

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 23, 2015

Ladies' Bible Study Luncheon

St. Paul the Apostle Women's Ecumenical Bible Study will have a pot luck salad luncheon **this** Monday, August 24, at 12:00 in the Finn Center. Books will be distributed at that time. If you wish to join the Bible study, we invite you to attend the luncheon. Additional books may be ordered. The 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.ehaydon23@gmail.com.

RCIA

The annual Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) meetings will begin again after Mass **this** Wednesday, August 26, from 6:15 p.m.-7:15 p.m. in the church sacristy. This initial "Inquiry" period is a time to reflect upon God and discern on full communion in the Catholic Church. RCIA is for all persons unbaptized, or baptized in another denomination, or Catholics who are baptized but have not received all the sacraments. For any questions, contact RCIA Coordinators Nonny & Brian Limoges at 806-570-8337 or nlimoges19@gmail.com.

Going-Away Party

Our parish is hosting an open house going-away party for our Parish Business Administrator, Gayle Ely and her husband, Chuck, **this** Thursday, August 27, from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Finn Family Life Center. All are invited!

Change in Weekday Mass Schedule

Due to Father Rubén's knee surgery on Monday, August 31, 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 2-4; 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.

First Friday

Also due to Father's surgery, we will not have First Friday Mass, Adoration or Benediction on Friday, September 4.

Chapel of the Holy Spirit Dedication

Our thanks go out to our generous parishioners who covered the cost of the icon mosaic depicting the Holy Spirit around the doorway of our Holy Spirit Memorial Chapel. The dedication of the Chapel, in thanksgiving for the Pastoral Ministry of our former pastors, Father Walter Dalton, CSP and Father Bob Scott, CSP, will take place on Saturday, October 3, after the 5:30 Mass. A reception will follow in the Finn Family Life Center.

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!

Thank you for your very generous donations - \$8,537.33

Church Email Update

Please note: the new email address for the church is stpaul@zeecon.com.

WWICS Board Meeting

The board members of Women Working in Communion & Spirit (WWICS) will meet at the Finn FLC on Thursday, September 3, at 1:00 p.m.

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 on September 3, at 3:00 p.m. in the Finn Center.

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.

Update on St. Paul's Armed Forces Honor Garden

It has been two months since we introduced our "Lest We Forget" statue and fund raising effort for our garden. To date, \$104,350 of our goal of \$160,000 has been pledged, with \$99,350 already paid. Most of the large dedication items have been selected but there are still many stars, plaques or paving stones available for dedication. The committee has selected Studio /16:19 Architectural Firm to continue with the design of the garden. We expect to decide on the final layout of the garden in the near future. Our hope is to be able to complete the garden by next summer.

Pope Francis Prayer Card

In the entryways of the church, you will find prayer cards commemorating Pope Francis' Papal visit to the United States. Please take as many as you need and pray for Pope Francis while he visits our nation.

Liturgical Ministers

5:30 p.m. Lector – Esther & Jeff Ellis; E.M. – Barbara Shields, Trudi Leddy and Jeanette Matzinger

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

8:30 a.m. Lector – Gayle Ely and Diana Virdell; E.M. – Jackie Scott, Theresa Phillips and Diana Virdell

Usher – Jesse Castañeda, Jr. and Bill Steffek; Sacristan – Theresa Phillips; Altar Server – Fred Phillips

10:30 a.m. Lector – Paige Schweizer and Robert Goodall; E.M. – Grace Gless and Brian & Nonny Limoges

Usher – Shelton Thibodeaux and Jack Gless; Sacristan & Altar Server – Guy Fournier

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

"The pages of the history of the Church teach that in every age she has had her saints and providential men. But in addition to these, at the beginning of every important or critical epoch, the Holy Spirit has called into existence Religious Institutions. The aim of these institutions, appreciating the aspirations and understanding the errors of their day, and guided by the instinct of divine grace, as to establish religious organizations fitted to direct aright the one and to refute the other. The same pages tell us that in this way these same institutions became more powerful auxiliaries to the Church in accomplishing her divine mission."

[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.



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Catholic Women's Conference

The 14th Annual Catholic Women's Conference will be held **this** Friday and Saturday, August 28 & 29 at the Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center in San Antonio. The mission of this conference is *to foster an appreciation for the personal dignity of women, to encourage women to know and love God, and to inspire women to use their feminine gifts to transform the family and society.* The cost is \$60, which includes lunch on Saturday. Brochures with more information and registration forms are available in the church entryways.



Lost & Found

Our 'Lost & Found' box (located in the church entryway nearest the sacristy) will be emptied on Monday, August 31. If you are missing any item, please check the box before that date.

Receiving Holy Communion

If you have problems receiving *wheat* communion hosts, please alert Fr. Rubén before Mass.

Happy Birthday!

Our parish would like to wish a very happy birthday to Mike Brittain, who will celebrate his birthday on August 24, to Sarah Thelen, who will celebrate her birthday on August 25, and to K. K. Rice and Pauline Kramer, who will celebrate their birthdays on August 27. May God bless you all!

Happy Anniversary!

We would like to wish a very happy anniversary to former parishioners John & Sharron Purtell, who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on August 21. John & Sharron and their family are attending our 10:30 a.m. Mass this Sunday, August 23.

Weekly Mass Intentions

August 22	5:30 p.m.	Bill Brittain +	August 28	8:00 a.m.	Mattea Cannatella +
August 23	8:30 a.m.	Ken Ziomek	August 29	5:30 p.m.	John Marr +
August 23	10:30 a.m.	Mary Kay Otto	August 30	8:30 a.m.	Beatrice Zarsky +
August 26	5:30 p.m.	John Monahan +	August 30	10:30 a.m.	Mary Kay Otto
August 27	8:00 a.m.	Betty Balsam +			

Prayer Requests

Please keep Jenny Ramirez, Don Wright, John Ahr, Sr. Georgine Bires, Betty Bires, Katie & Peter Baker, Anita Fey, Bailey King, Karen Hogan, Sandy Lucas, Stan Jakubowsky, Heidi Crowley, Frank Matzinger, Dan Simpson, Ted Boyle, Johnny Marabel, Chuck Burgess, Jeanette McLeod, John Hayes, Eric Waltenbaugh, Ed & Judy Steiniger, Jack White, Sue Olfers, Barbara Erlenmeyer, Frances Hemby, Gordon Schlagel, George Engler, K. K. Rice, Chris Bard, Paul McLean, Olene McCarty, Jackie Blalock, Myrtle Blalock, David Partington, Frank Maldonado and Father Ed Nowak, CSP 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	SFC Erick DeAlba	Lt. Christopher Carr
LCpl. Corey K. Bradford	Staff Sgt. Adam Long	SFC Mary McLean
Aviation Apprentice Agustín Place-Knipe	2nd Lt. Sean Zarsky, USAF SPC	James Balestrini
Major Andrew & Lt. Col. Maria Bochat	Captain Eric & Captain Heather Barton	Branden Carlson

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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PASTORAL COUNCIL

President – Frank Trogus 596-8470

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Maintenance – Homer Ahr 598-2991

Stewardship & Finn Family Life Center – Bill Bedortha 598-5930

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



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.

