is just around the corner!

We have families who could use help with school supplies.

If you are interested in sponsoring a "supply list" please...

Email: Paulsapostle@verizon.net

Text: 516-330-5106

Or leave your contact information at the rectory.

We are (still) in need of the following:

Coffee

Cleaning Supplies

Laundry Supplies

Tuna

Condiments (mayo, ketchup, mustard)

PEANUT BUTTER!

Kid Friendly Snacks (chips, cookies)

Vet Friendly Snacks (unsalted pretzels)

Jarred Pasta Sauce

Rice (not minute rice)

Baby wipes (packaged)

PLEASE remember those who are in need of help by donating food which can be placed in the baskets located at the church doors.

Also Appreciated



FOOD CARDS, KOHL'S CARDS, GAS CARDS, TARGET CARDS (receipts must be attached).

You may also consider making a monetary donation so that our volunteers can do the shopping!

Please come and visit us on Saturday mornings. We open at 10:00am and are located behind the red barn.

For assistance please call the rectory at 516 935-1880 or email paulsapostle@verizon.net

THANK YOU!