

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 6, 2015



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Father Ruben Update

After his knee replacement surgery at Seton Hospital, Father Ruben is now at St. David's Rehab Hospital. He expects to be there from 1 to 2 weeks. He is doing well! St. David's Rehabilitation Hospital is at 1005 E. 32nd St. Austin, TX, Room # 412. The phone number is (512) 544-5116.

Change in Weekday Mass Schedule

Due to Father Rubén's knee surgery, he will not be able to celebrate Mass for several weeks. Our weekend Masses in September are covered, but we **will not** have Mass on September 9-11; September 16-18; or September 23-25 unless replacements can be found. Please watch the bulletin for further updates. For the duration, you are invited to attend Mass at St. John's in Marble Falls on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays at 8:00 a.m. Deacon John De La Garza will hold communion services on Wednesday, September 9 and 16 at 5:30 p.m.

Father Richard Sparks, CSP will be celebrating Mass on Saturday September 5 & Sunday September 6. Thank you Father Sparks for helping us out! We look forward to meeting you.

Knights of Columbus

St. Paul's Knights of Columbus Council will meet on Tuesday, September 8, at 6:30 p.m

Monthly Socials

Our monthly Saturday Wine & Cheese Social, sponsored by our WWICS group, will take place this Saturday, September 5, after the 5:30 Mass in the Finn FLC. Our monthly Coffee & Doughnuts Sunday Social, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, will take place this Sunday, September 6, after the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses. Please plan to attend and enjoy good food, beverages, and conversations with your fellow parishioners and visitors. All are invited!

CCD Registration

To start the CCD year, their will be a special children's Mass on September 20 at the 10:30 am Mass.

The children will be assisting the Mass to start the way for a successful year of Religious Education! After Mass, A Pot Luck social for CCD students, faculty, and families will be held on September 20, in the Finn FLC. Please bring a side dish, and the Parish will provide main course. Registration for CCD will continue September 12 & 13 after all the Masses. CCD will begin on September 27 after the 8:30 Mass. Families must be registered in St. Paul's Parish.

Brown Bag Collection

This weekend, September 5 & 6, we will 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. There is a great need for help for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul; their funds are limited and the financial needs are overwhelming. *If you are contributing a check, please make it out to the St. Vincent de Paul Society.*

St. Vincent dePaul Silent Auction

The St. Vincent dePaul Society is having a "Silent Auction" after each mass on Sat. September 12 & Sun. September 13 in the Finn FLC. The Silent Auction is part of our annual "Walk for the Poor" fund raiser. Coffee & Donuts will be provided, so come and enjoy browsing through auction items! We hope you will take some time to come see us!

Ladies' Bible Study

St. Paul the Apostle Women's Ecumenical Bible Study will begin on Monday, September 14, at 3:00 p.m. in the Finn Center. If you have any questions, please contact Claudia Haydon at 598-9364 or c.haydon23@gmail.com

Parish Mission

Save the date! Our next Parish Mission, presented by Paulist Father Terry Ryan, CSP, will be held from Monday, September 28 through Wednesday, September 30. The theme of the Mission is "Grace Is Everywhere," and will show us how to move through difficult times and into holy sanity through the use of contemplative prayer, guided by the spirituality of St. Thérèse of Lisieux. Mark your calendar and tell your friends!

Save the Date for Father Leo

Saturday, October 24, is the date for "Grace Before Meals," the 2015 community service event of St. Paul's Women Working in Communion and Spirit. The 11:00 a.m. luncheon event will feature a cooking demonstration and talk by celebrity chef and Food Network personality Father Leo Patalinghug. Father Leo's book, *Grace Before Meals* promotes a theology of food and the simple act of creating and sharing a meal as a way to build better relationships and bring families closer together. The event will take place in St. Paul's Finn Family Life Center.

Women's Book Club

St. Paul the Apostle Book Club has chosen *The Shoemaker's Wife* by Adriana Trigiani for our September selection. The book is available on Amazon, both Kindle and in paperback. If you would like to be put on the e-mail list for our club members, please contact Rae Sell at raesell81@gmail.com or 830-798-4321. The group meets on the first Thursday of each month, beginning this Thursday, September 3, at 3:00 p.m. in the Finn Center.

Baby Bottle Drive

Catholic Life Insurance and Highland Lakes Pregnancy Center will "Join Hands" for the Baby Bottle Drive on September 5 & 6. Bottles should be returned the next weekend, September 12 & 13. The Highland Lakes Pregnancy Center exists to honor the sanctity of life by sharing the unconditional love of Jesus Christ in guiding personal choices involving sexuality, relationships and pregnancy. Your prayerful financial support helps us accomplish our mission by providing services to our clients free of charge. We appreciate your prayers and past support of our efforts to be a voice for the unborn.

Parish Work Day on September 17, 2015 (Thursday)

All parishioners (men and women) are invited to help with a "work day" at the church facilities to perform clean-up and improvement projects. The next of these, on Thursday, May 21, 2015, will be "deep" cleaning of the SPA FLC. We will start after the 8am mass, and end by noon. If you can bring window, floor, and rug cleaning tools, please do so. If you would like to volunteer, please sign-up on the sheet in the back of church after the masses this and next weekend. If you have questions concerning this, you can call Homer Ahr (830-598-2991), SPA's "Maintenance Guy".

ACTS Retreats for Men and Women

The next Men's ACTS Retreat will take place September 17-20. For more information, contact Fred Phillips at 512-848-2474 or fphillip@ur.com.

The next Women's ACTS Retreat will take place October 22-25. For more information, contact Rene Pfiffner at 512-755-6148 or renepfif@gmail.com. Both of these retreats will be held at Eagles Wings Retreat Center in Burnet.

Samaritan Grief Support

Due to Russo's being closed September 7th -12th, there will not be a meeting in September. We will resume our schedule on Wednesday, October 14th at 11:30 am.

Music Ministry

Mary Williams is extending an invitation to any and all who would like to join the choir. She is welcoming ALL to come and Praise the Lord with their voices!

St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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Liturgical Ministers
5:30 p.m. Lector – Jeff & Esther Ellis; E.M. Emily Gaylord, Patsy Wiley, Rene Pfiffner
 Usher – Barry Zinz and Bill Gaylord; Sacristan & Altar Server – Jim Jamail
8:30 a.m. Lector – Valorie Becker, Gayle Ely; E.M. – Jane Marino, Francie Dix, Pat Heilman
 Usher – Jesse Castaneda Jr., Dick Heilman; Sacristan & Altar Server – Joe Marino
10:30 a.m. Lector – Sara Bray, Brian Limoges; E.M. – Eileen Fournier, Grace Gless, Robert Goodall
 Usher – Debbie & Tom Engler; Sacristan - Nonny Limoges: Altar Server - Guy Fournier

LifeLine Health Screening
 Sponsored by the Seton Healthcare Family, LifeLine Screening is again offering preventive health ultrasounds to detect your risk for serious diseases. Technicians will be at the Finn Family Life Center on Monday, September 14. Pre-registration for an appointment is required: call 1-888-653-6450 or visit lifelinescreening.com/community-partners. Flyers with more information can be found in the church entryways.

Happy Birthday and Anniversary!
 Our parish would like to wish a very happy birthday to Pat Cronin, who will celebrate her Birthday on September 7; Justin Bochat and Dick Heilman who will both celebrate their birthdays on September 8; & Barry Horsak will celebrate his birthday on September 10.
 Our parish would like to wish a very Happy Anniversary to Jeff & Esther Ellis, who will be celebrating their 47th Wedding Anniversary on September 7; and to Tom & Cindy Tucker, who will be celebrating their 48th wedding anniversary on September 8. May God bless you all!

Weekly Mass Intentions

September 5	5:30 p.m.	Anne Marie Beauchamp+	September 11	8:00 a.m.	NO MASS
September 6	8:30 a.m.	Sean & Hannah Zarsky	September 12	5:30 p.m.	John Monahan+
September 6	10:30 a.m.	Inez Felder +	September 13	8:30 a.m.	Cecelia Shetka+
September 9	5:30 p.m.	NO MASS/Communion Service	September 13	10:30 a.m.	Mary Kay Otto
September 10	8:00 a.m.	NO MASS			

Prayer Requests
 Please pray for: Father Rubén Patiño, CSP, Dr. Kevin Barrett, Gabriella Salazar, Jenny Ramirez, Don Wright, Norman Beauchamp, Ted Boyle, John Ahr. Barbara Erlenmeyer, Sr. Georgine Bires, Betty Bires, Katie & Peter Baker Sandy Lucas

Please pray for those in our Armed Services

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

Catholic Charismatic Healing Mass
 The Charismatic Renewal of the Diocese is celebrating a Healing Mass starting with Praise and Worship on Friday September 18, 2015 at 7:00 PM, followed by mass with a Healing Service. Join us as the Lord opens the Flood Gates of Heaven; this is our charismatic heritage beloved by Pope Francis. Expect Healing and Breakthrough as the presence of Jesus and the Holy Spirit bring us new wine. The Mass will be held at Cristo Rey Catholic Church, 2208 E 2nd St. Austin, TX 78702. **Sponsored by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Of Austin of the Diocese of Austin**
Contact: Christina Turullois #512-563-7851 event@ccraustin. Patsy Vinklarek, CCR Austin
www.ccraustin.org 512-291-8577

26th Annual Fried Chicken Dinner
 Holy Trinity Catholic Church at 700 Bessemer Ave. Llano, TX is inviting our parish to their annual Fried Chicken Dinner on Sunday September 13, 2015. Tickets are \$9.00 in advance or \$10.00 at the door. Eat in, take out or drive through from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Your ticket qualifies you for a raffle drawing! 1st prize = \$300.00; 2nd prize = \$200.00 and 3rd prize = \$100.00. You do not need to present to win the raffle.

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.
ADORATION
 FIRST FRIDAYS - 8:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M., FOLLOWED BY
 BENEDICTION

PHONE: 830-598-8342 FAX: 830-598-1274
 OFFICE HOURS: MTWF 8:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
 TH 1:00 - 5:00 P.M.

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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



A Word from Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers
Religious communities not being called to the accomplishment of ordinary work, they ought therefore to confine their attention and main activity to the one for which they were especially instituted. This distinct work must be kept clearly and always before the minds of their members, and be strongly grasped. It should be the great stimulant of their zeal, and inspire all their actions. All their endeavors should be devoted to it, and in proportions they are, their effects upon the faithful and the world will prove providential, salutary and successful. To be satisfied with any other plane of action is to grieve the Holy Spirit, to deviate from the path of perfection, and to become an obstacle in the way instead of a help to the progress of the Church. [On the Mission of New Religious Communities, 1876]

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.