

# 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](http://www.stpaulccnewbern.org)  
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[stpaulcatholicchurch@suddenlinkmail.com](mailto:stpaulcatholicchurch@suddenlinkmail.com)

## Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

### MASS INTENTIONS & PARISH EVENTS

#### SATURDAY, October 8th

3:30PM Reconciliation (Reconciliation Room)

**5:00PM MASS Fred Schreiber+**

#### SUNDAY, October 9th

**8:00AM MASS For our St. Paul Parish Family**

9:15AM RCIA (FLC2)

9:30AM Faith Formation (school)

9:30AM Chancel Choir Practice (choir area)

10:30AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy (SJC)

**11:00AM MASS Larry & Elaine Nevins (50th wedding anniversary)**

11:00AM Nursery Ministry (FLC3)

**1:00PM SPANISH MASS Jon McDonald+**

Ticket sales for Widows Dinner after all Masses

School raffle tickets after all Masses

2:30PM Practice for Hispanic group (FLC)

4:00PM Children's choir (church)

4:30PM Middle school Faith Formation (6th -8th grade FLC)

5:30PM Music Ministry (6th-8th grade choir area)

#### Monday, October 10th

**8:00AM MASS (SJC) Marlene Strong+**

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

7:00PM Parish Advisory Council (school library)

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

#### Tuesday, October 11th

**8:00AM MASS (SJC) Sylvia Moore+**

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

1:00PM Shawl Ministry (church atrium)

6:00PM Gospel Choir practice (choir area)

#### Wednesday, October 12th

**9:00AM MASS (church) Robert Polo+**

10:00AM Grieving Group (SJC)

1:00PM Keenagers (SJC)

**5:00PM MASS Scott Michael Meade+**

5:00PM Stewardship Committee mtg.

6:30PM Adult Spirituality (SJC)

7:00PM Baptism class (Conf. Rm.)

7:00PM Knights of Columbus 4th Degree (K of C Hall)

#### Thursday, October 13th

**8:00AM MASS Sheila Rajballay+**

8:35AM Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament)

10:00AM St. Paul Pride (Shanghai Rummy)

12:00PM Benediction (church)

7:30PM Folk Choir (church)

#### Friday, October 14th

**8:00AM MASS (OSP) John & Cordy Gehrlich+**

#### October 15th

3:30PM Reconciliation (Reconciliation Room)

**5:00PM MASS For our St. Paul Parish Family**

#### PLEASE NOTE

Any one that wishes to send any announcements to the church, please send them to [stpaulcatholicchurch@suddenlinkmail.com](mailto:stpaulcatholicchurch@suddenlinkmail.com).

## October 9, 2011-October 15, 2011

### MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

#### Saturday, October 15th

**5:00PM MASS**

**FAMILY CHALICE:** Louis & Donna Simon

**Readers:** Jonathan Simon & Pat Johnson

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Leo Minervini, Noah Fisher, Barbara Vezina, Ann Tetreault, Linda Richardson, Susie Sydow, Donna & Louis Simon & Dorothy Minervini

**Servers:** Eric Stormiolo, Parker Conway, Christian Conway, Hailey Ford & Nate Shorter

#### SUNDAY, October 16th

**8:00AM MASS**

**FAMILY CHALICE:** Phil & Taffy Pritulsky

**Readers:** JoAnn Webb & Mary Spano

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Cynthia White, Irene Dakin, Mary Ann Harper, Cindy Gennantonio, Jan Conaty, Ann Baker, Gladys Frankson, Paula Hartman & Nellie Messina

**Servers:** Grady Johnson, Patrick Murphy, Neiva Felix, Anna Donato & Brendan Carman

#### 11:00AM MASS

**FAMILY CHALICE:** Bob & Fran Krapf

**Readers:** Michael Genovese & Mary Wallen

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Scott Heitert, Mary Ann Clay, John LaPointe, Sandy Stewart, Sharon Warren, Dorothy Salvati, Tina Allen, Clark French & Hannah French

**Servers:** Andrew Ferree, Gabbi Boccia, David Lynch, Eric Lynch & Nathan Gallman

#### 1:00PM SPANISH MASS

**FAMILY CHALICE:** Argelia y Benito

**Servers:** Nathanael Mora, Pablo Estrada, Cristobal Mora, Sebastian Mora & Erik Estrada

#### PARISH STAFF

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

Rev. Victor Gournas, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Paul Mizener, Assisting Priest

Dcn. Michael Mahoney, Parish Deacon

Dcn. Rick Fisher, Parish Deacon 252-649-1400

Sr. Monique Dissen, IHM, Pastoral Associate

Sr. Grace Campbell, IHM, Pastoral Associate

Sr. Maria Goretti Timperio, IHM, Sacramental Catechist

Miss Catherine Warwick, School Principal

Joy Harsen, Director Religious Education 637-9693

Marcelene McLure, RCIA Coordinator 633-2539

Lynette Kelly, Parish Secretary

Donna Simon, Parish Bookkeeper

DeLesa Conway, Parish Receptionist/Scheduler

Belinda Swager, School Secretary

John Spier, Facilities Maintenance

Danny Gennantonio, Cemetery Coordinator 637-2322

**Parish Email address:**

**[stpaulcatholicchurch@suddenlinkmail.com](mailto:stpaulcatholicchurch@suddenlinkmail.com)**

**The Pastor Jots It Down:**

Our Ordinary, Bishop Michael Burbidge called last week to inform me that, on his recommendation, Our Holy Father Pope Benedict XVI has bestowed the PAPAL BENEMERENTI MEDAL on our dear departed friend and fellow parishioner Bill Fraser. A few minutes later, his widow, Mary Ellen called to tell me that she had received a similar call from Bishop Burbidge.

This Papal Honor is not given posthumously; however, Bill was alive when the Papal Decree was signed. The Medal and Scroll will be presented to Mary Ellen at a ceremony in Raleigh in early December. Out of the 300,000 Catholics living in the Diocese only 20 have been selected for the Benemerenti Medal. This would have been a great honor for Bill. It is a great honor for Mary Ellen, all of Bill's family and for all of the St. Paul Parish family. We pray for Bill and his family and rejoice in this recognition of all of his good works.

On a more personal note, I might add that Mrs. Anne Williams Stahel, the founder and benefactor of the MONSIGNOR GERALD L. LEWIS EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD has also received this honor. Mrs. Stahel started the Lewis Award for the teacher of the year in the Catholic Schools of the Diocese in 1992. The award is now in its 20<sup>th</sup> year. Besides other things, the teacher of the year is given a \$1,500.00 cash award.

When awards like this are given they honor not only the recipient but all of God's people working so diligently in the Vineyard of the Lord. Most are not recognized, certainly not given a high honor like the Benemerenti Medal, but all are appreciated and all are known in the annals of the Lord's kingdom.

Love and blessings to all  
Monsignor Lewis

**ROMAN MISSAL CLASSES**

Father Victor Gournas will hold a two week program studying the Revised Roman Missal beginning on October 19th and conclude on October 26th. Each class will be offered at three different times on the two days. Each class will be held in the conference room.

**THE SCHEUDLE IS AS FOLLOWS:**

October 19th            10AM, 12PM and 7PM  
October 26th            10AM, 12PM and 7PM

The same Roman Missal Mass class is repeated three times each day.

**SHARING OUR GIFTS**

We thank all of you who have signed a commitment card to continue your Stewardship within our parish family. You are most generous and we thank you.

If you have not gotten around to making this commitment we urge you to prayerfully consider your gift of time, talent and treasure to your parish family.

Commitment cards are in the pews and there is a box in the atrium and at each side door into which you may place your signed card.

Your Parish Family thanks you for your generosity.

**PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL**

Joan Fisher, Chair 288-5440

Teresa Baugher 637-7248	Pat Johnson 638-8930
Bill Campbell 288-5129	Kathy Manzene 633-5928
Maria Cho 633-5048	Marcie McLure 633-2539
Claude Cote 514-0032	Richard Mora 364-0416
Jean Edwards 638-4429	Gerald Stallings 633-1096
Hannah French 638-2195	Richard Tomasik 633-9094
MaryAnn Harper 633-3473	Elena Turner 637-2852
Thomas Hartman 636-0101	Gary Williams 638-8409

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

## Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

### School Notes from Miss Warwick

I am delighted to welcome Mrs. Patricia Liddy to our School Family, as the Music teacher for grades K-8. Mrs. Liddy is a member of St. Paul parish and sings in the Gospel Choir at the 8 am Sunday Mass.

The school is working very hard to find ways to support our activities. The Knights of Columbus-4<sup>th</sup> Degree have once again assisted us. We will be having a large bake sale at the Yard Sale on Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. The proceeds from this will be used to help support field trips for the entire school. This is something we have not been able to do for all grades. We are still looking for a way to secure a bus. If the fee is not too high, we might be able to rent one. Please call Nancy Stewart at 633-9419 if you are able to offer suggestions or help. We did receive an offer from someone that has a CDL license.

The week of October 24-28th we will be gearing up to celebrate "Red Ribbon Week." The theme is *Dream, Believe, Achieve, and Succeed*. The focus is Anti Drug and Alcohol use and Anti Violence and Bullying Campaign. During the week we will have many activities focusing on this theme. Plans are being made to have a qualified speaker come to speak to the students.

Things are coming along and this will be a "banner" year for our school. Thanks for all the support we receive from Msgr. Lewis, the parents and everyone in the parish.

**Tutors and After School Help Needed**-We are in the process of finalizing plans for the tutoring and after school program. The tutoring program would involve being available after school at least one day per week from Monday thru Thursday. The time would be from 2:45 to 4 pm. We need to know what subject or subjects you feel confident to tutor and in which grades. For assisting with the after school program, you would need to be at school at 2:45 until 4 pm, to help the after school care director. If you are interested in either program please call Nancy Stewart 633-9419 or e-mail [stewsn@coastalnet.com](mailto:stewsn@coastalnet.com) You will need to take the Safe Child Class before you start.

**School Raffle**-Our school was fortunate to have Hedy Byrne donate a beautiful set of China with 8 place settings and other serving pieces. In addition Sarah Kerner has donated a Villeroy and Bach large dessert plate with 6 tea lights and a Lenox compote dish. We will raffle these items off starting October 16<sup>th</sup>. The proceeds from this raffle will be used to upgrade our Accelerated Reading Program for Pre-K through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. The program will be web based, so students can access the program at home or school. Please support this raffle. Tickets will only be \$1 each or 6 for \$5. We appreciate your help while we are helping ourselves.

## October 9, 2011-October 15, 2011

### **FAITH FORMATION CLASSES**

#### **Grades Kindergarten through 5th Grade**

**\*\*ALL SESSON ARE HELD IN ST. PAUL**

**SCHOOL ON SUNDAYS FROM 9:30AM-10:45AM**

October 9, 2011 Regular Session  
October 17 Parents only meeting for First Reconciliation /First Communion Grades 1 & 2 Basic Religious Education  
October 23 Regular session  
October 30 Regular session  
\*All Hallows Eve Celebration Trunk Trick or Treating @2:30PM Family Life Center and Parish Grounds

#### **Middle School Grades (6th -8th)**

**\*\*ALL SESSIONS ARE HELD IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER FROM 4:30PM-5:30PM**

October 9 Regular session & Music Ministry  
October 16 Regular session & Music Ministry  
October 23 Regular session & Music Ministry  
October 30 Regular session & Music Ministry

#### **Confirmation Preparation Grades 9 & 10 and Senior Group 11 & 12**

**\*\*ALL SESSIONS TAKE PLACE IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER FROM 6:30PM-7:30PM**

October 9 NO CLASS \*Disciples on the Journey\*  
October 16 Regular session  
October 23 Regular session  
October 30 Regular session  
\*All Hallows Eve Trunk Trick or Treating 2:30-4:30 for service hours

### **HIGH SCHOOL FAITH GROUP**

All 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> graders are encouraged to attend our new "High School Faith Group" for high school youth, who have already made their Confirmation. The group discussions are led by our Parochial Vicar and Interim Youth Minister, Father Victor Gournas. This is a great opportunity for our older youth to increase their Faith and learn how their Faith will guide them, in preparation for college and adulthood. Each session is held on Sunday nights in the FLC from 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m., with the first Sunday of each month, a "Youth Mass" from 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m., dinner, and then grades 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> come together to work on a service project from 6:30p.m. - 7:30p.m. Please come join us for these sessions, Youth Mass, and service projects.

### **MOVIE OF THE MONTH**

Next Sunday, October 16th the movie of the month will be Mary, Mother of Jesus. Come join us at 2:30PM in the St. Joseph Chapel.

## Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

*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 \$25,125.21

Debt \$6,695.19

RCS Poor \$206.00

*As always, your generosity is greatly appreciated!*

### 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](mailto:gtetreault@suddenlink.net).

## Readings for the Week

October 9, 2011 through October 16, 2011

Sunday	Is 25:6-10a Ps 23:1-6 Phil 4:12-14,19-20 Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10
Monday	Rom 1:1-7 Ps 98:1-4 Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday	Rom 1:16-25 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday	Rom 2:1-11 Ps 62:2-3,6-7,9 Lk 11:42-46
Thursday	Rom 3:21-30 Ps 130:1-6 Lk 11:47-54
Friday	Rom 4:1-8 Ps 32:1-2,5,11 Lk 12:1-7
Saturday	Rom 4:13,16-18 Ps 105:6-9,42-43 Lk 12:8-12
Sunday	Is 45:1,4-6 Ps 96:1,3-5,7-10 1 Thes 1:1-5b Mt 22:15-21



**Public Square Rosary**, to be held outside of Wal-Mart on Saturday, October 15th at 12:00PM. For further questions, call Barbara Sindlinger at 252-633-1997.

## October 9, 2011-October 15, 2011

**Journeying with Jesus; the Movement to Wholeness**  
Deacon Mahoney is leading a five day guided retreat experience for those who long for a deeper intimacy with the Lord Jesus. The retreat will be conducted in Room 2 of the Family Life Center, Monday through Friday beginning Monday, October 17th. The retreat begins each morning at 10 am and ends at 2 pm. The cost for the week is \$100, which goes to support our Counseling Ministry. Scholarships are available for those unable to meet the cost. For more information and/or registration, please call Deacon Mahoney at 571-1597.

### WREATH RAFFLE

Coming soon to the atrium of St. Paul Church... a chance to get a Fall (or all-purpose) wreath AND try your hand at some lottery scratch offs!! You will be able to get chances for only \$ 1.00 each, or 6 for \$ 5.00. You could win much more than you paid for the chances AND get a wreath as well. A table will be in the atrium after all the masses the next two weekends (October 15 / 16 and 22/ 23). Profits go for scholarships to the Holy Spirit Conference on October 28 -30.

### Contemplative Retreat Day

October 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9a.m.-3p.m.

Bring your Bible, a notebook, a pen and a bag lunch. Meet in the atrium/St. Joseph Chapel, For further information contact Sister Grace at 252-637-3726.

**ALTAR GUILD** is looking for individuals to help clean the altar and the linens. Those who clean the altar work in pairs usually once every six weeks. Substitutes are needed to fill in when a member will not be present. Volunteers are also needed to wash and iron the linens. For more information, please call Carolyn Jensen at 288-4452.

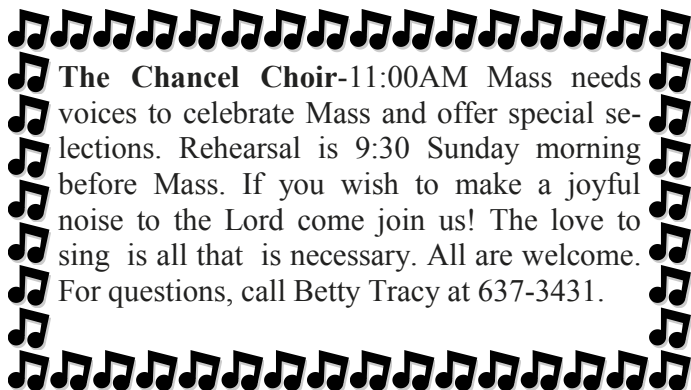
### HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT ABOUT JOINING THE

KNIGHTS? An Open House will be held at the K of C Hall, 1125 Pine Tree Drive on this Thursday evening October 13th at 7:30PM. Please call Leo Minervini if you have any questions at 252-635-9334.

Special Congratulations to Omar Diaz Zavala and Maria M. Alvarado Oppenheimer and Martin Vergara Hernandez and Lizbeth Labra Ramirez who were united in marriage on Saturday, September 24, 2011.



## Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time



The Chancel Choir-11:00AM Mass needs voices to celebrate Mass and offer special selections. Rehearsal is 9:30 Sunday morning before Mass. If you wish to make a joyful noise to the Lord come join us! The love to sing is all that is necessary. All are welcome. For questions, call Betty Tracy at 637-3431.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WIDOWS DINNER

The Annual "Honor Our Widows" Dinner is scheduled for Friday, October 14, 2011 at the Knights of Columbus hall at 1125 Pine Tree Drive here in New Bern. All are invited to attend this wonderful family event. Tickets are \$8.00 per person, \$15.00 per couple and \$20.00 for a family. Tickets will be on sale after Mass this weekend October 8 & 9. Deadline for ticket sales is October 10th. Please join us and make this a memorable occasion for all! For contact information, please call Dick Dodson at 638-5318.

Knights of Columbus-4<sup>th</sup> Degree will hold the final yard sale of the year on Saturday, October 22, 2011 from 7 am to 1 pm. For now we are asking for donations of good and clean items. For pick ups in River Bend or Greenbrier, you may call Claude "Kit" Lalonde - 954-260-0687, in Fairfield Harbour please call Jim Bottcher - 637-3758 or Claude Cote -514-0032; Trent Woods or downtown New Bern please call Fred Amend-633-2559, Taberna or Carolina Pines please call Bob Andre-637-5925 or Lud Hartung 633-5987. You may also drop them off at the blue building, 1125 Pine Tree Drive on Tuesdays from 9am-12pm until October 14th. We furnish receipts for tax purposes. For further information please call Danny Gennantonio 637-2322.

### ALUMINUM CAN PROJECT

The September total for the aluminum can contributions was \$216.00 making the total for our project \$2,628.60. To increase our momentum in the future, we have decided to expand our scope of aluminum projects. We ask that you bring in any aluminum items that you want to discard. This is to include kitchen items, windows doors, outside furniture and any other aluminum items you might want to contribute. If you have questions, please call Hannah French at 670-7054. As always, we thank all of you who bring in your aluminum and invite everyone to take part. It is profitable for our school and good for the environment!



## October 9, 2011-October 15, 2011

### OLIVE BRANCH STORE & LENDING LIBRARY

#### STOP BY AND LOOK THROUGH OUR NEW CATALOG

There are some lovely and affordable new items that you might want to special order, including Nativities, Advent items, and gifts. Yes, we know it's early, but the Holidays will be here before you know it. We will be placing special orders starting in October. Make sure you order early as it may take a few weeks for delivery. Free shipping is available on most items!

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.

**Peace & Social Justice** is looking for individuals who strongly believe in the basic principles of Catholic Social Teaching. The church has a rich treasure of wisdom about building a just society. Our ministry works for the sacredness of all life, the unborn and the one on death row, the poor and marginalized, the refugee and immigrant, the dignity and equality of women, for those threatened in far away places by war and conflict whose voices are not heard, we promote care for God's creation, we seek peace for all people. For more information please contact Lily Krcmar at 633-9486.

### CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE

Our boutique will be Nov. 5 and 6. It is now time to start collecting jewelry. Please place your gently used women's, men's and children's jewelry in the marked boxes on the bulletin tables in the atrium. Also we will take broken pieces for the Junior CDA young ladies to use in making jewelry. For more information or questions please call Nancy Stewart 633-9419 or Betty Barnett 634-4110. If you would like to donate items for the "Second Time Around" table please contact Belinda Swager at 638-4079 or 633-0100. We are also asking for donations of books. Please call Marie Senzig at 637-6378 for more information.

Your support of this event is greatly appreciated.

Next weekend, October 15th and 16th please bring non-perishable food items to the church for distribution to our Hispanic brothers and sisters. Baskets will be placed on the tables at all the exits for monetary donations. Thank you for your kindness and generosity to those most in need.

