

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time



November 1, 2015

Catholic Services Appeal November 7 & 8, 2015

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First Friday November 6, 2015

First Friday Adoration will be held this Friday, November 6th. From 8:30 A.M. and will close with Benediction at 6:00 P.M. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the newly dedicated Holy Spirit chapel. Sign-up sheets are available at each entrance to the church. There is ample room in the chapel for several adorers at any given time. Please try to spend some time with Jesus so that he will never be left alone. Please read the bulletin insert about Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Indeed, Our Lord will be waiting for you. For additional information, please contact Mary Kay Bedortha (830) 598-5930 or Liz Zarsky at (512) 784-9535.

Welcome to our Candidates

We welcome **Charlie Fox** and **Barbara & Russ Edwards**, our new candidates, as members of our community at St. Paul's Catholic Church. Together we will grow in faith as we share our experience of Christ. We invite all parishioners to pray for Charlie, Barbara and Russ, as they continue in the initiation process over the coming months, and to reach out to them as fellow members of the Household of Christ.

Memorial Book

As is our tradition, you are invited to write the names of your dearly departed loved ones in our Memorial Book, and they will be remembered at all our Masses in November. The Memorial Book is in the vestibule by the baptistery.

The Samaritans

The Samaritans will meet Wednesday, November 11, 2015 at Russo's Restaurant at 11:30 a.m. The Samaritans meet every 2nd Wednesday of the month. Please Call Ron Balsam at 830-693-3084 if you have any questions



Thank you for your very generous donations - \$7,007.00



In the next few weeks, please let the office know if you would like collection envelopes for 2016!

St. Vincent de Paul Society

This weekend, October 31 & November 1, 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 only serves those people living in the 78654 & 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. Every little bit helps! Thank you for your generosity.

St. Vincent de Paul has a client who recently came out of a homeless situation and is in need of furniture. She and her son live in a mobile home in Granite Shoals. They do not have any furniture, such as sofa, chairs, end table, lamp, small rug, kitchen table and chairs, stove or hotplate. She said she could cook in an electric skillet or small slow cooker. If anyone has items to donate please call Bill Bedortha @ 830-598-5930 or Doris Lewis @ 830-693-1927



Parish Workday Thank You

The Knights would like to extend a big "THANK YOU" to all, (too many to list), who helped at our Parish Workday on October 22. We cleaned the Family Life Center and setup for the WWICS event last Saturday. Our next Parish Workday will be Thursday morning, November 19th.

Helping Center Collection for Thanksgiving

The Knights of Columbus will be handing out bags next weekend to benefit the Helping Center, which is a food bank providing services to the needy in the area. Canned and packaged food products are needed. Please place your donations in the labeled bags and return them to church at the masses on the weekend of November 13-14. The labels will list suggestions for needed products. Thanks for your generosity.

Quarterly Pancake and Sausage Breakfast for the Parish

Please join us for a pancake and sausage breakfast, with fruit cups, next Sunday, November 8. Breakfast will be prepared and served by the Knights of Columbus continuously from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. This should accommodate attendees of both the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses on Sunday, as well as anyone else who would like to join us. FYI, we have invited members of the Church at Horseshoe Bay to come join us for this breakfast. Donations will be accepted. This will take the place of our usual "Donuts & Coffee" social on the first weekend of the Month! Come & Get It!

The St. Paul's Knights of Columbus Council #15365 will meet at 6:30PM on Tuesday, November 10, 2015, in the SPA Family Life Center.

"Grace Before Meals"

WWICS extend a BIG THANK YOU to all who volunteered to for the Fall Event, "Grace Before Meals". Father Leo was a delight and he had a great time with St. Paul's Parishioners! The WWICS will update the Parish with details! Debbie Frazier, the Chair for the event, extends her thanks to the committee and the Knights! IT WAS DELICIOUS!

Music Ministry

Job opening: Piano accompanist to play for Sunday masses & choir practices. This is a paid position. Please pass around the word, there are many good players out in this area. This 2nd position is to share the piano playing responsibilities of the parish with our current accompanist – Amanda Schroeder. All interested parties are to contact Music Director, Mary Williams at jrmmwms655@tstar.net

Women's Book Club

St. Paul the Apostle Book Club has chosen for Nov. 5, the book **The Blessings** by Elise Juska; Dec., Jan. 2016, **Four Witnesses: The Early Church in Her Own Words** by Rod Bennett; Feb. 4, 2016, **Jesus of Nazareth** by Pope Benedict. Anyone interested in joining, contact Rae Sell at raesell81@gmail.com or phone/text 830-798-4321. We meet on the first Thursday of each month at 3:00 p.m. in the Finn Center. Look forward to seeing you all there Thursday, Nov. 5, 2015

The monthly Saturday Wine & Cheese Social, sponsored by our WWICS group, will take place Saturday, November 7, 2015 after the 5:30 pm mass in the Finn FLC.

St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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Weekly Mass Intentions

October 31, 2015	5:30 p.m.	Fr. Karel Fink+	Nov. 7, 2015	5:30 p.m.	Laura McComb+
Nov. 1, 2015	8:30 a.m.	Asher & Blake Ely+	Nov. 8, 2015	8:30 a.m.	Eunice Petrich+
Nov. 1, 2015	10:30 a.m.	Jim May+	Nov. 8, 2015	10:30 a.m.	Robert Miller
Nov. 4 2015	5:30 p.m.	Nageeb (Jim) Jamail+	Nov. 11, 2015	5:30 p.m.	Bessie Wilde+
Nov. 5, 2015	8:00 a.m.	Father Karel Fink+	Nov. 12, 2015	8:00 a.m.	Carlo Cannatella+
Nov. 6, 2015	8:00 a.m.	Paul McLean	Nov. 13, 2015	8:00 a.m.	Father Karel Fink+

Liturgical Ministers

5:30 p.m. Lector – Jeff & Esther Ellis; E.M. - Emily Gaylord, Rene Piffner, Patsy Wiley
Usher – Bill Gaylord, Barry Zinz; Sacristan & Altar Server – Gary Olfers

8:30 a.m. Lector – Bill Steffek; E.M. – Theresa Phillips, Francie Dix, Pat Heilman

Usher – Jesse Castaneda, Jr., Dick Heilman; Sacristan - Theresa Phillips; Altar Server – Fred Phillips

10:30 a.m. Lector – Sally Stemac, Diane Snyder; E.M. – Grace Gless, Tom & Marie D'Arcy

Usher – Ed Stemac, Jack Gless; Sacristan - Barbara Fuller; Altar Server - Denny Fuller

Happy Birthday !

We would like to wish a very Happy Birthday to Stan Jakubowsky, who will be celebrating his birthday on November 3. Happy Birthday!

Prayer Requests

Please pray for: Father Rubén Patiño, CSP, Dr. Kevin Barrett, Gabriella Salazar, Jenny Ramirez, Ted Boyle, John Ahr, Barbara Erlenmeyer, Georgine Bires, Betty Bires, Katie & Peter Baker, Olene McCarty, Jackie Blalock, Myrtle Blalock, David Partington, Frank Maldonado, Katherine Matcham, Judy Johnson, Anita Fey, Bailey King, Dee Fox, William (Bill) Hutt, Amie Ghormley, Judy & Ed Steiniger, Dylan Wolfe, Mary Grace Copa, George Engler, Debbie Record, Mistee Gonzales, Don & Linda Adams & family, Paul McLean, KK Rice, Sue Moss, Brenda Keller, Vincent Seik, Mildred & John Hayes, Rebecca Butler, Jay Hundley, Rose Walsh, Rae Sell, Stacey Ashabranner, Father Isidore Ndagizimana.

Thank you, Lord for the rain!

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
1st Lt. Sean Zarsky, USAF	2nd Lt. Hanna Zarsky, USAF	SPC James Balestrini
Major Andrew & Lt. Col. Maria Bochat	Captain Eric & Captain Heather Barton	Branden Carlson

Bayside Bazaar Next Saturday, November 7

You are invited to the 15th annual Bayside Bazaar at Quail Point Lodge at 107 Twilight in Horseshoe Bay on this coming Saturday, November 7th, from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. This is a charity event, with proceeds going to The Helping Center in Marble Falls, which our parish also supports. Some of our parishioners are members of The Helping Hands Crafts' group which sponsor this wonderful Christmas bazaar, and who create crafts on Mondays throughout the year which are featured at this event. A few of our parishioners will also have exhibits of their original paintings, arts and crafts, and beautiful hand crocheted and handmade items, with a total of 17 different booths offering their unique handcrafted items with a percentage of these sales also being donated to The Helping Center. A silent auction is held yearly, as well, with contributions from merchants in the Hill Country, with over a 100 donations this year, making for some wonderful items upon which to bid. Delicious homemade soups and breads are served complimentary with your admission ticket between 11 and 1 with a fashion show at 1:30 with complimentary wine and cheese. All tickets sales go directly to The Helping Center and are available at the door for \$10.00. Door prizes are given throughout the day, plus raffle items are available too. Come and join the Christmas spirit by supporting this wonderful charity event. For more information, contact parishioner, Debbie Engler, at 830-596-7007 or at 512-755-1450

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

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PASTOR - FATHER RUBÉN PATIÑO, C.S.P.

DEACON - JOHN DE LA GARZA

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Music – Mary Williams - 325-388-9120

The Samaritans...reaching out – Ron Balsam - 830-693-3084

Social Activities – WWICS/Social - Claudia Haydon 830-598-9364



2016 Liturgical Workbooks are located in the front of the Church at both doors for Pick-up. Please sign that you received your workbook. Thank you for your Ministry to St. Paul's

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

"It will always be found in the pages of history that the highest civilization of a people springs from the purest inspiration of its religion, and that its most flourishing period is when these inspirations pervade the whole people...For advancement in the physical sciences and social economy, unless balanced and guided by the principles of religion and morality, do not ameliorate but deteriorate the condition of the human race" [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 Father Paul Robichaud, CSP, at 202-269-2519 and tell him your story.