

MASSES FOR THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY 5:00pm Parishioners of St. Paul
SUNDAY 9:00 and 11:00 Parishioners of St. Paul
Holy Cross priests are meeting at Notre Dame all this week.
We will not have Masses during this week.

Flowers on the altar for the Masses this weekend: For a happy 25th wedding anniversary for Bill and Jan King

Floral Arrangements for the weekend Masses are handled by **Debbie Trevino (282-1631)**. Please call her for details. We want to avoid duplicate arrangements for any weekends. *Thank you!*

CONFESSIONS – In Blessed Sacrament Chapel from 4:00-4:45p before Saturday night Mass.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to have a name on the prayer list, please call the office. Each month the names on the prayer list will be removed and new names will be put on the list per request.

For healing: Julia Ysla, Cindy Snow, Robert Lara, Debi Ratkovic, Penny Carns-Cooper, Joy Mummulvill, Sandra Rodriguez, Donna Shaffer, USMC Sgt. Major Payne, Isabela De la Garza, Pete Czaja, Pray for our service men and women wounded in war.

A Prayer for Men & Women in Military Service

Almighty Father, those who take refuge in you forever shout for joy. Protect these military men and women as they discharge their duties. Shield them with your strength and keep them safe from all evil and harm. Let your Holy Angels guard and watch over them. May they forever praise you for your loving care. We pray in the name of Jesus, our Lord. Amen

SCRIPTURE READING FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 3

Sunday Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11-17
Monday Acts 11:21-26; 13:1-3; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday 2Cor 1:18-22; Ps 119:129-133,135; Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday 2Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5-9; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday 2Cor 3:15-4:13-6; Ps 85:9-14; Mt 5:20-26
Friday Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11; Lk 15:3-7
Saturday 2Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-4,8-9,11-12; Lk 2:41-51
Sun 2Sm 12:7-10,13; Ps 32:1-2,7,11; Gal 2:16,19-21; Lk 7:36-8:3

There is a small table with a basket near room 1 to submit any Prayer Requests. Please join the Prayer Group on Mondays from 9:00 to 10:30am to pray the rosary for your petitions.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

"When you look at the Crucifix you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now." Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is this Saturday, June 9 following 5pm Mass until 11pm in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Come let us adore Him!**

MASS IN SPANISH

Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, Altar Servers and musicians are needed. Our first Mass in Spanish begins **Sunday, July 1 at 12:30pm** and will continue every Sunday. *Please assist with this very important move in our liturgical life at St. Paul Parish.*

Fathers are special. Remember your father on Father's day next Sunday, June 17.

**Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christie)**

Today's liturgical celebration proclaims the truth of Jesus' words and the power of the Holy Spirit in the priesthood. "This is My Body; This is My Blood. Do this in memory of Me. Ordinary bread and wine become the living presence of Jesus who feeds us and strengthens us.

St. Thomas Aquinas says it well: "This is the truth each Christian learns: Bread into His flesh He turns; to His precious Blood the wine. Sight has failed, nor thought conceives, but a dauntless faith believes, resting on a power divine. Here beneath these signs are hidden priceless things to sense forbidden; Signs, not things are all we see: Yet in either wondrous token Christ entire we know to be." My Lord and my God.

Before entering the Church for Mass, please remember to shut off all cell phones and pagers. Now that the weather is getting warmer, please remember that you still need to **dress in a respectful manner for Mass.** (no low rider or lace up pants, halter tops, crop tops or t-shirts with inappropriate logos and messages, and dresses and skirts that are mini or micro mini in length.)

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The Blue Bag collection is this weekend. Please be as generous as you can.

Thank you, dear parishioners, for your generous donations of food to the SVDP Summer Children's Food drive.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call in the mystery of God's love for them.

CHURCH SUPPORT for the Period 5/30/2007 to 6/04/2007

"Your Stewardship is the source of our growth"

Expenses	\$ 12,203.50
Income	\$ 8,502.94
Children's Envelopes	\$ 16.15
Building Fund	\$ 4,250.04

Thank you for your continued generosity and support

Our Faith, Our Legacy contributions for May: \$20,547.10

The Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be selling **CAKES, CUPCAKES, COOKIES, SAUSAGE WRAPS and BREAKFAST TACOS** after all Masses this weekend. The proceeds are to help with the purchase of Raffle Prizes. Come and support this worthy cause.

The Parish Festival Committee wishes to thank the many individuals who have taken Raffle tickets to sell. If you have not picked up tickets as yet, they are available after Mass at the church entrance. Ticket stubs and cash can be returned at this time also and, hopefully, additional tickets picked up. Many thanks to all of you.

The St. Paul's Ladies and the Knights of Columbus are proud to announce the four winners of our 2007 scholarship awards. Congratulations to Jamie Castor, Jessica Martinez, Christina Palacios and Kate Tompkins.

Rosary and Pasta Nights

The Youth Group will be praying the Rosary at 6pm in the Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine every Wednesday through the summer. Pasta dinner will be served after the Rosary. Please call Bob Dugas for more information. 280-4460 x 113.

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION Ana Jackoskie, Director

Registration for the 2007-2008 Religious Education year will be held in July. Please look for an announcement in the bulletin.

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CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

Debbi Saunders Email: dsauanders2002@aol.com

YEE HAW! Summer Bible Camp is here! Camp starts on this Monday, June 11. All registered students should arrive at 9:00am. Please bring your lunch and water bottle, wear sunscreen and closed toe shoes, and get ready to have a WILD time at Avalance Ranch. Classes for children ages 3-5 will check in at Grace Hall. Classes for Grades 1-5 will check in at the main church entrance.

YOUTH LEADERSHIP CAMP also starts Monday, June 11. All registered middle school and high school students please sign in at 9:00 am in the Upper Room. We have a few spaces available if you have not yet registered but would still like to join Leadership Camp. Registration forms are available in the foyer.

High School Students: Are you need AND looking for Community Service hours? A variety of opportunities are available to you through the Children & Family office this summer. For more information, please contact Lisa Phillips.

For more Information on any of the above items, please contact Lisa Phillips at 280-4460 x 124 .

Please save your hotel shampoo, soap, or other items that can be used for clients with our social ministry program. Please leave these items in the kitchen in a bag marked Bernice Machala.

If you are interested in working with the Gabriel Project, please call Mary Joy Guzman at 291-8943.

The Catholic War Veterans, Post 1805, celebrates Corporate Communion at the 9am Mass this Sunday. Sign-up for new membership will be available after Mass.

Preamble of the Catholic War Veterans Constitution

We American Citizens, members of the Catholic Church, under the spiritual authority of our Holy Father the Pope, Bishop of Rom and who have served in the Armed Forces of the United States, in order that we may be bound by a great spirit of faith and patriotism, and that we may be of greater service to God and our Country and to one another, and in order to perpetuate our ideals and ideas, establish a permanent organization.

The Gift Shop at St. Paul is now open in the Angel Room. Please stop in and look around. Your purchases provide many opportunities for our children and youth. Pick out a gift for Father's Day.

If you would like to schedule an event here at St. Paul, please call Bob Dugas. His number is 280-4460 x 113.

St. Paul has a new website. The new website address is: <http://www.s-p-c-c.org> The change is on the front cover of the bulletin.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Herman and Agnes Bunn on their reception of the Lumen Gentium award presented to them by Bishop Gregory Aymond on June 6. The award is given to an honoree from each parish each year. It is given to acknowledge outstanding service given to the parish by an individual or a couple.

The Golden♥Heart's is sponsoring a trip to Coushatta Casino and Resort on June 28 & 29. Cost per person is \$55 including bus fare, hotel fees and baggage, plus cash back of \$23.00. We have openings for 10 more people, so don't miss out on the fun. For more information, please call Brenda Hester at 415-4850.

We welcome our new parishioners to St. Paul: Esteban Garcia, Pete Perez, Jesse Alvarado, Ysenia Zecca, Joe & Renee Estrada, Dan Segura, Adrian Gonzalez, Chris & Kelly Hotz, Rocio Villarreal, Refugia Gomez, Dan & Irene Davila, Roland an Ida Cantu, Thomas & Zenaida Sharpe, Jesus Sanchez and David & Julyette Willmann.

OUTSIDE THE PARISH

Marriage Encounter Weekend at St. Ignatius – July 20-22

We all need help in becoming better Catholics. What better place to start than in our marriages. Marriage Encounter is designed to help married couples live fuller, richer lives. Take a break from all the busyness of life and invest a weekend to take your relationship to another level of romance and intimacy. A Marriage Encounter weekend will be held at St. Ignatius Catholic Church on July 20-22. To register contact Mike and Renee Furtado at mfurtado@grandecom.net. 512-396-3620. You can get additional information at 222.austinme.org or by calling Raul & Dora Gonzalez at 280-1002.

Attention Young Adults: St. Ignatius Church is featuring a Young Adult Scripture Study on Thursday evenings beginning June 14th the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month. These sessions will last through the summer. It consists of three areas: scripture, service and social. For more information please contact Edward Reyes at 736-4518.

Harvest of Justice, a conference focusing on the challenges and directions in Social Justice through education, motivation and a call to action, will be held June 30 from 9am to 4:45pm at St. Ignatius Parish, 2309 Euclid Dr. in Austin. The conference will focus on how to apply social justice in parishes and communities. Featured speakers will include Bishop Gregory Aymond and Jeff Korgen. Bishop Aymond's keynote address will help link the words of Scripture to Catholic social teaching and discuss their relevance in contemporary society. Korgen, author of "My Lord and My God – Engaging Catholics in Social Ministry," will speak on implementing social justice programs in parishes.

Retrouvaille helps struggling couples: It is a program to help couples in troubled marriages heal and renew their marriage relationships through a weekend retreat format. The next Retrouvaille retreat in English will be held in Austin on August 10-12. The Retrouvaille program, which begins with a weekend retreat, helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. For more information or to register for the program, call (512)233-0261.

Creighton Model Natural Family Planning Introductory class is scheduled for Tuesday, July 10 at 7pm at the NFP Center (2026 Guadalupe St.). To register, call 474-2757.