

## **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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# **St. Paul Catholic Parish**

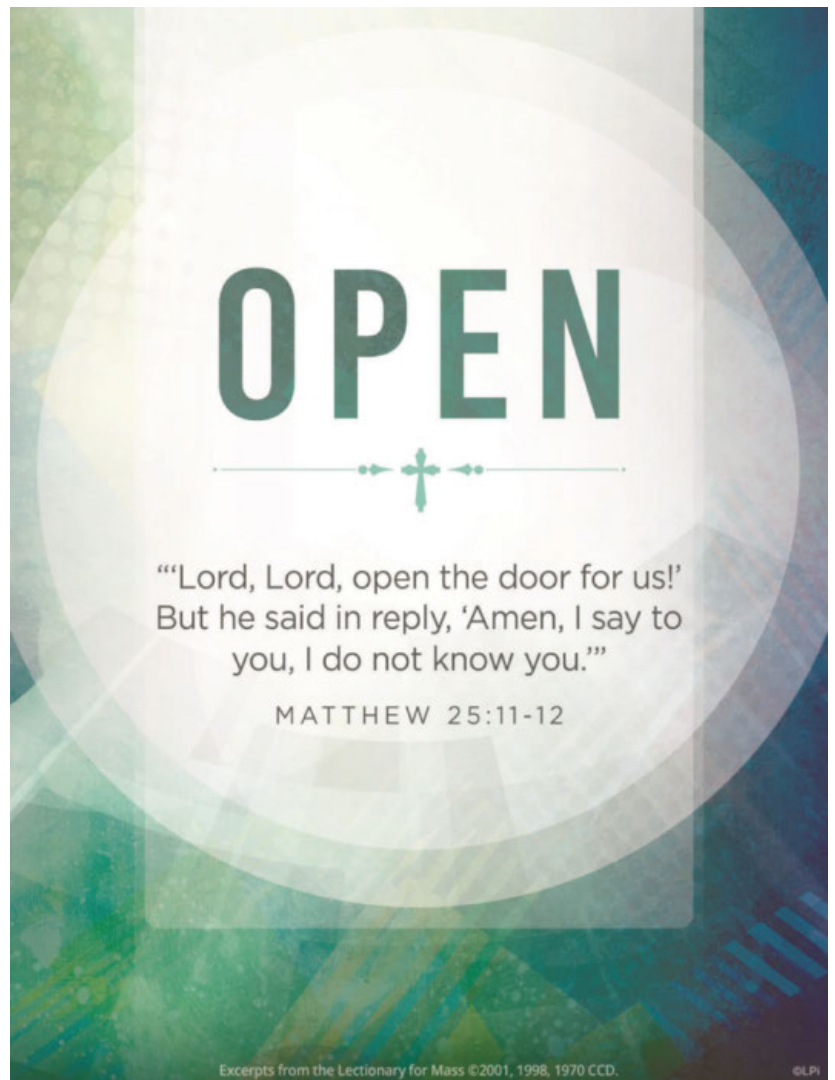
*A Franciscan Family of Faith*

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

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

November 12, 2023

*32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*



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

*-Pope Francis*

**Appreciation Reception Recap** - Two weeks ago the parish hosted over a 100 parishioners to share some food, drink and fellowship while acknowledging all of the good works that they had done throughout the year. God indeed blesses us with so many parishioners who are willing to share that most precious commodity, time, as well as a wide a variety of gifts. It is indeed in those moments that we best represent the one Body of Christ. Different gifts, different talents, but all in service of the one Body of Christ. My thanks goes out to the entire Pastoral Council for sponsoring and organizing this event. Special thanks to Mary Corrigan for chairing our Afternoon of Appreciation. I also want to recognize Michael's Catering of New Britain who handled the food and provided a delicious array of food.

**Readers and EMHC** - Congratulations and thanks to all our new and renewed Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) who are being formally commissioned at all of the Masses this weekend. In October we held a training and afternoon of renewal for our veteran Readers and EMHC and those who were new to these ministries. In the name of all of us I thank these parishioners for answering the Spirit's call to these ministries and sharing with all of us the gifts and talents that God has shared with them. This brings the total number of EMHC to 55 and Readers to 32.

**Anointing of the Sick** - Last weekend about 274 people received the Sacrament of the Sick after all of the Masses. While we were happy to share the grace of this Sacrament with so many, know that the priests are always available to anoint when needed. If you know you are going in for major surgery either call the parish office or see a priest after Mass if you need to be anointed. If a loved one has become weaker or advanced in illness or has been newly diagnosed do not wait to call for a priest to come and anoint you or a loved one. **It is best for the sacrament to be administered while the person being anointed can participate in the rite. Recall too that if someone is admitted to the hospital the family has to inform us since the hospitals do not share that information because of HIPAA regulations.**

**Lighting of the Advent Wreath** - Advent begins in three weeks on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. At the beginning of each weekend Mass we will light the candles on our Advent Wreath. Once again this year we would like to invite parishioners to participate in the lighting of the Advent Wreath. This is open to everyone. We especially encourage families with children to participate. This will be done at each weekend Mass for all four Sundays of Advent. You may sign up online or by stopping in the sacristy before or after Mass. The signup link is posted on the main page of our website.

**Charity Starts at Home** - If you know of a family in the parish or in the neighborhood who is in need of help please let us know. You can put their name and address on a piece of paper and drop it off at the office or put it in the collection basket or mail it in to the parish office.

**Angel Giving Tree** - The Angel Giving Tree will be set up before Masses next weekend (Nov. 18/19). You are invited to take an angel(s) from the tree and buy the item(s) listed so that the recipient(s) will be able to share a bit of joy in receiving a gift at Christmas that they would not otherwise receive. This outreach to the less fortunate is part of the good work that our Social Action Ministry undertakes. A small tree will also be set up at Sacred Heart. Sacred Heart Church is open for private prayer on Sundays from 8 am to 12 pm, Wednesdays from 5:00 to 8:15 pm, Fridays from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm, and on Saturdays from 9:00 to 11:00 am. There will also be some angels on line as of November 19<sup>th</sup>. All gifts need to be received by December 10.

**Thanksgiving Schedule** - The Parish Center office will be closed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (Nov. 22-24) for the Thanksgiving holiday. There will be one Mass Thanksgiving Day at 9 am and one Mass the day after Thanksgiving at 8am.

**7<sup>th</sup> Annual Lighting of the Parish Green** - This year's Lighting of the Parish Green will be Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> following the 4 pm Mass. The form for the Luminaries is in the bulletin. So please join in the festivities that will include the walkways lighted with the luminaries, carols, complimentary cookies and hot chocolate, and of course the Lighting of the Green, Manger Scene and the Christmas tree. In order for your luminary to be printed in the program it must be received by November 27. See page 6 for all of the info you need!

**Greccio 800 - Save the Date** - This year we celebrate the 800<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first re-enactment by St. Francis of the first Christmas in the little town of Greccio in Italy. To celebrate this momentous occasion a group of staff and parishioners having been planning a very special rendition of Greccio on Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup> beginning at 4 pm. Live animals and a young parish family will represent the Holy Family and much more. The parish Christmas Concert will also be part of the program that evening.

**Italian Night Dinner** - There will be more to share at a later date when a full accounting can be given, but for this week a hearty thank you to the committee led by Betty Lasker and Lynn Misteri for a hearty meal and enjoyable time. The gym was full with just over 200 people in attendance. This was the last of the parish events that had been effected by COVID to get back up and running.

## INTENTIONS



**†Richard John Paskiewicz**

**†Donald Spilka**

**†Paula Yolanda Rueda Zuniga**

*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.

<b>Parish Collection</b> Oct. 25-Nov. 6, 2023	In Church SP	\$ 9,373
	Office	\$ 1,519
	In Church SH	\$ 533
	Online Giving	\$ 5,499
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 16,924</b>

### 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](mailto:ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org).

### 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, November 11, 2023 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 **†Ken Stokowski** Birthday Remembrance by Frauendorf family and Alphonse Daddio

Sunday, November 12, 2023 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 **Parishioners of Saint Paul Parish**

9:00 **†Deceased Members**

**Knights of Columbus Council 3674**

9:30 **†All Souls' Novena**

10:30 **†Paul Holmes** by aunt Grace

12:00 **†Eleanor Salonia** 14th Anniversary by family

Monday, November 13, 2023 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

7:00 **†All Souls' Novena**

6:30 **†School Memorial Mass -**

**Deceased of Saint Paul School**

Tuesday, November 14, 2023 Weekday

7:00 **Hubbard and Sylvester Families**

by John G. Hubbard family

**†Richard and †Catherine Binder** by a friend

**John and Jeanne Wischenbart**

50th Wedding Anniversary by Barbara Simpson

**†Antoinette Pandolfi** by Vincene Aquilato

**†Michael Lamoureux** by Idjadi family

8:45 **†Gladys and †Stephen Choluj** by Sophia Choluj

5:00 **†Cirila Gomes** by family

Wednesday, November 15, 2023 St. Albert the Great

7:00 **Living Friars, Families, Friends and**

**Benefactors of the Friars**

5:00 **†Raymond Prey** 4th Anniversary by sister, Marjorie

Thursday, November 16, 2023 St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude

7:00 **Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life**

5:00 **†Paul F. Messina** by Debbie Slowikowski

**†Messina and †D'Angelo Families**

by Adeline D'Angelo and family

**†Maria Lombardo** by Emanuele Lombardo

**John Nappi, Jr.** by wife

**†Souls in Purgatory** by John and Linda Nappi, Jr.

Friday, November 17, 2023 St. Elizabeth of Hungary

7:00 **†Maryann Dorsey and †Edward Dorsey, Jr.** by Ron

5:00 **†Stella Pacyna** by Oblon family

Saturday, November 18, 2023 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 **†Nancy Dannahey** Birthday Remembrance

by daughter and family

Sunday, November 19, 2023 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

9:00 **†Louis Miller** by Melissa and Dean

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

10:30 **†Ray Kramer** Wedding Anniversary Remembrance

by wife Irene and family

12:00 **†RoseMary Chapple** by Theresa Zovich and family

**Reminder:** Our friars will be happy to visit you or your loved one in the hospital if you kindly send us a request. Call 860-828-0331 or email [ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org).



**Final Thoughts** - When your team (insert Orioles) loses in the playoffs to the team that wins it all (Rangers) you feel a tiny bit better. Consider this baseball oddity. The Ranger franchise started out as the Washington Senators in 1961 as an expansion team following the Senators move to the Twin Cities at the end of the 1960 season. The only WS title ever won by Washington until then was in 1924. It was 63 years later when the Minnesota Twins won its first WS in 1987. This year was the first WS title won by the Rangers in their 63<sup>rd</sup> year in existence. The NFL season is at the half way point. Six teams have six or more wins (BAL, DET, JAX, KC,



MIA, and PHI). Will they all make the playoffs? Are the Super Bowl teams in that mix? There are nine teams with five wins. NFL parity prevails. Have a blessed week everyone! - Fr. Joe



## "COFFEE AND"



Our Pastoral Council will host "Coffee And" gatherings on the following dates:

- Sacred Heart Church Hall after the 9:30am Mass on [November 12th](#).
- St. Paul Church Hall after the 10:30 am Children's Mass on [November 19th](#).

\*Please note there is no Coffee And on Sunday, Dec. 10. The Knights will host Breakfast with Santa on Dec. 10th!

## READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK, NOVEMBER 19, 2023

For readings online, visit

<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/111923.cfm>

**First Reading:** Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

*Blessed are those who fear the Lord.*

**Second Reading:** 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6

**Alleluia:** John 15:4a, 5b

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

*Remain in me as I remain in you, says the Lord.*

*Whoever remains in me bears much fruit.*

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

**Gospel:** Matthew 25:14-30

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "A man going on a journey called in his servants and entrusted his possessions to them. To one he gave five talents; to another, two; to a third, one-- to each according to his ability. Then he went away. Immediately the one who received five talents went and traded with them, and made another five. Likewise, the one who received two made another two. But the man who received one went off and dug a hole in the ground and buried his master's money. "After a long time the master of those servants came back and settled accounts with them. The one who had received five talents came forward bringing the additional five. He said, 'Master, you gave me five talents. See, I have made five more.' His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.' Then the one who had received two talents also came forward and said, 'Master, you gave me two talents. See, I have made two more.' His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.' Then the one who had received the one talent came forward and said, 'Master, I knew you were a demanding person, harvesting where you did not plant and gathering where you did not scatter; so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground. Here it is back.' His master said to him in reply, 'You wicked, lazy servant! So you knew that I harvest where I did not plant and gather where I did not scatter? Should you not then have put my money in the bank so that I could have got it back with interest on my return? Now then! Take the talent from him and give it to the one with ten. For to everyone who has, more will be given and he will grow rich; but from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away. And throw this useless servant into the darkness outside, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.'"

## SAINT PAUL SCHOOL NEWS

### 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](mailto:admissions@stpaulkensington.org).

Our 4th and 5th grade students held an All Souls' Day prayer service and tribute to loved ones who passed away. Father Michael came to pray with the students.



Congratulations to Ruby Kuselias, one of our 8th grade students, for taking first place in the Girls East "B" Race at the Middle School State Cross Country Championship!!

Way to go, Ruby! National Junior Honor Society students met with Mrs. Mokhiber & Mrs. Hagist. Lots of great work being done!



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Jen Jurgen and Imelda Mongillo took a few moments during their 1st year Confirmation class on November 5 to recognize one type of hero - our Veterans. The students wrote some incredibly heartfelt, kind, and appreciative messages to thank and encourage our Veterans. Tina Doyle, Berlin Senior Center Director, made use of these beautiful cards at her annual Veterans Day breakfast at the senior center last week.



*Thank you*



Father Joe held our littlest parishioners' Attention during the Children's Mass last Sunday, November 5 at the 9 am Mass.



Religious Ed Administrative Assistant Position Available  
Details on our website!





## LIGHTING OF THE PARISH GREEN

You are cordially invited to join us at the  
Seventh Annual  
Ceremonial Lighting of the Parish Green

Saturday, December 2, 2023  
Immediately following the 4:00 pm Mass

For those who wish to honor or remember a loved one, you have the option to purchase a luminary printed with your special message. Purchase your luminary online at <https://ourschool.stpaulkensington.org/lighting-of-the-parish-green> or by completing the form below.

*Examples:*

"In memory of Mary B. Smith" "Peace on Earth" "In Honor of Grandpa Bill"

### ORDER YOUR LUMINARY TODAY

*One message per luminary Please print clearly within box(es) below - space on bags is limited*

Please light a luminary (\$10) for...

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# Luminaries at \$10 each: \_\_\_\_\_ Total amount enclosed: \$\_\_\_\_\_ cash / check payable to Saint Paul School

Your name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

A community celebration will include the Blessing of the Manger, Lighting of the Parish Green, and Christmas Carols along with complimentary hot chocolate and cookies.

- \* The event will occur "snow or shine". Please remember to dress warmly!
- \* In the event of inclement weather the lights will go on, but festivities may be moved indoors.
- \* Proceeds will benefit the Saint Paul Community (school and parish).

Please return this form and payment to the Parish Office, Saint Paul School, or place it in the offertory basket at Mass **by Nov. 27, 2023.**

*Luminary orders that are accepted after the above deadline may not be listed in the printed program.*

Luminary orders can also be placed online by scanning this QR code: ➡



On Sunday, November 12 at the 9am Mass, the Msgr. Thomas L. Greylish Council of the Knights of Columbus will remember our departed Brother Knights:



† Michael A Nowek  
† Henry T Kobylarz  
† Richard Rampone  
† Gervasio "Jerry" Bassola  
† John J Conti  
† Robert Smith  
† Frederick Peterson, Jr

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

The regular monthly meeting of the Council will take place this Wednesday, November 15, at 7:00 pm in the St Paul Church Hall. Members are encouraged to arrive early for refreshments and fellowship before the meeting.

All Catholic men, age 18 and older, are welcome to join the Knights of Columbus. Please contact the Grand Knight for more information.

Bud Volz, Grand Knight  
budvolz@comcast.net  
860-681-8355

## POSTER CONTEST

The Knights of Columbus will once again sponsor their "Keep Christ in Christmas" Poster Contest!



The contest has three age divisions:

- Age 5-7 (K-2)
- Age 8-10 (Grades 3-5)
- Age 11-14 (Grade 6-8)

Visit our website for details and for entry forms.

Deadline is December 3, 2023.

## SAVE THE DATE

The Knights of Columbus will host their annual Breakfast with Santa in the Saint Paul School gym on **Sunday, December 10th!** Save the date and start making your list! More details coming soon.



## REMINDERS!



- \* **Greenery Pickup** will take place on **Wednesday, November 29** on the Parish Green from 2pm-6pm.
- \* **Lighting of the Green** **Saturday, December 2** following 4pm Mass
- \* **800th Anniversary Greccio Special Event!** **Sunday, December 17** beginning at 4pm  
*Plans are well underway for this very special evening! Live nativity, Christmas concert, children's nativity play, and so much more!*

## ALTAR SERVER TRAINING—POSTPONED

Please note that the Training for new Altar Servers which was scheduled for November 16 has been postponed. Our new Youth Minister, Joshua Kay, is still in transition as he is moving from out of state. He is expected to be fully settled into the new position in December, so it was decided to wait until that time to hold the training. Please keep an eye out for an email with the new date. Thanks again to all of our altar servers for all you do to help the parish!

*All Children of the parish who are in 4th grade and up who have been Baptized and received 1st Communion are invited to join our Altar Server Ministry!*

Sign up online at <https://stpaulkensington.org/altar-servers>.

Hello,

*I wanted to express my thanks to the church for once again generously sending me a college care package. It was a joy to open the care package this morning and read the letter from Father Joe and Landon, an 8th-grade confirmation student. I also truly appreciate the addition of the prayer booklet and rosary to this year's care package.*

*Please share with Landon the following message in response to his letter:*

*Landon, your letter made my day. College is going well and often is very fun, as I have scored well on my mid-term exams. Like you, Landon, I also like watching football and baseball as I am a fan of both the Dallas Cowboys and New York Yankees. I wish you all the best as you finish eighth grade. Take care.*

*Once again, thank you to the church and those who were involved with the packing and distribution of these care packages.*

God bless,  
Mason Michaud  
Bryant University Class of 2026

## QUILT RAFFLE!

It's that time of year!

The St. Paul Quilters will be holding their annual Christmas Raffle with ticket sales opening this weekend, Nov. 11/12.



Each year our Quilters Group makes a special Christmas Quilt along with some other seasonal items. Since many parishioners purchased tickets in the past hoping to win the ONE Christmas quilt, the Quilters decided to make FOUR CHRISTMAS QUILTS this year for the raffle. Each quilt has a unique design. Tickets will be sold after all Masses including Sacred Heart in East Berlin on the following dates:

- ◇ November 11/12
- ◇ November 18/19
- ◇ November 25/26 and
- ◇ December 2/3.

Tickets will also be available online.



The Raffle drawing will be conducted on Wednesday, December 6. at the Ladies' Guild Christmas Party. Thank you for your support!

**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.



## ANGEL TREES 2023

Our annual Angel Trees will be up next weekend, [November 18/19](#), in both St. Paul and Sacred Heart Churches.

All are invited to take an Angel (or a few) from the tree, purchase the gift noted on the back of the Angel, and return the gift (with the Angel attached) by [Dec. 10th](#).



This year, in addition to angels on the tree, there will be 'baby booties' as well. Gifts noted on the booties will be distributed to women facing crisis pregnancies who receive help from Underground New England, a grass-roots initiative dedicated to ending sex trafficking and sexual exploitation throughout New England.

The Angel Tree Project will also support the Boxes to Boots organization again this year. Parishioners are invited to purchase \$25 Amazon gift cards for this charity. Printable angels to accompany the gift cards can be found online.

More details will be in next week's bulletin and are posted on our website: <https://stpaulkensington.org/angel-tree>

Questions may be directed to Joan Baker, from the Social Action Ministry, at [jmb7000@comcast.net](mailto:jmb7000@comcast.net).

**NBCCW HOLIDAY LUNCH** The New Britain Council of Catholic Women will hold its Holiday lunch on Thursday, Nov. 30 at 1pm at St. Jerome's in New Britain. The catered lunch will cost \$20. Please RSVP to Sylvia or Stasia Rulkowski at 860-225-6185. A headcount is needed by Nov. 16th. Feel free to bring a friend. Optional grab bag.



## St. Paul Ladies' Guild Christmas Banquet

Wednesday, December 6, 2023

St. Paul Church Hall

Social Hour 5:30-6:30pm    Buffet Dinner 6:30pm

Cost \$25.00 per person

Wear your favorite ugly Christmas sweater or something red or green!  
Receive a raffle ticket for every pair of socks you donate.  
Socks to benefit the Friendship Center.

Please tear off and submit this form with your payment by November 22. Drop off in church basket or at the Parish Center.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ I would like a ride to the Christmas Banquet.

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ I will bring a gift for the door prizes.



## PARISH PRAYER LIST

Bobby Adamowicz	Patricia Gebhardt	Arlene O'Neill
Jacob Ahlquist	Dominic Gionfriddo	Esther Ouellette
Gilda Alberti	Jennifer Gionfriddo	Our Military
Emilie Albert	Salvatore Gionfriddo	Anna Pac
John Anderson	Rosemarie Gionfriddo	Emma Pagano
Jose Arcia	Judy Giove	Judy Pappalardo
Donna Baranowski	Liz Goryl-Phillips	Cynthia Paradise
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	Wilma Kulas	Joan Schwartz
Lorraine Clark	John G. Kunitis, Sr.	Raul Seipel
Sophie Conti	Mary Lamkins	Guy Simeone
Carol Corriveau	Maria Lauria	Rev. Arkadiusz
Tom Coss	Ray LeClair	Skwarek
Arlene Cotrona	Mary Leinen	Carolyn Smith
Amanda Coyle	Laura Lemke	Jocelyn Soto
Janet Crossman	Lorenzo Leone	Kevin Stanowski
Robert Czerwinski	Connie Lombardi	James Swiatek
Mary Daleski	Mary Jane Lynch	Gabe Szczygla
Martin Dagna	Ronald Maldon	Julia Szczygla
Ramiro Dagna	Lisa Mangiafico	Luke Szul
Uly Dagna	Fr. Paul Mangiafico	Alfred J. Tee
Maria DeFazio	Carol Marold	Andy Timbrell
Fr. Anthony	Jackie Martin	David A. Vandrilla
DeFronzo	Janet Michaud	Kathleen Vandrilla
Kathleen Deliman	Robert Mazzaferro	Linda Vasquez
Bill Dobbs	Lorraine McCarthy	Beverly Veley
Nicole Donzello	Brandi McWade	Brian Veley
Nick Donzello	Luis Mendoza	Scott Veley
Judith Doyle	Viola Mercadante	Tom Vest
Josefina Fernandez	Janet Michaud	Louise Webb
Bill Filomena	Michael Mihalko	Thaddeus Wojtusik
Simon Fitzpatrick	Tom Modifica	Mary Ann Watrous
Helen Flannelly	Sam & Esther Motta	Miriam Zacharias
Nancy Fleming	Nancy Motulko	Carrie Zangari
Deb Follett	Cheryl Murphy	Eliana Zorrilla
Michael Frakel	John Murphy	Foster Zucchi
Maureen Freeman	Helen Murphy	
John Frigeri	Robert Namnoum	
Janet Galasso	Candace Nguyen	
Rose Garuti	Thomas Norris	

**PARISH PRAYER LIST** Please call the Parish Office if you would like to add someone to our Prayer List or to let us know that someone's name can be removed. Call 860-828-0331 (Monday-Friday 9am-4pm.) Please also be sure to ask for permission from the person to be added. Thank you.



Thank you again to Archbishop Coyne, the new Coadjutor Archbishop of Hartford, for visiting our parish last weekend. If you missed it, visit our Livestream page to view the Nov. 4th Vigil Mass.

## FOODSHARE ST. CLARE FOOD PANTRY & MOBILE FOODSHARE

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, Dec. 7 at 9:30am**. Volunteers will also help with food distribution on **Fri., Dec. 8 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](mailto:n.timbrell@stpaulkensington.org).

*Note: There will be no FoodShare distribution on Nov. 24, the Friday after Thanksgiving.*



*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](mailto:mfduplin@outlook.com).*



To make a prayer request through our **Daughters of Jaius 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.

**Saturday, November 11**

6:30am TMIY - SPH  
 8:30am Confessions  
 10:00am Funeral - +Spilka  
 3:00pm Confessions



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**Sunday, November 12**

Middle School Science Fair (Sun. through Wed. – Gym)

7:45am Gr. 1-8 Rel Ed Session 1-SPS  
 9:15am Gr. 1-8 Rel Ed Session 2-SPS  
 10:00am K of C Coffee And - SPH  
 10:45am Gr. 1-8 Rel Ed Session 3-SPS

**Monday, November 13**

8:45am Parish Staff Meeting  
 11:30am Funeral  
 12:00pm 13th of the Month Rosary  
 5:00pm NO Mass  
 6:30pm Alumni Memorial Mass  
 7:00pm Registration New Members

**Tuesday, November 14**

8:45am School Mass Gr. K-2  
 1:00pm Prayer Shawl Ministry SPH  
 4:00pm Holy Hour Adoration  
 6:30pm Confirmation Conversations  
 6:30pm Choir Rehearsal - PC LL  
 7:00pm Parish Community Outreach  
 7:00pm Social Action - SPH

**Wednesday, November 15**

End of Trimester 1

3:15pm Mock Trial practice  
 3:30pm SPS Dev./Adv. Meeting  
 4:00pm Spiritual Life Committee  
 4:30pm Science Fair Awards/Pick Up  
 6:00pm Rosary at Sacred Heart  
 6:00pm Exultations - SPC  
 6:30pm K of C Council Meeting  
 6:30pm Greccio Meeting

**Thursday, November 16**

9:00am Quilters - SPH  
 3:00pm Boys JVB Basketball Practice  
 4:30pm Girls JV Basketball Practice  
 5:30pm Benefactor's Reception  
 6:00pm Girls Varsity Basketball  
 7:00pm RCIA - PC-1

**PARISH  
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**Friday, November 17**

8:30am Coffee Hour in  
Library  
 3:00pm CoEd JVC Red  
Basketball  
 4:30pm CoEd JVC Gold  
Basketball  
 6:00pm Boys Varsity  
Practice  
 7:30pm AA Meeting

**Saturday, November 18**

6:30am Men's Group  
 8:30am Confessions  
 10:00am Social Action  
Angel Tree Setup

**Sunday, November 19**

3:00pm Confessions  
 9:00am 1st & 2nd Yr  
Confirmation  
classes-SPS  
 1:15pm Baptisms  
 2:00pm Confirmation  
Conversations

**Saint Paul School Mass of Remembrance**

A special Mass and Reception to remember and pay tribute to our beloved alumni who have passed away will be held on  
**Monday, November 13**  
 at 6:30 pm in Saint Paul Church.

All are welcome to attend.

Please kindly RSVP to Denise Nowakowski  
 d.nowakowski@stpaulkensington.org  
 (860) 828-4343 Ext. 111

You may also RSVP online:



<https://ourschool.stpaulkensington.org/2023-alumni-mass-of-remembrance>

**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. Finished items can be placed in the bins located downstairs near the elevator at St. Paul Church. Visit <https://theundergroundne.org> for details about Underground NE, a faith-based, non-profit dedicated to ending sex trafficking and sexual exploitation in CT and beyond.

**FRANCISCAN FAIR** The Annual Franciscan Christmas Fair

is Saturday, November 18, 2023, 9:30 am to 2:30 pm on the campus of the Franciscan Life Center, 271 Finch Ave., Meriden. Franciscan breads, honey, pottery, food, hand-crafted items, Merry Miscellaneous; fresh cut Christmas trees, raffles, children's arts and crafts, and a wonderful Living Crèche. You will not want to miss it! For details, visit: <https://flcenter.org/event/franciscan-christmas-fair-3/>

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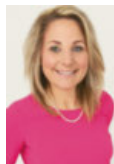
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