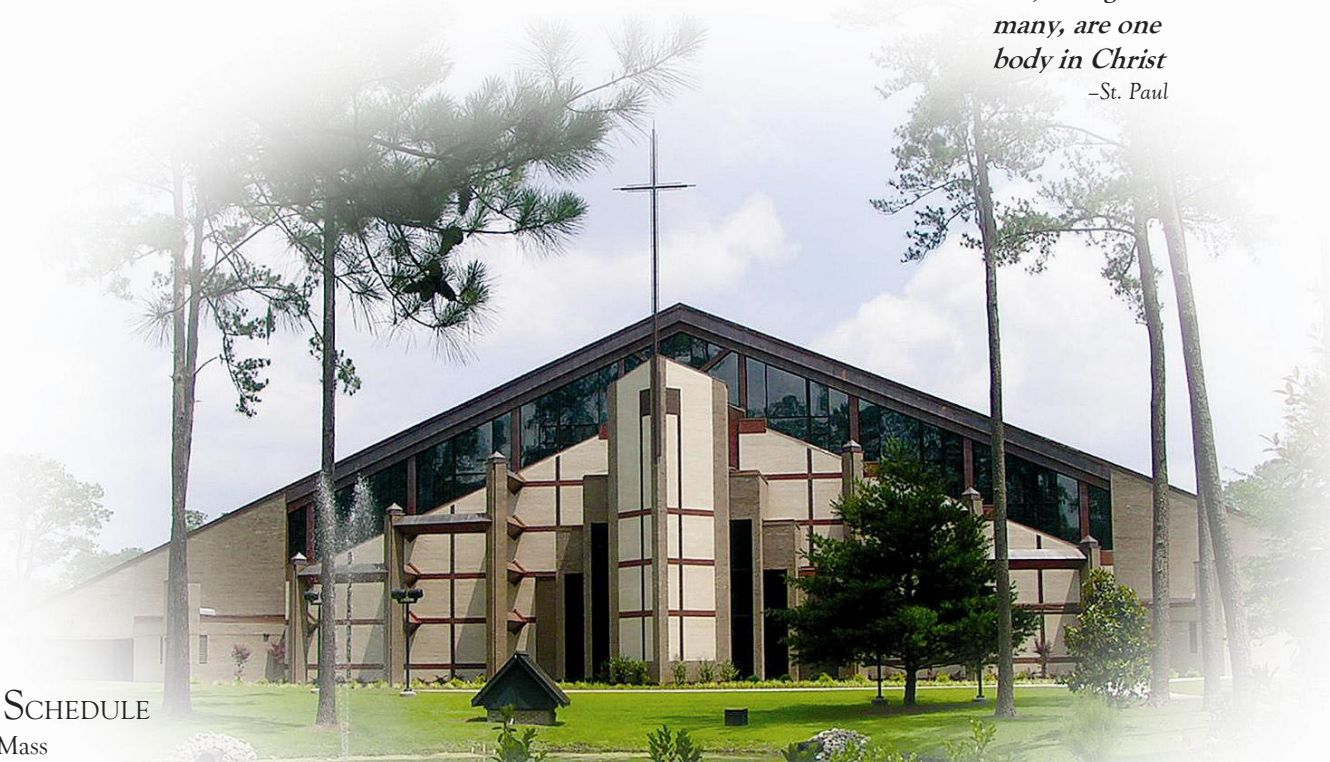


ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

*We, though
many, are one
body in Christ*
-St. Paul



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am, 11:00 am, & 1:00 pm (Misa en Español)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 8:00 am

Wednesday 9:00 am & 5:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am at Old St. Paul

Holy Days will be announced in bulletin

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm or by appointment

Baptism 2nd and 4th weekend of the month. First time
parents must attend Baptismal Preparatory
classes. Parents may schedule Baptisms early
and even during pregnancy.

First Communion/Confirmation . . Please call 633-3030

Marriage Contact Parish Office as early as possible. At
least 6 months in advance is required

Anointing of the Sick Call the Parish Office

Funeral Parish Office

Parish Office (252) 638-1984
Parish Office Fax (252) 638-2144
School (252) 633-0100
Priests' Residence (252) 638-4436
Convent (252) 637-3726
Faith Formation Office (252) 638-1984

Office Hours:
8:30a.m. - 4:00p.m. Monday -Friday

**3005 Country Club Road
New Bern, NC 28562.**

Parish Website: www.stpaulccnewbern.org

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MASS INTENTIONS & PARISH EVENTS

SATURDAY, August 20th

3:30PM Reconciliation (Reconciliation Room)

5:00PM MASS Michael & Mary Murphy+

School Open House after Mass

SUNDAY, August 21st

School Open House after all Masses

8:00AM MASS Larry Johnson+

9:00AM AAMEN (FLC3)

9:15AM RCIA (FLC2)

9:30AM Adult Chancel Choir Practice (church)

10:30AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy (SJC)

11:00AM MASS For Our St. Paul Parish Family

1:00PM SPANISH MASS Thomas Turczyn+

7:00PM Music Ministry For Youth (choir area)

MONDAY, August 22nd

8:00AM MASS Thell Butler+

9:00AM Spanish Women's Prayer Group (SJC)

12:30PM St. Paul Pride "Bunco" (FLC3)

5:30PM Core Mtg. One in Spirit Prayer Group (Conf. Rm.)

7:00PM St. Paul One in Spirit Prayer Group (SJC)

TUESDAY, August 23rd

8:00AM MASS Mary E. Allen+

10:00AM Pastoral Staff Mtg. (Conf. Rm.)

1:00PM Shawl Ministry (church atrium)

6:00PM Gospel Choir (church)

WEDNESDAY, August 24th

9:00AM MASS Marie H. Casey+

10:00AM Roman Missal Workshop (school library)

2:00PM Roman Missal Workshop (school library)

5:00PM MASS (church) Bob Branigan+

6:30PM Child Safety Class (FLC2)

7:00PM Roman Missal Workshop (school library)

THURSDAY, August 25th

8:00AM MASS (SJC) Peter Engeman/Francis Allen+

8:30AM Child Safety Class (FLC2)

8:35AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (church)

12:00PM Benediction (church)

7:30PM Folk Choir (church)

FRIDAY, August 26th

8:00AM MASS (OSP) Leo Corkery+

7:00PM Spanish Ministry Mtg. (Conf. Rm. & FLC3)

SATURDAY, August 27th

3:30PM Reconciliation (Reconciliation Room)

5:00PM MASS Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Broich+

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

Saturday, August 27th

5:00PM MASS

Readers: Pat Johnson & Stan Anderson

Eucharistic Ministers: Jack Betler, Mary Spano, Susie Sydow, Linda Richardson, Marilu Morse, Jan Conaty, Noah Fisher & Dotti Dunham

Servers: Jacob Fisher, Eric Storniolo, Ben Fisher, Anna Donato & Luke Fisher

SUNDAY, August 28th

8:00AM MASS

Readers: Chick Natella & Rita Casem

Eucharistic Ministers: Sue Shrenk, Cynthia White, Cindy & Danny Gennantonio, Nancy & Richard Tomasik, Bernie & Marlene Fitzpatrick & Donald Monk

Servers: Xavier & Tyler Thompkins, Harrison & Sam Cho & Ginnie Mae Montedonico

11:00AM MASS

Readers: Julia Smith & Sharon Wright

Eucharistic Ministers: Sandy Stewart, Mary Ann Harper, Tina Allen, Sharon Warren, Eugene Whitley, Dorothy Salvati, Hannah & Clark French & Mary Ann Clay

Servers: Anthony, Mary & Dan Doban, Julia Magee & Tess Himelspace

1:00PM SPANISH MASS

Family Chalice:

Aug. 28th Jesus Sanchez

PARISH STAFF

Reverend Monsignor Gerald L. Lewis,
Administrator-pastorstpaul@suddenlinkmail.com

Rev. Victor Gournas, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Paul Mizener, Parochial Vicar

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Sr. Grace Campbell, IHM, Pastoral Associate

Sr. Maria Goretti Timperio, IHM, Sacramental Catechist

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DeLesa Conway, Parish Receptionist/Scheduler

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The Pastor Jots it Down:

Many of you have never seen the St. Paul Education Center which houses our St. Paul Catholic School, our Faith Formation Program and many Parish classes and meetings. The Open House this weekend after each Mass is an opportune time to change this. Please take the time this weekend to walk over and see the renovations to the building and the upgrades in our classrooms.

Now is the time to plan for our Faith Formation Classes. All of your children need Religious Education. We live in a world that is rapidly becoming indifferent, if not hostile, to Religion. Without a solid Faith foundation we will find ourselves unable to cope with the forces against us.

I thank all of you who worked so hard to make the reception for Father Paul such a success. The food was delicious, the desserts were a gracious plenty, the entertainment enjoyable. The attendance of so many of our Parish Family was a blessing to all. It was one of the best attended events of our parish in my years at St. Paul and I thank you all!

Love and blessings to all
Monsignor Lewis

SAVE THE DATE
ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC
Sunday afternoon, September 18, 2011

ROMAN MISSAL CLASSES

Msgr. Lewis will hold one more session studying the Revised Roman Missal. Each class will be offered at three different times . Each class will be held in the school library.

This is our opportunity to find out ...
Why do we pray as we do?
How did our Mass develop?
What will change in our Liturgy?

The New English Translation

Wednesday, August 24th
10:00AM, 2:00PM, 7:00PM

The same Mass class is repeated three times each day.



THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

The RCIA JOURNEY is a custom that actually dates back into the earliest centuries. In 1972, the new RCIA program was initiated to give guidelines for the welcoming of new members into the Catholic faith. The journey of faith takes each of us in different directions at different times of our life.

As you may know, this was the first year that we have continued our RCIA sessions through the summer. On the Feast of Christ the King, Nov 20, 2011, we will admit those Baptized persons, who have been studying about our faith, into our parish as Catholic Christians.

Our “**traditional**” 2011-2012 RCIA process will begin on Sunday, September, 11 at 9:15 am in the FLC Rm 2.

If you have ever wanted to be Baptized or become a Catholic, or simply learn about our Catholic Faith please consider attending these informative programs. You may register, or ask questions, by calling Marcie McLure at 633-2539 after 6 PM.

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School Notes from Miss Warwick

All parishioners are invited to attend our "open house" after all Masses this weekend. I look forward to meeting each of you. We hope you will take this opportunity to tour our newly renovated school. This was provided in part by the generosity and prayers of the parishioners. Everything the parishioners have done and continue to do for the school is very much appreciated. Enjoy light refreshments with us. Our students will be available to show you around the school. We appreciate your continued support.

Registration is now open for the 2011-2012 school year. We are accepting applications for students three years old through grade 8. There are seats available in all classes. If you are looking for a safe and nurturing environment for your child or grandchild, please consider St. Paul Catholic School. You may visit our web site <http://stpaulcs.org> and/or call the school at 633-0100. We are available to take your call, or stop by for a tour, between the hours of 8:30 am and 4 pm. We would love to "show off" our wonderful school. On our web site you may find our simplified uniform dress code plus our school calendar. Our school is open to students regardless of race, religion, creed, color, sex or national origin. Please help us to get the word out to the community, about what a wonderful school we have to offer.

Parents please remember to attend the ice cream social this Sunday, August 21, 2011. Please meet the teacher and drop off your supplies at 4 pm. Then join us at 4:30 pm at the Family Life Center. I will say a few words as well as hearing from the Home and School Association. Next we will enjoy ice cream and fellowship. Remember to bring your personal calendar as there will be an opportunity to volunteer for the wonderful things planned this year. Remember school begins on Monday, August 22 at 8 am until 11:55 am. I am looking forward to a fantastic year.

Customers of Harris Teeter and Food Lion-The school is asking you to please link your Harris Teeter (VIC) or Food Lion (MVP) card to St. Paul Catholic School. In this way, when you make a purchase, the school will get credit for your shopping. The school will then receive a check. All of this is done at no extra charge to the shoppers. It might be time to relink your card or if you have designated St. Paul Education Center, please make sure it is now St. Paul Catholic School.

NURSERY MINISTRY

Beginning on Sunday, September 11th, in the Family Life Center, the Nursery Ministry will provide a faith-filled environment for parents to leave their children, ages 2-4, during the 11:00AM Mass. Children will enjoy listening to stories, playing games, and making crafts. As this is a Co-Op Nursery, parents wishing to drop their children off, will need to volunteer on a rotational basis. They will first need to complete the Child Safe Protection Class. Please contact Susana by email at Susana.mclellan@gmail.com or by telephone at 252-288-6871.

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FAITH FORMATION NEWS

The Faith Formation Program for children in Kindergarten through Grade 5 begins on Sunday, September 11, 2011, at 9:30 am at St. Paul Catholic School. The registration forms for these classes will be on the tables at the four entrances to the church. They are color coded: Yellow—for First Reconciliation/First Holy Communion Children; Blue for Kindergarten thru Grade 5, not preparing for sacraments. Please complete and submit the forms with your checks and/or cash to the Church office.

Faith Formation registration forms for Grades 6-8 (Orange forms) are on the tables at the four entrances to the church this weekend. Registration forms for Confirmation (9-10th graders) and for the upper teens (11-12th) are also on the tables this week. Middle School grades 6th-8th will begin on September 11th, 11th and 12th yet to be determined.

We have had a volunteer come forward to help as an Aide for our 3rd grade Faith Formation Class.

We are in need of new catechists for the following classes: Basic Religious Education I and II and Grade 3. We also need an aide in Grade 5. Catechists are adults who pass on our faith principles to our children in a structured class environment. The teacher's guide for these classes is well put together and can be followed quite easily. Each Catechist is provided with the help that they need to be successful with our children. Please pray that Our Lord sends us who we need. Might you, be reading this be one of those persons? I pray that the Holy Spirit inspire you to come and help us pass on our Faith to our most precious children. Please call Joy Harsen 252-229-2394 to volunteer or if you have any questions.

God Bless You.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

As previously mentioned, we are hoping to offer Children's Liturgy of the Word beginning in September at the 11 a.m. Mass. Children starting at age 4 are welcome to partake in spending the Liturgy of the Word part of the Mass in St. Joseph Chapel, where the same liturgical readings and processes are followed; it is just formatted more for younger ears. In order for this program to succeed, it must be a cooperative effort involving more than just one person. We invite not only parents of the children attending, but also grandparents or fellow parishioners with a special place in their hearts for children. It is structured, organized, and requires no lesson planning on your part. Contact Katie Shorter at 288-4912 or by email at andykatiehorter@hotmail.com for details.

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Stewardship is a way of life that we choose to live, using the gifts entrusted to us by God, based on the teachings of Jesus Christ.

Last week's Offerings

Offertory \$21,308.77

Debt \$3,096.00

Assumption of Mary \$712.00

As always, your generosity is greatly appreciated!

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The members of the St. Paul Ministry staff are ex officio members of the Advisory Council.

DONATE YOUR CAR HELP

REDUCE OUR CHURCH AND SCHOOL DEBT

Are you thinking of selling or trading your old vehicle? Why not avoid the hassle and donate it instead to St. Paul Church? We will do all the paperwork for you and provide you with a charitable receipt for your taxes. Donate autos, trucks, motorcycles, vans, commercial vehicles, jet skis, snowmobiles, motor homes, buses, and yes, even boats. It does not have to run, only a clear title required to donate. We take care of everything else. Please call Jerry Tetreault 252-638-4184 or 252-497-5919 or by email at gtetreault@suddenlink.net.



GRIEVING GROUP

Sessions for the grieving group will begin on September 14th. We will meet every WEDNESDAY for six weeks and run through October 19th. We will meet from 10:00AM to 11:30AM in St. Joseph Chapel. Sister Monique Dissen and Bev Redding will be the group facilitators. If you are interested in walking this journey of mourning to morning, call Irene Swanteson at 252-638-9306.

MOVIE OF THE MONTH – In “FORGIVEN,”

Jake Kincaid has been released from prison for a crime he didn't commit. His heart is seeking vengeance for those responsible, and he also wants to find the gold he didn't steal! He finds himself in the small lumber town of Fairplay, California, where he meets an independent woman trying to do it all on her own. Also he meets a mischievous little girl with a quest to fill her lonely heart. Fairplay is where he learns that love is far more powerful than hate and that redemption is more precious than any gold. Join us on **Aug. 28 at 2:30 p.m. in St. Joseph Chapel.**

Attention ALL MEN OF THE PARISH

St Paul Parish is starting a new men's group to help all men learn and live their faith. Led by Monsignor Lewis and Father Gournas, we will meet the second Saturday of each month from 7-8 am. The first meeting is September 17th in the Conference Room at the Church. For more information just show up Saturday, September 17. For any questions, please contact Parish coordinators Dan Doban at 252-638-3083 or Andy Early at 252-288-4385.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Sylvia Moore and Robert Polo. We commend their families to your prayers.



CHILD SAFETY PROTECTION CLASSES

It is required if you are planning on working or volunteering at St. Paul Catholic School or the Church, you take the Child Safety Protection Class. Aug. 24th at 6:30PM and Aug. 25th at 8:30AM in the Family Life Center, Room 2, and Aug.30th at 6:30P.M. in the school library are the next three classes. Please call Dena Sierocki if you have any questions, 638-9327.

ALUMINUM CAN PROJECT

We are celebrating our 1 year anniversary of “cash for trash” in the collection of aluminum cans. We have made a total of \$247.00 total for the month of July, the highest monthly total thus far. This is a huge increase from our beginning month last year. This brings our cumulative total to \$2,193.00. We are hopeful that we will meet our goal to help provide St. Paul School with a Media Center during 2012. Thanks to all those who are now participating in this effort!

Readings for the Week

August 21, 2011 through August 28, 2011

Sunday Is 22:19-23 Ps 138:1-3,6,8
Rom 11:33-36 Mt 16:13-20

Monday 1 Thes 1:1-5,8b-10 Ps 149:1-6,9
Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday 1 Thes 2:1-8 Ps 139:1-6
Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday Rv 21:9b-14 Ps 145:10-13,17-18
Jn 1:45-51

Thursday 1 Thes 3:7-13 Ps 90:3-5,12-14,17
Mt 24:42-51

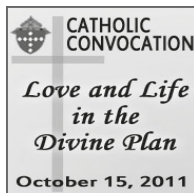
Friday 1 Thes 4:1-8 Ps 97:1-2,5-6,10-12
Mt 25:1-13

Saturday 1 Thes 4:9-11 Ps 98:1,7-9
Mt 25:14-30

Sunday Jer 20:7-9 Ps 63:2-6,8-9
Rom 12:1-2 Mt 16:21-27



CATHOLIC CONVOCATION 2011 The Diocese of Raleigh is hosting Catholic Convocation, Saturday, October 15, at Cardinal Gibbons High School, Raleigh. This year's theme is *Love and Life in the Divine Plan*. The day-long program is designed for people who wish to learn more about the Catholic Church, and its teachings and practices. Catholic Convocation includes a keynote speaker and over 70 workshops throughout the day. Exhibitors representing products and services of interest to Catholics will also be present to serve our needs. The day begins with Mass, followed by the keynote address delivered by The Most Reverend Joseph E. Kurtz, Archbishop of Louisville and Vice President of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. The day will conclude with Evening Prayer, The Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Bishop of Raleigh, Presiding. Conference schedule runs from 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Registration, Hospitality and Exhibits open at 8:00 a.m. Registration brochures are available on the Diocesan website at www.dioceseofraleigh.org or call 919.645.4447. Registration forms are also available on the tables in the atrium.



**OLIVE BRANCH STORE & LENDING LIBRARY
KNOW SOMEONE GOING OFF TO COLLEGE?**

St. Christopher and Guardian Angel auto visor clips are a nice send off gift to help keep them safe. Or, maybe you are going to miss your best friend when you go off to different schools? Magic Stickers for dorm room mirrors will remind them daily of your true friendship. They are only \$3 and we have 4 styles: Dance, Cheer, Believe & Friends. They can be removed and re-used over and over and stick on any surface. Great for school lockers, too! We have gifts and greeting cards for all occasions, weddings, new babies, birthdays, hospital visits and more. We are located inside the Family Life Center and are open Sundays 9am - 1pm & Wednesdays 9am - 12pm.

We thank you for your support and look forward to your visit.

HOLY SPIRIT CONFERENCE

The Diocese of Raleigh's Annual Charismatic Conference will be held on October 28-30, 2011 at the HILTON in North Raleigh at 3514 Wake Forest Road, Raleigh, NC. The weekend will start on Friday at 7:00P.M. and end on Sunday after Mass (11:00A.M.) The weekend will include inspired teachings from popular national and local speakers, uplifting music, a healing service for those in need of physical, spiritual or mental healing. There will be a special youth session for high school students-13 to 18 years old on Saturday from 9:00A.M. to 4:00P.M. To register or for more information, please call Catholic Charismatic Services at 252-353-4433 or email at cssraleigh@earthlink.net.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy- Becoming "poor in spirit", humbled in His Presence, we see God more clearly and feel the burden of our sins. But sin is corporate, and every sin committed adds to the burden of sin in the whole world.. The second step on the road to heaven is the second Beatitude, "*Blessed are they who mourn*". But, we do not mourn the things of this life and the world. It is *not a grief* for things undone or lost! Our mourning, of prayers, fasts and special offerings, is for the fallen plight of the world, the accumulated sins in the world, for all sinners, like us, and the souls in Purgatory. And, the promise is, when Jesus comes again, "*for they shall be comforted.*" Join us in **St Joseph Chapel at 10:30 for the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.**

Special Congratulations to Jason William Camp, Adam Lee Castecka and Connor Gray Dumicz who received the sacrament of Baptism.

