

# CHURCH OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday:** 5:00pm  
**Sunday:** 8:30 and 10:30am  
**Weekday:** Monday through Friday  
9:00am in Church  
**First Friday :** 9:00am in Church  
**First Saturday :** 9:00am in Church  
**Holy Day:** As Announced

## PRAYER

**Novenas After 9:00am Mass**  
Monday **Miraculous Medal**  
Tuesday **Mother Of Perpetual Help**  
Wednesday **St. Joseph**  
Thursday **Saints**  
Friday **Sacred Heart**  
First Saturday **Rosary** after 9:00am Mass  
**Rosary:** Daily after 9:00am Mass  
**Adoration:** 1st Friday after 9:00am Mass until 12 noon

## SACRAMENTS

### CONFESSION:

**Saturday:** 4:00 - 4:45pm  
**Sunday:** 7:45 - 8:15am and 9:45 - 10:15am  
**Wednesday:** After the 9:00am Mass

**BAPTISM:** 1st & 3rd Sunday 1pm / 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, 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 - Thursday: 9:00am to 12:00pm &  
1:00 to 4:00pm

Friday, Saturday, Sunday by appointment only  
Mrs. Deb Cosentino, *Office Administrator*

## OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

**Religious Education Office: (516) 938-4530**

Msgr. James F. Pereda, *Director of Religious Education*

Mrs. Louise Shannon, *Faith Formation Administrator*

Ms. Lynn M. Wilson, *Faith Formation Coordinator*

## BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

**Commercial Service**

## DIRECTOR OF LITURGICAL MUSIC

Mr. Gary Ducoing **(516) 935-1880**

**The Most Holy Trinity**

**June 12, 2022**

## ADVISORY COUNCILS TO THE PASTOR

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

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**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

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** meet 3rd Thursday of each month 7:30pm

contact: Jim Viania, Grand Knight (516) 822-9068 or email: javiania25@gmail.com

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**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL / FOOD PANTRY** - contact: Joe Curro through rectory  
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**USHERS:** contact: Frank Cruz, Head Usher - email Frank.pito.cruz@icloud.com

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## From the Pastor

June 12, 2022

### Trinity Sunday

Dear Parishioners of Our Beloved St. Paul:

*Praised be Jesus Christ, and Mary, His Most Holy Mother!*

**THANK YOU:** As I write this article (June 4th, Saturday) I must express sincere gratitude to all of you who have contributed to the great success of our 2022 Golf Outing. First, I must thank our honoree, Mr. Michael D. Sapraicone, a very devoted parishioner of St. Paul and a man of most charitable instincts and service. Mr. Sapraicone has spent his life in service to the law, both God's and man's. His dedication to St. Paul's has been outstanding.

As of today, more than \$134,000 has been netted for our parish. This is a testimony to Mr. Sapraicone and to all of you our dear parishioners. I will write more about the Golf Outing next week, when all of our figures are available.

**CORPUS CHRISTI SUNADY:** Next Sunday will be Corpus Christs Sunday. All of our little ones who made First Holy Communion in May are asked to come nest wee to walk in the Corpus Christi Procession. In n years past when Holy Communion was received universally "at the rail", distribution was carried out by the Priest, with no variation in reception on the part of the communicants. Today it seems that there are dozens of ways in which Catholics receive the Blessed Eucharist, yet this should not be so.

Though the official Catholic norm is still for reception of the Most Holy Sacrament on the tongue, if Holy Communion is to be received in the hand it should be so done in the following, correct manner: **While in line, the communicant reverences (makes a bow) to the Sacrament while the person in front of them is receiving. When the priest, deacon, or extraordinary minister says, "The Body of Christ," the communicant responds, "Amen," and puts out their tongue and receives; or puts out their hands (one hand under the other) as flatly as possible; the Sacred Host is then placed on the flat, horizontal palm. The communicant then steps aside (so that the next person can receive), and immediately places the Host on their tongue with the other hand, and returns to their place in the congregation.**

St. Cyril of Jerusalem (315-386 A.D.) gave instruction for the manner in which the faithful should receive: *"They should make a throne of their hands, laying the right upon the left to form a throne for the King, forming at the same time a cross. This symbolic gesture, so fine and so profound, is what concerns him: The hands of man form a cross, which becomes a throne, down into which the King inclines himself. The open, outstretched hand can thus become a sign of the way that a man offers himself to the Lord, opens his hands for him, that they may become an instrument of his presence and a throne of his mercies in this world."*

Presenting oneself to receive with hands that are curled, cupped, held down low to the body; held side-by-side and/or with open fingers... make it difficult for the one distributing to therein place the Sacred Body of our Lord. It also increases the danger of the Sacred Host falling to the floor. Please also remember that no communicant should ever “pluck” the Host themselves from the fingers of the one distributing.

One is never required or forced to receive our Lord in the Holy Eucharist (except for making one's Easter Duty, in the state of grace); so if one is unsure as to whether they should present themselves or not in the Communion procession, it is probably best to err on the side of not receiving. The inside front cover of the missalette/hymnal has a useful guideline issued by the U. S. Bishops for the reception of Communion in the Catholic Church. (And no one should *ever* be chewing gum in church if they intend to receive Holy Communion.)

Unfortunately, I have experienced numerous abuses in the reception of Holy Communion. **Occasionally, parishioners find Hosts in the pews or on the floor!!!** Please, please, please be vigilant! Should you see someone not consume the Holy Eucharist, immediately alert the priest or deacon; or you may even take the Host back from them yourself and bring it to the priest. This is a very serious issue.

We cannot be too wary of abuses that can occur, either through ignorance or with evil intentions. Truly, there are practitioners of devil worship and of the occult who seek to obtain the Sacred Body of our Lord for use in so-called “black masses.” The main goal of this heinous act is to commit desecration and blasphemy towards God. **The Holy Eucharist is the Real Presence of Jesus Christ.** Ironically, the demons understand this while many of the faithful do not. So when we come to receive Him into our souls, may our reverence, modest dress and demeanor, actions, and love be displayed accordingly.

**MASS MANERS:** As you know, due to the great love and generosity of many of our parishioners, we have undertaken an extensive renovation of our Church building. This beautiful Church will uplift our parishioners for years. You may recall that during 2016, I wrote in this column each week explaining the renovation and the rationale behind it. The finest architects in our country have worked on it, and we have had many visiting bishops, priests, and architects visit. All have concurred that it is one of the most beautiful renovations ever accomplished on Long Island. Of course, as always, there will be a few critics, as there are critics in everything. Usually, such criticism is borne of an unfamiliarity of the nature and meaning of Church architecture and Sacred Art. It is my fond prayer that the critical spirit, always instilled by the Evil One, will dissipate before the Beauty of Holiness. I will be writing about our various shrines and the statues of the saints. We should all be encouraged by the fact that so many bishops and priests have come to our Church to see it. Many have remarked that it is the most beautiful Church they have ever seen. The new curtain wall bathes the Church in light and finally allows all of us to clearly see the beautiful window of Our Lord, the same, yesterday, today and forever.

You will notice that there are many places in the Church for the handicapped. Please save these places for the handicapped and do not take their places. The kneelers are all new and very lovely with fabric (not plastic) to kneel on. Please lower and raise the kneelers gently. Please do not let them slam as this will damage them over the years and is very noisy. May I ask and beg everyone to please be careful, in the original sense, of that word. Please be filled with care and treat with respect the things of YOUR Church.

With a beautiful church now completed, it is my hope that all our parishioners, will take pride in it and keep it clean and beautiful looking. This is not hard. It essentially means simply doing nothing. May I ask you to please respect the house of God and keep it clean. Perhaps if one should even see some paper on the floor, he/she may consider picking it up. As we enter the doors of the Church, we should always have in mind the words of Jacob in the Book of Genesis: *This is none other the House of God and the Gate of Heaven.*

*O Lord I love the Beauty of Thy House and the place where Thy Glory Dwells*

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





## Pantry Update

One of the families we serve consists of a mother, her two young sons and their grandmother. The mother left an intolerable situation and she is trying to make a good life for herself and family. She is struggling, but she sees light at the end of the tunnel. She recently reached out to us to tell us that her brother, his wife and 7-year old son have just come to live with her in their tiny apartment. Her brother was able to leave the recent nightmare in his country...just in time. There are agencies that will help them settle. In the meantime, we will help as much as we can.

We could use food cards, Kohl's cards, Target cards and whatever else you can generously think of.

Our pantry shelves need the following:

- Jarred Pasta Sauce (but no pasta, please)
- Rice (not instant)
- Beans (black, red, garbanzo)
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Laundry Detergent
- Toothpaste
- Toilet paper

If you or someone you know needs help, please email [paulsapostle@verizon.net](mailto:paulsapostle@verizon.net) or call/text **516 330-5106**

## Collections

*We remain thankful to all parishioners who have continued to mail in their Sunday offerings. Consider **E-Giving** as a means of automatic tithing. It allows you to support your parish even when you are away. 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. Thank you for your generosity and continued parish support.*

## 2022 & 2023 Mass Book



The 2022 and 2023 Mass Books are open. Please feel free to stop by the parish office to schedule your Mass Intentions.

## Corpus Christi Procession

There will be an outdoor procession with the Most Blessed Sacrament next Sunday, June 19th after the 10:30am Mass. All parishioners are encouraged to participate. Our First Holy Communion children are invited to be in the procession in their communion suits and dresses.



## Tree of Life

Memorial.....Dedications.....Thanksgivings.....Organization and Group Remembrances

Leaves	\$ 350
Clouds (1)	\$ 2,500
Stones (5)	\$ 5,000



I would like to memorialize a:

Leaf \_\_\_\_\_ Cloud \_\_\_\_\_ Stone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Maximum characters per line is 25/5 lines maximum  
Call or come to Parish Office during business hours to arrange.

## Pray for the Sick

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

Catherine Boyle  
Baby Noah Daswani  
Christine DiBari  
Patty Serzanin







## Our Weekly Masses

### Monday, June 13

9:00 Sister Marie Chaminade Zimmerle  
(6 Months Mind)  
(Requested by L. Wilson)

### Tuesday, June 14

9:00 Giovanni & Lucia Mosconi

### Wednesday, June 15

9:00 Peter Borelli  
(Requested by the Borelli Family)

### Thursday, June 16

9:00 Lorraine DiLavore  
(Requested by M. D'Aquila)

### Friday, June 17

9:00 Teresa D'Alessio  
(Requested by the D'Alessio Family)

### Saturday, June 18

5:00 Father's Day Novena  
Anthony Latessa  
(Requested by T. & S. Egan)

### Sunday, June 19

8:30 Father's Day Novena  
Giovanni Mosconi  
(Requested by the Bankson Family)

10:30 Father's Day Novena  
Thomas Brusca  
(Requested by A. Maione)  
Elmer Saccoccia  
John & Mary Cvinar  
(Requested by the Cvinar Family)  
Frank & Arlene Heller  
(Requested by the Heller Family)  
Francesca Osso  
(Requested by the Romano Family)  
Louis Sollecito (L)  
(Requested by the Higuera Family)



## Memorials

**Altar Bread, Wine & Candles**  
*In Memory of*  
*Persecuted Christians*

**Altar Flowers**  
*In Memory of the*  
*Homeless and Hungry*

**Sanctuary Light**  
*In Memory of the Unborn*

**Devotional Candle**  
*In Memory of the*  
*Souls in Purgatory*

**American & Papal Flags**  
March 1 - August 31, 2022  
*In Memory of Gina Tarantini*  
Donated by A. Tarantini



### 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	\$ 50
& St. Joseph	
Tree of Life Memorials	Call Parish Office

### Celebrants of Holy Mass

#### Saturday, June 18

5:00pm Fr. Descoteaux

#### Sunday, June 19

8:30am Msgr. Pereda  
10:30am Msgr. Pereda



### Weekend Collection:

**June 5th 2022: \$ 6,780**

*Thank you for your continued generous support!*



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## Pray the Rosary

### **Daily Mystery Meditations**

The Mysteries traditionally adhere to certain days of the week

Monday: *Joyful*  
Tuesday: *Sorrowful*  
Wednesday: *Glorious*  
Thursday: *Luminous*  
Friday: *Sorrowful*  
Saturday: *Joyful*  
Sunday: *Glorious*

## God Bless the Men and Women Serving in the United States Armed Forces

Please contact the office at

516-935-1880 x100, if

you would like a family member to be included in the bulletin military prayer list.



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SQUIRES**  
*Youth Organization.*



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

The Knights and Squires will be working on the Field of Honor which is on June 11th after the 5:00pm Mass. We welcome the help of any Knights and Squires can give us. Our food drive is still in effect. Please contact Kevin Spillane for assistance. He can be reached at (516) 639 - 0500.

Yours in Christ, Jim Viania, Grand Knight.



## 2021 - Marian Guild – 2022

CALENDAR OF PROGRAMS and SPECIAL EVENTS

September 15, 2021	7:00 PM	Welcome Back Bingo and installation of Officers
October 20, 2021	7:00PM	Presentation by Monsignor Pereda
November 17, 2021	7:00 PM	Mass for Deceased Members of the Marian Guild and Induction of New Marian Guild Members
December 5, 2021	12:30 PM	"300 to 1" Reverse Raffle Cocktail Party – grand prize \$10,000
December 15, 2021	6:30 PM	Christmas Party Bring a Dessert and Donation for food Pantry & needy family
February 16, 2022	7:00 PM	"Chinese Dinner & Night at the Races"
March 16, 2022	7:00 PM	Lenten Program- Speaker-TBA
April 23, 2022	9:00 AM	Shrine of Our Lady of the Island, Manorville
May 15, 2022	10:30AM	Mary's Day Mass and Communion Breakfast Speaker – TBA
May 18, 2022	7:00PM	TBA
June 15, 2022	6:30 PM	End-of-the-Year Party (New slate of officers voted on)

----- Please keep in mind that all dates & events are subject to change -----

2021-2022 MARIAN GUILD MEMBERSHIP FORM \*PLEASE PRINT\*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL Address \_\_\_\_\_

Renewal\_\_\_\_ New Member\_\_\_\_. Annual dues are \$25.00. Please make checks payable to MARIAN GUILD.  
Please return this form with your check to Lucy Tamburino, 51 Middle Lane, Jericho, NY 11753

Please select notification preference(s)

I would like to receive notifications by EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to receive notifications by the Marian Guild PHONE CHAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

I choose not to receive notifications: \_\_\_\_\_

At this time, I would like to make an additional donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. Thank you in advance for your donation - it is extremely appreciated.

Annual dues are required from ALL MEMBERS, including, PAST PRESIDENTS. Your timely payment of membership dues helps offset our yearly expenses and keeps your annual membership current. Kindly send in your payment by September 30, 2021.  
Thank You!

## Monthly Catholic Devotions of the Church Year

Each month of the year is dedicated to a particular devotion within the Catholic faith; the dedication of each month is based on historical events or a particular aspect of the liturgical calendar, or a combination of the two. These monthly Catholic devotions do not line up exactly with the time frame of the liturgical calendar, since they are fixed to standard calendar months rather than the Church seasons.

Some countries and areas have developed monthly dedications to devotions more specific to their area, but the following are the common, widespread Catholic devotions for each month throughout the year.

- ❖ January is the month of the Holy Name of Jesus.
- ❖ February is the month dedicated to the Passion of Our Lord.
- ❖ March is the month of devotion to St. Joseph.
- ❖ April is the month dedicated to devotion to the Holy Eucharist.
- ❖ May is the month of Mary; devotion to the Blessed Mother.
- ❖ June is the month of the Sacred Heart.
- ❖ July is the month dedicated to the Precious Blood of Our Lord.
- ❖ August is the month dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.
- ❖ September is the month dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows.
- ❖ October is the month dedicated to Most Holy Rosary.
- ❖ November is the month dedicated to the Holy Souls.
- ❖ December is the month dedicated to The Divine Infancy of Jesus.

