

Mass Intentions and Parish Events**SATURDAY, November 14th**

- 4:00 PM Confessions (Church)  
**5:00 PM Mass (Church) Paul Costantino+**  
 Ministry Fair & Hot Dog Dinner - (FLC)  
**7:00 PM Mass (Church) Peter Mizener+**

**33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, November 15th**

- 8:00 AM Mass (Church) C. Fred Messina+**  
 Ministry Fair & Pancake Breakfast - (FLC)  
 9:15 AM RCIA (FLC2)  
 9:30 AM Faith Formation (School)  
 10:30 AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy (St. Joseph Chapel)  
**11:00 AM Mass (Church) People of St. Paul's**  
 5:00 PM Spanish Bible Study - (Conference RM)  
 5:30 PM Confirmation (FLC)  
 6:00 PM SPY (FLC)

**MONDAY November 16th**

- 8:00 AM Mass (Church) Jim Mastronardo+**  
 10:00 AM Senior Spirituality (St. Joseph Chapel)  
 1:00 PM Quilters (FLC3)  
 3:00 PM Basketball Practice (FLC)  
 6:30 PM Safe Child Class (Library)  
 7:00 PM Prayer Group (St. Joseph Chapel)

**TUESDAY, November 17th**

- 8:00 AM Mass (Church) Mr. & Mrs. James McGrath+**  
 9:00 AM Shawl Ministry (Atrium)  
 10:30 AM Pastoral Staff Meeting (Conference RM)  
 3:00 PM Basketball Practice (FLC)  
 5:00 PM Peace & Social Justice Mtg (Conference RM)

**WEDNESDAY, November 18th**

- 8:30 AM Mass (Church) John Chider+**  
 10:00 AM Senior Spirituality (St. Joseph Chapel)  
 1:00 PM Pride of St. Paul's (FLC2)  
 1:30 PM Senior Spirituality (St. Joseph Chapel)  
 3:00 PM Basketball Practice (FLC)  
 6:00 PM Gospel Choir Practice (Church)  
 6:30 PM Parent Advisory (Library)  
 7:00 PM Women of Grace (FLC2)  
 7:00 PM Bible Study (Library)

**THURSDAY, November 19th**

- 8:00 AM Mass (Church) Mary E. Allen+**  
 12:00 N Finance Council (Conference RM)  
 3:00 PM Basketball Practice (FLC)  
 3:00 PM Strings Band Practice (FLC2)  
 6:00 PM Liturgy Committee Mtg (Conference RM)  
 7:00 PM Parish Men's Basketball (FLC)  
 7:30 PM Folk Choir (Church)

**FRIDAY, November 20th**

- 8:00 AM Mass (Old St. Paul's) Lucille White+**  
 8:30 AM Adoration (Old St. Paul's)  
 12:00 PM Benediction (Old St. Paul's)

**SATURDAY, November 21st**

- 10:00 AM Confirmation (OSP)  
 11:00 AM Wedding/Baptism (Church)  
 2:00 PM Wedding (Church)  
 4:00 PM Confessions (Church)  
**5:00 PM Mass (Church) People of St. Paul's**  
**7:00 PM Mass (Church) Dolores Alaggio+**

**Ministers of the Liturgy****Saturday, November 21st****5:00 PM Mass****Reader:**

Warren Murray

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Jan Conaty, Noah Fisher, Sandy Oxford, Ann Tetreault and Denise Smith

**Servers:**

Parker Conway, Hailey &amp; Madison Ford and Jennifer &amp; Jonathon Simon

**Family Chalice:**

Frank &amp; Doris Varga

**7:00 PM Mass (Hispanic)****Sunday, November 22nd****8:00 AM Mass****Reader:**

Beverly Hartung

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Pauline Hilton, Tom &amp; Paula Hartman and Nancy &amp; Richard Tomasik

**Servers:**

Patrick Murphy, Addy Pritulsky, Tyler &amp; Xavier Thompkins and Cason &amp; Victoria White

**Family Chalice:**

Walter &amp; Dena Sierocki

**11:00 AM Mass****Reader:**

Clark French

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Harry Killian, Mary Ann Harper, Irene &amp; Tim Dakin and Sharon Warren

**Servers:**

Anthony Doban, Eric &amp; Laurie Howard, Alejandra O'Malley, Ian Sprague and Hailey Willis

**Family Chalice:**

Frank &amp; Donna Stortz

*Daily Readings*

## Week November 15 to November 22, 2009

- Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Heb 10:11-14,18/  
Mk 13:24-32
- Monday: 1Mc 1:10-15, 41-43,54-57, 62-63/  
Lk 18:35-43
- Tuesday: 1Mc 6:18-31/Lk 19:1-10
- Wednesday: 2Mc 7:1, 20-31/Lk 19:11-28
- Thursday: 1Mc 2:15-29//Lk 19:41-44
- Friday: 1Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/Lk 19:45-48
- Saturday: 1Mc 6:1-13/Lk 20:27-40
- Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33-37

*The Pastor  
Jots it Down*



The Creed which we pray every Sunday at Mass is the Nicene Creed (315) as amended by the Council of Constantinople in 381. In writing about the Creed, St. Cyril of Jerusalem said;

“Now I order you to retain this creed for your nourishment throughout life and never to accept any alternative,..., be content to listen to the simple words of the creed and to memorize them; at some suitable time you can find the proof of each article in the scriptures. This was the second lesson of the Divine Office a few days ago; I thought that I would share it with you. It is important that we made the Creed a real profession of personal faith and not just recite words.

There was an article in the Bulletin a few weeks ago about parking in violation of the fire laws. The fire lanes are there for our protection and must be observed. The fire hydrant on the east side of the Church must be kept clear so the fire trucks would have access to water should it ever be needed. Fire laws are inconvenient but not nearly so inconvenient as an uncontrolled fire. Think about this!

I enjoyed the art and craftsmanship of the ladies of the CDA during last weekends Christmas Boutique. It seems that a good time was had by all and we will appreciate the share of the proceeds which will be donated to the School and the Church.

I congratulate the Hispanic Community of St. Paul's for their initiative in striving to raise funds for the Church. The first profits were presented to me last Monday.

During the Advent Season I will lead a weekly Bible Study on the Sunday Scriptures of Advent, beginning the first week of advent. Details will be in the Bulletin next week.

**Father Paul and I have discussed the Sacrament of Reconciliation and beginning Saturday, November 28th Confessions will be heard from 3:30 to 4:30 PM. We have to have time to prepare for the 5:00 PM Mass, thus Confessions have to end at 4:30.**

Love and Blessings to all  
Monsignor Lewis, Administrator

**CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COLLECTION**

A second collection will be taken up this weekend, November 14th & 15th for the Campaign for Human Development. Please make checks payable to St. Paul Church and one payment will be sent to the Diocese. It is important for all of us to keep in mind that low-income families and individuals have the least capacity to cope in this time of economic crisis making your generosity even more necessary and appreciated.

*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.*

**Combined Offertory & Building Income  
July 1, 2009 to November 8, 2009**

Total budgeted amount:	\$1,255,013.00
Average weekly total needed to meet budget (includes Holy Days):	\$ 24,134.87
Actual average weekly total to date (includes Holy Days):	\$ 21,144.23
<b>Weekly average deficit:</b>	<b>\$ 2,990.64</b>
Monthly Mortgage Interest	\$ 18,542.09
Mortgage Principal	<u>\$ 16,585.47</u>
Total Payment	\$ 35,127.56
 Total Mortgage debt:	 \$3,406,569.17

Offertory for:  
November 8, 2009  
Sunday Offering: **\$16,283.91**  
Debt Reduction Fund: **\$3,648.49**  
Thank you for your generosity.



**Feeding the Hungry**

Our next **St. Paul Food Collection** to assist our Latino brothers and sisters will be held this weekend November 14th & 15th. Some great items to consider are powdered milk, juice boxes, fruit snacks, beans, rice, sugar, peanut butter, canned meats, spaghetti, oil, instant potatoes, masa for tortillas and toilet paper. Please note that this special food collection is taken up the 3rd weekend of each month. Thank you all for your kindness, generosity and openness in helping to continue our mission to put an end to hunger!

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR  
NEWLY BAPTIZED AND TO THEIR FAMILIES**  
*Oriana Zavala Green  
Elizabeth Anne McClelland  
Abigail Gonzalez Zavala*

## SAINT PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

### Notes from Mrs. Mahoney

During the month of November, our children are focusing on the Corporal Work of Mercy of feeding the hungry and by following Jesus' teaching of helping others by collecting food. Our children need to learn to respect and care everyone especially those most in need. We invite everyone in the parish to join us and drop off food at the school for the poor before Tuesday, November 24th.



May God Bless you as we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving. We Thank God for all of you.

### SAFE CHILD PROTECTION CLASS

A Safe Child Protection Class is scheduled for Monday, November 16, 6:30-9:30 PM in the St. Paul School Library. If you are working with children or youth in **ANY** capacity here at St. Paul or in the name of St. Paul parish/school, you **MUST** take this course and complete a Volunteer information form. Due to the nature of this class, only those over the age of 18 should be in attendance. **NO** children, please. Any questions, please call Dena Sierocki at 638-9327.

### Remembering our Dearly Beloved Family Members and Friends

As a reminder to all of our parish community of those who have gone before us in a sign of Faith, we ask that you place the names of your deceased family members and friends on the cream stock cards in the baskets at the entries to the church. We will place them on wreaths that will be in the sanctuary during the month of November. The envelopes of those of you who have contributed in memory of your loved ones will also be placed on the altar during this month of remembrance.

### 2010 MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions for 2010 will be available beginning Wednesday, December 2nd during regular business hours. Intentions will be scheduled for the months of January through June at that time. Due to the limited number of weekend Masses available, only one weekend Mass may be scheduled.

## FAITH FORMATION INFORMATION

### Our schedule for November is:

Sunday, November 15, 2009 - 9:30 am  
Regular Session  
Sunday, November 22, 2009 - 9:30 am  
Regular Session with Thanksgiving Prayer Service  
Sunday, November 29, 2009 - No Session  
Thanksgiving Holiday

Much Peace and Blessing on you and your families!

## YOUTH NEWS NOW...

This past Saturday, **Confirmation Youth** spent some time up in Washington, NC at the Angel Wing food pantry and the Boys and Girls club...donating their time and energy to helping others, something that Jesus asks of all of us. We want to say a super thanks to Laura McDaniel, Donna and Louis Simon, Mike Arkin, and Sheri Jutz for helping us get the youth there and for helping supervise over 20 young people.

**Confirmation and SPY** continue to meet tonight, November 15 and 22<sup>nd</sup>. We will be off on the 29<sup>th</sup> of November for the Thanksgiving holiday.

## 2010 WEEKEND MISSAL

The 2010 weekend missal is now available for purchase in the office, Monday-Friday, 8:30 AM-5:00 PM for \$4.00 each. A limited number of copies are available so don't delay.

## MOLOKAI - The Story of Fr. Damien Movie of the Month

This powerful film drama is the story of Fr. Damien, who went to the island of Molokai, where lepers had been exiled, to live in miserable surroundings. Damien earned the trust of the lepers, and his appeals for help resonated throughout the world. After contracting leprosy himself, he carried on working for his fellow lepers to the end. On October 11th, 2009 he was canonized a saint by Pope Benedict XVI. The monthly movie will be shown in the St. Joseph Chapel, Sunday, November 22nd at 2:00 PM.

**To schedule a function in parish space or activities in the atrium, please contact DEDDRA HICKS at 638-1984. Facilities setup should be submitted 3 weeks in advance of your event.**

SHARE THE SPIRIT

Beginning on Thanksgiving, November 26th, St. Paul parish will once again be able to participate in a giving tradition. We will be able to "Share the Spirit" with others of our community. There will be a "Share the Spirit" Christmas tree in the atrium, as well as one by each side entrance. On the tree will be gift tags. Each person or family takes one or more tags. The gift listed on the tag is to be purchased, placed in a gift bag with the tag attached to the gift, and the gift returned to St. Paul's no later than Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup>. That may seem very early.... but by having the gifts early, the agencies are able to distribute the gifts in time and the families are able to enjoy the season, knowing that there will be something under the tree on Christmas morning. Gifts will go to the Senior Pharmacy Program, The Eastern Pregnancy Care Center, The Coastal Women's Shelter, residents of local nursing homes and specific families.

In addition to gifts, there will be tags for gift cards. Although purchasing a gift card certainly isn't as exciting as shopping for that special gift, it will be well used and much appreciated.

Please remember to utilize the SCRIPT Program of St. Paul Education Center to purchase the gift you select from one of the trees. In that way you "Share the Spirit" of the Christmas Season with someone special AND help St. Paul Education Center in its mission to "Share the Spirit" with our children.

Volunteers are welcome and needed. Please contact Mike or Karen Moore at 252-672-0490, or in person. Thank you.



Giving To Others  
Giving Tree

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Due to transmission requirements for the our Sunday bulletins and the time necessary to properly proof the finished product, you are being asked to send bulletin announcements *no later than 4:00 PM on Friday afternoon*. **DUE TO THE HOLIDAY, ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR NOVEMBER 29 WILL BE DUE NO LATER THAN 4:00 PM ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH.**

Please email your announcements to Debi at [stpaulsecretary@suddenlinkmail.com](mailto:stpaulsecretary@suddenlinkmail.com)

### Join Us For A World Wide Hunger Awareness Banquet

The St. Paul Peace and Social Justice Committee would like to invite the first 100 individuals age 16 and over who place their reservation to this special *free* banquet on Sunday, November 22 at 1:00 PM

In the Family Life Center.

Sign up at the Ministry Fair or call the Church office,

Monday-Friday, 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM  
638-1984

### **St. Paul's Pride Corner** **The "New" St. Paul's Pride Hosts** **"LEFT-RIGHT-CENTER"**

**St. Paul's Pride is open to adults of all ages, but especially those who are young at heart. Each month we will meet in Room #2 of the FLC at 1:00.**

Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00-3:00, will be another Pride of St. Paul Social. Come join us for fun, games or just laughs and socializing! This month we will be playing *Left, Right, Center* which is a very simple game for 3-50 people. (Just ask those who have played!) Of course there will be other games and cards available and as always everyone is welcome to bring their own game. There is plenty of space for your Mahjong or bridge group or whatever. Refreshments provided. It's your time and your space so let's party! We will meet in the FLC, Room #2.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: There will be no Pride of St. Paul's on Tuesday, November 24th.**

**Mark your calendars!** We will be hosting a **Christmas Party** on Wednesday, December 16<sup>th</sup>. Our special guest will be **Sister Grace Campbell!** She is looking forward to joining us for fun, food and fellowship.

So... let's get together for some fun and get reacquainted with some old friends and meet some new people, too. Bring a friend or neighbor who might enjoy getting out for the afternoon-everyone is welcome! If you have any questions please call the office.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER**  
**The Family of Emanuel Estrada**  
**and**  
**Helen Jobain**



*St. Paul Church  
Ministry Fair*

**COME TO THE MINISTRY FAIR  
THIS WEEKEND**

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend the St. Paul Church Ministry Fair this weekend after the Masses. Come and learn about our many parish ministries, have a hot dog or pancake breakfast provided by St. Paul School and shop at the Fair Trade Gift Show sponsored by the Committee for Peace and Social Justice. Breakfast tickets will be available at the door for \$5.00 per person or \$25 family maximum. Hot dog dinners will be served 6:00 - 7:00 PM on Saturday and breakfast from 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM on Sunday.

**RAFFLE WINNERS**

Catholic Daughter's Christmas Boutique

Congratulations to our raffle winners:

Lou Colombo ... \$500

Edythe Colton ... Basket of Cheer

Johanna Davis ... Dinner for 2 at Morgan's Restaurant & theatre tickets

Donna Hunt ... diamond ring appraised at \$825

Belinda Swager ... Christmas Tree decorated by JCDA

Thank you very much to everyone (buyers, CDA, JCDA, K of C, maintenance crew, office staff, Msg. Lewis, and a special thank you to Father Paul for the wonderful opening blessing which obviously GOD heard) that helped make this such a successful, fun filled event. At first glance it looks like we grossed over \$13,000.

**BIBLE STUDY**

Deacon Michael Mahoney will present a Bible Study on 1st and 2nd Peter Wednesday, November 18th and December 2nd & 9th in the St. Paul School Library from 7:00-8:00 PM. All are welcome.

**PARISHIONER WALTER BOCK HONORED**

Since 1979 the state of North Carolina has annually selected and honored individual citizens who have exemplified an outstanding spirit of volunteer service to others. The honor, known as the NORTH CAROLINA OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD, is bestowed upon selected individuals at the County level. Walter Bock, a long time St. Paul parishioner and Knights of Columbus Council 3303 member and Fourth Degree Fr. Parker Assembly 1820 Sir Knight has been selected as a Craven County winner of this prestigious accolade. Walter will be officially recognized at a gathering at the Flame Restaurant on Weds. Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**SPAGHETTI DINNER RAISES \$2,507 FOR  
SPECIAL OLYMPICS**

On Oct. 8 Council 3303 hosted our ever popular annual Special Olympics Spaghetti Dinner at the Hall. Through the very generous donation, preparation and cooking of the meals once again by Karen and her wonderful Pizza Hut crew, and 325 volunteer hours from Knights, the Parish and the school, we were able to serve 564 meals, including 235 takeout orders. The founder of the event Andy Yandura was present at his usual position greeting folks and the many athletes as they came in. A special thanks to John Scarf who did his typically outstanding job spear heading the event which allowed us to provide a check to Special Olympics in Craven, Pamlico and Jones Counties for \$2,507. – Mikie Casem, PGK

*Please pray for the members of our parish who are hospitalized and for those who are homebound. We also ask for prayers for our relatives, friends and neighbors serving in the Military. May God bless them all.*

*Parish Council Members*

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