

SAINT PAUL



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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



And coming to her, he said,
"Hail, full of grace! The Lord is with you."
But she was greatly troubled at what was said and
pondered what sort of greeting this might be.
Then the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary,
for you have found favor with God. "Behold, you
will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you
shall name him Jesus.

Christmas Masses:

Carols will be sung 15 minutes before each Mass

Christmas Eve, Sunday, December 24

4:00 PM Children's Choir

4:15 PM Mass in the Parish Gymnasium
Hosanna Choir

6:30 PM Organist and Cantor

Midnight Traditional Choir

Christmas Day, Monday, December 25

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, Noon

Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God

New Year's Masses:

Sunday, December 31

5:00 PM – Vigil

Monday, January 1

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, Noon

December 31

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, Noon

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DECEMBER 24, 2017

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, Dec. 25 ~ The Nativity of the Lord

7:30AM People of the Parish
 9:00AM People of the Parish
 10:30AM People of the Parish
 12:00PM People of the Parish

TUESDAY, Dec. 26 ~ St. Stephen

7:30AM Novena of Masses
 12:00PM Charles Babikian ~ *The Schifano Family*

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 27 ~ St. John

7:30AM Nancy Barone ~ *Bill Bella*
 12:00PM Don Markey ~ *Helen Markey*

THURSDAY, Dec. 28 ~ The Holy Innocents

7:30AM Thomas Skrobala, Jr. ~ *Cursillo Women's 4th Day Group*
 12:00PM Novena of Masses

FRIDAY, Dec. 29

7:30AM Thomas Skrobala, Jr. ~ *Yvette & Walt Milowic*
 12:00PM Nancy Vobornik ~ *The Beiner Family*

SATURDAY, Dec. 30

9:00AM Novena of Masses
 5:00PM Dorothy A. Fesen ~ *Donna Schifano & Family*

SUNDAY, Dec. 31 ~ The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

7:30AM People of the Parish
 9:00AM Ann Nolan ~ *The Schifano Family*
 10:30AM Gerard Smith ~ *Judi & Ugo D'Andrea*
 12:00PM Don Markey ~ *Walt & Yvette Milowic*
 5:00PM The Donnelly Family ~ *The Oberle Family*



Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God Mass Schedule

Sunday, December 31 - 5:00pm Vigil
 Monday, January 1 - 7:30am, 9:00am,
 10:30am & Noon

PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS

CHRISTMAS

Closed: Monday, Dec. 25 through Tuesday Dec. 26
Re-opening: Wednesday, Dec. 27 at 9:00 am

NEW YEAR

Closing at Noon: Friday, Dec. 29 through Tuesday, Jan. 2
Re-opening: Wednesday, Jan. 3 at 9:00 am

DEVOTIONS AND MEMORIALS

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



ALTAR BREADS

Theresa Varda ~ *The Hill Family*

ALTAR WINE

Pat & Harry Carannante ~ *Pat & John McKeon*

SANCTUARY LAMP

Mazie & John McKeon ~ *Pat & John McKeon*

PRAYER REQUESTS

Military

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

Sick

Kenneth Kase, Tara Sullivan-Via, Joseph and Ann De, Heather Sebella, Ava Richardson, Dave Columbia, Tommy Fitzpatrick, Beth Peterman

For those names that are listed on the altar.

Deceased

Christopher Zuza

ST PAUL FAMILY MASS

Sundays at 9:00 AM



Please consider joining our Family Mass

Come One And ALL:

Altar Servers

Greeters

Choir Members

Lectors

Eucharistic Ministers (18 and older)

Usher

Training is available to anyone who wants to participate in any of these roles

Please Contact us at:

familymass@stpaulchurch.org

Or visit stpaulchurchfamilymass.org



FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parish Family,

The famous French philosopher and atheist *Jean Paul Sartre* once (surprisingly) wrote a Christmas play in which he referenced St. Joseph. He wrote, "*Joseph feels himself slightly out of it. He suffers because he sees how much this woman whom he loves resembles God; how she is already at the side of God. For God has burst like a bomb into the intimacy of this family. Joseph and Mary are separated forever by this explosion of light. And I imagine that all through his life Joseph will be learning to accept this.*" I'm not sure why an atheist would decide to write about the interior life, thoughts and motives of a saint, but I am sure that Sartre got it all wrong! God is love. God doesn't separate or divide, God unites. He doesn't place people in competition with one another for His love. I will always remember the opening line of Bishop Flesey's homily when he came to St. Paul Church for my installation as pastor when he said: "*Satan has a one word job description: divide. The Holy Spirit has a one word job description: unite.*"

We know so little of *St. Joseph* from the scriptures, he's one of the key people in the story yet not one word he ever spoke is recorded of him. But we can know from his actions (and from the dispositions of true holiness) that he never saw himself in competition with the *Blessed Virgin Mary* for God's attention. Joseph placed his life completely at the service of God's plan. God's will expressed itself in one way in Our Lady's life, another way in Joseph's life, and another way in ours. Our holiness depends not on living out God's will for another person but rather on discerning and living God's will for us as individuals (as the popular expression goes: *to become the best version of yourself*). That doesn't put us in competition with one another in any way, each must find her or his own path to sanctity. In heaven we won't be jealous or envious of one another as we are sometimes here on earth. We will rejoice in one another's holiness and delight in one another's virtues. St. Therese of the Child Jesus called herself the "Little Flower." This is how she described her thought: "*Jesus set before me the book of nature. I understood how all the flowers God has created are beautiful, how the splendor of the rose and the whiteness of the lily do not take away from the perfume of the violet or the delightful simplicity of the daisy. I understand that if all flowers wanted to be roses, nature would lose her springtime beauty, and the fields would no longer be decked out with little wild flowers. So it is in the world of souls, Jesus' garden He has created smaller ones and those must be content to be daisies or violets destined to give joy to God's glances when He looks down at His feet. Perfection consists in doing His will, in being what He wills us to be.*"

As we listen to the Gospel for the *Fourth Sunday of Advent*, we see Mary doing God's will. We see Joseph doing God's will. We remember that we, too, are called to do God's will..... "*perfection consists in doing His will, in being what He wills us to be.*" To take one more step in that direction would be the best gift we could ever give God.... Or ourselves..... at Christmas or any other time of year. The poet Edgar Guest wrote: "*At Christmas man is at his finest towards the finish of the year; he is almost what he should be when the Christmas season's here. Then he's thinking more of others than he's thought the months before, and the laughter of his children is a joy worth toiling for. He is less a selfish creature than at any other time, when the Christmas spirit rules him he comes close to the sublime.*" Christmas is so close we can feel and smell it in the air! May the message of Christmas permeate our lives all year long! Merry Christmas (almost)!

*In the love of Jesus and Mary,
Fr. John*

Feast of the Epiphany Concert

Featuring

**The St. Joseph Pre-School Franciscan Sisters
along with The Stardust Big Band Orchestra**



When: Sunday, January 7th
Where: St. Paul Church
Time: 4:00pm
Cost: \$10 Per Ticket
Children under 12 Free

Tickets on sale at the parish center office beginning Monday, December 11.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration is a beautiful opportunity for quiet, meditative prayer before our Eucharistic Lord. St. Paul's now offers Adoration twice a month on the following schedule:

First Friday of the Month:

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration will be held on **Friday, January 5th, from 7-8pm** in the Church.

Third Monday of the Month:

Extended Eucharistic Adoration will be held in the Church on **Monday, January 15th, following the noon mass through 7:30 pm.**

Consider volunteering as a Substitute hourly Adorer; a sign-up sheet is located in the Penance Room of the Church.

MARCH FOR LIFE

JANUARY 19, 2018 / WASHINGTON DC

The **March for Life** is the world's largest pro-life rally.

St. Paul Church will join with St. Elizabeth Church, Wyckoff and 7+ other parishes in our area (Only) two buses will depart from St. Elizabeth Church

****Seating is limited - Sign up soon! ****

WHEN: Friday, January 19, 2018

WHERE: Departing from and Returning to St. Elizabeth Church, 700 Wyckoff Ave., Wyckoff

TIME: Leaving for Washington DC after 6am mass celebrated at St. Elizabeth Church (Bagels and coffee will be served in the morning, and a box lunch provided on bus)

COST: Bus transportation, Breakfast and lunch \$40



REGISTRATION FOR MARCH FOR LIFE RALLY, Washington, DC on 1/19/18

Submit your registration and payment at St. Elizabeth Church Parish Center (cash or check payable to Church of St. Elizabeth)

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

TOTAL # TICKETS: _____ @ \$40.00 PER PERSON = \$_____ ENCLOSED **CIRCLE:** Cash Check

Christmas Flowers



We invite you to remember your loved ones and other special intentions by donating towards the Christmas flowers used in the sanctuary. If you'd like to contribute \$10 towards the flower fund, fill in the information below, place it in an envelope with your donation and return it to the Parish Center or place in the collection basket.



Donor's Name: _____

Address: _____

In Memory of or Special Intention:



*Fr. John, Fr. Paul, Fr. Stefano,
all the parish ministries and
our entire parish staff want to
wish you and your loved ones
a very Blessed and Merry
Christmas!*

ST. PAUL MEN'S MINISTRY ANNUAL SOUP KITCHEN WEEKEND

On Friday, December 8th 100 men of the parish gathered for dinner at the Knights of Columbus hall for an evening of fellowship, good food and charity. Under the direction of Chairperson J.M. Nunziata and Executive Chef Mike Hornidge, the crew of cooks prepare a phenomenal meal. We appreciate the generosity of Woolco Foods (Matt Brogowski) and Marvel Produce and Mike Hornidge. The proceeds from the free-will donations funded dinner for 100+ guests at the Family Promise Soup Kitchen on Saturday, December 9th. Father Patrick led the men in pre-dinner prayer to get the evening started. On Saturday, meals were prepared and delivered to the Family Promise facility in Hackensack.



The photo of the servers includes Eric Smith Middle School students Cecelia Greenwald and Topher Nunziata and parishioners Noel McGuinness, Chip Greenwald, Deacon Tom Flanagan, Father Patrick, Brian Leaman, J.M. Nunziata, Art Keys, Dave Pritchard, Rob Maloney and Rob MacDonald.

FAITH FORMATION

There will be a Faith Formation Parent meeting on Wednesday, January 17 at 4 pm or 6 pm for all families with children preparing for First Holy Communion

You can attend either meeting, no need sign up. It will be held in the Academy Cafeteria. If you do not have child care, please bring your children!

Materials will be distributed, therefore it is crucial that you child is represented at one of these meetings.

SAINT PAUL BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
Matthew 5:4

Meetings are held once a month
The Third Wednesday at 10 -11:30 a.m.
Or

The Third Thursday at 7:30 - 9 p.m.

Meetings are strictly confidential. They will be held on a continuing basis for support, sharing and encouragement. For more information

Contact Linda Chiappetta 201-970-6548 or
E-mail at Bereavement@stpaulrcchurch.org

Morning of Healing: For Perinatal Loss

The Offices of Family & Respect Life are offering a Morning of Healing to support families who have experienced the loss of a child due to miscarriage, stillbirth or neo-natal death. We invite all parents, siblings, grandparents and others who are affected by the loss of a baby, either recently or long ago. Agenda includes: Presentations on topics specific to perinatal loss, small group discussions, a memorial service, resources and fellowship. Lunch and refreshments provided.

When: Saturday, February 17, 2018 at 8:30am to 12:30pm at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, 60 Byrd Avenue, Bloomfield, NJ Free of charge and babysitting is provided.

Must register online at:
<http://Events.rcan.org/PerinatalLoss/>

STEWARDSHIP TREASURE

Since we have to submit the bulletin early, the collection for the weekend of Dec. 16 – 17 will be in next week's bulletin.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: NJ654 to sign up for Online Giving.
Thank you for your continued support.

THERE IS NO HEALTH WITHOUT MENTAL HEALTH



Did you know that approximately 1 in 4 adults are affected by mental illnesses, such as depression, anxiety or alcohol and substance use disorders? Despite the prevalence of mental illness, more than half of people affected will not seek treatment. The primary reason individuals fail to seek the help they need is due to the stigma associated with the disease of mental illness. Such stigmas evoke a sense of shame and fear of judgment from friends, family and co-workers. These stigmas are often based in a lack of knowledge or training.

Earlier this year, Ramsey Mayor Deirdre Dillon, asked me to join a committee whose goal is to disseminate information and foster a stigma-free environment where people are free from judgment and can get the help and support they need. Through powerful words and actions, we aim to shift the social and systemic barriers for those living with mental health conditions. We are dedicated to raising awareness of the disease of mental illness and creating a culture wherein people who may suffer from a mental health disease feel supported by their community and neighbors to seek treatment without the fear of stigma.

Joining the Stigma-Free Initiative will: *Educate residents that mental illness is a disease and must be treated as such. *Raise awareness of the prevalence of mental illness in our community. *Provoke public interest in learning what is "STIGMA-FREE". *Provide residents an opportunity to become involved in their community. *Allow people living with the disease to feel supported by their community and thus decrease feelings of isolation and shame. *Link people in need to local mental health resources. *Raise awareness that care is accessible regardless of income.

Please join the campaign and sign the pledge. Visit www.ramseystigmafree.org for more information and details. Also, please visit Ramsey's school district website at www.ramsey.k12.nj.us and click on the quick link "Parent Academies" for a list of excellent and important Wellness Initiative events.

I'd like to personally invite you to a very important event taking place soon. Many of us remember Maddy Holleran, the 19 year old star athlete from Allendale who took her own life just a few years ago during her freshman year of college. Author Kate Fagan just wrote a book about her entitled, "What Made Maddy Run: The Secret Struggles and Tragic Death of an All-American Teen. Superintendent Matthew Murphy has invited author Fagan to Ramsey to speak about her book on Maddy. This will take place on January 29th, 2018 at 7:00p.m. at RAMSEY High school in the auditorium I think we should all be there, and if you have teenagers, please bring them.

*God Bless you,
Fr. Paul Houlis*

P.S. I am in need of one volunteer from our parish who can help me with the RAMSEY Stigma-Free campaign. Please see me for details

The logo for Ramsey School District Board of Education, featuring a ram's head and the text "RAMSEY SCHOOL DISTRICT" and "Achieving Excellence One Student at a Time".
BOARD OF EDUCATION
SAVE THE DATE
One Book - One Community Discussion
Author Kate Fagan - What Made Maddy Run
January 29, 2018
7 pm
A small image of the book cover for "What Made Maddy Run" by Kate Fagan is also included.

GIVE THE GIFT OF FAITH!

Stop by the KIOSK at the Main Entrance to the church for LAST MINUTE GIFTS for family and friends: Books, CDs, DVDs, Booklets, Pamphlets. Some ideas are:

Christmas:

1. Joy to the World - Dr. Scott Hahn (Book) - The Story of a Family

-the story of a father, a mother, and a child, their relationships, interactions, principles, individual lives, and their life in common

2. The True Meaning of Christmas - Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen (CD)

-reflections on the meaning of the Incarnation of Jesus, mixed with Gregorian Chant and seasonal music. It is sure to become a family favorite!

The Church and the Sacraments:

1. Religionless Spirituality: Why We Need the Church - Dr. Tim Gray (CD)

- the role of the Church as an essential part of God's plan for salvation, which is sure to help those who have left her, or who claim to be "spiritual, but not religious."

2. Why Go To Confession - Dr. John Fader (Booklet)

3. Reborn Episode 1: A New Creation (English with SpanishDub - DVD)

- the amazing power and relevance of Baptism

Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Joseph, the Saints:

Mary Handmaid of the Lord (CD)

St. Joseph, Our Father in Faith (Booklet)

Mary, the Mother of God (Booklet)

St. Joseph, the Patron of the Universal Church (CD)

Discovering the Biblical Significance of Mary (CD)

Meet Your Spiritual Father (Book)

Following the Call of Christ - Biblical Stories of Conversion (CD)

Saints for our Times - Jerome K. Williams (Book - English and Spanish) - St. Ignatius of Loyola, St. Francis Xavier, St. Teresa of Avila and St. John of the Cross

Prayer and Worship:

Prayer Time: A Collection of Catholic Prayers - (Booklet)

Power in Prayer (CD)

A New Hospital Prayer Book(Booklet)

21 Ways to Worship: A Guide to Eucharistic Adoration (Book)

Jesus In You(Book)

Children/Teens:

Meet Kids 4 Jesus (CD)

Glory Stories (CD)

Being All In - Eric Mahl (CD)

**BLESSED AND MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU
AND YOUR FAMILIES!**

GOD BLESS!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE:

DEC. 30 – 31

Saturday, 5:00PM

Eucharistic Minister: Richard D'Arminio, Mary Ellen Fine, Monica Heffeman, Mary Iorio, Karen Kurtz, Kathy Latz, Vincent Marella, Laurie Stephen, George Pillepich, Pat Reganato

Reader: Mary Ann Carey, Michael Cuddy

Altar Server: Benjamin Danlasky, Sub-Needed, Nora Lise Hamre

Sunday 7:30AM

Eucharistic Minister: Steve Bohmert, Betty Carroll, Frank DiMola, Jessica Evans, Diane Flynn, Campbell MacArthur, Noel McGuinness, Joseph Tredici

Reader: Walter Milowic, Patrick Mottola

Altar Server: Ruari Bamrick, Katie Evans, Matthew Evans

Sunday, 9:00AM

Eucharistic Minister: Michelle Alcaro, Marie Alliegro, Mary Lee Ciminiello, Jane Donnelly, Jim Forbes, Ed McDermott, Donna Romano, Denise Walter, Carol Meyers, Frank Meyers

Reader: Alyson Bolton, Madeline Rapp

Altar Server: Alexandria Asterita, Rhianna D'Silva, Samuel Rubin

Sunday, 10:30AM

Eucharistic Minister: Elizabeth Bradley, Judith D'Andrea, Helen Driscoll, Virginia Fleming, Vicky Galow, Andrew Meo, Aurea Rios, Nick Mangieri, Jennie Tynan, Tom Zanca

Reader: Michael Galow, Betsy Trum

Altar Server: Erin Carroll, Kaelie Mannion, Ryan Mannion

Sunday, 12:00PM

Eucharistic Minister: Cecily Avgerinos, Laura Bohde, Annie Chambers, Christine Kurnentz, Pat Longo, Cathy Losos, Stephanie Palumbo, Michael Spezzacatena, Douglas Doyle, Timothy Larkin

Reader: Mary Jane McGinley, Sub-Needed

Altar Server: Sub-Needed, Aaron Fisher, Vincent Tredici

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



The New Youth Group has meetings every **Tuesday** night from **7-9pm** in the youth room above the gym. Any high school aged student is welcomed to join us any time. We have fun, food, and most importantly faith. Come check out a style of ministry you have never seen before. You would have never guessed that having faith could be so fun. Hope to see you soon. Any questions please contact the youth minister, Craig Jandoli at craigjandoli@gmail.com.

PARISH SCHOOL NEWS



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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



The third grade recently learned about friendly letters. Each student received a pen pal in a classroom at Palm Pointe Elementary School in Florida.



They typed their letters describing their favorite hobby, something they've learned in third grade and some questions for their pen pal.



*Merry Christmas
from
The Academy of Saint Paul*

SOCIAL CONCERN

Christmas Giving Tree (Thank You) - Heartfelt thanks to all who participated in this year's program by providing hundreds of gifts for children in need, as well as those who donated food and gift certificates to many local families. Thanks to the students of Academy of St Paul for making the beautiful angels that adorned our trees. Thanks to those who helped sort and cart the gifts, with special thanks to Ron Cording and Company for delivering the gifts to Newark again this year. May this Christmas be truly blessed for you all. Thank You.

Woodlands Food Drive - Thank You to all at the Woodlands who participated in the recent food drive, 20 bags of food and a \$5 donation were collected for the food pantry.

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 arrangement 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, Snacks/Cookies/Crackers, White Rice, Canned Meat (Tuna, Chicken, Ham), Can Fruit (Peaches, Pears, Fruit Cocktail), 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...

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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.