Mass Schedule
Saturday 4:30 pm Vigil Mass
Sunday in English 8:00 am, 9:15 am, 11:00 am, and 5:00 pm
Sunday en 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 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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PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, Sept. 22
After the 8:00 & 9:15 Masses
Adults: $5  Kids: FREE!
Teachers: FREE! Catechists: FREE!
Calendar of the Week

Monday: Sept. 23rd
Parish Council 6pm

Tuesday: Sept. 24th
Hibernians 1pm

Wednesday: Sept. 25th
CCD Class 9:30am

Thursday: Sept. 26th
Women of St. Paul's Movie Night 5pm

Friday: Sept. 27th
Coffee & Donuts following 9:15am Masses

Saturday: Sept. 28th

Sunday: Sept. 29th

ST. PAUL’S THANKSGIVING RESPONSE TO GOD THIS PAST WEEK
Weekly Collection September 15, 2019 $ 4,025.11
On-line giving Aug 2019 $ 9,232.00
2019 Annual Appeal Goal $ 82,090.60
Collected as of September 1, 2019 $ 39,993.00
Remaining Balance on the Annual Appeal $ 42,098.00

SAN FRANCISCO ARCHDIOCESE UPCOMING EVENTS:
31st Annual Archdiocesan Respect Life Essay Contest
Deadline is Oct 31, 2019
For more information on these and other events please visit the Archdiocese website: https://sfarchdiocese.org/rdld
Finding your Greatness – 4 habits that will transform your life Sept 27th 6:30pm
St. Dominic’s Church. For more information: www.dynamiccatholic.com
Family Rosary Rally
Oct 5, 2018 10am www.RosaryRallySF.com

SECOND COLLECTION
Next weekend September 28th / 29th there will be a second collection for our Community Outreach Program. Please place your envelopes in the second collection following communion. Thank you for your support and prayers.

WOMEN OF ST. PAUL’S
Women of St. Paul’s invite all women of the parish and school community to join them, Saturday October 5th at 9:30am. For a morning reflection celebrating the unsung heroines who make the world a more compassionate, loving, and healthy place

RCIA – ALL ARE WELCOME!!

Please pray for those in our book of the sick and especially for the following: Hannah Nakagome, Iulii Taale, Bill Edmundson, David Morales, Lois Gin, Milan Odenhal, Eileen Mendonca, Jose Antonia Chamorro, Carmen Barnes, Patricia Mostert, Bob Mostert, Lupe Chavez, John Galvin

For those who have died: Raymond L’Heureux

Mass Intentions for the Week
Saturday 4:30 pm
Margaret & Jack Kotlanger (D)
Eugene DeMartini (D)
Sunday 8:00 am
Michael Kotlanger (D)
Margaret Ann Kern (D)
Sunday 9:15 am
Rosemary & Coleman Halloran (D)
Sunday 11 am
Katherine King (D)
Sunday 12:15 pm (Spanish)
Maria Celia Vuivo (D)
Sunday 5:00 pm
Raymon Jimenez (D)

Monday 8:30 am
The People of St. Paul’s (L&D)
Tuesday 8:30 am
Mercedes Escobar-Chow (D)
Wednesday 8:30 am
The People of St. Paul’s (L&D)
Thursday 8:30 am
Wesley Grimes Jr (D)
Friday 8:30 am
James Koentopp (D)
Saturday 8:30 am
Yolanda Gonzalez (D)

Saturday 4:30 pm
Michael Kotlanger (D)
Raymond L’Heureux (D)
Sunday 8:00 am
Margaret & Jack Kotlanger (D)
Amulio & Paolina Petrini (D)
Sunday 9:15 am
Lucy Vigna (D)
Berdell Kotsanes (D)
Sunday 11 am
Yolanda Gonzalez (D)
Sunday 12:15 pm (Spanish)
Guillermo Morales (D)
Sunday 5:00 pm
Marie Hong Tran (D)
GOD IS ON THE SIDE OF THE POOR

Two of today’s readings make it quite clear that God is on the side of the poor. Amos describes in detail the exploitation of the poor and needy. The psalm repeats that God acts to benefit the poor and lowly. But Luke turns things upside down, telling a tale of a conflicted steward, about to be fired, who demonstrates his cleverness and is rewarded. Like the community to whom Paul writes in Timothy, these readings are personal, directed to believers, members of the Jewish and Christian communities, who struggle to deal with personal choices about how to conduct their lives. They offer an outline for how God wishes us to live in a world as complicated and as confusing as our own.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Although June is the month most associated with weddings in the United States, September has become more popular in recent years. Wedding celebrations always require some savvy planning, and people who have a talent for hospitality in the mix. At the wedding feast at Cana, the mother of Jesus was recruited to deal with some of the details of the banquet, and when a very understandable crisis arose, she did what she could to rescue the party. Anyone who has ever run out of ice, dessert, or table settings knows the stress!

Slowly, the memory of Jesus Christ’s blessing of this marriage feast led the Church to form a way to bless marriages. A thousand years ago weddings migrated from the family home to the doors of the church, where the celebration was held in public view. From this practice came a prayer called the “Nuptial Blessing,” one of the most solemn prayers in our tradition. It is very much like the prayers by which baptismal water and chrism are consecrated, the ordination prayer over a priest, and the Eucharistic Prayers over bread and wine. Four hundred fifty years ago, weddings moved inside the church building. All of this gives married couples good reason to celebrate their anniversaries well, especially with the clinking of glasses filled with good wine.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:  Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday:  Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8; Lk 9:1-6
Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9
Friday: Hg 2:1-9; Ps 43:1-4; Lk 9:18-22
Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday: Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

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DIOS ESTÁ DEL LADO DE LOS POBRES

Dos de las lecturas de hoy ponen muy en claro que Dios está del lado de los pobres. Amós describe en detalle el abuso de los pobres y necesitados. El Salmo repite que Dios actúa en beneficio de los pobres y los humildes. Pero Lucas pone las cosas de cabeza, contando una historia de un mayordomo en conflicto, a punto de ser despedido, que demuestra astucia y es recompensado. Como la comunidad a la que Pablo escribe en Timoteo, estas lecturas son personales, dirigidas a los creyentes, miembros de las comunidades judías y cristianas que tienen dificultades con elecciones personales de cómo conducir sus vidas. Ofrecen un bosquejo de cómo Dios desea que vivamos en un mundo tan complicado y tan confundido como el nuestro.

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

La última mitad del siglo pasado, nuestro continente vio el derrame de muchísima sangre cristiana. No podemos olvidar la sangre de quienes dieron la vida por el Evangelio de la justicia: Michel Quiroga evangelizador colombiano, Agustina Rivas monjita peruana; Vicente Matute líder indígena hondureño; Marlene Kegler una universitaria de 23 años argentina. Estos son algunos ejemplos de tantos que murieron creyendo que la doctrina cristiana no se puede contener en templos y conventos. Dieron la vida por querer vivir su fe en situaciones de discriminación e injusticia. Derramando su sangre se convirtieron en ángeles de justicia que gritan a Dios uniendo sus voces a la de Abel.

Todos estos mártires latinoamericanos murieron a manos de latinoamericanos. Dieron sus vidas, según la mártir chilena Joan Alsina, como granos de trigo. Y desde el cielo ella nos pide: “Esperamos tu solidaridad. ¿Entiendes ahora lo que significa el Cuerpo de Cristo? Si nosotros nos hundimos es algo de tu esperanza la que se hunde. Pero si de las cenizas asumimos la vida de nuevo, es algo que nace de nuevo en ustedes.”

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Esd 1:1-6; Sal 126 (125):1b-6; Lc 8:16-18
Martes: Esd 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Sal 122 (121):1-5; Lc 8:19-21
Miércoles: Esd 9:5-9; Tob:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8; Lc 9:1-6
Jueves: Ag 1:1-8; Sal 149 (148):1b-6a, 9b; Lc 9:7-9
Viernes: Ag 2:1-9; Sal 43 (42):1-4; Lc 9:18-22
Sábado: Zac 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Lc 9:43b-45
Domingo: Am 6:1a, 4-7; Sal 146 (145):7-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lc 16:19-31

22 de septiembre 25° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Por los olvidados o abandonados, especialmente las personas por nacer, los pobres, los enfermos y los ancianos: para que se los trate conforme a la dignidad con la que Dios los crea; roguemos al Señor:

El amo tuvo que reconocer que él había procedido con habilidad
BOLETIN DE LA PARROQUIA DE SAN PABLO, SEPTIEMBRE 22 DE 2019

RCIA BIENVENIDOS AL PROGRAMA CATOLICO PARA ADULTOS  Si están interesados en ser Católicos Cristiano ¿ Venga y únase a nosotros y Descubra La Diferencia con nuestro programa Rito de Iniciacion Catolico para adultos (RCIA) como historias, Rituales, como símbolos de La Comunidad Catolica como son el Bautismo, Eucaristia en La Parroquia de San Pablo, Contactar al Diacono Bill Mc Laughlin o Terri Brady a la Rectoria a 1-415—648-7538

PROXIMOS EVENTOS DE LA DIOCESIS DE SAN FCO. Retiro para mujeres para sanación después del aborto, 7/8 protegiendo la Educacion sexual de nuestros hijos y derecho de los padres Arquidiocesis 31 Conferencia respecto a la vida .fecha final de inscripción Oct.31 de 2029

PROCESION DEL ROSARIO Y PROCESION SOLEMNE CON EL SANTO SACRAMENTO a la plaza de la U. N. Sabado 5 de Octubre a las 10:00 a.m. de 2019. Catedral de Santa Maria de la Asuncion 1111 Goughn S. Fco, Ca. Orador Padre Roberto Elias Barcelos OCD, padre Carmelita 10:00 a.m. misa en la Catedral celebrada por el Arzobispo Cordileone 11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. procesion a la plaza de la U.N. 12:15 Adoracion del Rosario, Confesiones 12:30 Homilia por el Padre Roberto Elias Barcelos OCD Inf. 415-419-9477.

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 Iniciacion para Adultos, es un proceso por el cual adultos se preparan para recibir el Bautismo, Eucaristia y Confirmación. Comienza en Septiembre y termina en Mayo. Para información llamar a Terri Brady o Diacono Bill McLoughlin a la Rectoria.

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 Confirmacion, 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 rectoria 415-648-7538.
St. Paul’s HAVANA Nights

Saturday, November 16, 2019
BROTHERHOOD MASONIC CENTER
Cocktails 5 pm • Dinner 7 pm
Car Club Display • Salsa Band • Live Auction • Dancing

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RSVP online at stpaulsf.org / Tickets $70 per person
Register by November 1 and receive a drink ticket with each dinner ticket.
The Women of St. Paul

Invite you to Dinner and a Movie

All are welcome to join in the fun

Saturday
September 28, 2019
Parish Center
Doors open at 5:30 pm
Dinner served at 6:30 pm
Movie starts at 7:30 pm

Dinner includes Lasagna
from San Francisco's own Marcella's Lasagneria
Salad, one glass wine -or- one soft drink

Mrs. Doubtfire

Tickets Required
	Tickets available online at www.stpaulsf.org
	-or- at the Rectory

Adults
$25 through 9.20.2019
$30 thereafter

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proceeds benefit
St. Paul Preservation Fund
Stained Glass Window Restoration
2019 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal

"I will show you my faith by my works" James 2:18

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Please, prayerfully consider helping St. Paul’s meet its 2019 ANNUAL APPEAL ASSESSMENT.

St. Paul’s 2019 Assessment $82,090.60

September 15, 2019

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for preschool readiness

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Early Learning Scholarship Program
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visit sfoece.org for full program details
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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?
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Can I contribute different amounts to different offerings? Can they be withdrawn at different times?
Can I use different accounts for the contributions?
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What if I change bank accounts?
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What if I want to stop using Online Giving?
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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!