MASS TIMES

St. Paul Church

Saturday 4pm Vigil Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am & 12pm

> Sacred Heart Church Sunday 9:30am

Weekday Mass at St. Paul Church

Monday-Friday 7am & 5pm

All Masses are live streamed

CONFESSION

Saturdays 8:30am-9:30am and 3:00-4:00pm

HOLY HOUR

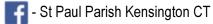
Tuesdays 4:00-5:00pm

Baptisms: 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month Baptismal Instruction: Last Tuesday of the month

PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Friday 9am-4pm #860 828-0331 Email: ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org Mailing Address:

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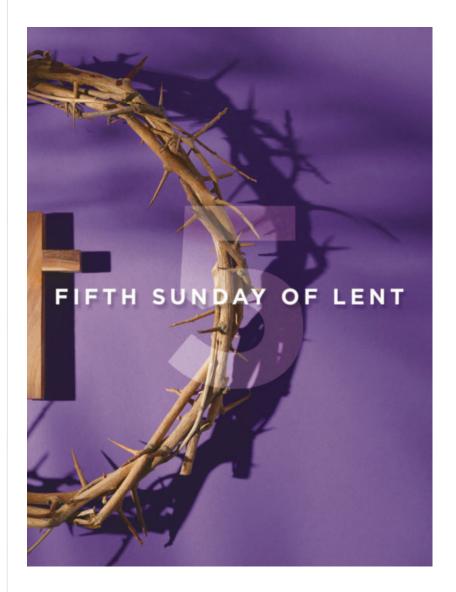
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St. Paul Catholic Parish

A Franciscan Family of Faith

St. Paul Church - 485 Alling St, Kensington CT 06037 Sacred Heart Church - 48 Cottage St, East Berlin CT 06023

> April 3, 2022 Fifth Sunday of Lent



"Let the Church always be a place of MERCY and HOPE, where EVERYONE is WELCOMED. LOVED and FORGIVEN."

-Pope Francis

PASTOR'S COLUMN

Holy Week is Next Week - Included in this bulletin on page 4 is our complete schedule for Holy Week beginning with Palm Sunday. We will follow our regular Sunday schedule next weekend and palms will be distributed at all of the Masses. There will not be any other distribution of palms.

Life is often filled with routine and busyness. If we allow that busyness to dictate our lives we can often miss out on important moments. The same is true if we never think to change up the routine of our lives. I encourage you to look over the Holy Week schedule carefully and plan now to enter into this very special time of prayer and reflection. May it be an opportunity to receive God's grace and be drawn deeper into the Paschal Mystery of the Lord's Passion, Death, and Resurrection.

Sacrament of Reconciliation - During Lent, more than any other time of year, we see so clearly how much Jesus loves us as we meditate on his death on the Cross for the forgiveness of our sins. I invite you to avail yourself to God's mercy by making a good confession before Easter.

When someone comes into the confessional who has been away for a while 5, 12, 26, 40+ years (just this season 60 years) the reasons vary widely why they have been away, but my response always begins with, "Welcome Back." All that is important at that point is that the person is there now, not that they have been away. Last week's gospel of the Prodigal Son and Merciful Father made that point. The experience will be different for each, but there is almost always a real sense of satisfaction and feeling a whole lot better with the words of absolution.

As numerous as the reasons why someone has not been to confession are the reasons why they have come back. One reason why people come back to the Sacrament of Reconciliation that might surprise you is because someone close to them (spouse, sibling, good friend) provided the example for them and in some cases actually invited them to accompany them when they were going to confession. Did you ever consider, in a kind, gentle, non -judgmental way think about inviting someone to join you when you are coming to confession? The buddy system can work. Maybe the Lord could use you to bring someone closer to Him?

Mercy Mondays - We have two Mercy Mondays left this lent. Four Friars will be available this Monday and next to hear confessions from 7pm to 8pm. Every parish in the Archdiocese will also have time for confessions on the Mondays of Lent. Go to http://www.Confessionmondays.com to find out those times and places. I remind you that we also hear confessions every Saturday from 8:30 to 9:30am and then again from 3:00 to 4:00pm. On the Mercy Mondays we also have Eucharistic Adoration. Come and spend some time in prayer.

Ushers and Greeters Meeting Thursday - In preparation for Holy Week and Easter there will be a meeting for all current ushers and greeters and anyone who would like to become an usher or a greeter this Thursday, April 7 at 6:30pm in St. Paul

Church. Please contact Deacon Don to let us know if you would like to be a Greeter or an Usher at any of the Masses: deacondon@stpaulkensington.org or 413-320-5778

Update on the Ukraine Collection - As of Tuesday, March 29th we received another \$3,165 in donations to help the people of Ukraine bringing the total thus far donated to more than \$18,000. These donations have been and will continue to be forwarded onto the Franciscan Friars serving in Poland and Ukraine. Thanks also to those who made a donation through the Knights of Columbus. The information for how to give is once again in this week's bulletin.

Stronger Together - As of March 28th, 282 of our parishioners had made donations and pledges totaling \$47,946 which is 44% of our \$108,000 goal towards this year's **Archbishop's Annual Appeal**. The average gift of those who have given is \$170. Last year 597 parishioners donated \$128,124. If you have not made your pledge or one time gift, please prayerfully consider how you can help. I especially encourage those who have not supported the appeal in the past, to make a gift this year. So far we have 14 first time givers to the AAA. Thank you to the 1st timers and all who have donated! Please remember all gifts, no matter the amount, are important and helpful!

Ministry Fair - Like many things the last two years we have not been able to hold our annual Ministry Fair. I am very happy to say the Ministry Fair will be back this year on the weekend of Pentecost, June 4 & 5. So save the date and begin to listen for how the Holy Spirit might be calling you to share your God-given gifts and talents with the parish and larger community. Much more information will come, but it will be held after all Masses that weekend in the school gym.

St. Paul School Auction - Before COVID, the school normally held its yearly auction on the last Saturday of March, but this year it was decided to hold it in May in case it had to be outside again as it was last year under the tent on the Parish Green Parking lot. The auction date this year is May 14. Watch for more information in coming bulletins.

Final Thoughts - I will be able to watch the NCAA Men's Final in relaxation as I have Duke in the Final Four in one bracket and Kansas in another, but I do not have either winning. I am rooting for Coach K and Duke. The Lady Huskies are making another run after the double OT game against NC State, but did they get past Stanford? The Bills are getting a new \$1.4 billion dollar stadium and thus staying put for the next 30 years. Will that be enough time to win that elusive Super Bowl? They certainly want



Von Miller to help them get it this year. Meanwhile the Orioles are still looking for a legitimate starting rotation. Only two weeks of Lent left so let us put some extra effort in our lenten practices this week. Have a good week and hopefully warmer! - Fr. Joe

INTENTIONS

Blessed Mother Candles will burn this week for

†Mario D'Amore Birthday Remembrance by Marie and children

†Joseph M. Roman Birthday Remembrance by family **†Spencer Tracy** by grandmother Terry Gagliardi **†Gerald Verret** by wife Jill

Sanctuary Candles will burn this week for

†Fabio Birritta Birthday Remembrance by mom and dad **†James and †Richard Perry** 2nd Anniversary by sister

The Bread for the Poor will be Offered this week for

†In Thanksgiving by anonymous



†Bernadette Przybysz

+Walter W. Turner III

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

INTERESTED IN JOINING OUR PARISH?

Our next Registration night is **Monday**, **April 11th** in the St. Paul Church Hall (downstairs) beginning at 7pm. Please let us know if you plan to attend. Call 860-828-0331 or email us at ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org.

TO REQUEST A LOW GLUTEN HOST Please arrive for Mass about 10 minutes early, go to the sacristy, & let them know you need a low gluten host. Sit near the front of the new wing. Before Communion, look for a Eucharistic Minister to come forward with a consecrated host for you.

Saint Michael the Archangel,

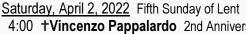
Defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou,

O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God. thrust into hell Satan.

and all the evil spirits.

who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.



4:00 **†Vincenzo Pappalardo** 2nd Anniversary

by wife Rosetta Pappalardo

Sunday, April 3, 2022 Fifth Sunday of Lent

7:30 **+Robert J. Fitzsimmons** by wife Anita and family

9:00 Parishioners of Saint Paul Parish

9:30 **†Edward Kobus** by the family

10:30 **+Bob Betterini** by Joanne and Kate

12:00 **†Mary Roderick** by the family

Monday, April 4, 2022 Saint Isidore

7:00 **†Euclide Albert** by Richard and Doris Chasse

5:00 **†Bertha Carlone** by Katarzyna Orzel

Tuesday, April 5, 2022 Saint Vincent Ferrer

7:00 **+Souls in Purgatory** by Linda and John Nappi, Jr.

†Lydia Tinonas by the Mendaros family

†Genevieve Arbour by John and Mary Mezzio

†Stephen Kawalski by Danny and Elaine Dombrowski

†Dinh Ho and Ut Nguyen by family

8:45 **†Beth Ann Wall** by Ron and Maryann Dorsey

5:00 **†Maria Lombardo** by husband Emanuele

Wednesday, April 6, 2022 Lenten Weekday

7:00 **†Ines F. Tee** by brother Alfred Tee

5:00 +John & +Jeanette Duly and **†Edward & †Frances Bratina**

by Edward and Christine Bratina

Thursday, April 7, 2022 Saint John Baptist de la Salle

7:00 **†Gerald Vanty** by Linda and family

5:00 **†Vincent Shaheen** 8th Anniversary by the Shaheen family

†Souls In Purgatory by Emanuele Lombardo Special Intention for Son by Rachela Maltese

†Walter Smoluk by wife

†Mario D'Amore by Marie and children

Friday, April 8, 2022 Lenten Weekday

7:00 **†Kieran Egan** by wife Margaret and children

5:00 **†Joseph Sak** Wedding Anniversary Remembrance

by wife Dorothy

Saturday, April 9, 2022 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

4:00 **†Richard Nigro** 1st Anniversary by wife

Sunday, April 10, 2022 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

7:30 Parishioners of Saint Paul Parish

9:00 **†Florence DiMauro** 3rd Anniversary by daughter

9:30 +Irena and +Josef Dziadus and +Lidia Migal

by Jolanta Plachcinska

10:30 **†Dorothy Sanders** Birthday Remembrance by family

12:00 **†Dominic Colossale** 10th Anniversary by Gayle Gregorzek

Parish Collection March 22-28, 2022

In Church SP	\$7,600
Office	\$ 1,501
In Church SH	\$ 679
Online Giving	\$ 4,376
Total	\$ 14.156

St. Paul Parish 2022 Holy Week and Easter Schedules

Palm Sunday Weekend - April 9 & 10 Regular Weekend Mass Schedule

Palms will be distributed at all of the Masses. Palm will not be distributed in the parking lot as was done the last two years.

Saturday, April 9

Vigil Mass: 4:00pm

Palm Sunday, April 10

Mass at Sacred Heart: 9:30am

Mass at St. Paul:

7:30, 9:00, 10:30am & 12 Noon

Monday to Wednesday of Holy Week

April 11, 12 & 13

Mass at St. Paul:

Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday - 7am & 5pm

Adoration: Monday, April 11 - 7 to 8pm

Tuesday, April 12 - 4 to 5pm

Sacred Triduum - April 14 - 16

Holy Thursday - April 14

8:00am Morning Prayer

7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper Adoration until 10pm with Night Prayer

Good Friday - April 15

Parish Office Closed.

Office re-opens on Tuesday, April 19

8:00am Morning Prayer

12:30pm Confessions until 2pm 3:00pm Good Friday Service 7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday - April 16

8:00am Morning Prayer

1:00pm1:30pm2:00pmBlessing of Food (St. Paul Church)Blessing of Food (St. Paul Church)Blessing of Food (St. Paul Church)

Easter Vigil - April 16

8:00pm Easter Vigil Mass

Blessing of Fire, Lighting of the Paschal Candle, Celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist)

<u>Easter Sunday - April 17</u>* (Read Carefully)
*Mass Times at St. Paul are <u>not</u> at the usual times.

Mass at St. Paul:

7:00, 8:45, 10:30am & 12:15pm

Mass at Sacred Heart: 9:30am

Confessions

Saturdays: 8:30am to 9:30am & 3:00 - 4:00pm All Mondays during Lent: 7:00 to 8:00pm Tuesday of Holy Week: 7:00 to 8:00pm

Good Friday: 12:30pm to 2:00pm

Confessions will <u>not</u> be heard on Holy Saturday.

Confession and "Easter Duty"

Catholics beyond the age of discretion are obliged to confess all mortal sins at least once a year and are recommended to do the same with venial sins (Canons 989 & 988.2). All Catholics are also obliged to receive Holy Communion at least once a year and specifically during Easter time ("Easter Duty"), that is between the Feasts of Easter (April 17) and Pentecost (June 5) (Canon 920).



READINGS FOR APRIL 3, 2022

For this week's readings online, visit https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/040322-YearC.cfm

First Reading: Isaiah 43:16-21 **Psalm**: Psalm 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6.

The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.

Second Reading: Philippians 3:8-14 **Verse before the Gospel**: Joel 2:12-13

Even now, says the Lord, return to me with your whole

heart; for I am gracious and merciful.

Gospel: John 8:1-11

Jesus went to the Mount of Olives. But early in the morning he arrived again in the temple area, and all the people started coming to him, and he sat down and taught them. Then the scribes and the Pharisees brought a woman who had been caught in adultery and made her stand in the middle. They said to him, "Teacher, this woman was caught in the very act of committing adultery. Now in the law, Moses commanded us to stone such women. So what do you say?" They said this to test him, so that they could have some charge to bring against him. Jesus bent down and began to write on the ground with his finger. But when they continued asking him, he straightened up and said to them. "Let the one among you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." Again he bent down and wrote on the ground. And in response, they went away one by one, beginning with the elders. So he was left alone with the woman before him. Then Jesus straightened up and said to her. "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" She replied, "No one, sir." Then Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you. Go, and from now on do not sin any more."



To make a prayer request through our **Daughters of Jairus Prayer Line**, please call Terry 860-828-6667 or Gloria 860-828 -1525 with your confidential request.

Please give the first name of the person to be prayed for & the intention.



ROSARY MAKERS The Rosary Makers meet in the St. Paul Church Hall on the 1st Monday of the month at 1pm. Join us on Monday, April 4th

and see if this very rewarding ministry is for you. New members welcome! Call Phyllis Fecteau at 860-828-4934 for info.



QUILTERS' GROUP Our Quilters Group will meet on Thursday April 7 & 21 at 9am in the St. Paul Church Hall. Anyone working on another

project or who has a different type of craft (origami, jewelry, scrapbook, genealogy, etc) is welcome to join us!. Please call Barbara at 860-930-0310 with any questions.

RCIA On March 6, individuals from 32 parishes in the Hartford Archdiocese gathered at the Cathedral of St. Joseph to be presented to Archbishop Leonard Blair during the Rite of Election and the Celebration of the Call to Continuing Conversion. Each will be receiving the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism and/or Confirmation and First Holy Communion) to become members of the Catholic Church. Sarah Healey has been engaged in formation through the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults at St. Paul's. She will receive the sacraments and enter the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil.



Pictured L to R are Linda Guzzardi, RCIA Team Member, Sarah Healey, Candidate for Continuing Conversion, Archbishop Leonard Blair, John Healey, Sarah's sponsor and husband, and Fr. Joseph Bernicewicz, OFM Conv., Pastor. God Bless you Sarah!

Ushers & Greeters An important meeting for all ushers and greeters will be on Thursday, April 7th, at 6:30pm in the new wing. This is an excellent opportunity for new women and men to become part of this important team! Contact <u>deacondon@stpaulkensington.org</u> with any questions.



Join our new **Women of Faith** group, where all women of our parish can come together for Faith, Friendship & Fellowship. Gather with other Catholic women, share stories, and strengthen your Spiritual journey.

Please join us on Thursday, April 21st from 7-8pm in St. Paul Church Hall. To learn more, please contact one of the group organizers at www.womenoffaith@stpaulkensington.org Cheryl Pagano, Lynn Misteri, Ewa Whiteside & Karen Cyr



Our **Helping Hands** volunteers address the concerns of our senior parishioners. If you are interested in joining this ministry, we'd love to have you join us. Please contact Mark Duplin: 860-666-0162 or mfduplin@outlook.com.

SAINT PAUL SCHOOL NEWS

SAINT PAUL SCHOOL NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS 2022-2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

For more information visit our school website https://ourschool.stpaulkensington.org/ or call 860-828-4343 x103.

To download an application, click on this link: https://bit.ly/34oxKOV



You may also email our Admissions Director, Kelly Esposito, admissions@stpaulkensington.org.

We are so thankful to all of our school families for the support shown over the past few weeks for the people of Ukraine.

Pictured at right are two of our Kindergarten students who are Ukrainian displaying their beautiful traditional dresses.





RSVP with Kelly Esposito, Admissions and Marketing Director at 860-828-4343 x103 or admissions@stpaulkensington.org

461 Alling Street, Kensington CT • ourschool.stpaulkensington.org

RELIGIOUS ED NEWS

Our students joined forces with our Social Action Ministry to support Family Promise and Underground New England.





Students in Marnie Talamona and Deb Prendergast's 7th grade class show us the lovely Easter baskets they made for the Family Promise collection!







Nadia (grade 5) and Max (grade 2) Brochu stand with our Blessed Mother holding the beautiful Easter bags they made for the Underground New England collection!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

Monday - Thursday 8am - 2pm Phone 860 828-0331 Website: https://stpaulkensington.org/religious-ed

St Paul Parish Religious Ed Berlin CT Email: religioused@stpaulkensington.org

Mailing Address: 467 Alling St, Kensington CT 06037



Robin Veronesi, Director of Religious Education (860) 828-1934 ext 109



Christina Norton, Administrative Assistant (860) 828-1934 ext 125

The 2022 Lenten Collection, sponsored by the Social Action Committee, will benefit families and clients of the Prudence Crandall Center and Family Promise in New Britain. Also, we will be collecting for The Underground Of New England, which mentors survivors of human trafficking. These organizations need your support to help needy families in crisis and to bring lasting freedom, employment and hope to survivors of human trafficking. See our website for more information about these charitable organizations.

PRUDENCE CRANDALL WISH LIST: Gift Cards for Stop & Shop, Aldi, Target & Walmart. Please put gift card in an envelop, marked Lenten Collection and drop in the collection basket or leave them at the Parish center. Household items: cleaning supplies, personal care products, standard size pillow, pots and pan, plates, bowls, cups (glass & plastic), flatware, measuring cups and spoons, mixing bowls, small appliances (coffee makers, toasters, hand mixers), cooking utensils (spatula, whisk, slotted spoon, etc.). Shelf-stable foods: beans, rice, cooking oil, baking mixes, soup, pasta/pasta sauce, cereal, peanut butter, tuna, kids snacks, juice boxes, box macaroni and cheese, canned vegetables and fruits, mayo and ketchup. ALL ITEMS MUST BE NEW.

FAMILY PROMISE WISH LIST: paper towels, toilet paper, aluminum foil, zip top plastic bags, facial tissues, laundry soap, dryer sheets, dish soap, dish sponges, garbage bags, toothpaste, antibacterial hand soap, disinfectant spray and wipes, children's shampoo, body wash, feminine products.

UNDERGROUND OF NEW ENGLAND* WISH LIST: Gift cards for Stop & Shop and Walmart. Please put gift cards in an envelope marked Lenten Collection and drop in collection basket at church, or leave them at the parish office. *See below COLLECTION CONTINUES THROUGH PALM SUNDAY Please leave your donations in one of the three vestibules of the church. Thank you and God Bless.

† LENTEN DEVOTIONS †

DAILY MASS

Monday to Friday - 7:00am & 5:00pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays of Lent - 7:00pm at St. Paul Church March 4, 11, 18, 25 and April 1 & 8

School Children (All are Welcome) at St. Paul Church 2:00pm on March 4, 11 25 and April 1 1:45pm on April 8

CONFESSION

Mercy Mondays - 7:00pm - 8:00pm at St. Paul Church March 7 to April 11

Saturdays

8:30am - 9:30am & 3:00pm - 4:00pm at St. Paul Church

HOLY HOUR

Mondays - 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. Tuesdays - 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Catholics age 14+ are obliged to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays in Lent and Good Friday.

Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Fasting means only one full meal is to be eaten.

Other food eaten on a Fast Day should not equal a full meal.

PASSION PLAY Free Tickets Available! The 44th Annual Passion Play will be performed at Southington Catholic School. Visit: stthomassouthington.org/get-tickets for tickets. 2022 Performance Dates:

- •Saturday, April 9th at 7:30 p.m.
- •Palm Sunday, April 10th at 3:00 p.m.
- •Monday, April 11th at 7:30 p.m.
- •Tuesday, April 12th at 7:30 p.m.
- •Wednesday, April 13th at 7:30 p.m.
- •Friday, April 15th at 7:30 p.m



Here are two ways to offer support to the people of Ukraine:

Make a Donation through:	Franciscan Friars	Knights of Columbus
Make check payable to:	St. Paul Parish	Knights of Columbus
	include Ukraine on memo line	include Ukraine on memo line
If mailing send to:	St. Paul Parish	John Roman
	467 Alling St.	67 Glenview Drive
	Kensington, CT 06037	Kensington, CT 06037
If making an Online gift	Parish Website	Knights of Columbus website
	https://stpaulkensington.org	https://www.kofc.org
If dropping in the collection	Franciscan Friars	K of C
write on the envelope:	Ukraine	Ukraine

PRAYER LIST

Nancy Adamowicz **Bobby Adamowicz** Jacob Ahlguist Jose Arcia Zulma Barbien **Wyatt Bernard** David Borselle Cheryl Brown Richard Carlson Silas Cipollone Doug Clarke Lorraine Clark Sophie Conti Carol Corriveau Tom Coss Karen Cote Amanda Coyle Robert Cronin, Sr. Robert Czerwinski Adeline D'Angelo Ramiro Dagna Uly Dagna Marianne Darling Constance DiLorenzo Bill Dobbs Nicole Donzello Nick Donzello Mary Ann Dorsey Bernadette Dumond **Dorothy Durgan** Fannie Farrell Simon Fitzpatrick Helen Flannelly Nancy Fleming Deb Follett Maureen Freemen Rose Garuti Patricia Gebhardt Dominic Gionfriddo Jennifer Gionfriddo Jonathan Gionfriddo Rosemarie Gionfriddo Gail Gombatz Liz Goryl-Phillips Donna Goulette Madison Grav Chester and Pat Haber Linda Hannold Lily Harzewski-Burl Evan Hill Pat Jahn Brenda Kidd Barbara Killius Sylvia Kratka John G. Kumitis, Sr. Mary Lamkins Maria Lauria

Connie Lombardi Dominica Lopreiato Linda Luongo Ronald Maldon Lisa Mangiafico Fr. Paul Mangiafico Carol Marold Robert Mazzaferro Lorraine McCarthy Brandi McWade Viola Mercadante Michael Mihalko Tom Modifica Evelyn Modzelewski Helen Morrissev Nancy Motulko John Murphy Helen Murphy **Thomas Norris** Gabriella Ogar Michael Ogar **Esther Ouellette** Our Military Service Members Emma Pagano Judy Pappalardo Cynthia Paradise Jeannine Parent Richard Paskiewicz John Pink Richard Rampone Care Rich Frank Rich Mary Rich Rita Richter Linda Ridel Randy Ripley Steven Ripley Joan Schwartz Guy Simeone Alfred Simon Rev. Arkadiusz Skwarek Donald Spilka Kevin Stanowski Matthew Stimac Ken Stokowski Sandy Story Julia Szczygla Luke Szul Alfred J. Tee Beverly Veley Brian Veley Scott Velev Tom Vest

Louise Webb

Thaddeus Woitusik

Molly Yardley

Carrie Zangari

POLISH DINNER SATURDAY April 23, 2022



Sponsored by:

Msgr. Thomas L. Greylish Knights of Columbus

Proceeds to enhance

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Knights of Columbus Council #3675 Scholarships

5:00pm in the Saint Paul School gym

Catering by Michael's Catering, New Britain
Authentic Polish Foods

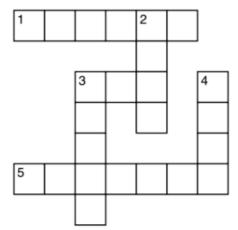
Menu includes: Pierogi, Golabki, Kielbasa, Sauerkraut, Potatoes, Coffee & Desserts! BYOB Limited Take-Out Available

\$25 per ticket.

Tables of 8-10 can be reserved.

For tickets, please contact
Tom Drzata at 860-965-1373 or Tom@WDKinsurance.com
or call the Parish Office at 860-828-0331.
Checks payable to Knights of Columbus #3675
Purchase tickets by April 17th.

CROSSWORD



Across

- 1. The place where people gathered to hear Jesus speak.
- 3. When we do something we know is wrong, it is a
- 5. When we judge someone we ____ them (Jesus uses the word in the past sentence of this Gospel, "Neither do l.... You."

Down

- 2. Today is the Fifth Sunday of .
- 3. Another word for rock.
- 4. The Gospel is from the Gospel according to ____

From Catholic Mom https://www.catholicmom.com Answers on page 10

Note that the site from which we normally get the Word Search is no longer available.

Laura Lemke

FOODSHARE ST. CLARE FOOD PANTRY & MOBILE FOODSHARE

Volunteers will be needed on Thursday, April 14 at 9:30am to transport food from St. Paul to Sacred Heart and to set up for distribution. Volunteers are also needed on Friday, April 15 at 11am at Sacred Heart Church to help with distribution. For transportation to FoodShare at Sacred Heart, call the Berlin Senior Center 860-828-7006. For information regarding the St. Clare Pantry or FoodShare including volunteering, contact Nancy at 860-601-7866 or n.timbrell@stpaulkensington.org.

The Pantry is currently in need of the following items: cereal, oatmeal, pancake/waffle mixes, pancake syrup, muffin mixes, peanut butter, jelly, preserves, pop tarts, and protein/granola bars.

St. Paul Parish Job Opening: Part-Time Custodian

20 hours/week. Hours are flexible but require some evening and weekend support. This could be a great role for someone attending college locally and looking for supplemental income! The position supports indoor/outdoor maintenance & repair work, church and event setup needs, organizational projects, running video equipment, and other work as needed, under the direction of the Parish Facilities Manager. This individual will work regularly with staff, faculty and parishioners of St. Paul parish and school as a valuable contributor to the many needs of our active community. Respectful and clear communications, the ability to work independently, flexibility in schedule, and being able to take direction are all very critical to this role. For a complete description, please visit our website: http://www.stpaulkensington.org

The Franciscan Life Center is offering Franciscan Landbased Experiences this summer. June 27-July 1, and July 25 -29, from 9:30am to 2:30pm in Meriden. FLC also offers a Youth Leadership Program for boys and girls rising from 8th grade to high school June 27-July 1, in Meriden. Register at flenter.org or call 203-237-8084.

The Franciscan Life Center is offering a six-week Anxiety Workshop beginning Wednesday, April 20 from 7:00-8:30pm, 275 Finch Avenue, Meriden. Cost: \$50 per session. Thomas Finn, Ph.D. a clinical psychologist on staff will present:

- Understanding the biology of fear and anxiety
- Controlled breathing and relaxation techniques
- Psychological roots of anxiety reactions
- Assertive communication
- •Thinking patterns that trigger anxiety and how to change the patterns

You may register by calling 203-237-8084, emailing sif@flcenter.org, or visit flcenter.org.



SCHOLARSHIP The New Britain Council of Catholic Women will offer two \$1,000 scholarships to 8th graders planning to attend a Catholic High School or high school seniors planning to attend college. For applications: email nbcouncilcatholicwomen@gmail.com or see the parish website. Deadline is May 1st.

Parents: Spring is the time to finalize your decision about high school for your 8th grader! Choosing the right school for your child is one of the most important decisions you will make. Find out what our nearby Catholic High Schools have to offer!



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College Fair At Xavier The Xavier/Mercy College Fair is open all area high school and middle school students and their parents. There is no charge, and representatives from more than 100 colleges will be in attendance. The college fair is April 6 from 6-7:30 p.m. at Xavier High School.

The Newman Guide Need help navigating the college search? All paths aren't the same, and your college choice could have significant impact on your faith and future! The Newman Guide is designed to help Catholic families learn about faithful Catholic colleges and navigate the college search process.

Visit https://newmansociety.org/the-newman-guide/



Saturday, April 2

6:30am TMIY Men's Group - SPH

8:30am Confessions

10:00am Children's Rosary

11:30am Funeral +Cuomo

3:00pm Confessions

Children's Rosary at Sacred Heart Church

PARISH

Sunday, April 3

9:00am 1st Year Confirmation

10:00am Easter Basket Collection Drop-Off

10:30am 2nd Year Confirmation

1:30pm Baptisms

4:00pm EDGE YG Meeting

7:00pm Men's Group - PC1

Monday, April 4

8:45am Parish Staff Meeting

9:00am Spring Tours for Gr. K-5

1:00pm Confessions Gr 4-8 SPC

1:00pm Rosary Makers

2:00pm Butter Braid fundraiser pickup

3:00pm After Care

4:40pm Robotics (Bourgue) - Church Hall

5:30pm Coach Mercier AAU Practice

5:30pm Varsity Soccer Practice (Willard) (gr 6-8)

7:00pm Scripture Study - PC1, PC2

7:00pm Mercy Mondays SPC

Tuesday, April 5

8:45am School Mass Gr 3-5 SPC

3:00pm After Care

3:00pm Musical Practice - SG

3:30pm JV Soccer Practice (Percival Field) (gr 3-5)

4:00pm Holy Hour Adoration

6:30pm Choir Rehearsal

6:30pm Gr. 4-8 Rel Ed Confessions Option 3-SPC

7:00pm Scripture Study - PC2

7:00pm K of C Leadership Mtg - PC1

Wednesday, April 6

3:00pm After Care

3:00pm Musical Practice (Frozen)- SG

3:15pm Varsity Soccer Practice (School Green) (gr 6-8)

5:30pm Coach Mercier AAU Practice

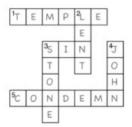
6:00pm Rosary at Sacred Heart

7:00pm Scripture Study - PC1, PC2



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> "There is no problem, I tell you, no matter how difficult it is, that we cannot resolve by the prayer of the Holy Rosary." -Sr Lucia of Fatima



Thursday, April 7

9:00am Spring Tours for Gr. 6-8

9:00am Quilters SPH

10:00am First Thursday Calls

3:00pm After Care

3:00pm Musical Practice - SG

3:30pm JV Soccer Practice (School Green) (gr 3-5)

6:30pm Adult Confirmation Class

6:30pm Ladies Guild - SPH

7:00pm RCIA - PC1

Friday, April 8

9:00am Missal Changing - SPC

1:45pm Living Stations of the Cross - all grades SG

3:00pm After Care

7:00pm Stations of the Cross - SPC

7:30pm AA Meeting -

Saturday, April 9

6:30am TMIY Men's Group - SPH

8:30am Confessions

3:00pm Confessions

5:30pm Marriage Encounter SPC

7:00pm Marriage Encounter SPH

Sunday, April 10

7:00pm Men's Group - PC1



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