

Second Sunday of Lent

March 1, 2015

Parish Socials

Our monthly Parish Socials will be held after all the Masses this weekend, February 28 & March 1. Please join your fellow parishioners and visitors for delicious goodies, beverages and conversation. All are welcome!

Brown Bag Collection

This weekend, February 28 & March 1, we have our monthly 'Brown Bag' collection to aid the St. Vincent de Paul Society. All proceeds from this collection will go directly to the local conference, which is a joint effort of St. Paul's in Horseshoe Bay and St. John's in Marble Falls. The St. Paul/St. John conference serves only those people living in the 78654 and 78657 zip codes. The Society of St. Vincent De Paul thanks the parishioners of St. Paul for their generous contribution of \$1,752.64 that was collected on January 24 & 25. During the month of January, our conference assisted 29 families with utility bills, food and gas as well as housing expenses. The total expenditures for the assistance provided was \$8,322.64.

If you are contributing a check, please make it out to the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Children's Religious Education

St. Paul's Religious Education classes for children **will not meet** this Sunday, March 1, due to our Parish Socials. Classes will resume next Sunday, March 8 from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. in the Finn Center.

Confirmation

This weekend, February 28 - March 1, the Confirmation class is attending a Diocesan Retreat at Eagle's Wings.

Lent Events

- **Jesus, the Anointed One** – the ultimate priest, prophet and king foreshadowed throughout the Hebrew Scriptures. Join us as we deepen our relationship with Jesus Christ through Father Robert Barron's new DVD-based Study Program: *Priest, Prophet, King*. The program takes place on Thursdays, in the Finn Family Life Center, following the 8:00 a.m. Mass.
- Stations of the Cross every Friday at 5:30 p.m. in the Finn FLC.
- Following the Stations of the Cross on Fridays, the WWICS (Women Working in Communion & Spirit) will host a light Lenten Supper in the Finn FLC. Sign-up sheets are in the entryways.

Lent Boxes

The 'From Ashes to Easter' annual Lenten Mission project has begun. Each family is invited to pick up a special Mission box. Put in some coins each day during Lent and pray for missions worldwide. Return your Lent box to the parish on Easter. Money collected will help local missionaries and missionary projects from our diocese.

Ladies' Bible Study

The Ecumenical Bible Study Group will meet this Monday, March 2, at 3:00 p.m. in the Finn Center. New members are always welcome and may join at any time. Contact Claudia Haydon at c.haydon23@gmail.com or 598-9364.

Thank you for your very generous donations:

Regular Collection – \$8,775.33 World & Home Missions Collection – \$1,581.00

Daylight Savings Time Begins

Daylight Savings Time begins next Sunday, March 8. Please be sure to set your clocks *ahead* one hour before you go to sleep next Saturday night, March 7!

Knights of Columbus Meetings

The 4th Degree Knights of Columbus will meet this Monday, March 2, at 6:30 p.m.
St. Paul's Knights of Columbus Council will meet on Monday, March 9, at 6:30 p.m.

First Friday and Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday is this Friday, March 6. Mass and Anointing of the Sick will begin at 8:00 a.m., followed by Adoration in the Holy Spirit Memorial Chapel from 8:30 a.m. until closing with Benediction at **5:00 p.m.** (please note change of closing time). Everyone is invited to spend some quiet time with Jesus for a half hour or an hour. Sign-up sheets are available at both entrances to the church. It is imperative that at least one person is present at all times during the exposition of the Holy Eucharist. For more information, call Liz Zarsky at 512-784-9535.

Samaritans' Luncheon

Our monthly lunch group, The Samaritans, will meet on Wednesday, March 11, at 11:30 a.m. at Russo's in Marble Falls. The Samaritans are composed primarily of women and men who have lost their spouses, and they meet socially once a month to give support to each other. If you plan to attend or for information, call Ron Balsam at 693-3084.

WWICS Rummage Sale

Got extra stuff? - **we need donated items!** Don't forget that the Parish Rummage Sale, sponsored by the WWICS (Women Working in Communion & Spirit), will be held on Saturday, March 28, in the Finn FLC. This is a fundraiser to help pay down our loan to the Diocese, so please start cleaning our closets, attics, storage spaces, etc. and donate those saleable items that you no longer want or need. Details on when and where items can be dropped off will be in the bulletin in coming weeks. Also, plan to come to the Rummage Sale to find new treasures! Tell your friends!

Life Line Screening

This Friday, March 6, the Life Line Screening Company is renting the Finn FLC to offer health screenings. The tests are performed by professional sonographers using Doppler ultrasound technology. A board certified physician reviews all results before they are sent to the individual screening participants in about 3 weeks. Their mission is to make people aware of potentially serious conditions, and participants are encouraged to review the results with their physician. You must make an appointment prior to March 6. Flyers with more details are available in the entryways.

Liturgical Ministers

5:30 p.m. Lector – Rene Piffner and Jim Jamail; E.M. – Esther Ellis, Cheryl Zabierek, and Barbara Shields

Usher – Steve Zabierek and Jeff Rybak; Sacristan – Barbara Shields; Altar Server – Gary Olfers

8:30 a.m. Lector – Mike Brittain and Gayle Ely; E.M. – Francie Dix, Jackie Scott and Joe Zarsky

Usher – Jerry Pawelek and Jesse Castañeda, Jr.; Sacristan – Theresa Phillips; Altar Server – Fred Phillips

10:30 a.m. Lector – Diane Snyder and Paige Schweizer; E.M. – Robert Goodall, Grace Gless and Barbara Fuller

Usher – Bob Schweizer and Shelton Thibodeaux; Sacristan – Barbara Fuller; Altar Server – Denny Fuller

A Word from Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers

“It was necessary for God the Father to give a name to Him who is the Son of God. It was necessary that the Father give the name to His own Son, for God alone understood the consubstantial eternal Word, the boundless perfection of His divine nature and the unsearchable mystery of the Incarnation and His office as the Redeemer of the world. Therefore was this glorious name conceived in the infinite intelligence of the Almighty. Therefore was it declared by the ministry of an angel that He should be called Jesus because He will save His people from their sins. Therefore it becomes to us to honor and revere this name that comes from a source which none can be higher or more exalted.”
[Sermon on the Most Holy Name of Jesus]

If you have asked Father Hecker to pray for you or another person who is ill, and you believe something miraculous has happened, please phone Fr. Paul Robichaud, CSP, at (202) 269-2519.

St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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Thanks to the St. Paul the Apostle Work Day Crew
A big "Thank You" to the guys and Cindy Dewan (expert rock layer) for helping clear the lot beyond the parking lot and spread new mulch around the church. The guys included Mike Dewan, T.J. Trojacek, Joe Wilkens, Jack Gless, Phil Schoch, Justin Bochat, Joe Zarsky, and Dick Heilman. Also to Bill Bedortha and his friend Andy for helping move big rocks and leveling the area. We have more to do in March to finish both projects, but we made excellent progress. Thanks again.
Homer Ahr

Looking for a Summer Retreat?

'Have You Seen Him Lately?,' a retreat by Father Steven Bell, CSP, Father John Collins, CSP and Father Tom Gibbons, CSP will be held at St. Mary's on the Lake, Lake George, New York, from July 16-19. The cost is \$399 per person with a \$99 deposit. For more information, go to www.stmaryslakegeorge.com or call 405-420-8100.

Happy Birthday!

Our parish would like to wish a very happy birthday to Gerald Barton, who celebrates his birthday on March 1, to Mary Kay Otto, who will celebrate her birthday on March 2, to Patsy Wiley, who will celebrate her birthday on March 4, and to Mike Thuss, who will celebrate his birthday on March 6.
May God bless you all!

Weekly Mass Intentions

February 28	5:30 p.m.	For the People	March 6	8:00 a.m.	For the People
March 1	8:30 a.m.	Bessie Wilde +	March 7	5:30 p.m.	William (Bill) R. Robinson +
March 1	10:30 a.m.	Neal Kelleher Smith +	March 8	8:30 a.m.	Lois Thelen +
March 4	5:30 p.m.	John Monahan +	March 8	10:30 a.m.	Danny Akers
March 5	8:00 a.m.	For the People			

Prayer Requests

Please keep Bill Bochat, Taylor Zarsky, Justin Hopple, Lynn Blalock, Frances Hemby, Frank Matzinger, Nancy Hill, Sharon Leamon, Dr. Terry Turner, the Hugunin family, Chris Purcell, Curtis & Linda Neeley, Olene McCarty, Chante Moore, Bruce White, Jackie Blalock, Jerry Burditt, Totty Burditt, Bill & Kathy O'Hanlon, Maddie Haffner, Sonny Blair, Shelley Davis, Jackie Hampton, Jessie Bochat, Josh Smith, Joan Bliss, Gordon Schlagel, Sheri Wilson, Nicki Vosmera, the Snyder family, Danielle Hebert Mitchell, John Gentry, Martha Greer, Genny Dalton, Ed & Judy Steiniger, Phyllis Suter, Alessandro Crott, David Christopher, Mike Roye, Amanda King, Gary Garlett, Kathy Morrisette, Solana Brooks, George Engler, Kitty Sebera, Skye Laird, Bailey King, Anita Fey, Skip Grit, Brother Joe Barrett, Brother James McCaffrey, Lt. Daniel Browne (NYFD), Karen Vincent, David Dawson, Tom & K. K. Rice, Polly Denham, Samantha Gosselin, Sue Stubbs, Chris Bard, Spencer Davies, Charlie Campbell, James Bochat, Brenda Poe, Jeff Walker, Syl Brady, Florence Scott, Luke Balsam, Ginny Rhodes, Rebecca Butler, Patti Bright, Ed Maugham, Marion Kneas, John & Mildred Hayes, Tracy Wallace, Kaden Wiley, Gail Nickel, Bob & Cindy Bishop, Donna Travis, Paul Hellinghausen, Paul McLean, Sharon Mickey, Trisha Belota, Theresa Stuteville, Taylor Brown, Helene Moran, Eric Waltenbaugh, Arthur McGrath, Laura Koby, Casey Culpepper, Carol Kowing, Jack White, Sarah Jane Reardon, Chuck Burgess, Wendy Bedortha, Brenda Hebert, John & Marilyn Sheehan, Robert Mancini, Susan Schaefer, Tyler Buckley, Michael Matulik, Dorothy Havelka, Jeanette McLeod, Davis Drangmeister, Jennifer Ramirez and Kay Thompson in your prayers for healing.

Please pray for those in our Armed Services

Staff Sgt. Josh Zabierek	Master Sgt. Steven O. Wiley	Matthew Anderson, USN
Army Spc. Warren Andrews	Sgt. Adam Jones	SFC Erick DeAlba
Captain Eric Barton	SFC Mary McLean	Lt. Christopher Carr
LCpl. Corey K. Bradford	Staff Sgt. Adam Long	SPC James Balestrini
Major Andrew & Lt. Col. Maria Bochat	Branden Carlson	2nd Lt. Sean Zarsky, USAF
Aviation Apprentice Agustín Place-Knipe	Captain Eric & Captain Heather Barton	

MASSES

SATURDAY AT 5:30 P.M.
SUNDAY AT 8:30 A.M. & 10:30 A.M.
WEDNESDAY AT 5:30 P.M.
THURSDAY & FRIDAY AT 8:00 A.M.

CONFESSIONS

WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY - 4:45 - 5:15 P.M.

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TH 1:00 - 5:00 P.M.

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PASTORAL COUNCIL

President – Frank Trogus 596-8470

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Maintenance – Homer Ahr 598-2991

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Religious Education –

Music – Mary Williams 325-388-9120

The Samaritans...reaching out – Ron Balsam 693-3084

Social Activities – Mary Kay Otto 598-7539 & Josie Quinlan 693-2659

Finance Council Chair – Lynette Morrison 830-385-9080



**Lord,
your commandment of love is so simple
and so challenging.
Help me to let go of my pride,
to be humble in my penance.
I want only to live the way you ask me to
love, to love the way you ask me to live.
I ask this through your son, Jesus,
who stands at my side
today and always.**