Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:30 pm Vigil Mass
Sunday in English 8:00 am, 9:15 am, 11:00 am, & 5:00 pm
Sunday in Español 12:15 pm
Coffee & Donuts following 9:15 Mass • Pan Dulce following 12:15 Mass

Children's Liturgy of the Word
Celebrated at 9:15 am Family Mass
welcoming all children age Kindergarten to Third grade
no registration required

Holy Day of Obligation
8:30 am • 6:00 pm

Daily Mass and Devotions
Monday through Saturday, 8:30 am in the Chapel
Rosary in English daily after 8:30 am Mass
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Tuesday after 8:30 am Mass

The Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 3:30 - 4:15 pm • or by appointment

BAPTISM PREPARATION ~ first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm
RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) ~ September to May, please call the Rectory for information
MARRIAGE PREPARATION ~ contact Rev. Mario Farana at least eight (8) months prior to your desired ceremony date

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ST. PAUL’S THANKSGIVING RESPONSE TO GOD THIS PAST WEEK

Weekly Collection July 29, 2018 $ 4,428.32
Second Collection Community Outreach $ 1,995.20
Electronic Contributions for June 2018 $ 6,100.00
AAA 2018 Goal $ 86,148.00
Collected as of July 22, 2018 $ 25,202.00
Balance Due $ 60,946.00

On-line giving is available at www.stpaulsf.org

RCIA – ALL ARE WELCOME!!

Please pray for those in our book of the sick and especially for the following:

Lynne Hadel, Levi Langevin, Carlos Molina, Kristin Coddington, Corky Tennison, Carliotta Carter Tovar, Emily Robey, Ricki Mason, Miki Abendroth,

For those who have died:
Tanila Petrocevic, Tim Reilly, Eddie Trujillo,

If you are moving or have moved please remember to give us your new address. You can phone us at 1(415) 648-7538, you can email us at stpaulsf@gmail.com or drop a note in the Sunday collection basket. We want to keep in touch!!

Join us on our FACEBOOK page St. Paul's Catholic Church or visit our website at www.stpaulsf.org for more information about our Parish

WELCOME

If you are new to our parish / family, please complete the form below and drop it either in the collection basket, in the mail, or at the Rectory. Or just call the Rectory 648-7538. We will mail a Registration Form to you

Name: ________________________________
Address: ____________________________________________
Phone: ________________________________
Email address _________________________________________

Breaking Bread Books are at the entrances to the Church. They are no longer in the pews. Please pick one up on your way into Mass and return it to the shelves when Mass is over. Thank you
August 5th Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

GOD'S WORK
We are so busy! Most of us have more than one job to do, and we never seem to have enough time. We are workers, volunteers, parents, friends, and most of us are more than one thing at a time. But which of these is the work of God?

We seldom view our ordinary work as being the work of God. We may think that we have to be ministers or priests, missionaries or charity workers, engaged full-time in works formally identified as being "God's work." But everything we do with a faithful heart and with love for others is God's work. We each have our own role to fill in the world, and many gifts are necessary. We cannot always see the direct connection of our daily work to the plan of God. But we trust and we believe that God leads us to do what is needed, where it is needed. What is "God's work?" "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent" (John 6:29).

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION
In 1794, a young Irishwoman befriended two widows aboard ship while emigrating to America. They bought a house in Philadelphia and began to live a community life under the direction of a priest. Soon they relocated to Washington. There, the "pious ladies," as the neighbors called them, were asked by their priest friend, by then the president of Georgetown University, to begin a religious community. In 1799 they established a branch of the Visitation Order founded by Saint Jane de Chantal and Saint Francis de Sales in the 1620s.

The unique vision of this order followed a sensible routine, less arduous and more flexible than most traditions, and also accepted widows and older women. Amazingly, this American outpost of the Visitation began without reference to the "rule" of the Order. Most of the European convents had been lost under the "reign of terror," and the rules and customs of the community could not be obtained. A copy of the rule was discovered in 1812, and in 1816 the pope officially established the monastery. By then, some French nuns had regrouped, and they sent a habit and cross to be copied. (No religious wore the habit in public in the United States until after the Civil War.) From the beginning, the Georgetown nuns had an educational mission, even though they discovered in the "rule" that such work was officially off-limits for the contemplative life. In America, the nuns depended on a school for their livelihood, so the rule was adapted. Today, the Academy of the Visitation is a thriving example of excellence in Catholic education, and the adjacent monastery is the oldest monastic foundation in the original thirteen United States.

August 5th Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
For married couples considering adoption:
May the Holy Spirit guide their discernment,
grant them peace, and make possible his holy will;
We pray to the Lord:

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:  Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10
Tuesday:  Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday:  Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday:  Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23
Friday:  2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Saturday:  Hb 1:12 — 2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20
Sunday:  1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9; Eph 4:30 — 5:2; Jn 6:41-51
EL TRABAJO QUE DIOS QUIERE
¡Estamos tan ocupados! Muchos de nosotros tenemos más de un trabajo y parecería que nunca tenemos suficiente tiempo. Somos trabajadores, voluntarios, padres, amigos y la mayoría es más de una cosa a la vez. Pero, ¿cuál de estos es el trabajo que Dios quiere?
Rara vez vemos nuestro trabajo común como el trabajo que Dios quiere. Quizás pensamos que debemos ser ministros o sacerdotes, misioneros o benefactores, que debemos realizar trabajos de tiempo completo que se consideran como “las obras de Dios”. Pero todo lo que hacemos con un corazón fiel y con amor por el prójimo es una obra de Dios. Cada uno tiene un papel que cumplir en el mundo y muchos dones son necesarios. No siempre podemos ver la relación directa que existe entre nuestro trabajo diario y los designios de Dios. Pero confiamos y tenemos fe en que Dios nos guía a hacer lo que es necesario, cuando es necesario. ¿Cuál es “la obra de Dios”? “La obra de Dios consiste en que crean en aquél a quien él ha enviado” (Juan 6:29).

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE
Y el día 5 de agosto de 1726, Fray Antonio Margil de Jesús, el fundador de las misiones en Texas dijo “Ya es hora de ir a ver a Dios” y tomó su último paso. Desde su llegada a América en 1683 el indomable Hermano Menor trazó caminos para llevar el Evangelio de Jesucristo a los nativos.
El emprendía sus caminos al estilo de los primeros misioneros seráficos de dos en dos, a pie, descalzo, alimentado sólo por virtud de la generosidad de los fieles, pasando las noches donde pudiera, armado sólo de un crucifijo, un bastón y su libro de oraciones y cantando mientras caminaba. De esta manera propagó la fe caminando hacia el norte llegando a la Bahía del Espíritu Santo en el Misisipi; y hacia el sur, llegando al istmo de Panamá.
A pesar del éxito de sus esfuerzos misioneros, Margil fue un hombre humilde que nunca quiso enorgullecerse de sus victorias. Sólo firmó sus cartas “la misma nada” recordando así que Dios es todo y uno no es nada, porque la misión, en fin, es de Dios, uno es sólo un instrumento.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA
Lunes: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Sal 97 (96):1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pe 1:16-19; Mc 9:2-10
Martes: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Sal 102 (101):18-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 o Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
Miércoles: Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28
Jueves: Jer 31:31-34; Sal 51 (50):12-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23
Viernes: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Sal 112 (111):1-2, 5-8; Jn 12:24-26
Sábado: Hb 1:12 — 2:4; Sal 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20
Domingo: 1 Re 19:4-8; Sal 34 (33):2-9; Ef 4:30 5:2; Jn 8:41-51
BOLETÍN DE LA PARROQUIA DE SAN PABLO 5 DE AGOSTO DE 2018

SAINT PAUL’S CATHOLIC CHURCH—LITTLEST ANGEL PREPARATORY: Preschool 3 years de edad, Prekindergarten 4 años de edad, y jóvenes de 5 años de edad. OPEN HOUSES a las 10:00 a.m. el tercer Jueves del mes de Enero, Febrero, Marzo, Abril, Mayo, Junio, Octubre y Noviembre. Teléfono 1-415-824-5437, 221 Valley St. Suite X estamos aceptando aplicaciones para los años 2019 y 2020, el año escolar comienza en Septiembre de 2019.

RETIRO CATOLICO PARA HOMBRES—Organizado por KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CATHEDRAL COUNCIL 15883. 4 RAZONES PRINCIPALES: CARIDAD, UNIDAD, FRATERNIDAD-PATRIOTISMO. Catedral de Santa María de la Asunción, 1111 Gough St. San Francisco, Ca.94109. Registracion: 8:00 a 8:55 a.m. misa 8:00 a.m. en la Capilla, café y doughnuts 8:30 a.m. Comienza oficialmente a las 9:00 a.m., admisión $25.00 incluyendo almuerzo, Early Bird $20.00 registrarse el primero de Agosto de 2018, padres traigan a sus hijos menores de 18 años favor de indicar sus nombres cuando se registren, el parque es gratis.

Ultima donación de sangre en San Pablo, el 4 de Noviembre de 2018 ustedes pueden pedir una cita llamando a Jill Alcantar al 415-648-7538 o on line. Con su donación ustedes pueden dar vida a tres personas. Cada donante recibirá un sándwich y jugo gratis de parte de Roxie Fo.

SACRAMENTO DEL BAUTISMO: Bautismos y clases son realizados por citas solamente. Las clases son el primer Miércoles del mes a las 7:00 p.m. en la Rectoría, los Bautizos a la 1:30 p.m. en la Parroquia.

R.C.I.A. Rito Católico Cristiano de Iniciación para Adultos, es un proceso por el cual adultos se preparan para entrar en nuestra comunidad de fe, a través del Bautismo, Eucaristía y Confirmación. Las clases son los Martes de 7:00 a 9:00 p.m. en la Rectoría, para información llamar a Terri Brady o Diacono Bill McLoughlin a la Rectoría.

SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIO: Arreglos deben hacerse con el Sacerdote o Diacono al menos con seis meses de anticipación, para mayor información llamar a la Rectoría 415-648-7538.

SACRAMENTO DE CONFIRMACION: Para estudiantes de escuela secundaria que no hayan recibido el Sacramento de Confirmación, es un largo Programa de un año, clases comienzan a fines de Septiembre y concluyen a finales de Mayo del siguiente año con la Confirmación en Junio. Para mayor información llamar a Dorothy Vigna a la Rectoría 415-648-7538.
Grief Support Group
For Parents

This eight-week support group is for parents who have experienced the death of a child. Group meetings are focused on receiving and offering support through personal sharing, listening, discussion, reflection, meditation, and art work. This support group is open to all and offered FREE of charge.

Meetings will be held 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. on Thursdays beginning August 30, 2018 at the UCSF Mission Bay Campus 1855 4th St, San Francisco, CA.

For more information please call 415-514-4404
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gathering monthly, in the Rectory, each of the following Tuesdays, 9:30 am

- September 4, 2018
- October 2, 2018
- November 6, 2018
- December 4, 2018

hosted by Deacon Bill McLoughlin

no advance sign up required
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Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) an introduction to the stories, rituals and symbols of the Catholic faith community, which lead to Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation during the Easter Vigil Mass

gatherings begin September 2018

For more information contact Terri Brady or Deacon Bill McLoughlin
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Online Giving

Our church is now offering Online Giving. For additional information, or to sign up, visit our website at www.stpaulsf.org.

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Online Giving FAQs

What are the advantages of Online Giving?
Online Giving makes it easy for you to fulfill your financial commitments to the parish even when you are unable to attend Mass. You do not need to write a check or have cash available. Giving electronically also helps the parish staff budget more effectively.

How are my contributions automatically deducted from my account?
When you create your account, you enter your credit card and/or bank account information and then specify the amount you wish to contribute. Your contribution will be transferred from your account to the parish bank account.

Do I have to use a credit card?
The Online Giving system provides your parish the option to offer both credit card and direct withdrawal (ACH) options for contributions. You do not have to use a credit card for contributions.

When will my contribution be deducted from my account?
The Online Giving system provides you the ability to select the date you would like your contribution to occur. You will receive an email notification prior to each contribution date, and your account will be debited on the date you specify.

If I do not write checks, then how do I balance my checkbook?
You will receive an email notification prior to each contribution date and also a confirmation email that your gift has been processed. These reminders will help you to remember to record the gift in your check register on the appropriate date. Electronic contributions are also recorded on your bank statement and in your Online Giving reports.

Can I contribute different amounts to different offerings? Can they be withdrawn at different times?
Can I use different accounts for the contributions?
The system provides you the capability to give different amounts to different offerings at different times. For example, assuming your parish has set up these gift offerings, you are able to give your regular weekly offering on the 1st of the month and your flower gift on the 10th of the month. You are able to use any number of bank and/or credit card accounts for your offerings.

What if I change bank accounts?
Simply login and update your bank account information in your profile.

What if I want to stop using Online Giving?
You may cancel your authorization by deleting your credit card and/or bank account information along with your donation dates. Your contributions will stop immediately and the history will be secured.

How Do I Get Started?
1. Visit our parish website.
2. Click on the Online Giving link.
3. Click on the Create New Account link.

It's that simple!
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Preschool 3 years old  Pre-K 4 years old  and Young Fives 5 years old

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