

# CHURCH OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE

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

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Evening:** 4:00 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 3:00 - 3:45 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 2:00PM 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) 935-4127**

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**

## BAPTISM OF THE LORD

**January 12, 2020**

## 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

*Roxann Romano, Chairperson*

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 Don Cavanaugh  
 Antony Kozhipatt

### TRUSTEES

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### TRUSTEES EMERITI

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](mailto:louise.stpauls@optimum.net)

**CENTERSTAGE** contact: Chris Black (516) 528-0294 or email [centerstageministry@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:doncavanaugh@ymail.com)

**SQUIRES** meet 4th Wednesday of each month 7PM

contact: Peter Boyle (516) 937-6516 or email: [repeter\\_65@hotmail.com](mailto:repeter_65@hotmail.com)

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

**MARIAN GUILD** meets 3rd Wednesday of each month 7PM - contact: Giovanna (516) 459-4225

**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](mailto: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

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

## From the Pastor

### January 12, 2020

### The Baptism of the Lord

#### ***THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS***

Many are aware that the Month of January is the month of the Most Holy Name of Jesus. In fact the feast of the Most Holy Name of Jesus is kept on January 3<sup>rd</sup> each year. The Feast gives the character to the entire month.

*What's in a name?* Thus did Juliet wonder in Shakespeare's famous play. Perhaps some of us have even asked that ourselves. We know what is meant by that expression. Generally it means that names are not that important. And yet our faith tells us that names are indeed important.

But we know that names are very important. Think, if you will, of the poor and devoted husband whose wife has had a stroke and who will never hear her utter his name again. Think of the poor mother whose child is getting older and who has not yet said *mama*. Perhaps she has brought the baby to the doctor who, after testing, discovers that the child has a hearing problem and that perhaps she will never hear the child utter her name or any other name for that matter. These are two examples of individuals who understand the importance of names. And think of a young man and woman who are first keeping company. The very name of their beloved thrills them. Yes, names are important.

What a joy then for us to realize that when God became a man, he had a name, Jesus. The very name Jesus means Savior. It is the name that is so powerful that it is used in all the sacraments of the Church. We pray, *Our help is in the **Name** who made heaven and earth*. In fact we should try to do everything *in the name of the Lord*. It is the name which the angel told to St. Joseph and it was St. Joseph who had the great privilege to bestow the Holy Name upon Our Lord.

We should have only the greatest reverence for the name of Our Lord. We should bow our head when either saying or hearing His name. In the church's Liturgy the priest bows his head at the name of Our Lord, Our Blessed Mother, the Patron Saint of the parish Church (in our case St. Paul), his own patron saint (in my case, St. James the Apostle), the patron saint of the diocese (in our case St. Agnes) and the saint whose feast is being celebrated. In fact, there is a tradition to use the phrase *Our Lord* in place of the Sacred Name *Jesus* so that we do not use the name lightly or carelessly. In the Old Testament, the Chosen People would never use the name of God nor would they write it. Even today, among many pious Jews, they write G-D instead of GOD out of respect for the divine name.

Out of respect for the Sacred Name we should never use Our Lord's name as a curse or as an expression. How sad to hear the name of God used in an expression, sometimes even by young children who have not even begun to read or write. We should only use Our Lord's name in a reverential way and in prayer. It is the same spirit of reverence that teaches us to try to make the Church a place of quiet so that a spirit of prayer permeates the whole building.

When the English martyrs were being cruelly tortured for our Catholic faith, the Divine Name gave them strength and courage. They would utter a beautiful aspiration that perhaps we, too, could memorize. It is (in Medieval English) *Jesu, Jesu, always be Jesus to me!* In Latin the prayer is: *Iesu, Iesu, esto mihi semper Iesus!*

*Blessed be God! Blessed be His Holy Name!* Yes, dear friends let us always use the Most Holy Name of Jesus with love and with reverence. May that name be our strength and salvation.

In Jesus and Mary,  
**Monsignor James F. Pereda**



## THANK YOU!

**Dear Parishioners:**

Thank you most sincerely for all the gifts, cards, spiritual bouquets, and kind greetings at This Most Holy Time. I am deeply grateful for this outpouring of generosity and affection. I will offer Mass for all our benefactors this week.

Thank you also for your gifts to the parish during this time of Christmas. Your generosity allows St. Paul's to be the beacon of light for all in our community.

In Jesus and Mary,  
**Monsignor Pereda**



## ***Our Weekly Masses***

### **Monday, January 13**

8:00 AM Pastor's Intentions

### **Tuesday, January 14**

8:00 AM Maria Sole  
(requested by Ferdico Family)

### **Wednesday, January 15**

8:00 AM For the Pope

### **Friday, January 17**

8:00 AM Joseph Mario Realì  
(requested by Msgr. Pereda)

### **Saturday, January 18**

4:00 PM Gussie & Anthony LaRocca  
(requested by M. Vitale)

### **Sunday, January 19**

8:00 AM Deceased Benefactors

9:30 AM Parishioners

11:00 AM Rev. Frank Costello (40th Anniversary)  
(requested by Costello Family)  
Salvatore & Palma Fiorentino &  
Salvatore D. Fiorentino  
(requested by N. & R. Genovese)  
Marie Giambalvo  
(requested by G. Monteleone)

#### Collection:

January 5, 2020 \$7,931

Budget \$7,560

Difference to Budget (+/-) +371

*Thank you for your continued Parish Support!*



## ***MEMORIALS***

### **ALTAR BREAD, WINE & CANDLES**

*In Honor of Deacon Ray & Nancy D'Alessio*

Donated by D. & C. Crossley

### **ALTAR FLOWERS**

*In Memory of the Homeless & the Hungry*

### **SANCTUARY LIGHT**

*In Memory of the Souls in Purgatory*

### **DEVOTIONAL CANDLE**

*In Memory of the Unborn*

### **AMERICAN & PAPAL FLAGS**

September 1, 2019-February 28, 2020

*In Memory of Gina Tarantini*

Donated by A. Tarantini



## **CELEBRANT OF HOLY MASS**

**Saturday, January 18, 2020**

**4:00 PM Fr. Descoteaux**

**Sunday, January 19, 2020**

**8:00 AM Fr. Descoteaux**

**9:30 AM Fr. Cameron**

**11:00 AM Fr. Cameron**



## **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*



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.



**Knights of Columbus  
SQUIRES**  
Youth Organization.

### **ANNUAL SUPER BOWL RAFFLE**

**\$10 a Raffle Ticket or 3 for \$20**

**Prize: 55 INCH LG FLAT SCREEN SMART TV**

**Proceeds to Benefit the Charitable Programs of our Council and our Church**

*DRAWING January 26, 2020 - During Intermission of CenterStage Performance*

### **Knights and Squires - Future events**

**Squires Installation for New Members - January 22 at 7 pm** - Any young men between the ages of 10 and 18 interested in joining our Squire program, please contact us. The Squires program is designed to develop young men as leaders who understand their Catholic religion, who have a strong commitment to the Church and who are ready, willing and capable of patterning their lives after the Youth Christ. (See bulletin for contact information)

**January 16 - Monthly Meeting - Repass 7:30pm and Meeting 8:00pm**

**January 26 - Knights & Squires Pancake Breakfast after 9:30 Family Mass**

**January 26 - Knights Super Bowl Raffle Drawing** - Contact Don Cavanaugh for tickets - doncavanaugh@ymail.com or 917-769-5128

**St. Patrick's & St. Joseph's Day Pot Luck** - Sunday, March 22, after 11am Mass. Parish is invited.

**April 30, 2020 - Squires Scholarship forms are due**

**Communion Breakfast - Sunday, May 3 after 9:30 Mass**

Monday, May 4, 2020 - **Annual Golf Outing and Parish Awards Dinner**

**Mother's Day Plant Sale - TBA**

Saturday, May 16, 2020 - **Field of Honor Dedication** and Reception after 4pm Mass

### **MARIAN GUILD CALENDAR OF EVENTS**



**Calendar for 2019 – 2020 (events subject to change)**

Wednesday, February 19, 2020, 6:30 pm – Pizza and Painting

Wednesday, March 18, 2020, 7 pm – Lenten Speaker

Wednesday, April 15, 2020 7 pm – To be announced

Sunday, **May 3, 2020**, after 9:30 am Mass - **Communion breakfast**

Wednesday, May 20, 2020, 7 pm - Chair yoga class

Wednesday, June 17, 2020, 6:30 pm – Night at the Races / End of year gathering

**MARIAN GUILD MEMBERSHIP FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT MEETINGS.**

Centerstage is presenting another Winter show!

Many of you remember the wonderful Dinner Theatre productions under our dear  
Monsignor Costa.

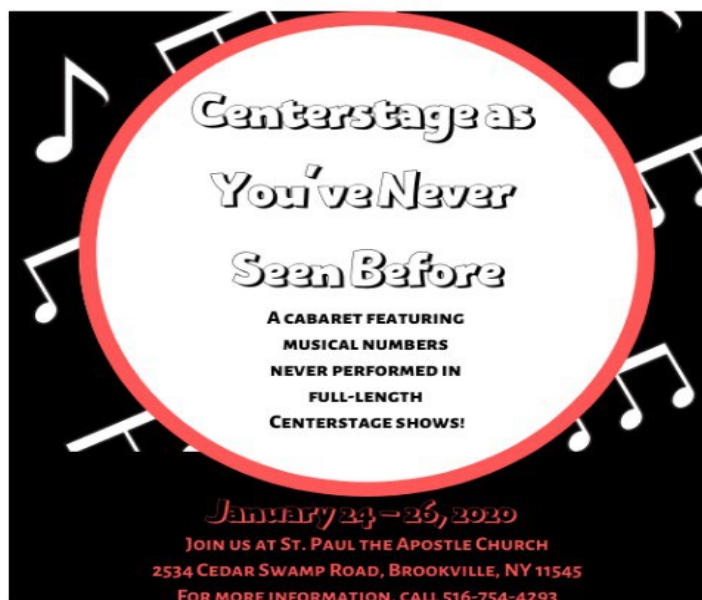
Thanks to the support and sponsorship of Monsignor Pereda, we are once again presenting  
St. Paul's Centerstage Dinner Theatre!

All information is in the flyer below. We are also accepting donations for our raffle gift  
baskets!

See you at the show!

## ST. PAUL'S CENTERSTAGE

Presents



Friday, January 24 at 8pm

Sunday, January 26 at 2pm

**Tickets:** \$15, Seniors & Children (12 and under) \$12

**Dinner Theatre:** Saturday, January 25 at 6pm -- \$40

**All performances held in Costa Memorial Hall**

St. Paul's Church

2534 Cedar Swamp Road Glen Head, NY

For Ticket Information and Reservations

Please call 516-754-4293 or e-mail [Centerstageministry@gmail.com](mailto:Centerstageministry@gmail.com)

## **Religious Education Calendar**

### **January**

January 5 9:30am	Family Mass
January 13	Gr 8 Parent Meeting 7:30pm
January 20-21	No Classes
January 26	Family Mass 9:30



### **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*

*God bless our troops and  
God bless the United States of America!*

### **PRAY FOR THE SICK**



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

Anthony Scaccia, Elizabeth O'Brien, Catherine Black, Benny D'Aquila, Agostino Ragusin, Raffaele D'Onofrio, Benjamin Lagumen, George Jung, Jean (Elizabeth) Connolly, Joseph LaRosa, Julia D., Maria P. Scopa, Carol Hammel, Karen Keener, Linda DiBenetto, Matthew DiLascio, Christopher Louie, 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 DeVinent.

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



**A special thank you to everyone who keeps the Food Pantry thriving and serving those in need during these blessed holidays and throughout the year!**

### **We are in need of the following:**

Coffee (we're out)  
Cleaning Supplies  
Laundry Detergent  
Quick Oats (plain)  
Cake Mix/Brownie Mix  
Dog Food  
Soup (winter is upon us!)  
Paper Towels  
Shampoo & Conditioner  
No salt snacks  
No-Sugar or Low-Sugar cereals  
Baby wipes (packaged)

**Thanks to your generosity our pantry is currently FULLY STOCKED with canned vegetables, tuna and pasta!**

**Kindly check expiration dates on All foods, canned, boxed and packaged. We cannot distribute expired food items to our families.**

### **Also Needed for Holidays**

**FOOD CARDS for those who are on health related diets.**

**KOHL'S CARDS, TARGET CARDS (receipts MUST be attached).**

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

**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](mailto:paulsapostle@verizon.net)**



## SAVE THE DATE

**Monday, May 4th, 2020**

**St. Paul the Apostle**

**4th Annual Golf Outing and Awards Dinner**

**Engineers Country Club, 55 Glenwood Road, Roslyn Harbor, NY 11576**

**GOLF: 12:00 pm: Tee Off: Shot Gun/ Scramble Format**

**Cocktails: 5:30 pm and Awards Dinner 7:00 pm**

### *Awards Dinner Honorees*

*The Monsignor Mario C. Costa Award*

*Irene & Tom Principe*

*The Sister Regina Kraft Award*

*Ursula & Andy Coughlin*



If a Parishioner of St. Paul's or a family member living with you is unable to attend Mass temporarily or permanently because of recuperation, illness, disability or age, PLEASE do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office at 516-935-1880. We will make arrangements to have Holy Communion brought to that individual weekly.



**Congratulations to the families of the newly baptized:**

*Hannah Jacqueline Hayim*

*Victoria Therese Hayim*

*Kacey Lynn Giannusa*

*Mackenzie Eva Marowitz*

*Zoey Rae Tuft*

*Leah Grace Blaszkiewicz*

*Daniel Blaszkiewicz*

*Gabriella Francesca Maimone*

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



### **MASS INTENTIONS**

***The 2020 Mass Books are open for your Mass Intentions.***

***Please come to the Parish Office during regular business hours.***

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.

## **"FRIDAY FRIENDS"**

"Friday Friends" is a monthly event where children with special needs can bond with teen volunteers in the community on a one-to-one basis. Parents of children with special needs can drop off all their children (including siblings) and enjoy a break from their intensive caring routine. Adult supervision is provided as well.

There is no cost to participate. We will provide pizza and water to all the kids.

**We meet Once a Month on Friday 6:30pm to 8:30pm** at St. Paul the Apostle Church in Monsignor Costa Hall.

**Dates for 2019-20:** October 25, November 22, December 20, January 24, February 28, March 27, April 24, May 29

If you are interested in participating, please email Nikolas Tarasenko at [fridayfriendsstpaul@gmail.com](mailto:fridayfriendsstpaul@gmail.com)



## ***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.

## **TITHES & OFFERINGS**

### **E-GIVING**

Pease consider automatic giving as a means of tithing. It is easy to enroll. Sign on to [stpaulsbrookville.org](http://stpaulsbrookville.org) and select **E-Giving**. The prompts will take you step-by-step through enrollment.

Your generosity and continued parish support are very much appreciated.



## **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 [intercessorel1@gmail.com](mailto:intercessorel1@gmail.com)