

St. Paul the Apostle

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
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3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER

Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures. And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day." - Lk 24:45-46

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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

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Rev. Joseph Furnaguera

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Dcn. Frank Gonzalez

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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 April 18, 2021

Saturday, April 17,

8:30AM Msgr. Charles W. Gusmer (St. Paul The Apostle Parish)

5:00PM. Domingo Pingol Jr. (Ocfemia Family)

Sunday, April 18, (Third Sunday of Easter)

8:00AM Mary & Joseph Blumetti (Cathy Colacurcio)

10:00AM Manuel Armando Brea y Ramon Lantigua (Familia)

11:00AM (St. Ann's) Msgr. James Finnerty

12:00NN Ruben Santiago (Lillian Arroyo)

Monday, April 19,

7:00AM Msgr. James Finnerty (Vicenta Ilagan)

8:30AM Maria Paz Vasquez (Angie Ortiz)

Tuesday, April 20,

7:00AM Maria Paz Vasquez (Angie Ortiz)

8:30AM Daniel Leone (Joseph Leone)

Wednesday, April 21, (St. Anselm, Bishop & Dr. of the Church)

7:00AM Maria Paz Vasquez (Angie Ortiz)

8:30AM Joseph Capan (Lily Capan)

7:00PM Divino Niño (Spa.)

Thursday, April 22,

7:00AM Msgr. James Finnerty (Vicenta Ilagan)

8:30AM Maria Paz Vasquez (Angie Ortiz)

Friday, April 23, (St. George, Martyr, St. Adalbert, Bishop & Martyr)

7:00AM Maria Paz Vasquez (Angie Ortiz)

8:30AM Daniel Rochford (Gail Cousins)

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

Saturday, April 24, (St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest & Martyr)

8:30PM Annmarie Bessete (Her Friends)

5:00PM Josephine Falcicchio (Family)

Sunday, April 25, (Fourth Sunday Of Easter)

8:00AM Ted Palces (Lety Saladino)

10:00AM Narcisa Elena Garcia Flores (Fatima Gualpa)

11:00AM (St. Ann's) Msgr. James Finnerty

12:00NN Joseph Gilmartin (Gilmartin Family)

Weekly Collection

Easter Sunday Collection: \$9,344

Good Friday: \$649

Repairs: \$140

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

3rd Sunday of Easter

“Peace be with you”

After Jesus’ Resurrection from the dead, He consistently greets His disciples with this greeting of peace. It is a very fitting greeting after everything they had just been through. They saw their friend suffer and be put to death. They are afraid for their own lives of what might happen in the future. So Jesus continually greets them with “peace” and reassures them of His REAL PRESENCE among them. It is not a ghost or some sort of spiritual delusion. It is truly Jesus with them. He invites them to touch Him to see and feel His TRUE PRESENCE. He eats with them and teaches them about the Scriptures, the prophets, and the forgiveness of sins.

When we are afraid, lonely, or doubtful

about the future, allow Jesus’ greeting of peace to penetrate our own hearts. Picture Him walking in on you, calmly and gently reassuring you of His love with that same gentle, friendly greeting, “peace be with you.” May His peace reign in our hearts. May we live all our days in confident joy of Jesus’ peaceful presence beside us.

God Bless You,
Fr. Joseph

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"La paz este con ustedes"

Después de la resurrección de Jesús de entre los muertos, Él saluda constantemente a sus discípulos con este saludo de paz. Es un saludo muy apropiado después de todo lo que acababan de pasar. Vieron sufrir a su amigo y ser ejecutado. Temen por sus propias vidas lo que pueda suceder en el futuro. Así que Jesús los saluda continuamente con “paz” y les asegura su REAL PRESENCIA entre ellos. No es un fantasma ni una especie de engaño espiritual. Es verdaderamente Jesús con ellos. Los invita a tocarlo para ver y sentir su VERDADERA PRESENCIA. Come con ellos y les enseña sobre las Escrituras, los profetas y el perdón de los pecados.

Cuando tengamos miedo, nos sentimos solos o tengamos dudas sobre el futuro, dejemos que el saludo de paz de Jesús penetre en nuestro corazón. Imagínelo entrando en su cuarto, tranquilizándolo con calma y gentileza de su amor con el mismo saludo amable y amistoso, "la paz este contigo". Que su paz reine en nuestros corazones. Que podamos vivir todos nuestros días en el gozo confiado de la presencia pacífica de Jesús a nuestro lado.

Dios les bendiga,
P. Joseph

Easter Flowers

If you memorialized Easter flowers, please take one of the Lilies or Tulip plants with you after the 12pm Sunday Mass. Speak to Joanne Gorman about which plants can be taken home. These can be replanted and will grow back every year in loving memory or honor of the person they were donated for.

Si conmemoraste las flores de Pascua, lleva contigo una de las plantas de lirios o tulipanes después de la misa dominical a las 12 pm. Habla con Joanne Gorman sobre qué plantas se pueden llevar a casa. Estos se pueden replantar y volverán a crecer cada año en memoria amorosa o en honor a la persona para la que fueron donados.

Online Giving now Available at St. Paul's

For those who wish to make online contributions to our parish please visit our parish website (stpaulrcc.com) to set up your account with "Parish Giving." You can make one-time gifts or register for regular weekly contributions. Thank you always for your generous contributions to our parish community.

Para aquellos que deseen hacer contribuciones en línea a nuestra parroquia, visite el sitio web de nuestra parroquia (stpaulrcc.com) para configurar su cuenta con "Parish Giving". Puede hacer donaciones únicas o registrarse para contribuciones semanales regulares. Gracias siempre por sus generosas contribuciones a nuestra comunidad parroquial.

St. Paul's Feast: Sunday, June 27th

If you would like to be on the planning committee please speak to Joanne Gorman.

Fiesta de San Pablo: Domingo, 27 de junio

Si desea formar parte del comité de planificación, hable con Joanne Gorman.

Ushers

We are currently in need of ushers for all Masses. There will be a meeting on Saturday, May 8th for current ushers and anyone interested in participating in this ministry. One must be over 18 years old, an active member of the parish, and willing to be a welcoming presence. Please call the rectory to register if you are interested.

Actualmente necesitamos acomodadores para todas las misas. Habrá una reunión el sábado 8 de mayo para los ujieres actuales y cualquier persona interesada en participar en este ministerio. Uno debe ser mayor de 18 años, miembro activo de la parroquia y estar dispuesto a ser una presencia acogedora. Llame a la rectoría para registrarse si está interesado.

Community Work Day Saturday, May 29 ALL DAY

We will have a community work day on May 29th for all clean-up projects pertaining to parish grounds. This spring's clean-up projects include: the gardens, the social center, the garages, the Church sanctuary, pews, and choir loft, some light painting, and the youth room. Please register at the rectory offices so that we can better facilitate breakfast, lunch, and the division of jobs. Thank you always for your cooperation.

Tendremos un día de trabajo comunitario el 29 de mayo para todos los proyectos de limpieza relacionados con los terrenos de la parroquia. Los proyectos de limpieza de esta primavera incluyen: los jardines, el centro social, los garajes, el santuario de la Iglesia, los bancos y el desván del coro, pintar, y la sala de jóvenes. Regístrese en las oficinas de la rectoría para que podamos facilitar el desayuno, el almuerzo y la división de trabajos. Gracias siempre por su cooperación.

"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 (English)

elvinedoderaquelinfo@rcan.org (Spanish)

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)

o correo electrónico

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

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