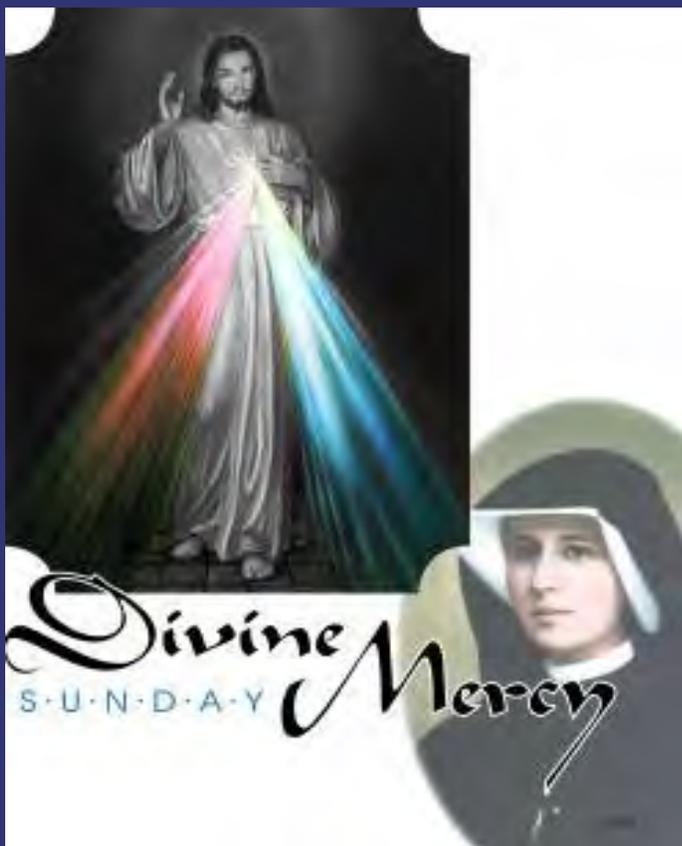


SAINT PAUL



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

193 Wyckoff Avenue, Ramsey, NJ 07446
Parish Center: 201.327.0976 // Fax: 201.327.6197



APRIL 23, 2017

Schedule of Masses

Saturday: 9 am

Saturday Eve: 5 pm (Sunday
Obligation)

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9 am, 10:30 am, &
12 pm

Weekdays: Monday-Friday 7:30 am &
12 pm

Holy Days: 7:30 am, Noon & 7:30 pm

National Holidays: 9:00 am

Spanish Mass: 7:00 pm, Second
Saturday Each Month

The Parish is Served by

Rev. John Gabriel, *Pastor*

Rev. Paul Houlis, *Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Stefano Hong, *Parochial Vicar*

Mr. Tom Flanagan, *Deacon*

Mr. Jeremiah K. Rehse, *Deacon*

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SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER
(SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, April 24

7:30AM **Maria Franco** ~ *The Franco Family*

12:00PM **Joseph Gallagher** ~ *The Lynch Family*

TUESDAY, April 25 ~ St. Mark

7:30AM **Novena of Masses**

12:00PM **Don Markey** ~ *Pat & Frank McMahon*

WEDNESDAY, April 26

7:30AM **Angie Scazafave** ~ *The Sileo Family*

12:00PM **Theresa & George Pullets** ~ *The Flynn Family*

THURSDAY, April 27

7:30AM **Novena of Masses**

12:00PM **Rev. James O'Neill**

FRIDAY, April 28

7:30AM **Don Markey** ~ *Cathy & Joe Lynch*

12:00PM **Robert Spittel** ~ *Marguerite Spittel*

SATURDAY, April 29 ~ St. Catherine of Siena

9:00AM **Novena of Masses**

5:00PM **Marian & Dick Silvia** ~ *Richard & Terry Silvoia*

SUNDAY, April 30 ~ Third Sunday of Easter

7:30AM **William Kilduff** ~ *The O'Dowd Family*

9:00AM **People of Parish**

10:30AM **Anthony Riccardi** ~ *Hank & Rose Enberg*

12:00PM **Robert Hoffman** (10th Anniversary) ~ *Joyce Hoffman*

DIVINE MERCY

The Feast of Divine Mercy



Today, Divine Mercy Sunday, celebrates the great graces that are available to us through our Risen Lord's victory over sin, death, and satan. Our Lord gave revelations about His mercy to St. Faustina, including the flood of mercy which is available on this day "for all souls, especially for poor sinners":

"On one occasion, I heard these words': *My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and a shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come forth from the very depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is my desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it returns to the Fount of My Mercy.*

(Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska, 699)

DEVOTIONS AND MEMORIALS

To have a loved one remembered please call the Parish Center Sanctuary Lamp ~ Bread and Wine



SANCTUARY LAMP

Shereen Shafik ~ *Quinn Burns & Family*

PRAYER REQUESTS

Military

All the women & men who serve in our armed forces.

Sick

Venessa Perkins, Baby Kennedy Perkins, John Pullaro, Baby Tommy Fitzpatrick, Joseph Russo, Bruce Johnson, Lenny Alcaro & Paul Huot.

For those names that are listed on the altar.

Deceased

Harley L. Detweiler, Samuel W. Berman, Albina M. Wenthen, Mary Ann Riff, Joan Ross, Michael Mazzola, & Paula Cameron.

LIVING ROSARY AND MAY CROWNING

A Candlelight Living Rosary and May Crowning honoring Mary – Mother of God, and our Mother – will be held on **Monday, May 1st at 7 pm in the Church**. A Living Rosary is a beautiful spiritual evening for the entire family, where the Holy Rosary is prayed using candlelight and musical accompaniment.

All are invited to participate in this evening of prayer and tradition of our Catholic faith.

Children receiving the sacrament of First Communion are invited to take a special role in the May Crowning.

Children participating must sign up in advance.

Please email Diane: the3flynn@aol.com.

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parish Family,

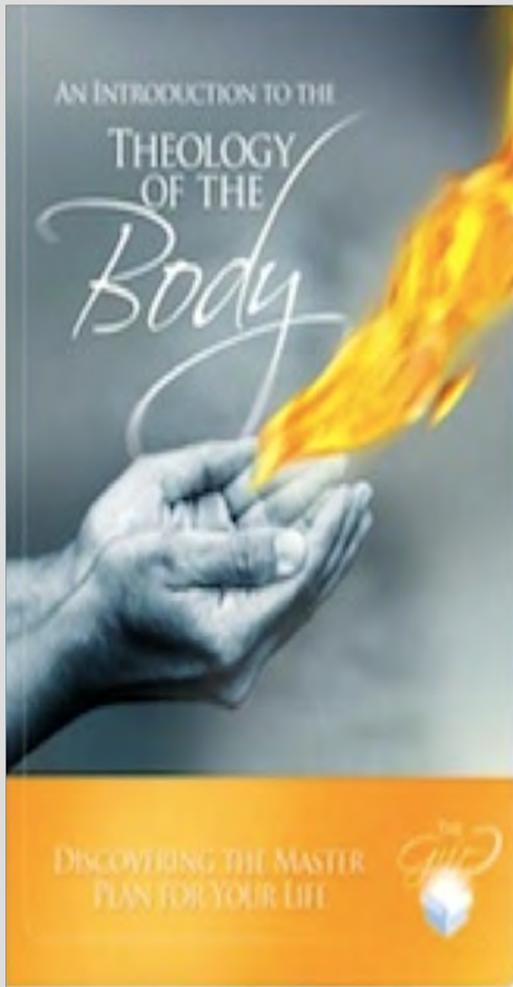
When we reflect on the testimony of Holy Scripture regarding the Resurrection appearances of Jesus, we find a detail in these stories that may seem strange to us but was of utmost importance to the evangelists and early Church: *they all want to be sure that we understand that the Risen Lord was not a ghost or hallucination*, that His resurrected body was a physical reality that they could touch. To be sure, His resurrected Body wasn't exactly the same as His body before the resurrection: after all, He was able to walk through locked doors! Nevertheless, He also asked for food to eat (and ate it in their presence), and when Thomas doubted that He was alive, Christ allowed him to place his hands in His wounds and believe. Isn't it amazing the lengths God would go to show His high regard for the human body? At Christmas He took on one Himself, and at Easter He came to redeem it. The body in which your soul resides right at this moment with all of its problems and challenges and qualities: small or big, plump or skinny, bald or abounding in golden locks, healthy or sick, ripped with muscles or sagging with cellulite.....**your body is sacred!** As a Temple of the Holy Spirit, there is something special about you that transcends the temporary properties of this earth! Our faith tells us that at the time of our death, each of us will receive our particular judgment and our souls will be on their way to their eternal destination. But for those souls in heaven, on the Last Day when Christ comes again to earth and time is no more, our physical bodies will be resurrected and we will be reunited with our souls. All human beings except one will experience this: the exception is the Blessed Virgin Mary for whom this amazing reality has already taken place (we call it *Mary's Assumption* when she was assumed body and soul into heaven). *What a glorious destiny awaits those who are faithful to Christ and live in His love!*

Once you understand this, it becomes clearer to you why the Church makes such a big deal about the human body. Issues of human life, the meaning and experience of death, and our beliefs about the innate holiness of our sexuality when expressed according to the plan of God, are not just incidental to our faith nor are they outside of the proper arena in which the Church has the obligation to teach. Although the Church has believed what it believes about the human body from the beginning, one of the clearest and most astounding teachings on the human body in our own time comes to us from *Pope St. John Paul II*. During the course of three years of his pontificate, the Pope taught every Wednesday morning at the General Audience in the Vatican on the meaning of the human body. This collective of teachings that build on the Holy Scriptures as well as the consistent teachings of the Church have been called the *Theology of the Body*. A theology is a teaching about God- the premise of the Pope's teaching is that we can come to know something about the very nature of God Himself by understanding our own bodies, how we are made, how they function, and how we relate to one another. If you've ever wondered why the Church teaches what it does on current hot topic issues such as abortion, euthanasia, new definitions of marriage and gender (even when the prevailing culture ridicules and attacks us), an understanding of the Theology of the Body can be a key to help unlock the beauty of what we believe that transcend the whims and fads of culture. Father Paul and I will each be leading four sessions on the Theology of the Body (every other week) to help us learn more about this teaching and how it can be the foundation out of which we can understand so many other issues. Schedules can be found elsewhere in this bulletin or on our website, or by calling the Parish Office. It is our hope that many of you will take the time to learn more about what your Church teaches, not from the New York Times or CNN or from your neighbor down the street, but from the Church herself. Our teachings often don't make good soundbites, because they are not just emotion-based, we need to put time and effort into understanding them in light of scripture, faith, anthropology, philosophy, and theology. But when we truly understand them they can transform our lives and help us articulate the truth to the people of our own time and place. Please consider joining us! Hope to see you!

*In His love,
Father John*

"AN INTRODUCTION TO THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY"

Facilitated by Fr. John and Fr. Paul



**Are you the person you want to be?
Are you happy and fulfilled?**

DISCOVER THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY!

If you're wondering if there's more to life than just "getting by" and are ready to focus on what really matters, then discover the extraordinary Catholic teaching known as the Theology of the Body. It will give you a revolutionary and fulfilling vision for life, as it offers you a new way to authentically see yourself, your faith, your relationships and your world.

Given to us by Pope John Paul II, the Theology of the Body is renewing marriages, awakening vocations, healing deep personal wounds, and setting people free to live the life of greatness to which we are all called.

In *An Introduction to the Theology of the Body*, an adult faith formation program, best-selling author and theologian Christopher West unfolds God's amazing plan for humanity as he addresses the most fundamental and universal questions, including:

- What is my life's purpose?
- What does it mean to be "made in the image and likeness of God?"
- What is the real meaning of my sexuality?
- How can I find happiness and fulfillment?

If you desire to discover and live out the fullest meaning and purpose of your life, then this study is for you!



Christopher West

Christopher West is recognized around the world for his work teaching and promoting John Paul II's Theology of the Body. He is the best-selling author of several books, a syndicated columnist, and one of the most sought-after speakers in the Church today.

This course will take place in (4) sessions all held in the School Library. Each week the same content will be presented in the sessions facilitated by Fr. John and Fr. Paul. **Cost of Book \$16.00 (cash or check made out to St Paul Church). Please Print Clearly and fill out the registration form below and deposit your registration form in the boxes at the doors of the church, or bring your form to the Parish Center by Monday April 24.** Any questions can be directed to Anne Palladino at 201-394-7375 or email at: annaitalia20@aol.com.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Phone: _____

Email :(PRINT CLEARLY) _____

Please indicate your session preference (Choose one)

Tuesday Evenings with Fr. John
7:30 - 9:30pm - School Library
Dates: 4/25, 5/9, 5/23, 6/6

Friday Evenings with Fr. Paul
7:30pm - 9:30pm - School Library
Dates: 4/28, 5/12, 6/2, 6/9

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY



On Saturday, April 29th, the Young Adult Ministry will be going into New York City to feed the homeless with New York City Relief. New York City Relief is a missionary organization that serves homeless via mobile relief bus in New York City and New Jersey. Only 10 spots are available. If you are 18-39 years of age and would like to attend this trip, please contact Fr. Paul at:

phoulis@stpaulrchurch.org or call the parish center A.S.A.P. Thank you.

Interested. <http://www.newyorkcityrelief.org/about-us/outreach-the-relief-bus.html>.

HELP NEEDED

St. Paul R.C. Church will sponsor a booth at the "Ramsey Street Fair" on Sunday, May 7, 2017 from 10-5 pm. We are in the process of forming a committee to help with this.

If interested, e-mail dschifano@stpaulrchurch.org or call the parish office.

SAVE THE DATE

MOTHER'S DAY – MAY 10, 2017

Do you have a special story you would like to share about your mother? Do you have a story about your own life that you would like to share about being a mother? Maybe a story about how the Blessed Mother has touched your life?

We are in the process of organizing our Mother's Day Evening - if you would like to be a part of it, please call Donna Schifano at (201)327-0976 or e-mail dschifano@stpaulrchurch.org.

ADULT ALTAR SERVER

Do you have an hour or two to spare to help with Funeral Masses? We are in need of Adult Altar Servers to serve at Funeral Masses at St. Paul Church. Training will be offered. The commitment is rewarding and only one - two hours per funeral. Please contact Jim Forbes at (201)825-0523 or the parish offices.

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

LET US PRAY: On this **Feast of Divine Mercy**, may all who suffer from the effects of abortion turn to Jesus, The Divine Mercy, and place their *complete trust* in His endless compassion, love, and mercy.

- **Come and hear the compelling story of Cheryl Reilly**, Associate Director, Respect Life Office,- Archdiocese of Newark, **Tuesday, May 2nd, 7:30 pm in the Church**
- **Join us at our next meeting Thursday, May 18th (NOTE NEW DATE) 7:30pm in the Parish Center.**

REGIONAL RESPECT LIFE



PROGRAM

Tuesday, May 2nd, 7:30 pm
St. Paul Church,

200 Wyckoff Avenue, Ramsey, NJ 07446

Hear the compelling story of Cheryl Riley
Associate Director, Respect Life Office- Archdiocese of Newark

Contact Information:

Diane Flynn: the3flynns@aol.com or
St. Paul Parish Center: 201-327-0976

Attendees: Regional / JPPII Group, Young Adults, Youth Groups, Confirmation candidates, Students, Parents, Students 8th grade and up

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED!

EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS

Thank you to all those who made a donation towards the Easter flowers used to adorn the Church for the Easter Season. The beauty and scent of the flowers creates an especially joyous environment in which to celebrate the Resurrection of Christ our Lord!

*Thank you for your generosity!
Have a happy and blessed Easter*

SOCIAL CONCERN

Food Certificate Program - St Paul Food Certificate Program currently aids 50 local families per month by supplementing their incomes with the donation of a food certificate. Donations towards purchasing food certificates are greatly needed as we have seen an increase in need for local families and a decrease in funds for the program. Shoprite of Ramsey offers the Parish a 5% bulk discount when purchasing our monthly allotment of food certificates. Your contribution will help us to continue our efforts in supporting local families in need. Please make checks payable to St Paul Parish and indicate Food Certificate Program in the memo section. If you have any questions regarding this program, please contact Elieen Wimberger at 201-825-0413.

Food Pantry - The St Paul Food Pantry is supported through generous donations from St Paul parishioners. The pantry is located in the front vestibule of the church and is available for all in the community in need. The Food Pantry is open on **Tuesday's from 11:30am - 12:00pm**. Please contact the Parish Center at 201-327-0976 if you need to make special arrangements to access the Food Pantry. Place all food donations in the wooden donation boxes located at the side entrances of the church. We are always in need of the following Items:

Juice, Ice Tea Mix, Snacks/Cookies/Crackers, White Rice, Canned Meat (Tuna, Chicken, Ham), Can Fruit (Peaches, Pears, Fruit Cocktail), Cereal, Peanut Butter, Spaghetti Sauce, Pancake Mix, Syrup, Soup, Canned Vegetables (No Peas Please), Paper Products (Tissues, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels), Bath Products (Soap, Shampoo, Deodorant, Toothpaste), Coffee and Tea.

Please no perishable items...

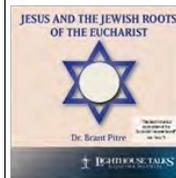
Easter Meals - Many thanks to all who provided Easter meals for the 25 families from St. Joseph's Church in East Orange and donated food certificates this year. Also, thank you to Men's Cornerstone for sponsoring 6 families and helping with loading the meals onto the truck. May God continue to bless you and your families with that same spirit of love and generosity.

Woodlands Food Drive - Thank You to all at the Woodlands who participated in the recent food drive, 10 bags of food, a \$15 ShopRite food certificate and a \$10 donation were collected for the food pantry

HE IS RISEN! ALLELUIA!!

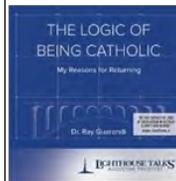
JESUS DOES SO MUCH FOR US! HOW CAN WE SHOW OUR LOVE FOR HIM?

Strengthen your faith. Gain a deeper understanding of the Mass! Check out the CDs, Booklets and Books located on the KIOSK on the CHOIR SIDE at the entrance/exit after the last pews. Some title descriptions are found below:



Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist-Dr. Brant Pitre (CD)

Dr. Brant Pitre uses the Hebrew Scriptures and Jewish tradition to frame the actions of Jesus at the Last Supper, and to provide a fresh look at the heart of Catholic practice – the Eucharist. By taking us back to the Jewish roots of our faith, Dr. Pitre gives us a powerful lens through which to see anew the bread of the presence, the manna, the Last Supper, and ultimately the meaning of the Eucharist.



The Logic of Being Catholic-Dr. Ray Guarendi (CD)

Dr. Ray Guarendi shares his story of how logic led him home to the Catholic Church. He found out that, contrary to his Protestant misunderstandings, the Church is coherent and never contradicts herself. Dr. Ray explains how the answers to his objections to Catholicism were both Biblical and believed by the earliest Christians. Explore the logic that led him to the fullness of truth.

Especially for Children



Amazing Angels & Super Saints- Episode 1-Cat Chat (CD)

Cat Chat is a Catholic Audio Show for kids ages 3-11 to help them learn and love their Faith like never before! Using prayer, great conversations, faith-filled stories, and catchy songs, each CD discusses the Catholic Faith while teaching kids powerful lessons for living out their Faith every day. Join Moses the Talking Cat, Papa, Josh, Hanna, and friends for an unforgettable experience!

If possible, donations of \$2 for booklets, \$3 for CDs and \$4 for books are suggested and may be placed in the slot at the bottom right of the kiosk.

WEIGHT WATCHERS

An ongoing Weight Watchers meeting takes place at St Paul on Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm. All are welcome!! For more information, call the parish office.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS



New Jersey Youth Rally, Six Flags Great Adventure

Sunday, May 21

The New Jersey Youth Rally is quite possibly the best way to kick off the summer! The Youth Rally gathers teens from across the state of NJ for a day of fun, sharing, mass and more, kicking off with a dynamic opening ceremony. Groupies then get the day to enjoy the park and all the rides. We conclude in the Northern Star Arena with mass celebrated by the Bishops of our State. Come out and enjoy all the rides of Six Flags Great Adventure and enjoy the day in the park with thousands of other Catholic youth! Registration fee and form to be submitted by May 9. For more information attend youth group meetings.

Mark your Calendar

Senior Night

June 13

Camping Retreat

July 14 - 16

End of the Year Picnic

June 6

Check Out Our Website!

Go to www.StPaulRCChurch.org, scroll over "Ministries", and click on "Youth Ministry" to get information about meetings, retreats, events, community service, and all the fun activities we do every year!

High School Youth Group

Meetings are scheduled for Tuesdays from 7:30 until 9:00 pm; gather at 7:15 pm.

HOLY MATRIMONY

Our Prayers and Best Wishes to

Donna Werger & Rey Cruz

who celebrated their marriage at
The Church of St. Paul
on Saturday, April 1, 2017 at 2:30 pm.

THANK YOU

Our community changed lives this Lent, and CRS Rice Bowl wants to say thank you! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl at the collection boxes located at the rear doors of the Church by April 23.

CELEBRATE THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FATIMA APPARITIONS

Join Fr. Paul Houlis on **Sat. May 13th**
for our kick-off celebration of the
100th Anniversary of the Fatima Apparitions:
9:00 am mass

Followed by a one hour program on Fatima

St. Paul Church and
St. Elizabeth Church invites you:
**1-day pilgrimage to the
National Blue Army Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima**
(Washington, NJ)

Sat. May 20th - 8:30am - 5pm
Bus departs St. Elizabeth Church parking lot

Cost \$35 per person
(includes transportation, lunch, snack)
First come; First served

Reserve your spot: 201-891-1122, ext. 260
dpomroy@saintelizabeths.org

**Join us in a day of prayer, reflection and
fun as we rejoice
in Mary's presence and maternal protection
for the last 100 years!**

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL

Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today! Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home missions because they are unable to fund essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support funds programs such as religious education, seminary formation, and lay ministry training to build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

STEWARDSHIP TREASURE

WEEKEND of April 8-9

\$24,217.00

\$18,715.00 Collection

\$5,502.00 from Faith Direct

**The collection for the WEEKEND of April 15-16
(Easter) will be in the future bulletin.**

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code:
NJ654 to sign up for Online Giving.

Thank you for your continued support.

Carnival



Academy of St. Paul

May 3rd – May 7th

Wednesday, 5/3 – 6pm - 10pm

Thursday, 5/4 – 6pm - 10pm (bracelet night)

Friday, 5/5 – 6pm - 11pm

Saturday, 5/6 – 1pm - 11pm (bracelet 1-6:30pm)

Sunday, 5/7 – 1:30pm - 7pm (bracelet day)

187 Wyckoff Avenue

Ramsey, NJ 07446

Discounted ride tickets available
until 4pm on 5/3 at the school office



Cub Scout Pack 175 Ramsey

**All Boys in the Kindergarten through
4th Grade from Hubbard, Dater, Young
World, LEAP and St. Pauls School
are invited to a fun evening
and to register your son for Cub
Scouts .**

When: April 28, 2017

Time: 7:00—9:00 PM

**Where: Eric Smith School—Cafeteria
73 Monroe Street, Ramsey**

**Contact : Patrick Pacenza, Cubmaster
cmpack175@gmail.com**

SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS ANNUAL APPEAL UPDATE



90 parishioners have made a sacrificial pledge to the 2017 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal totaling \$34,252.00. Our parish has reached 29.60 % of our goal. Please make a generous pledge today and help us reach our financial goal.

HIGH SCHOOLS OPEN HOUSE

1. DePaul Catholic High School

Wednesday, April 26, 7:00pm-8:30pm, Grades 7-11.
To register please visit www.depaulcatholic.org. For further information, contact Darlene Saporito at 973-694-3702 ext 442 or email admissions@dpchs.org

2. Mary Help of Christians Academy

659 Belmont Avenue,
North Haledon, NJ 07508
973-790-6200 // www.maryhelp.org
Sunday, April 30th at 1pm
You may register for this event online or by email to admissions@maryhelp.org.

3. Immaculate Heart Academy

500 Van Emburgh Ave.,
Township of Washington, NJ 07676
Wednesday, May 3, 6:30-8:30 pm
Online preregistration is requested at www.ihanj.com.
For more information, call 201-445-6800.

4. Paramus Catholic High School

425 Paramus Rd
Paramus, NJ
Wednesday, May 3, 7:00pm-9:00pm, Grades 6-8.
Admission Office at 201-445-4466 ext. 104.

PARISH SCHOOL NEWS



187 Wyckoff Avenue, Ramsey // Phone: 201-327-1108 //

Email: gritchie@academyofstpaul.org // Website: www.academyofstpaul.org

Academy of St Paul is our parish school! Make a Catholic education a priority for your family.

Academy of Saint Paul, a 2015 National Blue Ribbon School, provides academic excellence in an atmosphere of love and Catholic Christian values through scholarship, spirituality and service. Our rigorous curriculum and exemplary teachers prepare our students to take their place as faith-filled stewards in the Church and the world. Let us partner with you in your child's school success and in the development of their Catholic identity. Call 201-327-1108 to arrange a tour. For more information, visit www.academyofstpaul.org.



Academy Happenings

Academy of Saint Paul sixth graders enjoyed lending a helping hand to our parish during this Lenten season. They filled, capped and labeled over 750 small water bottles that were blessed and distributed at the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Masses.



ALTAR SERVER APPRECIATION DINNER

The Ramsey Knights of Columbus invite the Altar Servers of St. Paul Church and their families to dinner to honor the Altar Servers for your dedicated service to the church throughout the past year.

Date: Friday, May 19, 2016
Time: 5:30 to 8:00 pm
Location: 48 Mechanic Street, Ramsey, NJ 07446

The evening will include dinner and fun for all, with recognition of the altar servers.
RSVP with a count of family members to the Parish Office: 201-327-0976.

CALLING ALL GARDENERS!

We would like to plant and maintain a "St. Francis Garden" on the parish property behind the Church (near the well). The produce from this Garden will be brought to the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal to help them feed the hungry in Newark. A young man from our parish is going to begin setting up the Garden as part of his Eagle Scout Project. If you can help by tending to this garden over the summer, that would be terrific!

Speak to Fr. John for more details and Watch the bulletin for more information!

PARISH STAFF INFORMATION

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Rev. Stefano Hong, Parochial Vicar
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Mr. Tom Flanagan, Deacon
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Mr. Jeremiah K. Rehse, Deacon

John Nunziata, Pastoral Associate
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Donna Schifano, Director of Outreach
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Eric Erler, Director of Youth Ministry
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John Weiss, Business Manager
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187 Wyckoff Avenue, Ramsey, NJ 07446
Phone: 201-327-1108

Website: www.academyofstpaul.org
Gail Ritchie, School Principal
gritchie@academyofstpaul.org

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE

faithformation@stpaulrcchurch.org
Phone: 201-327-8010

Colleen Jagde, Director of Faith Formation
cjagde@stpaulrcchurch.org

MISSION STATEMENT

*We are Catholic Christians
who embrace the plan of God for our salvation.*

*We come together in faith
to worship in a loving community.*

*We are moved by the Holy Spirit
to witness to the life, death, and
resurrection of Jesus Christ.*

*We wish to live out the vision of Jesus
expressed in the Beatitudes
as it unfolds in our daily life,
through time, talent and treasure.*

SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Baptism

Parents, please contact the Parish Center during the pregnancy, or prior to adoption, to begin preparing for your child's baptism.

Penance

Saturdays 1:00-2:00 pm or by appointment.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick

At two special Eucharistic Liturgies in Church during the year. Visitation of the sick at home any time.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

For those interested in becoming a Catholic. Call the Parish Center for information.