

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 9, 2015

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Mass Schedules and other Services

Sundays	7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. en español <i>Children's and Youth Choirs</i> <i>sing first Sunday of the month.</i>
Saturday	4 p.m. [vigil] & 8 a.m. First Saturday
Weekdays	[Mon—Fri]— 8 a.m. in the Chapel
Holy Hour	First Friday 7—8 p.m.
Holy Days of Obligation	8 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Perpetual Help Novena	Wednesdays following 8 a.m. Mass
Morning Prayer	Mon. -Fri. 7:40a.m.
Confessions [bilingual]	Saturdays 2:45—3:45 pm

Faith Formation Ministries and Groups

Catholic Faith Formation D.R.E.	Sr. Katrina Quidlat	916.381.5200
Catholic Faith Formation	Aracely Narvaez	916.383.6719
Spanish Coordinators	Maria Consuelo Gutierrez	
RCIA for Adults	Phil De Leon	916.607.1645
RCIA for Children	Emilia Caoagas	916.849.5617
RCIA for Teens	Imelda Nanca	916.412-1904
Catholics Returning Home	Dale & Kit Yamamoto	916. 895.1441
Baptism Preparation	Dale & Kit Yamamoto	916. 895.1441
Couples for Christ	Billy/Virgie Monteagudo	916.682.6397
Young Adults Ministry	Kay NaRanong	916.425.4661
Legion of Mary	Paz Cajucom	916.682.8437
Vocation Committee	Frances Gomes	916.421.0300
Families in Christ Jesus	Imelda Nanca	916.714.0547

Social Ministries and Groups

Christmas Fair	Call the office	916.381.5200
Fall Festival	Heimericks/Cervantes	926.689.3932
Cultural Dinner	Guily & Naty Fontillas	916.362.7541
Parish Breakfasts	Knights of Columbus	916.381.5200
Religious Goods Store	Irene Ingham	916.689.2865
Yard Sale	Call the office	916.381.5200
Wedding Coordinator	Virgie Monteagudo	916.682.6397

WELCOME!

You are encouraged to participate in our many functions, events, and activities. We offer opportunities for parishioners to use the time, talent, and treasure that God has given them in praise and glory of His name through our liturgical, care-giving, philanthropic, faith-formation and social ministries.

Councils

Pastoral Council	Paul Pham	916.381.5200
Finance Council	Lennie Heimericks	916.689.3932

Liturgical Ministries

Sacristan	Bob Benton	916.425.7037
Youth Altar Servers Ministry		
Adult Altar Servers Ministry		
Martha's Daughters	Ja'net Blea	916.284.2008
Art & Environment Ministry	Becky Sliwa	916.381.5200
Eucharistic Ministry		
Hospitality Ministry	Ja'net Blea	916.284.2008
Ministry of the Word	Shirley Brown	916.612.7023
Ministry Sick and Homebound	Karen Hurskainen	916.688.0332
Music Ministry	Erica NaRanong	916.667.8088

Caregiving Ministries and Groups

Bereavement Ministry	Clara Heimericks	916.689.3932
Health Ministry	Clara Heimericks	916.689.3932
Loaves and Fishes Ministry	Diane Welsh	916.682.7810
Social Justice Ministry	Lorraine Latreille	916.363.0365
Pro Life 4 Life	Charlene Valine	916.682-0557

Philanthropic Ministries and Groups

Catholic Daughters of the Americas	Nellie Basquez	916. 381.1365
Knights of Columbus	David Santos	916. 276.2085

MISSION STATEMENT

We, God's people of St. Paul Catholic Parish In Sacramento, California, a multicultural, inclusive and welcoming community, inspired by the love of Jesus Christ are called: to bring all people of God together in worship, to declare our belief in God's love, based on the teachings of Jesus Christ, and to celebrate and grow in our relationship with God.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

- MON: 8/10 HELEN GALLAGHER †**
Requested by Karen Hurskainen
- TUES: 8/11 AMELIA SAN MIGUEL †**
Requested by Jua San Miguel
- THURS: 8/13 JOAN GRIME †**
Requested by Karen Hurskainen

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — After resting and taking nourishment twice, Elijah is strengthened to walk to the mountain of God, Horeb (1 Kings 19:4-8).

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

Second Reading — Be sealed by the Holy Spirit of God so as to be imitators of God and live in love (Ephesians 4:30 — 5:2).

Gospel — Jesus professes that he is the living bread and whoever eats this bread will live forever (John 6:41-51).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
- Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8; Dt 32:3-4ab, 7-9, 12;
Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
- Wednesday: Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17;
Mt 18:15-20
- Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-6;
Mt 18:21 — 19:1
- Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24;
Mt 19:3-12
- Saturday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7,
9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab;
Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
- Sunday: Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7; Eph 5:15-20;
Jn 6:51-58

MASS FOR THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

August 15th—There will be Mass at 8:00am for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

4:00pm will be our regular Vigil Mass for the weekend.

August 9, 2015
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

I am the living bread that came down from heaven.
-John 6:51

THE BEGINNING OF EVERYTHING

Everyone recognizes the truth of good proverbs, and so they endure from generation to generation. The Russians have a surprisingly bold one that fits this Sunday's Gospel: "Bread is the beginning of everything."

Judging from the first reading, Elijah might have felt that it was too late for bread—too late for life itself. This great prophet was at the end of his rope and endurance. Then, not one, but two angels visit him. One offers food and drink. The other gives startling directions. For Elijah, this food from the angels is bread for his journey. On the strength of the heaven-sent gift of food, he walks to the mountain of God.

In today's Gospel, Jesus offers himself, not just as bread for the journey, but as bread for life itself. He gives his flesh as life for the world. "I am the bread of life" (John 6:48). He is the beginning of everything.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITIONS

In an age given to slogan T-shirts, one of the last bastions of "dressing up" is the wedding. Everyone seems to stretch toward the old ideal of "Sunday best" for these moments. In our tradition, clothing is immensely important. Coming out of the baptismal water, we are immediately vested with a white garment. "You have clothed yourself in Christ," the new Christian is told, and a white garment is the token of being born into God's family. Sadly, this is the last time most Christians wear this garb until their funeral, when the family spreads a pall as a reminder of baptismal identity.

Increasingly today, we are seeing the alb as the proper garb for liturgical ministers, men and women. In ancient Rome, sleeveless tunics of varying colors were worn by everyone, and so at baptism the new Christians could be expected to wear their new garb under their everyday clothes. Sleeves were a problem for ancient Romans, who thought they were a barbarian fashion. As is so often the case, eventually the barbarians won the day, and by the third century the long-sleeved garment worn by ministers today was familiar liturgical garb.

TV MASS

The TV Mass for the homebound has moved to an earlier time slot. Mass time will be at 6:30am on KSPX channel 29. When you, or someone you love is unable to get to church the TV Mass offers spiritual comfort and inspiration. The Video of the Mass is also available online at www.HeartoftheNation.org.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Pastoral Council met June 15, 2015. Minutes were read, corrections made and approved.

Two signs, English and Spanish have been placed on the door of the "Cry-Room" asking parishioners to observe the rules when using the room.

The Bible Sharing Program, led by Lorraine will conclude June 28th. It will resume in the Fall.

There are now five crosses and a spare for the Vocation Prayer Program. Forms are available for sign ups.

Fr. Joyle reported that First Communion and Confirmation went well. Mention was made that there were not enough Extraordinary Ministers for First Communion.

Ann Viernes and Esther Conrad are chairing the White Elephant again this year. Fr. Joyle told the council there is a need for more fundraisers to defray expenses. The Mrs. St. Paul program is being considered again to help expenses for the Youth Program and general expenses.

Dale gave a presentation on last year's Luau. Goal for this year is \$6,000. net, and to sell 304 tickets. Tables reserved only if a full table is purchased. No tickets will be sold at the door.

The Parish Festival is coming up and the Heimericks and Cervantes families have agreed to chair it this year again.

The Divine Mercy Devotion program will be held every Friday at 3:00pm, beginning June 19.

SECOND COLLECTIONS

August 15 & 16

Church in Latin America

Proceeds from this collection go directly to support the work of pastoral projects in Mexico, Central and South American, and the Caribbean and support catechetical and lay projects, youth ministry, evangelization, and programs for religious, priest and deacons throughout Latin America.

September 5 & 6

St. Paul Building Fund & Capital Campaign

This collection will help provide funds to repay the funds borrowed from the Diocese to build the Religious Education Center. Parishioners who have pledged to the Capital Campaign may use the pink envelopes to make their pledge payments

MAY PROFIT & LOSS

INCOME

Offertory	\$ 39,242.67
Other Income	8,471.28
Religious Articles & Books	1,108.13
Religious Education	1,907.72

TOTAL INCOME

\$ 41,729.80

EXPENSES

Salaries & benefits	\$ 18,655.07
Buildings & Grounds	11,076.03
Religious Articles & Books	88.15
Property Tax & Insurance	2,400.00
Parish Programs	1,282.78
Religious Education	3,246.54
Diocesan Assessment	4,470.00

TOTAL ORDINARY EXPENSES

\$ 42,218.57

Net Operating income

\$ 511.23

Collections for May exceed budget projections resulting in a positive income of \$511.23.

ST. PAUL YARD SALE

Thanks go to Ann Viernes and Esther Conrad and all their wonderful volunteers for all the hard work they did in preparation for the Annual Yard Sale.

Thanks go also to all those who contributed items, and of course all who came and purchased these items. We raised over \$7,550.00

COLLECTION

	4:00pm	7:30am	9:00am	11:00am	1:00pm	TOTAL
June						
28	1057.00	\$780.00	\$1230.00	\$1113.00	\$629.35	\$4809.35
July						
5	\$1265.00	\$1609.00	\$1553.00	\$2183.00	\$529.78	\$7139.78
12	\$ 937.00	\$ 779.00	\$1233.00	\$1121.00	\$ 465.34	\$4545.34
19	\$1057.00	\$780.00	\$1230.00	\$1113.00	\$629.35	\$4089.35
2nd						\$1131.27
26	\$ 971.00	\$ 765.00	\$1232.00	\$1202.00	\$615.66	\$4785.66

SOCIAL JUSTICE

Really, Planned Parenthood?

When it seems the destruction of unborn children cannot get any worse, we only need to read the newspapers, or watch the news on our televisions, or follow it on our computers or cell phones, to see what is happening.

“When people are confronted with the brutal reality of Planned Parenthood ‘crushing’ pre-born children’s limbs in order to keep the most valuable parts intact for sale, the political-speak of ‘choice’ and ‘reproductive freedom’ don’t stand a chance.” (Quote from the president of “Live Action”) Our faith tells us that life is sacred from conception until natural death. What do you think about our tax money going to fund Planned Parenthood?

Water Appreciated

Members of the Social Justice Ministry continue to bring bottled water to homeless men and women. To all who have donated the water, or who have made a monetary donation for us to purchase the water, we say “Thank you.” We will continue to give out the water through the summer months. Containers are in the entryways of the church. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please put it in an envelope marked “SJM for water” and bring it to the parish office or put it in the collection basket during Mass. Questions? Contact the parish office during office hours (916) 381-5200 or Maria Reyes’ cell phone (408) 250-7442.

Pope Francis: Care of the Environment

Pope Francis’ encyclical, Laudato Si, on environment and climate change may be the first of its kind, but the ideas expressed within it flow from the deep well of Catholic teaching about ecology. As Catholics, we put love at the center of our faith. Love for God’s people, and especially for the most vulnerable of our sisters and brothers, is at the core of our Catholic teaching on the environment. We are called to live justly on God’s earth.

C F F NEWS

For new students, Baptismal certificate and Communion certificate (if applicable) must accompany registration.

If you are not a member of our parish we welcome you to St. Paul parish and invite you to register.

All children registered must provide a copy of their Baptismal record. Please call the office for any additional information.

Reminder: Catholic Faith Formation classes are designed for the continuing education of the Catholic Faith. This means if your child received First Communion this year and does not attend Level 3 the following year, then when the time comes for them to receive Confirmation the child will be placed back where they left off at Level 3.

Questions? Please call 381-5200 or email us at saintpauldre@comcast.net

REGISTRATION FEE SCHEDULE

\$95.00 Per student payable at time of registration

\$110.00 per student for non registered parents.

Other Fees:

Confirmation Fee (including retreat) \$70.00

First Communion: \$20.00

Classes will resume in September.

SICK PARISHIONERS & FRIENDS

Pray for sick family members, friends and parishioners.

Priscilla Wong	Iris Sims	Daniel Labrado
Victoria Vasilescu	Gertie Davis	Ellen Yee
Frances Hurskainen	Teresa Ziegler	Kay Green-Sutton
Daryl Stallworth	Terry Sanchez	Elio Chicca
Laura Guilford	Luc Kimia	Gregory Judd
Nora Ignacio	Mauricio Vargas	Sam Butler
Doreatea Viltz	Maria Elizabeth Soriano	Rose Malone Grey
John Jastraub	Jack Steele	Brian Meele
Shirley Robinson	Frank Farrell	Michael Delgado
Aurora Nicandro	Rodulfo Reyes	Thomas Mason
Lorraine Schaefer	Rita Chicca	Clothilde Harris
Jessica Lintag	Merle Eugene Kirk	Jackie Martin
John Rideaux	Wendy Patnode	Robert Aki Ito
Sandy Burgoon	Monica Cordero	Failey Segura
Audrey Falls	Rodrigo Reyes	
Dorothy Butler	Virginia Collier	
Bernadette Carrasca	Bill & Jean Hesse	

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Parish Breakfast

The next Parish Breakfast will be on September 6th in the Parish Hall from 8:30-11:00am.

Fellowship over Coffee & Donuts

The Knights will be serving coffee and donuts every Sunday in August. Look for us in front of the church or in the hall.

Join the Knights of Columbus

If you would like to find out more about becoming a Knight please ask any Knight, they should all be wearing their name badges, or call Phil De Leon at (916) 607-1645.

ST. PAUL FESTIVAL—SEPTEMBER 20TH

The Festival will be September 20th. It will once again include our famous multi-cultural food booths, live entertainment, children’s fun land, family activities and the Caballos Balladores (Dancing Horses).

Super Raffle tickets have been mailed to registered parishioners. Our Grand Prize this year is \$1,000.

Parishioners submitting their ticket stubs early will be eligible to win 2 free tickets to the Festival Kickoff Dinner, which will be on Saturday, September 19th.

Raffle tickets are \$2 each or \$20 for a book of 12. If you didn’t receive tickets, or would like some more, they are available at the Parish Office, Monday to Friday, 8am to 4:00pm.

Ticket stubs and payment may be placed in the collection baskets at Mass prior to Festival Day, mailed, or dropped off at the Rectory Office.

Mini Raffle

This year’s Mini Raffle will have a grand prize of 64GD Space Gray IPAD Air. In addition will be several dinners for 2 at local restaurants. Tickets will be available soon!

YOUTH MISSIONARY NEWS

Qualifications for Admission to SPYM:

12-18 years old, registered parishioner of St. Paul Church. Have a personal relationship with God, motivated to serve others, especially the poor, and be willing to share his/her gifts, talents and time for the ministry.

For more information contact:

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<https://www.facebook.com/events1543001669170057>

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Recent Bereavement

Please keep the families and friends in your prayers for St. Paul Parishioners whose funerals, or Memorial Masses were celebrated during the past few weeks,

Mary Fong, Marcos Perez and Roman Bachiller. Antonio Bueno. Guillermo Banda, Dorothy (Joan)Grime. Helen Gallagher & Emma Habagatt., Robert Peralta, Lawrence Martin, Benjamin Ferrer, Rodrigo Tavora, Anthony Barajas and Alisa Gomez.

May they rest in peace and let perpetual light shine upon them. For more information please call Clara at 689-3932, or the rectory 381-5200.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

St. Paul Marriage Preparation Ministry is pleased to announce that the UNITAS program will be offered again this fall.

The UNITAS program meets the requirements of the Diocese of Sacramento's preparation for couples wishing to receive the sacramental celebration of marriage. The last day to register for this session is September 7, 2015.

For more information please visit the St. Paul website or contact the parish office.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Please pray for the following members of our families serving in the Armed Forces

Gary B. Foster II	Stephen Rich	Don Jamoles
Jay Candaso	Janae Santos	Ryan Gandy
Norbert Mendiola Jr.	Brian Vergith	Cody Machado
Jeffrey Yazel	Martin Sinlao	Mark A. Ramos Jr.
Daniel Roy Ryan	Sergio Pineda	Cameron Lindsay
Robert Brich II	Ariel Rollins	Armando Asahan
Gregorio Rodriguez	Don Carlo Geroche	
Roel C.. Dones	John Marc James	
Ricardo G.	Ruben N. Libed	
Cervantes	Nilo Uy Villaluna Jr.	

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CENTER

When you see a member of the Knights of Columbus please thank them for all that they do to support our Parish. They meet on the second Tuesday of the month in Room 1 of the Religious Education Center. The Knights are active in supporting activities that help to make us a parish family. Do you stop for donuts on Sunday morning? Enjoy the parish breakfasts? Noticed how the trash is always picked up in front of the property on Florin Road? Have you purchased a sandwich, or beverage from the Knight's Booth at the Parish Festival? Have you contributed a turkey for the Thanksgiving Baskets and given it to the Knights? Did you know the Knights are sponsoring a Parish Youth Group Member to attend World Youth Day? The monthly contributions from the Knights are helping us reduce our Diocesan debt. The Knights are involved in almost every aspect of our Parish activities. If you are interested in learning more about them, contact Dave Santos at (916) 689-2858.

MISSIONARY—AUGUST 22 & 23RD

Our Church is missionary. From the beginning she has obeyed the commission of Christ to go out and preach the Gospel to everyone. Through the **Missionary Cooperation Plan** appeal our diocese organizes support for the missions. This year the Missionary Society of St. Paul will be sending **Father Evaristus Chukwu, MSP**, to be with us the weekend of August 22 & 23rd.

The Missionary Society of St. Paul (MSP) was founded by Dominic Cardinal Ekandem, and established by the Catholic Bishops of Nigeria on Mission Sunday 1977. The Society has 200 priests working in nine countries of Africa, and in Grenada and Bahamas, the West Indies, USA, Canada, England, Sweden, Ireland, Germany and Italy.

The MSP needs funds for:

1. Assisting in the care and rehabilitation of orphans and adults devastated by war and the AIDS pandemic in South Sudan and Malawi.
2. Training 100 seminarians, your future priests.
3. Supporting priests in the founding and building of new churches.

Your generous giving will ensure that the message of Christ's love reaches the poorest of the poor in the world. May God bless you.

We will have a second collection on August 22 and 23rd to support the **Missionary Society of St. Paul**.

Our Sacrifice:

Let us offer Christ the great universal sacrifice of our love. For he offered his cross to God as sacrifice in order to make us all rich. - St. Ephrem

Decimonoveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario 9 agosto 2015

EL COMIENZO DE TODO

Todo el mundo reconoce la verdad de los buenos proverbios, y por eso perduran de generación en generación. Los rusos tienen uno sorprendentemente audaz que le pega al Evangelio de este domingo: “El pan es el comienzo de todo”.

De acuerdo a la primera lectura, puede ser que Elías sintiera que era demasiado tarde para ser pan –demasiado tarde para la vida misma. Este gran profeta estaba ya al final de sus fuerzas y de su aguante. Entonces no uno, sino dos ángeles lo visitan. Uno le ofrece comida y bebida. El otro le da unas sorprendentes instrucciones. Para Elías esta comida de los ángeles es pan para su camino. Fortalecido por este regalo celestial de comida, él sigue su camino a la montaña de Dios.

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús se ofrece a sí mismo, no sólo como pan para el camino, sino como pan para la vida misma. Él da su carne para dar vida al mundo. “Yo soy el pan de vida” (Juan 6:48). Él es el comienzo de todo.

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Después de descansar y alimentarse nuevamente dos veces, Elías se fortalece para caminar a la montaña de Dios, el monte Horeb (1 Reyes 19:4-8).

Salmo — Haz la prueba y verás qué bueno es el Señor (Salmo 34 [33]).

Segunda lectura — Han sido marcados por el Espíritu Santo de Dios para que imiten a Dios (Efesios 4:30 — 5:2).

Evangelio — Jesús profesa que él es el pan de vida y todo el que coma ese pan vivirá para siempre (Juan 6:41-51).

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Sal 112 (111):1-2, 5-9;
Jn 12:24-26

Martes: Dt 31:1-8; Dt 32:3-4ab, 7-9, 12;
Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Miércoles: Dt 34:1-2; Sal 66 (65):1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17;
Mt 18:15-20

Jueves: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Sal 114 (113):1-6;
Mt 18:21 — 19:1

Viernes: Jos 24:1-13; Sal 136 (135):1-3, 16-18,
21-22, 24; Mt 19:3-12

Sábado: Vigilia: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2;
Sal 132 (133):6-7, 9-10, 13-14;
1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lc 11:27-28
Día: Apo 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Sal 45 (44):
10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lc 1:39-56

Domingo: Pro 9:1-6; Sal 34 (33):2-7; Ef 5:15-20;
Jn 6:51-58

LA ASUNCIÓN DE LA SANTÍSIMA VIRGEN MARÍA

Agosto 15th—Habrá Misa a las 8:00 a.m

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Los cristianos somos ¡testigos de Cristo resucitado! Testimoniamos todo lo relacionado con Jesús de Nazaret quien murió en una cruz, fue sepultado y resucitó al tercer día. Debemos ser personas que cantan y gritan ¡Resucitó, Aleluya! Tan importante es la resurrección de Cristo que, mientras tenemos cuarenta días de Cuaresma hay cincuenta días de Pascua en el calendario cristiano. Durante esta época, domingo tras domingo mediante la proclamación del Evangelio se nos transmiten escenas de Cristo, quien cada ocho días se aparecía a sus discípulos confirmando cada Domingo que en verdad había resucitado, instruyéndolos para que pudieran ser verdaderos testigos de su resurrección.

Y ¿tú? ¿Cuán buen testigo eres? Un buen testigo da testimonio de lo que ha visto, escuchado y experimentado. Para ser testigo de Cristo hay que verlo, escucharlo y experimentarlo. La Iglesia nos da la oportunidad de verlo, escucharlo y experimentarlo diariamente, en especial durante el domingo. Esto es posible sólo si durante la semana vives con el corazón abierto. Abierto para ver, escuchar y experimentar a Jesús en tu hogar, en tu trabajo, entre tus parientes y amistades.

II PASTORAL EN CONVERSION

No ignoro que hoy los documentos no despiertan el mismo interés que en otras épocas, y son rápidamente olvidados. Nos obstante, destaco que lo que trataré de expresar aquí tiene un sentido programático y consecuencias importantes. Espero que todas las comunidades procuren poner los medios necesarios para avanzar en el camino de una conversión pastoral y misionera, que no puede dejar las cosas como están. Ya no nos sirve una “simple Administración” Constituyámonos en todas la regiones de la tierra en un “estado permanente de misión”.

Pablo VI invitó a ampliar el llamado a la renovación, para expresar con fuerza que no se dirige sólo a los individuos aislados, sino a la Iglesia entera. Recordemos este memorable texto que no ha perdido su fuerza interpelante: La Iglesia debe profundizar en la conciencia de sí misma, debe meditar sobre el misterio que le es propio....De esta iluminada y operante conciencia brota un espontáneo deseo de comparar la imagen ideal de la Iglesia- tal como Cristo la vio, la quiso y la amo como Esposa suya santa e inmaculada (cf. Ef. 5:27) y el rostro real que hoy la Iglesia presenta...Brota, por lo tanto, un anhelo generoso y casi impaciente de renovación, es decir, de enmienda de los defectos que denuncia y refleja la conciencia, a modo de examen interior, frente al espejo del modelo que Cristo nos dejó de sí”.

El Concilio Vaticano II presentó la conversión eclesial como la apertura a una permanente reforma de sí por fidelidad a Jesucristo: “Toda la renovación de la Iglesia consiste esencialmente en el aumento de la fidelidad a su vocación...Cristo llama a la Iglesia peregrina hacia una perenne reforma, de la Iglesia misma. Papa Francisco, exhortación Apostólica



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Virgen de Guadalupe Ramona Cervantes 916.549.8114

Bautismos Diacono Ramírez 916.381.5200

Se necesitan ayuda en los diferentes ministerios y usted puede ser uno de ellos, por que "Nuestro bautismo nos llama a compartir la misión de Cristo". Interesados favor de llamar a cualquier persona de los teléfonos de arriba de esta pagina.

MATRIMONIOS Y QUINCEAÑERAS

Para mas información sobre estos eventos por favor comuníquese con el Diacono Antonio Ramirez al 381-5200.

AGRADECIMIENTO

La administración de la Iglesia de San Pablo agradece a todos nuestros feligreses que donaron para la venta de segunda, Aguas, comida, ropa de bebe y zapatos de niños y otras donaciones para los menos afortunados.

Dios nos aumenta en salud, dinero y amor, cuando damos a los demás y entregamos nuestro corazón.

INSCRIPCIONES DE CATECISMO

Lea el folleto que esta en cada entrada de la Iglesia..

Las inscripción para el Catecismo en español son martes, miércoles y jueves de 6 a 8 p.m. hasta el 20 de agosto. Lugar el salón de clase # 4.

Cuota de la Inscripción es de \$ 95.00 para estudiante que regresan y nuevos \$110. nuestros Sacramentos son de dos años.

SEGUNDA COLECTA

Agosto 15/16: Iglesia en América Latina

Los ingresos de esta colecta va directamente a apoyar el trabajo de los proyectos pastorales en México, Centro y Sur de América y el Caribe, también apoyar la catequesis y establecer proyectos pastorales juveniles, evangelización y programas religiosos para sacerdotes, diáconos y religiosos en toda América Latina.

Septiembre 5/6 : Los fondos de la campaña Capital de San Pablo, de la construcción de la Educación Religiosa, aun no se a colectado todas las promesas echas por los feligreses y se le debe a la Diócesis. Favor usar los sobres de color rosa para hacer pagos, gracias.

DIOCESIS DE SACRAMENTO

Cursos por correo electrónico: La Diócesis de Sacramento, en colaboración con la Universidad de Notre Dame le ofrece la oportunidad de obtener clases por correo electrónico aquellas personas que estén interesadas en conocer y vivir mas profundamente nuestra fe cristiana. Esta es su oportunidad y también una certificación básica para aquellos que son Catequistas y no tiene su certificación básica, Ministros, Padres de familia y estudiantes, esta es su oportunidad y también un certificado que deseen recibir. Además, también ofrece cursos continuos de formación de la fe para renovar su certificado. Para los cursos de Inglés por favor visite <https://step.nd.edu> y para el calendario de los diferentes cursos <https://step.nd.edu/assets/67627/calendar.pdf>

MINISTERIO DE SALUD

El Ministerio de Salud promueve en la Iglesia como un "lugar de curación" y hace hincapié en incluir en la congregación integridad del cuerpo, mente y espíritu. Las actividades incluyen: clínica de presión arterial gratuito, programa de préstamo de equipos médicos, y boletín trimestral -El Healing Place - y presentaciones ocasionales y talleres y actividades. Siempre se necesitan voluntarios. Ellos no tienen que ser miembros de la comunidad médica. Eres necesario para: hacer llamadas telefónicas, servir como intérpretes, ayudar a establecer y tomar antes y después de los acontecimientos, para facilitar o enseñar una clase y ofrecer ayuda cuando sea necesario. Si usted está interesado llame al 689-3932 Clara.

FIESTA DE SAN PABLO

Septiembre 19 y 20 será el evento más importante del año de la Parroquia de San Pablo

Es la quermes donde nos encontramos todos como comunidad y familia de Dios, para disfrutar de antojitos de los diferentes países, juegos de azar, Juegos para niños, rifas, música, bailes folclóricos, caballos bailando, un rato de charla con los amigos y conocidos y alejarnos de la rutina diaria que se hace monótona.

Los fondos del festival son para ayuda de los diferentes proyectos y ayuda que se han venido desarrollando en la parroquia

Súper Rifas

Los boletos de la Súper Rifa es el diezmo de cada uno de nosotros a la Iglesia, es una obligación, como mandamiento de la Santa Madre Iglesia, es el fruto de nuestro trabajo. Estos boletos fueron enviados por correo a todos los feligreses de la parroquia para que empiecen a vender a sus familiares, amigos, vecinos y compañeros de trabajo.

Pueden empezar a enviar de regreso su talonarios de la venta de sus boletos del festival a la parroquia, para que pueda participar en las rifas semanales que se anunciaran en los próximos boletines.