

# St. Paul the Apostle

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Lenten Day of Recollection at  
St. Paul's the Apostle Parish

**SATURDAY  
MARCH  
27TH**  
9:30AM TO 1:30PM

COST: \$15  
(Lunch Included)

**Act justly. Love mercy.  
Walk with the Lord.**  
Micah 6:8

## OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Paul the Apostle Parish is a community committed to celebrating and communicating the life and spirit of Jesus by word and action. Together with the Archbishop, it strives to build a living, caring and evangelizing church. The parishioners commit themselves to this mission by the sharing of their time, talent and treasure for the benefit of all in the community.

## Parishioner Registration

To better serve you and your family, please consider becoming a registered member of our community at St. Paul the Apostle. Simply fill in (name, address, phone & email) and drop it off or mail it to the rectory.

Para servirle mejor a usted y a su familia, considere convertirse en un miembro registrado de nuestra comunidad en St. Paul the Apostle. Simplemente complete el registro (nombre, dirección, teléfono & email) y déjelo o envíelo por correo a la rectoría.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone & Email \_\_\_\_\_

## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

### SUNDAYS

8:00 AM, 10:00 AM (Spanish), 11:00 AM (at St. Ann's Nursing Home), 12:00 PM

### MONDAY - FRIDAY

7:00 AM, 8:30 AM - Convent Chapel

### SATURDAY

8:30 AM - Convent Chapel  
5:00 PM (Sunday Vigil)

### HOLY DAYS of OBLIGATION

7:00AM, 8:30 AM, 12:00 NOON & 7:00 PM  
CIVIC HOLIDAYS: 8:30 AM in Church

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM or any time by appointment.

### OTHER SACRAMENTS

For information regarding BAPTISMS, R.C.I.A., HOLY MATRIMONY, RELIGIOUS EDUCATION, AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK, please visit our website or call us at the rectory phone number.

Para obtener información sobre BAUTISMOS, R.I.C.A., MATRIMONIO, EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA Y UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS, visite nuestro sitio web o llámenos al número de teléfono de la rectoría.

**Rev. Thomas Thottungal**

*Pastor Emeritus*

**Rev. Joseph Furnaguera**

*Temporary Administrator*

**Dcn. Frank Gonzalez**

*Permanent Deacon*

**Joanne Gorman**, *Pastoral Associate*

**Susan Loricchio**, *Director of Music Ministry*

**Placido Constanza**, *Spanish Choir*

**Nydia Rodriguez**, *Parish Secretary*

**Alba Cuadra, Vanessa DeVillava** *RCIA Team*

**Lillian Arroyo**, *Liturgy Coordinator*

**Evelyn Gonzalez, Frank Falcicchio**, *Parish Trustees*

**Teddy Isada** - *Finance Committee Chair*

**George Miller** - *Adult Altar Servers Minister*

**Lourdes DeVillava** - *Healing & Deliverance*

**Fran McCarthy**, *Special Education Minister*

**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM - 4:00PM, Saturday: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Please call to make an appointment with a priest.

**Rectory: 201-433-8500**

**Email: stpauljc@aol.com**

**FAX: 201-433-9886**

## **Daily Mass Intentions- Week of March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021**

### **Saturday, March 20,**

8:30AM (L) Joseph Tombol Birthday (Rosi Reyes)

5:00PM Mary Elizabeth Barnes (Russel Whipple)

### **Sunday, March 21, (Fifth Sunday of Lent)**

8:00AM Jean McDermott (James McDermott)

10:00AM (SP) Carmen Milagros Rivera (Nydia and Family)

11:00AM (St. Ann's) St. Joseph (Marilyn & Thomas Carney)

12:00NN Suzanne Galasso (Victor & Kathy Feniello)

### **Monday, March 22,**

7:00AM Sr. Theresia Maria, CSJ

8:30AM Debra Olsen (Joanne Gorman)

### **Tuesday, March 23, (St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop)**

7:00AM Fr. John Grinsell

8:30AM Kathy Figueroa New Home Blessings (Joanne Gorman)

### **Wednesday, March 24**

7:00AM Msgr. Jim Finnerty

8:30AM Msgr James Finnerty (Isada Family)

### **Thursday, March 25, (The Annunciation Of The Lord)**

7:00AM Msgr. James Finnerty (St. Paul Parish)

8:30AM Monica Saladino (Letty Saladino)

### **Friday, March 26,**

7:00AM Msgr. James Finnerty (St. Paul Parish)

8:30AM Gaspar Clacer (Benedicta Santos)

10:00AM (St. Ann's) Msgr. James Finnerty

### **Saturday, March 27,**

8:30AM (L) Carmine Lancellotti (Gorman Family)

5:00PM Rogelio F. Kindica (Teresita Kindica)

### **Sunday, March 28, (Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord)**

8:00AM Milagros P. Cunanan (Ocfemia Family)

10:00AM Narcisa Garcia (Children)

11:00AM (St. Ann's) Margaret M. Lucas (Marilyn & Thomas Carney)

12:00NN Carol Bullock (Gillette Family)

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### **Weekly Collection**

\$3,872

Repairs \$104

2021 Annual Appeal \$2,393 (Goal \$16,441)

Thank you for your generous contributions to  
our parish and to our Archdiocese.

Sanctuary Candle for week of March 21

In Memory of **Bob Weinel**

Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 21, 2021

At the 10am Spanish Mass and at the 12pm English Mass we will be celebrating the Scrutinies of those who are to receive the sacraments this Easter. Normally there are three scrutinies during the season of Lent for those who are to be baptized, but due to the pandemic we are only celebrating one this year. During this ritual, the entire community is invited to pray over these candidates. Our prayers are then reinforced with a prayer of exorcism, and the elect are called to enter a deep examination of their lives in these weeks leading up to the sacraments. The scrutinies are basically spiritual preparations for the encounter with Jesus through the saving grace of baptism. Even though these rituals are intended for the elect, we are all invited during this time approaching Easter to enter a deeper search for meaning, faith, repentance, and conversion. Our conversion is never complete. God is infinite and our search for God is never over no

matter how much we think we know about Jesus. Following Jesus is an adventure. He will lead us to places we never thought we could go and show us things that we never thought we would understand. The human soul is limitless because it is made in God's own image.

Let's accompany those who are being scrutinized today with our prayers. But, let us also scrutinize ourselves, and find ways to enter more deeply into the love of Christ.

God Bless you,  
Fr. Joseph Furnaguera

*En la misa en español de las 10 am y en la misa en inglés de las 12 pm estaremos celebrando los escrutinios de aquellos que van a recibir los sacramentos esta Pascua. Normalmente hay tres escrutinios durante la temporada de Cuaresma para los que se van a ser bautizado, pero debido a la pandemia solo estamos celebrando uno este año. Durante este ritual, se invita a toda la comunidad a rezar por estos candidatos. Nuestras oraciones se refuerzan luego con una oración de exorcismo, y los elegidos son llamados a entrar en un examen profundo de sus vidas en estas semanas previas a los sacramentos. Los escrutinios son básicamente preparativos espirituales para el encuentro con Jesús a través de la gracia salvadora del bautismo. Aunque estos rituales están destinados a los elegidos, todos estamos invitados durante este tiempo que se acerca a la Pascua a entrar en una búsqueda más profunda de propósito, fe, arrepentimiento y conversión. Nuestra conversión nunca está completa. Dios es infinito y nuestra búsqueda de Dios nunca termina, no importa cuánto creamos saber acerca de Jesús. Seguir a Jesús es una aventura. Él nos llevará a lugares a los que nunca pensamos que podríamos ir y nos mostrará cosas que nunca pensamos que entenderíamos. El alma humana no tiene límites porque está hecha a la imagen de Dios.*

*Acompañemos a los que hoy están siendo escudriñados con nuestras oraciones. Pero, escudriñémonos también a nosotros mismos, y encontremos formas de entrar más profundamente en el amor de Cristo.*

*Dios les bendiga,  
P. Joseph*

### **Lenten Day of Recollection**

On Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup> we will be hosting a Lenten Day of Recollection from 9:30am-1:30pm. There will be speakers in English and Spanish, Praise and Worship, and lunch. The cost to register is \$15 per person. Space is limited due to Coronavirus restrictions. Please register by calling the rectory.

### **Día de Retiro de Cuaresma**

*El sábado 27 de marzo organizaremos un Día de Retiro de Cuaresma de 9 am a 1 pm. Habrá charlas en inglés y español, alabanza y adoración y almuerzo. El costo de registro es de \$15 por persona. El espacio es limitado debido a las restricciones de Coronavirus. Regístrese llamando a la rectoría.*

### **Lenten Penance Service**

We will have a Lenten Penance Service on Thursday March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. Please make plans to attend and organize rides as it is an important Lenten practice to confess our sins at least once during this special time of year.

### **Servicio de penitencia cuaresmal**

*Tendremos un servicio de penitencia de Cuaresma el jueves 25 de marzo a las 7 pm. Haga planes para asistir y organizar su visita, ya que es una práctica importante de Cuaresma confesar nuestros pecados al menos una vez durante esta época especial del año.*

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Every Thursdays in the Church from 7:00 to 8:00 PM. Confessions will be available. Let us pray for the end of the Coronavirus as well as our families, parish and country.

### **Adoración Eucarística**

*Todos los jueves de 7:00 a 8:00PM. Oremos por el fin del Coronavirus, así como por nuestras familias, parroquia y país.*

**The Scholarship Fund for Inner-City Children** is inviting all families who are considering enrolling their children in a Catholic school within the Archdiocese to apply for a partial tuition grant. The application is online at [sficnj.org](http://sficnj.org). Go to the Parent/Student portal and follow the instructions. Eligibility and income requirements are located on the website. You have until April 30, 2021 to apply and complete the application. Call SFIC at 973-497-4283 if you have any questions. Thank you.

*El Fondo de Becas para Niños del Centro de la Ciudad invita a todas las familias que estén considerando inscribir a sus hijos en una escuela católica dentro de la Arquidiócesis a solicitar una beca de matrícula parcial. La solicitud está en línea en [sficnj.org](http://sficnj.org). Vaya al portal de Padres / Estudiantes y siga las instrucciones. Los requisitos de elegibilidad e ingresos se encuentran en el sitio web. Tiene hasta el 30 de abril de 2021 para solicitar y completar la solicitud. Llame a SFIC al 973-497-4283 si tiene alguna pregunta. Gracias.*

“Let the Church always be a place of mercy and hope, where everyone is welcomed, loved, and forgiven.”  
(Pope Francis)

So many are suffering from the effects of abortion. Where can they heal? Where can they feel safe and loved?

**The Archdiocese of Newark Respect Life Office will be hosting two upcoming Rachel’s Vineyard retreats to heal the wounds from abortion.**

Retreat dates are May 14-16, 2021 (English) and April 23-25, 2021 (Spanish).

Contact the Respect Life Office for more details by calling 973-497-4350 (Spanish option 2) or e-mail

[Cheryl.riley@rcan.org](mailto:Cheryl.riley@rcan.org) (English)

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**La Oficina de Respeto a la Vida de la Arquidiócesis de Newark organizará dos próximos retiros de Rachel’s Vineyard para curar las heridas del aborto.**

Las fechas de retiro son del 14 al 16 de mayo de 2021 (inglés) y del 23 al 25 de abril de 2021 (español).

Comuníquese con la Oficina de Respeto a la Vida para obtener más detalles llamando al 973-497-4350 (opción 2 en español)

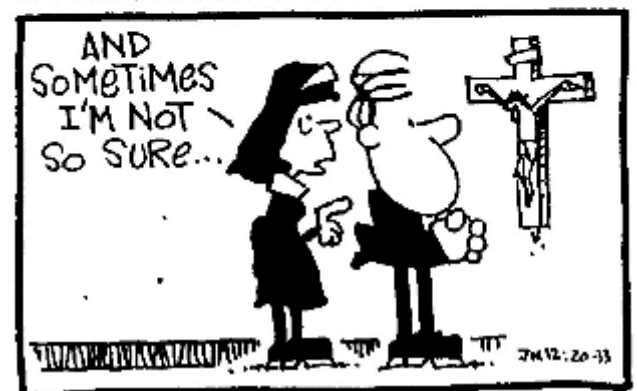
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“He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.” (Psalm 147:3)

5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT





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