

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 and Blessing of the Sick 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

Twelfth Sunday

In Ordinary Time

June 25, 2023

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	

FINANCE COUNCIL

Roxann Romano, Chairperson

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 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

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 meet 3rd Thursday of each month 7:30pm

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

SQUIRES meet 4th Wednesday of each month 7pm

contact: Kevin Spillane (516) 639 - 0500 or email: kspillane9@gmail.com

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

MARIAN GUILD meets 3rd Wednesday of each month 7pm - contact: Grace (516) 935 - 1880

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

OUTREACH contact: Parish Office (516) 935 - 1880

PRAYER GROUP meets Wednesday 11:00am in Church - contact: Parish Office (516) 935 - 1880

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

RCIA contact: Jesmel John (516) 396 - 4505

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL / FOOD PANTRY - contact: Rectory (516) 935 - 1880

USHERS: contact: Frank Cruz, Head Usher - email Frank.pito.cruz@icloud.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

FROM THE PASTOR

JUNE 25, 2023

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ST. DYMPHNA

Some may recall that a feature of the pastor's column when I first arrived at St. Paul's was the *Saint of the Month* column. It has been several years since this has been featured but I would like to do so today. Since I am writing toward the end of May I would like to feature as our saint of the month, St. Dymphna. Her feast is kept on May 15th. Many know her as the patron of those suffering with mental illness, anxiety, depression, and Alzheimer's disease. Years ago, she was called the saint who was the patron and intercessor for those with *nervous conditions*. This expression, *nervous condition*, was a refined but inaccurate way of speaking of those with mental illness.

What saint is more needed in American society today when it seems all has gone mad. We live in a time where truths are denied and ignored, and individuals want to determine what is true. The One who has said of Himself, *I am the Way and the Truth and the Life*, namely, Our Lord Jesus Christ, is largely ignored. Instead, our society worships a relativism which has ignored the natural law and the order that God established in creation.

Several years ago, a well-known media personality interviewed a man who wished to be the Governor of one of the American states. The man was dressed as a woman, but obviously was a man. The individual used an expression of himself, when stating that he was suited for high office, *I have common sense*. Sadly, many do not think this unusual that a man dressed and made up as a woman would claim to have common sense. In the words of an American philosopher, *Surrendering to insanity is itself a species of insanity, for it is unreasonable to acquiesce to things that are irrational, or to mindlessly ignore violations against reason and reality*. Such is the new way of American life.

But back to our St. Dymphna.

Dymphna was an Irish princess whose mother died when she was an infant. The King her father was so saddened that he went mad. Desiring his wife to return to life, in his misperception of reality, he made improper advances toward Dymphna. She in turn fled to Belgium where she gave great service to the poor. Through her great expanse of wealth in service of the poor, her evil and mad father could trace her whereabouts.

He travelled to Belgium, found her, and beheaded her. Our little saint had lost her head to one who had lost his mind. St. Dymphna is the patron saint for people who suffer from mental disorders, sexual assault, and anxiety.

Today we are also assaulted by perversities and persecutions as was St. Dymphna. Pornography is free speech. A baby is a choice. Marriage can be what we want it to be – not what God created in the natural order of creation. Marriage could be between two men or two women. A man is a woman if he wants. A woman is a man if she wants.

At a time when so many have lost their way, St. Dymphna is a model and intercessor for us against oppression. The blood of the martyrs is the seed of the Church. Let us beg Our Eucharistic Lord to fill us with the fortitude to stand fast with the Truth.

*In Jesus and Mary,
Monsignor Pereda*



Our Weekly Masses

Monday, June 26

9:00 Walter Alvarado
(Requested by the Alvarado & Rodriguez Families)

Tuesday, June 27

9:00 For the Bishop

Wednesday, June 28

9:00 Petra Sotto Sy
(Requested by M. Sy - Rangel)

Thursday, June 29

9:00 Angelina DeMaio
(Requested by the DeMaio Family)

Friday, June 30

9:00 For the Benefactors of St. Paul

Saturday, July 1

9:00 In Honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

5:00 Charles Ganassa
(Requested by L. Ganassa)

Sunday, July 2

8:30 Clemente Iadevaia
(Requested by M. Toscano & L. Casa)

10:30 For the Living and Deceased Parishioners

Jackie Zeller (L)

(Requested by M. Modelli)

Walter Cole

(Requested by S. & R. Kurz)

Sally & Michael Biondo

(Requested by the Biondo Family)

Louis A. Foranoco

(Requested by D. & G. Santoro)

Michael Verdello

(Requested by the Dawson Family)

Helen Marie Black

(Requested by the Hofstra Students)

Memorials

Altar Bread, Wine & Candles

*In Memory of the
Homeless and Hungry*

Altar Flowers

*In Memory of
Persecuted Christians*

Sanctuary Light

In Memory of the Unborn

Devotional Candle

*In Memory of the
Souls in Purgatory*

American & Papal Flags

March 1st - August 31st, 2023

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

Weekend Collection:

June 17 - 18, 2023

Total	\$ 8,380
Budget	\$ 8,870
Difference	\$ (490)

Thank you for your continued generous support!

Thank You!

Dear St. Paul's Family,

I wish to express my sincerest gratitude to you all and to Msgr. Pereda, Fr. Brandon O'Brien Louise Shannon, Deb Cosentino, Chris Dawson, Lynn Wilson, Gary Ducoing, Eva Ponce, William Cassese and the many volunteers, friends, St. Edward the Confessor Parishioners, and my wife Nancy and our family members who made my 15th Anniversary of Ordination Mass and Reception a day I will treasure for eternity. Your Spirit, prayers, gifts, cards, well-wishes, the Liturgy, the music at Mass and your presence were all overwhelming; to be forever etched in to my heart. God has blessed me in more ways than I can count and these past 6+ years here have been one of His greatest.

Pace e' bene,
Deacon Ray



Academic Awards

Students who attend Chaminade High School from St. Paul the Apostle Church that have been rewarded:

*Ninetieth Commencement Exercises of
Chaminade High School*

Thomas R. Lynch



First Friday Exposition, Holy Hour, and Benediction

Friday, **July 7th**, is *FIRST FRIDAY*.

Mass will be celebrated in the Church at 9:00am.

Followed by Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament (and the Sacred Heart Novena).

Benediction at 12 noon.

There will be a special Holy Hour at 7:00pm.

First Saturday

Saturday, **July 1st** is *FIRST SATURDAY*.

Mass in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be celebrated in the Church at 9:00am.

LECTIO DIVINA

- Lectio
- Meditatio
- Oratio
- Contemplatio



Join Bishop Andrzej
For Scripture Reflection Series

PART II

Wednesday, June 28, 2023
at 7:30 pm - ZOOM webinar.



Bible Study Verses

MARY

Meditating the Word

Gospel of Luke 2: 1-20

The Visit of the Shepherds

Registration is required in order to receive the ZOOM
link to each session.

Please contact the Western Vicariate office with your
name, parish, email address and phone number.

Send your email to:

westernvicariate@drvc.org

or call Suzanne at 516-744-6850.



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*



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.*

Peter Boyle Sr.
Baby Noah Daswani
Marina Rae Trapasso
Samantha Cooke



Parish Offering Envelopes

Please remember to use your **pre-printed parish envelopes** if you require a summary of your contributions at year-end. The **bar codes** on these envelopes are the means by which your contributions are recorded.



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.

St. Paul the Apostle - Office of Faith Formation
REGISTRATION Form 2023-2024 Grades K – 8

PLEASE PRINT

Family Last Name _____ Telephone Number () _____

Address _____
 Street Town Zip Code**E-Mail Address**-(required) _____

Emergency contact person _____ Telephone Number () _____

Student(s) First Name	M/F	Grade in September	Date of Birth	School	Day Preference (if available) Monday Tuesday

FATHER'S INFORMATION
 First & Family Name: _____
 Business Phone: _____
 Cell Phone: _____
 Religion: _____
MOTHER'S INFORMATION
 First / Maiden Name: _____
 Business Phone: _____
 Cell Phone: _____
 Religion: _____
CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

Please indicate any special needs the teachers should be aware of: (e.g. learning disabilities, allergies, and recent illness, hearing impaired, divorced, or recent death in the family)

REQUIRED FORMS

Copy of Baptismal Certificate (for new registration only)

Transfer letter from previous Parish indicating completion of Religious Education grade level and Sacraments completed

PHOTO/VIDEO PERMISSION AND RELEASE FORM

I hereby grant permission, without reservation, to St Paul the Apostle Church and to those authorized to take photographs and to make recordings of my child/children and to use them in original or modified form in all media now or hereafter known, (including, without limitation, websites, bulletins, newsletters and promotional brochures) with or without name or information, solely for the promotion, public education, and/or fundraising activities of St Paul's. I understand and agree that I am entitled to receive no compensation for the above. I release St. Paul's, its officers, directors, agents, employees, independent contractors, licensees and assignees from all claims that I now have or in the future may have, relating to the above. I further agree that St Paul's will be the sole owner of all tangible and intangible rights in the abovementioned photographs and recordings, with full power of disposition. I am the parent or guardian, and I hereby consent to the foregoing on behalf of the minor(s) and myself.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Tuition:

Family Fee		\$ 200.00	_____
Communion Fee	(2 nd Grade)	\$ 50.00	_____
Confirmation Fee	(8th Grade)	\$ 100.00	_____
Total			_____

***Please note that if you are experiencing financial difficulties contact our office.
 No child will ever be denied a Religious Education due to financial difficulties.

Spring 2023 Liturgical Catechesis

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

THE MASS - STEP BY STEP

LITURGY EXPLAINED

Join

BISHOP ANDRZEJ

this Spring at these in-person presentations.
All are welcome! Registration is **REQUIRED**.



Tuesday, March 28, 2023

Mass Introductory Rites Explained
St. Paul the Apostle, Brookville

Tuesday, May 23, 2023

Liturgy of the Word Explained
St. Paul the Apostle, Brookville

Tuesday, June 20, 2023

Liturgy of the Eucharist Explained
Curé of Ars, Merrick

Tuesday, July 11, 2023

Mass Concluding Rites Explained
Curé of Ars, Merrick



All sessions begin at **7:30 pm** and take place in the Church.

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2534 Cedar Swamp Road
Brookville, NY 11545

Curé of Ars

2323 Merrick Avenue
Merrick, NY 11566

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**Send your email to: westernvicariate@drvc.org or
call Suzanne at 516-744-6850. Please do not contact the parish directly.**