

MASS TIMES

St. Paul Church, 485 Alling St., Kensington
Saturday 4pm Vigil

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

Sacred Heart Church, 48 Cottage St., E. Berlin
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

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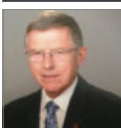
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St. Paul Catholic Parish

A Franciscan Family of Faith

St. Paul Church - 485 Alling St, Kensington CT 06037

Sacred Heart Church - 48 Cottage St, East Berlin CT 06023

October 15, 2023

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time



28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find." - Mt 22:9

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

-Pope Francis

Equality Begins in the Womb - Every October, the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month. As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning to the end of their lives, and at every point in between. During the month of October, the Church asks us to reflect more deeply on the dignity of every human life. "Equality Begins in the Womb" is a phrase that highlights the dignity of human life in the womb. It reminds us that human equality is not limited by time, circumstance, nor phase of life. Abortion is a direct violation of this equality. By showing the inherent beauty of human life through all stages of embryonic development, we can illustrate how every life is unique and a gift regardless of racial background, gender, or disability. Included as an insert in this week's bulletin is an article published three years ago on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the publication of Pope John Paul II's encyclical *Evangelium Vitae*, *The Gospel of Life*. As we continue through this month and the activities that our Culture of Life Ministry has planned (see page 6), let us reflect on this most basic right, the right to life. Let us be committed to defending life at all of its stages. I hope you will read the insert and reflect on how you work to defend all human life. One very concrete way is to support the collections for the pregnancy centers as they assist women who make the decision to bring the life in their womb to birth. Let us stand in solidarity with these women.

Steve Angrisano's Visit - It was gratifying to see the old wing full for the Evening of Reflection with Steve Angrisano. He was very well received and his talk, combined with music and anecdotes seemed to just come together and had an impact on those in attendance. The rousing standing ovation at the end attested to a very fine evening. My experience was that he had an easy way of intertwining the music, talking points, and anecdotes that seemingly out of nowhere came a moment of impact. I think that is what we mean by the working of the Holy Spirit. Robin Veronessi as the DRE did a lot of research leading up to the decision to bring Mr. Angrisano in and even more work on the logistics of his visit, so Robin thank you ever so much. I also offer special thanks to Mary Corrigan and her crew who did a very fine job in arranging for the soup and sandwiches and all of the work for the light supper ahead of time. The Italian wedding soup and the nice selection of sandwiches were a big hit with those who attended. I am very glad that the parish can provide this kind of experience for our parishioners. Thank you to everyone who attended and all who regularly support the parish thereby making this evening possible.

Various Collections Are Underway - *Thirty Thanksgiving Food Baskets* are being assembled for families in Berlin.

The baskets will also include \$25 gift cards to purchase a turkey and other perishables as well. In addition to the food donations, you can also help by making a donation to cover part or all of one of those gift cards. All of these donations have to be taken to the Town of Berlin Food Bank by November 4. *Three Pregnancy Centers* and the women and the newborns that are brought to term will be served by your donations as part of the 40 Days for Life that our Culture of Life Ministry is sponsoring through November 5 (see pg 6). *College Care Packages* are also being assembled for our collegians who are away at college. The hard deadline on this collection is Wednesday, October 25 since the boxes will be packed that evening. *Trunk 'O Treat* is this coming Saturday, October 21, and you can help provide candy for the masked, caped, and otherwise costumed trick or treaters! Lastly, but not least, is the ongoing food collection for our *St. Clare Food Pantry*. Whatever you can do for one or more these collections is so helpful to those who benefit from them. No one is expected to do everything, but it is really nice when everyone does something. I am sure the Lord will be well pleased.

Italian Night - See page 4 for more information about the Italian Night Dinner on Saturday, November 4. The committee has worked very hard to keep the price in check at just \$25 a person. You can reserve a table of 8 to 10. So get some family and friends together for a nice affordable night out and help support the parish and our ministries as well.

Volunteer Appreciation - Our Volunteer Appreciation Open House is Sunday, October 29th following the 12 Noon Mass from 1 - 4 pm in the school gym. The event is meant to gather all parishioners who in any way assisted the parish in its various ministries and parish organizations during the past year. This is a self-invite event meaning no individual invitations were sent out. If you volunteer in any way you are invited. ***Please help us plan for the food and beverage by filling out the reply form on page 7 and send it in by this Monday, October 23rd.*** You can also reply on line by going to <https://stpaulkensington.org/volunteers>.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick - We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick after all weekend Masses on November 4 & 5. I will have some reminders in the coming weeks about the Sacrament and who is eligible to receive the Sacrament, but recall that the Sacrament is not just for those who are imminently dying. If you are suffering with a chronic condition, serious medical problem, preparing for surgery, and/or the effects of aging, I invite you to plan to stay after Mass that weekend to be anointed. The service (about 15 minutes) will be done for all at once with each person being anointed individually.

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INTENTIONS

Blessed Mother Candles will burn this week for

†Lynne Baikal Wedding Anniversary by family

†Frank Timko by wife and daughters

†Richard Stoudt by Richard and Gail

†Michael Lamoureux, Sr. by Evelyn Nogiec & Lenore Maysa

A Sanctuary Candle will burn this week for

†David Roche by Richard & Joyce Solek

The Gift of Bread will be offered this week for

†Frank Timko by Marlene Drzata



†Mary Helen Aurigemma

†Joseph Janik
(brother of Ed Janik)

†Lois Ustanowski

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.

Reminder: those who have made the offering for the intention for each Mass are invited to present the bread and wine during the Offertory for that Mass. If they would like to do so, they should arrive at least ten minutes before the scheduled start time of the Mass and go to the sacristy to let the sacristan know that you would like to bring up the gifts. If no one comes forward by that time, others will be invited to bring up the gifts for that Mass.

TO REQUEST A LOW GLUTEN HOST Please arrive for Mass about 10 minutes early, go to the sacristy and 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.



Saturday, October 14, 2023 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 **†James and †Patricia Corrigan**

Anniversary Remembrance by children

Sunday, October 15, 2023 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 **†Paul Martin** by Joe and Star Michaud

9:00 **†Domenic and †Domenica Lopreiato** by children

9:30 **Parishioners of Saint Paul Parish**

10:30 **†Maureen Tardif** by Dean Guerrette

12:00 **†Vincent Durante** Birthday Remembrance

by Roz and family

Monday, October 16, 2023 St. Hedwig, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

7:00 **†Maryann Dorsey** 1st Year Anniversary

by Cathy and John Simeone

5:00 **†Chuck Pagano, Sr.** Wedding Anniversary Remembrance

by wife

Tuesday, October 17, 2023 St. Ignatius of Antioch

7:00 **†Maryann Dorsey and †Richard Dorsey** by Ron

†Lucille Micacci and †Rose & †Vincent Micacci

by Anthony Micacci

†Ruth Meehan Betterini by Derek S. Petroka

†Richard and †Catherine Binder by a friend

†Bryan Richards 20th Anniversary by Brancato family

8:45 **†Maria Del Sesto** by Antonio Del Sesto

5:00 **†Aime Brochu** Birthday Remembrance

by Rita Brochu and family

Wednesday, October 18, 2023 St. Luke, Evangelist

7:00 **†Albert and †Nellie Larson** by John G. Hubbard family

5:00 **†Virginia Centore and †John Fitzgerald**

by Roz and family

Thursday, October 19, 2023 Sts. John de Brebeuf and

Isaac Jogues and Companions

7:00 **†Kieran Egan** Wedding Anniversary by wife and family

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

John Nappi, Jr. by wife

†Souls In Purgatory by John and Linda Nappi, Jr.

†Domenic LoPreiato by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph LoPreiato

†Alepio and †Marcella Alessi by Mario and Tilda

Friday, October 20, 2023 St. Paul of the Cross

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

5:00 **†Domenic and †Domenica Lopreiato** by children

Saturday, October 21, 2023 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 **†Anna and †Peter Lombardi** by Pat and family

Sunday, October 22, 2023 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 **†Maureen Fritz** by Julio Maturana

9:00 **†Leon Wrobel, Jr.** by Nancy and family

9:30 **Parishioners of Saint Paul Parish**

10:30 **†Frank Rucci** 56th Anniversary Remembrance and

†Lucy Rucci by RoseMary Amaio

12:00 **†Robert C. Veronesi** by family

Please note: The deadline for All Souls Intentions to be printed in the October 29 bulletin is Friday, October 20. Intentions received after that date will be posted in a subsequent bulletin.

PASTOR'S COLUMN (continued)

2024 Mass Book - Tier B is now open through November 30. Due to the large number of Mass intention requests, and so that as many parishioners as possible can have a reasonable opportunity to arrange to have a Mass said for their loved ones, parishioners are limited to three reserved dates per living or deceased person. These reserved dates may be three weekday Masses or two weekday and one weekend Mass. Only one Mass per family is allowed on a weekend.

Parish Memorial Mass - Our annual Parish Memorial Mass will be held on All Souls Day, Thursday, November 2 at 7 pm. Letters of invite were sent to the next of kin of all of those who have lost loved ones since last November. The family member who received the information was asked to share the invite with the rest of the family and friends of the deceased. *All parishioners are welcome and encouraged to attend the All Souls Day Mass and pray for all of your dearly beloved who have died.* There will be a reception in the Parish Hall following the Mass. There will not be a 5:00 pm Mass on November 2.

World Mission Collection - Throughout the course of the year there are three 2nd collections here at St. Paul's on behalf of the mission activities of the Church. Next weekend is the World Mission Collection and the last of the mission collections for this year. While not many of us will minister as missionaries, we can aid and assist the mission activity of the Church by sharing our resources, including our prayers. With that in mind, I ask for your prayerful and generous support of the World Mission Collection next weekend.

Final Thoughts - The Orioles had gone 91 series of at least two games dating back to May 2022 without getting swept, until that is, in the ALDS against the Rangers. Will they invest in some front line starting pitching? Many say this team has a



lot to look forward to, but this was a missed opportunity. The mighty AL East went 0-7 in the playoffs. Let's not even bring up the Ravens. Have a blessed week everyone.
- Fr. Joe

Parish Collection Oct. 3-9, 2023

In Church SP	\$	8,209
Office	\$	2,080
In Church SH	\$	374
Online Giving	\$	5,032
Total	\$	15,695

INTERESTED IN JOINING OUR PARISH FAMILY?

Our next Registration Meeting is **Monday, November 13** in the St. Paul Church Hall at 7pm. Please let us know if you plan to attend: 860-828-0331 or ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK, OCTOBER 22, 2023

For readings online, visit

<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/102223.cfm>

First Reading: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10

Give the Lord glory and honor.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

Alleluia: Philippians 2:15d, 16a

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Shine like lights in the world as you hold on to the word of life.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel: Matthew 22:15-21

The Pharisees went off and plotted how they might entrap Jesus in speech. They sent their disciples to him, with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are a truthful man and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. And you are not concerned with anyone's opinion, for you do not regard a person's status. Tell us, then, what is your opinion: Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?" Knowing their malice, Jesus said, "Why are you testing me, you hypocrites? Show me the coin that pays the census tax." Then they handed him the Roman coin. He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?" They replied, "Caesar's." At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God."



St. Paul's Parish

Italian Night

Date: Saturday, November 4, 2023

Time: 5pm

Join us for a fun evening as we bring back our annual Italian Night!

BYOB cocktail hour beginning at 5pm followed by a family-style

Italian dinner with music and raffle prizes.

To purchase tickets or a table,

contact Betty Lasker

elasker110@gmail.com

860-992-8390



To purchase tickets online, visit

<https://stpaulkensington.org/italian-night>

or scan here

Take-Out Also Available!



**SAINT PAUL SCHOOL
NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS
FOR THE 2024-2025 ACADEMIC YEAR**

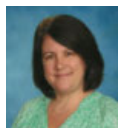
For more information visit our school website

<https://ourschool.stpaulkensington.org/>

or call 860-828-4343 x113.

To download an application, click on this link:

<https://bit.ly/3qO2X9J>



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

Lights, Camera, Action! SPS has been busy lately, from being in the Latino Community Lab, to creating a new promo video with King Wolf Creative and being On Air with Radio Polski Express. All of these opportunities allow us to connect with the



community and share the wonderful things Saint Paul School has to offer. You can see first hand by attending our Open House on **Sunday, October 15th**. Drop in anytime between 1-3 pm to visit the classrooms and meet our dedicated teachers.



**CONFIRMATION
CONVERSATIONS**

Students in their 2nd year of our Confirmation program will have the opportunity to meet with one of our friars to talk about faith, the role of God in their lives, their desire to be Confirmed, and ask any questions they may have. Each student will sign up for one 15 minute time slot on one of the following days:

- Monday, Nov. 6 between 6:30 - 8:30 pm
- Tuesday, Nov. 14 between 6:30 - 8:30 pm
- Sunday, Nov. 19 between 2:00 - 4:00 pm

Please sign up using the Sign Up Genius link posted on the Religious Ed website. Thank you!

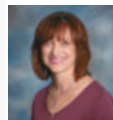
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE INFORMATION

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



Robin Veronesi, Director of Religious Education
(860) 828-1934 ext 320



Christina Norton, Administrative Assistant
(860) 828-1934 ext 321

Saint Paul School
is **GROWING GREATNESS!**
JOIN US AT OUR
OPEN HOUSE
Sunday,
October 15th
from 1:00-3:00 p.m.

*Visit our classrooms,
meet the teachers, crafts
and activities will also
be available in our art
room and makerspace
area. All are welcome
to attend!*



TRUNK O' TREAT

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

beginning at 6pm.

See all the details on our webpage:

<https://stpaulkensington.org/trunk-o-treat-2023>

All children are welcome and must be accompanied by an adult. Please bring a bag to collect your treats. Admission is a canned good and a donation of a bag of individually wrapped candy (1 each per child).



We need at least 25 cars registered to make it a go!



40 DAYS FOR LIFE is an internationally coordinated 40-day campaign that aims to end abortion locally through prayer and fasting, community outreach, and peaceful vigil.

September 27 ~ November 5.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE EVENTS

***Rosary on the Green**

Saturday, October 14 immediately following the 4pm Mass at the Prayer Garden on the Parish Green

***Prayer Vigil at Abortion Clinic**

Saturday, October 21

Planned Parenthood, 1030 New Britain Ave. W. Hartford
Please email Ashley at respectlife@stpaulkensington.org for information about parking and where to meet up.

***Closing Mass and Laying of Flowers**

Saturday, November 4 4:00pm Vigil Mass Intercessions will be specific to 40 Days for Life. Flowers will be placed at the Memorial to the Unborn following Mass.

BABY QUILTS FOR SALE Our parish Quilting Group has made several lovely baby quilts. There are various sizes; crib, car seat, or carriage and they are available for sale. Please contact Dottie at 860-558-8770 if you are interested in purchasing one of the hand-made items. Dottie will be happy to answer any questions you may have.



KNITTERS NEEDED Our Social Action Trafficking Ministry has received a request from Underground New England for volunteers to knit youth-sized winter hats & scarves for children ages 10-17. There is yarn available at the church. All finished hats can be placed in the bins located downstairs near the elevator at St. Paul Church. UNE, a faith-based initiative dedicated to ending sex trafficking and exploitation, would like to distribute hats & scarves to over 150 children as Christmas gifts in December.



BAPTISM PREP DATE CHANGE

Our Baptism Preparation meeting is typically held on the last Tuesday of the month. However, due to the last Tuesday of October falling on Halloween, the October Baptism Prep meeting has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, October 17** at 6:30pm in the Parish Center. Call or email the parish office if you have any questions.



BABY/MATERNITY ITEMS COLLECTION

Our Culture of Life Ministry is holding a collection for local pregnancy centers **through Nov. 6**. Please see the list to the right for specific items being requested. Items can be left in the Pak-N-Plays at the church entrances. Email Ashley at respectlife@stpaulkensington.org with questions.

Birthright (Meriden)

- *New/unworn newborn and 0-3 month clothing
- *Burp cloths
- *Receiving blankets
- *Bibs (cloth or silicone)
- *Crib sheets (fitted)
- *Nursing bras
- *New bottles
- *New hooded towels/washcloths
- *Baby soap/lotion
- *Infant sweaters/jackets for winter
- *Gently used toddler clothing (especially boys 2T-5T)



Carolyn's Place (Waterbury)

- *Formula (Similac Advance)
- *Diapers (size 4-6 and preemie)
- *Baby wipes
- *Infant bathtubs and toiletries
- *Strollers-new and gently used
- *Infant medicine dispenser
- *Bottles (3-pack)
- *Reusable shopping bags
- *Diaper changing pads
- *Crib sheets (fitted)
- *Clothing (size 9mo-2T especially)
- *Baby books/board books



Two Hearts (Torrington)

- *Baby food
- *Baby cereal
- *Diapers (any size)
- *Baby wipes
- *Baby toiletries (soap, lotion, diaper cream)
- *Toddler clothing (2T-4T)
- *Toddler socks (2T-4T)
- *Strollers
- *Pack-n-plays
- *Bassinets



*Thank
You!*

DO YOU LIKE TO SING? Join our **St. Paul Parish Choir!** Meet our amazing group of choir members and sing under the direction of our talented Music Director, Jeff Batter! Rehearsals are **Tuesdays** at 6:30pm. Questions? Email JeffBatter@stpaulkensington.org



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Our St. Clare Food Pantry in conjunction with the Social Action Ministry is sponsoring our annual

Thanksgiving Food Collection. This collection supports the Town of Berlin Food Bank by providing Thanksgiving food items for 30 Berlin families in need. (These 30 families are just a fraction of the number of local people in need who receive assistance from the Berlin Food Bank.)

The following traditional Thanksgiving food items are being requested: *Instant potatoes, canned yams/sweet potatoes, turkey gravy, stuffing, cranberry sauce, pie filling and pie crusts/mixes, flour, sugar and baking mixes.*

The deadline for this Thanksgiving Food Drive to support the '30 Families' is **Friday, November 3rd**. (After November 3rd, donations of Thanksgiving food items will still be accepted, most gratefully! Any donations received after November 3rd will be included as part of our FoodShare distribution at Sacred Heart Church in the weeks leading up to Thanksgiving.

Please leave your donations on the carts at the entrances to the church. Note that the recipients of the food bank and the pantry are predominantly seniors, so please keep that in mind when you are shopping.

Anyone wishing to make a monetary gift can make checks payable to St. Paul Parish indicating "St. Clare Pantry" on the memo line. Please call Nancy Timbrell at 860-601-7866 or Ed Como at 860-841-7151 with any questions.

Thank you again for your continued support.



IT'S COLLEGE CARE PACKAGE TIME!

We will soon be putting together Care Packages to send to our college students!

Packages will be sent to both Residential & Commuting students.

Register your loved one, NOW through October 24th!

Registration Form is on our website.

Donations will also be collected through October 24th

Donations may be dropped off at the Parish Center. Please use the SignUp Page on our website so the children receive a variety of items.



Boxes will be packed up on Oct. 25th in the Saint Paul School gym at 6:30pm

The Volunteer SignUp is also on our website.

Help us to support our kids and make them SMILE!

For details, scan the QR code or visit:

<https://stpaulkensington.org/college-care-package-sign-up-1>

Questions? Contact Eileen Thurston at mahimahit@gmail.com

"COFFEE AND" at Sacred Heart



Our Pastoral Council will host "Coffee And" gatherings at Sacred Heart Church on the second Sunday of the month after the 9:30am Mass. Join us on **Nov. 12 & Dec. 10!**

All parishioners who in any way have assisted the parish in its various ministries and parish organizations during the past year are invited to attend our **Parish Volunteer Appreciation Open House** on **Sunday, October 29** from 1-4pm in the school gym. RSVP by Oct. 23 using the form below, or by visiting our website or scanning the QR code below. Thank you!

*St. Paul Parish
Volunteer Appreciation Open House
Sunday, October 29, 2023
1:00-4:00 p.m. in the Saint Paul School Gym*

Please RSVP by Monday, October 23

Drop in the Collection Basket, Drop Off at the Parish Office or
Mail to the Parish Office at 467 Alling St. Kensington CT 06037

Name(s) of those Attending _____

Area(s) of Involvement _____

Attending _____



Christmas Greenery Fundraiser

If you would like to purchase Greenery to benefit the youth of our school and parish, please complete the form below, place the form and payment (*payable to Saint Paul School*) in the collection basket or drop off at the Parish or School office.

To order online, click here: <https://stpaulkensington.org/greenery> or scan here →

Orders due by Wednesday, November 1st

Order pick-up is Wednesday, November 29th from 2-6 pm on the Parish Green.

Questions? Contact Sheryl Hart 860-919-1880.



ITEM	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	QUANTITY	TOTAL
	Birch Log Centerpiece Birch log greened with Fraser fir and cedar, tasteful decorated.	\$20.00		
	Kissing Ball Decorated with pinecones, holiday balls and a bow.	\$27.00		
	Holiday Mini-Log w/ Handle Decorated with mixed greens, holiday balls and a bow.	\$21.00		
	Balsam Wreath Single velvet 12" bow with three pinecones and holly berry picks.	\$23.00		
	Balsam Wreath Single velvet 12" bow. Simple, tasteful, and elegant. A Northeast traditional.	\$19.00		
	Holiday Keg Barrel Dark brown whiskey barrel decorated with a Spruce top, Cedar, Boxwood, White Pine, pinecones, holiday decorations, and a bow.	\$35.00		

ORDER TOTAL:

NAME:

PHONE:

If SPS family, student's name/grade:

Thank you for your support!

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Bobby Adamowicz	Patricia Gebhardt	Esther Ouellette
Jacob Ahlquist	Dominic Gionfriddo	Our Military
Gilda Alberti	Jennifer Gionfriddo	Anna Pac
Emilie Albert	Salvatore Gionfriddo	Emma Pagano
John Anderson	Rosemarie Gionfriddo	Judy Pappalardo
Jose Arcia	Judy Giove	Cynthia Paradise
Donna Baranowski	Liz Goryl-Phillips	Richard Paskiewicz
Zulma Barbien	Lenore Gourley	Ada Payamis
Lawrence Barker	Frank Grandone	John Pink
Theresa Baxter	Edward Grapes	Marilyn Puopolo
Dick Benson	Madison Gray	Care Rich
Don Benza	Grochal Family	Frank Rich
Wyatt Bernard	Linda Hannold	Rita Richter
Sue Besaw	Lily Harzewski-Burl	Randy Ripley
Rita Beaulieu	Tom Higgins	Steven Ripley
Peter Bocompani	Evan Hill	Carlos Rivera
David Borselle	Pat Jahn	Susana Rodreguez
Cheryl Brown	Gina Kahn	Susy Romero
Nancy Carlson	Barbara Killius	Lillian Rose
Richard Carlson	Evan Kimmel	Ed Rudnick
Silas Cipollone	Sylvia Kratka	Viola Salonia
Doug Clarke	Pamela Kulas	Joan Schwartz
Lorraine Clark	Wilma Kulas	Raul Seipel
Sophie Conti	John G. Kunitis, Sr.	Guy Simeone
Carol Corriveau	Mary Lamkins	Rev. Arkadiusz
Tom Coss	Maria Lauria	Skwarek
Arlene Cotrona	Mary Leinen	Carolyn Smith
Amanda Coyle	Laura Lemke	Jocelyn Soto
Janet Crossman	Connie Lombardi	Donald Spilka
Robert Czerwinski	Mary Jane Lynch	Kevin Stanowski
Mary Daleski	Ronald Maldon	James Swiatek
Martin Dagna	Lisa Mangiafico	Gabe Szczygla
Ramiro Dagna	Fr. Paul Mangiafico	Julia Szczygla
Uly Dagna	Carol Marold	Luke Szul
Maria DeFazio	Jackie Martin	Alfred J. Tee
Fr. Anthony	Janet Michaud	Andy Timbrell
DeFronzo	Robert Mazzaferro	Lois Ustanowski
Kathleen Deliman	Lorraine McCarthy	David A. Vandrilla
Bill Dobbs	Brandi McWade	Kathleen Vandrilla
Nicole Donzello	Luis Mendoza	Linda Vasquez
Nick Donzello	Viola Mercadante	Beverly Veley
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Josefina Fernandez	Michael Mihalko	Scott Veley
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WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Thank you for attending our October Registration Meeting.
We're happy that you have joined our
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Our next Registration Meeting is Monday, November 13th!

SINGERS WANTED!

Parents, **Does your child love to sing?**
We have just the place for that talent!
Children in Grades 1-8 are invited to
sing with our parish Children's Choir
called *Exultations*.



Rehearsals are on **Wednesday evenings** from 6:00-6:30 pm
in St. Paul Church. Our first rehearsal will be **October 18**.
(Note revised start date.)

To learn more or to sign up, scan the QR code
or visit <https://stpaulkensington.org/exultations>

If you have any questions, please contact
Cheryl Kramer-Tierney at 19ckt64@gmail.com



"ACTORS" WANTED! Parents, Children in Grades 3-8 are
invited to play a role in our Children's Nativity
Play on Sunday, December 17th for the very
special 800th Anniversary of Greccio!



Children will play roles of
Mary, Joseph, Wise Men, Angels and
Shepherds. Visit our Greccio page for all
the details and to sign up!

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Saturday, October 14

6:30am TMIY - SPH
 8:30am **Cross Country Meet**
 8:30am Confessions
 12:00pm Public Square Rosary - Parish Green
 3:00pm Confessions
 5:00pm 40 Days for Life Rosary - Parish Green

Sunday, October 15**Greenery Sale Begins**

7:45am Gr. 1-8 Rel Ed Session 1-SPS
 9:00am Children's Mass
 9:15am Gr. 1-8 Rel Ed Session 2-SPS
 10:45am Gr. 1-8 Rel Ed Session 3-SPS
 1:00pm **Open House for PK and Gr. K-8** ←
 1:15pm Eucharistic Minister Training - SPH
 1:15pm Baptisms
 6:00pm HH Working Session - SPH

Monday, October 16

8:45am Parish Staff Meeting
 3:00pm **Cross Country Practice**
 7:00pm Evangelization-Faith Formation
 7:00pm Social Action - PC2

Tuesday, October 17

8:15am **Gr 7 & 8 to SPCHS**
 8:45am **School Mass Gr. 3-5**
 4:00pm Holy Hour Adoration
 6:30pm Choir Rehearsal - PC LL
 6:30pm Baptism Prep Lesson

Wednesday, October 18**Early Dismissal**

1:00pm **Teacher Conferences**
 6:00pm Rosary at Sacred Heart
 6:00pm Exultations - SPC
 7:00pm Committee Youth, Family & Community
 7:00pm Investment Committee

Thursday, October 19

9:00am Quilters - SPH
 3:30pm **Teacher conferences**
 3:45pm **Cross Country Meet**
 6:00pm Wedding Rehearsal - SPC
 6:30pm Bereavement - SPH
 7:00pm RCIA - PC-1

PARISH CALENDAR

To make a prayer request through our **Daughters of Jairus Prayer Line**, 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 and the intention.

To receive our bulletin in your email every week, complete our simple online form at <https://stpaulkensington.org/our-bulletin>.



If you are interested in volunteering with our **Helping Hands** ministry which assists with the concerns of our senior parishioners, we would love to have you join us. Please contact Mark Duplin at 860-666-0162 or mfduplin@outlook.com.

NEW BRITAIN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN - The NBCCW will meet on Thursday, October 19 at 1:00pm in St. Jerome's Church. The meeting will feature Good Cause/Futures, Inc. This is an amazing organization and their presentation will astound you, so bring a friend or two. There will be a pop-up store at the end of the presentation (so bring some money) as well as a sampling of their baked goods for refreshments.

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The Pantry is currently in need of the following items:
Instant potatoes, stuffing, gravy, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes/yams, pie crusts/fillings, flour, misc. baking items.

Volunteers will transport food from St. Paul to Sacred Heart and set up for distribution on **Thursday, Oct. 26 at 9:30am**. Volunteers will also help with food distribution on **Fri., Oct. 27 at 11am** at Sacred Heart Church. For transportation to FoodShare at Sacred Heart, call the Berlin Senior Center 860-828-7006. For information regarding the St. Clare Food Pantry or FoodShare program including volunteering, contact Nancy at 860-601-7866 or n.timbrell@stpaulkensington.org.

Friday, October 20

Lyman Pie Sale Begins
 8:30am **MS to Science Center**
 11:30am Funeral +Patricia Hicks McLeod SH
 7:30pm AA Meeting - SPH

Saturday, October 21

6:30am TMIY - SPH
 8:30am Confessions
 11:30am Funeral +Aurigemma SHC
 1:30pm Wedding - Padykula/Svystun

3:00pm Confessions
 6:00pm **Trunk or Treat**

Sunday, October 22

9:00am **Confirmation classes**
 10:30am Children's Mass

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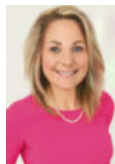
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