

CHURCH OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE

Parish Address

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New York, New York 10019
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Parish Center..... 212-265-3495
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Parish Center Hours

Sunday-Friday 9a.m.-9p.m.
Saturday..... 9a.m.-6:30p.m.

Mass Schedule

Saturday..... 8:30a.m., Vigil Mass 5:15p.m.
Sunday 8a.m.(Cantor) 10a.m. (Choir), 12:30p.m. (Spanish),
. 5:15p.m. (Young Adult Choir), 8p.m. (Fordham University during Academic Year)
Monday-Friday..... 7:30a.m., 12:10p.m.

Reconciliation

Tuesdays and Thursdays after the 12:10p.m. Mass
Saturdays 4p.m.-4:45p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Fridays after the 7:30a.m. Mass
Benediction at 12:00 p.m.

Religious Ed.

Parents should contact Hernan Sanchez at 212-265-3495 to register their child

Registration

If you worship with us regularly and would like to be registered as a parishioner, please fill out the form on page six of the bulletin or stop by the Parish Center.

Parish Staff

Rev. Gilbert Martinez, CSP *Pastor*
Rev. Ronald Franco, CSP *Associate Pastor & Vice Postulator,*
..... *Hecker Sainthood Cause*
Deacon Waldemar Sandoval *Saint Vincent de Paul Society,*
..... *Baptismal Preparation, Homebound*
Rev. Robert Collins, SJ *Director of Adult Initiation*
Sr. Maria Luz Lemus, OJS *Sacristan*
Mr. Hernán Sanchez *Director of Religious Education*
Ms. Kathy Zirnheld *Manager Welcome Center/Bookstore*
Ms. Diane Conroy *Director of Youth Formation*
Mr. Javier Castro *Facilities Management*
Mr. James Gerosimo..... *Director of Security*
Mr. John Znidarsic *Resources Manager*
Rev. James McQuade, CSP *St. Luke-Roosevelt Hospital Chaplain*
Rev. Lionel DeSilva, CSP *Assistant Chaplain*
Mr. Cleveland Kersh..... *Music Director*
Mr. John Kubinieć..... *Organist*
Ms. Nancy Meyer *Cantor*
Mr. Michael Beltran *Cantor*

Paulist Ministries in Residence

Paulist Fathers

www.paulist.org

Busted Halo

Rev. David Dwyer, CSP www.bustedhalo.org

Vocations Office

Rev. David Farnum, CSP 212-757-4260

Outreach to Young Artists

Rev. Frank Sabatté, CSP www.openingsny.com

From 59th and 9th
The Pastoral Corner

SEPT. EVENTS AT SAINT PAUL

Year for Priests

7-8pm Holy Hour: Concelebrated Mass, Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament, Vespers, Benediction.
8-9pm Informal Discussion and Reception: Continuing our series, Father David Farnum CSP. Vocation Director for the Paulist Fathers, will talk about his duties and role as the vocation director and his life as a priest. These discussions are a great way to get to know more about the priesthood .

Thursday, September 3 from 7 to 9pm (Church/Parish Center)

Artists Discussions

Openings – the Paulist Fathers project for artists will continue our evening discussions on Tuesday evenings. We spend an hour discussing issues that matter to artists. The artists are encouraged to share how they see their experiences connecting with the spiritual as they understand it.

Tuesday, September 8 from 7 to 8 p.m.

Young Adults - Rooftop Cookout

Wrap up the summer in style Sunday after Mass for Apostolist - young adults in their 20-30's.

Sunday, September 13 from 6:30 to 9 p.m. (Parish Center)

Great Catholic Fiction Book Discussion

The Shack by William P. Young In a world where religion seems to grow increasingly irrelevant “The Shack” wrestles with the timeless question, “Where is God in a world so filled with unspeakable pain.” The answers Mack gets will astound you and perhaps transform you as much as it did him.

Discussion led by Father John (Jack) Collins, CSP.

Monday, September 21 from 7 to 9 p.m. (Parish Center)

Meet the Author Series

In Will I See my Dog in Heaven? Father Jack Wintz OFM admits that no one really knows what God has in mind for us in the next. Life. But in ten thoughtful chapters he lines up evidence from the Scriptures, Christian tradition and liturgy, and the life and teachings of St. Francis Assisi, that God desires all creatures (yes, including our beloved pets!) in the afterlife.

Thursday September 24 Lunchtime after 12:10 Mass or 7 - 9 p.m.

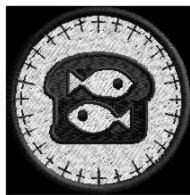
STARSTRUCK

The Church of St. Paul the Apostle will be celebrating The Year of Astronomy with a FREE Concert - Starstruck: One In the Universe on Friday, September 25th at 7PM. John Znidarsic, Artistic Director of Arts and Artists at St. Paul will be directing an array of performers from the worlds of Classical, Broadway, Jazz, Spanish, Gospel, and Dance who will all be collaborating on a unique experience where all our differences bring us together to create one universe. The evening will conclude with a reading from the “Book of Genesis” and a talk by Fr. Gil Martinez, CSP – Pastor. A reception will follow. Please join us as we celebrate The Year of Astronomy.

Friday, September 25 at 7 p.m.

Sharing & Caring...

Volunteering at the Church of St. Paul the Apostle.



LOAVES AND FISHES

Last week we talked about a new family that volunteered at the soup kitchen. This week I want to talk about the Daniele family who help us out every week at the kitchen. Vinny, with his Italian heritage loves to cook. As he is simmering the sauce he tells us stories of growing up, and coming to St. Paul's when his aunt worked here in the rectory. All summer long Vinny has brought along his grandson Shaun and mother-in-law Rose as his Thursday kitchen crew, during July and August, his daughter Dawn has been here as well. After next week, Dawn will be going back to her teaching job, and Shaun to school, but they have been constant help and filled the kitchen with laughter, the way only a family can do. Thank you so much.

How about having your family pitch in before the summer vanishes? Volunteer as a group on a Tuesday or Thursday, we are happy to have you help serve. Contact the welcomecenter@stpaultheapostle.org.

The Pantry needs to be replenished. We have larger requests this summer so we really need your help. Bring non-perishable food products to the parish center to help Saint Vincent de Paul in this monthly project. We are now helping 68 families through these difficult times. Last month we helped 117 people with groceries, 50 of these were children.

If you would like to volunteer at either the pantry or the soup kitchen please contact the Welcome Center at welcomecenter@stpaultheapostle.org

For all in need please pray, that their needs will be met.

Thank you for your kindness.

As a Parish Let Us Pray for Our Sick

Michele Blanco, Jack Cacomanolis, Jose & Clemencia Garcia, Teresa Guevara, Isabel Iondoño, Carmela Masone, Lina Melendez, Liza Ann Montero, Yadwiga Nitkiewicz, Melba Ortiz, Juan C. Ospina, Ruth Ospina, Kathleen Ryan, Esther Salgado, Lucy Salgado, Rafael Salinas, Antonio Silva, Natan Sheyer, Leslie Smith, Abe Steingart, Emilio Bernardo, Ann Nolan, Dr. Remigio Bernardo, Thomas Kinhead, Mary Kovack, Francisco Gerdy, Brianna Kathleen Bartenieff, Carrie Bullock.

Ministry Activities

Religious Education for Preschool Children- Register now!!!

Saint Paul's offers a wonderful religious education program for three-to-five year old children called the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. The Catechesis is rooted in the Bible, the liturgy of the church, and the educational principles of Maria Montessori. Children gather in an "atrium," a room prepared for them, which contains simple yet beautiful materials that they use. In the atrium the child can ponder a biblical passage or a prayer from the liturgy by taking the material for that text and working with it - placing wood figures of sheep in a sheepfold of the Good Shepherd, setting sculpted apostles around a Last Supper table, or preparing a small altar with the furnishings used for the Eucharist. Two sessions will be offered on Sundays (9:30am-11:30am and 12:20pm-2:20pm) beginning September 20th. Please contact Hernan Sanchez at 212-265-3495 x341 to register.

Society Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting

Join us Tuesday Sept 1st @ 7pm, Room 201 in the parish center for some light refreshments as we come together as a family to pray, plan, and share in the growth of our ministry of charity.

COME AND SEE INQUIRERS

WHY?

- To help inquirers explore Catholicism and then decide whether to become full members of the Catholic Church at St. Paul the Apostle Church

FOR WHOM?

- Unbaptized adults
- Baptized members of other Christian communities

HOW?

- Weekly meetings with parishioners and staff...
 - to talk with old Catholics about their experiences as Catholics
 - to talk with new Catholics about why and how they joined the church
 - to learn more about the Bible, the church,

Catholic-

- Christian practices and lifestyle questions
- Resources for personal reading and study
- Opportunities for private consultation

FOR INFORMATION, CALL ROBERT COLLINS, S.J.
(212) 265 3495 ext. 339;
e-mail: robert.collins@stpaultheapostle.org

DIRECTIVA PASTORAL

Padre Gilbert S. Martinez, CSP, Parroco
Padre Ronald Franco, CSP
Diacono Waldemar Sandoval
Gina Delgado: Coro Hispano



Misa Hispana: Domingo 12:30 pm
Cura Ultraya Cursillista: Domingo 1:30 pm
Confesiones: Llame por cita
Telefono: (212) 265-3495

**LIBROS EN ESPAÑOL DISPONIBLES
LIBRERÍA**

Estos libros en español están disponibles para comprar en la Librería (“Welcome Center”) parroquial:

7 Secretos de la Eucaristía, por Vinny Flynn, y con Introducción por P. Mitch Pacwa, SJ.

Conozca a Jesús: ¿Qué nos dicen de él Mateo, Marcos, Lucas, y Juan? Por Juan Alfaro.

Devoción al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, por San Alfonso María de Liguorio.

Libro de Bosillo de Novenas Catolicas, por P. Lorenzo G. Lovasik, SVD.

Libro de Bosillo de Oraciones Catolicas, por P. Lorenzo G. Lovasik, SVD.

REGISTRATE AHORA !!!

Para las familias que son miembros registrados de la Iglesia de San Pablo y le gustaría registrar sus hijos en la clase de Educación Religiosa los formularios estan disponibles en la oficina parroquial o pueden llamar a Hernán Sánchez al teléfono 212-265-3495 EXT. 341. La fecha límite para registrarse es el 30 de Agosto. Después de la misa estaremos tomando las registraciones tardias el Domingo 30 de Agosto. Las clases comienzan el 20 de septiembre.

REGISTRATE AHORA CATEQUESIS DEL BUEN PASTOR PARA NIÑOS DE 3 A 5 AÑOS

Este es un programa de desarrollo espiritual para los pre-escolares los cuales se fundamenta en los principios de la educación de Montessori.

Las clases son de dos horas de duración y se llevan a cabo todos los domingos. Seccion II: 12:20- 2:20 pm

La catequesis del Buen Pastor, Nivel I es para niños de 3 a 5 años de edad. La registración es bastante limitada solamente aceptamos 12 niños por clase. El espacio es limitado actúa ahora!!!

**COME AND SEE
WELCOMERS**

Why are volunteers needed?

- Non-Catholics need to meet regular Catholics as they explore Catholicism

Who can help?

- You have been baptized, confirmed and made your first Communion, are glad to be a practicing Catholic

What can you do?

- Attend weekly meetings with a group of non-Catholic inquirers: to listen sympathetically and to talk about your experience as a Catholic

What's in it for you?

- A chance to meet some interesting people.
- Serious conversations about important life issues
- Opportunities to explore some Catholic things you've always wondered about
- A chance to play a significant role in the life-journey of someone new

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VIVALAVIDA

Cardinal Hayes High School

650 Grand Concourse Bronx, New York 10451

IV CONGRESO PRO-VIDA & FAMILIA

SAB 24 OCT 2009 / 10 AM – 5 PM

INVITADOS – Obispo Josu Iriondo, Dr. Carolos Barilla,

Paul y Cristy Farley, Neydy Casillas

Musica: Rio Poderoso

Donacion \$5 p/p incluye almuerzo

Lecturas para la semana del 30 de agosto de 2009

Domingo:Dt 4, 1-2. 6-8/Sant 1, 17-18. 21-22. 27/Mc 7,1-8. 14-15. 21-23

Lunes: 1 Tes 4, 13-18/Lc 4, 16-30

Martes: 1 Tes 5, 1-6. 9-11/Lc 4, 31-37

Miércoles: Col 1, 1-8/Lc 4, 38-44

Jueves: Col 1, 9-14/Lc 5, 1-11

Viernes: Col 1, 15-20/Lc 5, 33-39

Sábado: Col 1, 21-23/Lc 6, 1-5

Domingo siguiente:Is 35, 4-7/Sant 2, 1-5/Mc 7, 31-37



Saturday, August 29th

Martyrdom of John the Baptist

- 8:30 ☩ Olga Shiling
- 5:15 ☩ For the people

Sunday, August 30th

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 ☩ For the people
- 10:00 ☩ Sainthood Cause of Fr. Hecker
- 12:30 ☩ Isaura Velez
- 5:15 ☩ Fr. Jack Campbell

Monday, August 31th

- 7:30 Lorraine Gardella (Birthday wishes)
- 12:10 ☩ K. Elaine Baca

Tuesday, September 1st

- 7:30 Birthday Remembrances
- 12:10 Birthday Remembrances

Wednesday, September 2nd

- 7:30 Aurora Salazar
- 12:10 ☩ Robert Joseph Malang Jr

Thursday, September 3rd

St. Gregory the Great, pope & doctor

- 7:30 ☩ Maria and Andrea Kim
- 12:10 ☩ Margaret Rita Dean

Friday, September 4th

- 7:30 ☩ Daniel Julio Gonzalez
- 12:10 Claire Minorsky

Saturday, September 5th

- 8:30 ☩ Miriam Cruz
- 5:15 Sainthood Cause of
Mother Henriette Delille, SSF

Please remember in prayer the following Paulist Fathers, the anniversary (day/year) of whose death is this week (*denotes served at St. Paul's): Paul H. Lewis* (8/30/1971), James R. Gollner* (8/30/1984) Robert B. Tillotson* (8/31/1868). Henry T. Nears (9/1/1908), Thomas F. Burke (9/1/1947), Wilfred G. Hurley* (9/1/1973), Edward H. Peters* (9/2/1992, Gilbert Simmons (9/3/1919), William F. Manning (9/4/2000).

Readings for the Week of August 30, 2009

Sunday:	Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23
Monday:	1 Thes 4:13-18/Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday:	1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday:	Col 1:1-8/Lk 4:38-44
Thursday:	Col 1:9-14/Lk 5:1-11
Friday:	Col 1:15-20/Lk 5:33-39
Saturday:	Col 1:21-23/Lk 6:1-5
Next Sunday:	Is 35:4-7a/Jas 2:1-5/Mk 7:31-37

Did You Know?...Ask Fr. Ron

Caritas in Veritate – Chapter 5

The 5th chapter of Pope Benedict XVI's social encyclical, *Caritas in Veritate*, is entitled "The Cooperation of the Human Family." Its premise is that "One of the deepest forms of poverty a person can experience is isolation." A human being, the Pope argues, "is defined through interpersonal relations. The more authentically he or she lives these relations, the more his or her own personal identity matures. It is not by isolation that man establishes his worth, but by placing himself in relation with others and with God." Thus, the encyclical identifies the theme of development "with the inclusion-in-relation of all individuals and peoples within the one community of the human family, built in solidarity on the basis of the fundamental values of justice and peace." The Pope resents the Trinity as the model of such unity in solidarity and the Church as "a sign and instrument of this unity." This again highlights the importance of God having "a place in the public realm," one of the major motifs of the encyclical.

Linked to solidarity is the principle of subsidiarity, as "an expression of inalienable human freedom." This traditionally emphasized principle of Catholic social teaching is "assistance to the human person via the autonomy of intermediate bodies" and is seen as "particularly well suited to managing globalization and directing it toward authentic human development." As an alternative to "a dangerous universal power of a tyrannical nature, the governance of globalization must be marked by subsidiarity, articulated into several layers and involving different levels that can work together." Such an approach prevents "paternalist social assistance that is demeaning to those in need." What is needed is to help developing countries "improve their products and adapt them more effectively to existing demands." International solidarity also requires greater access to non-relativistic education, based on "the nature of the human person."

The last section of the chapter address issues surrounding employment and the dignity of human work – both traditional issues such as migration and labor unions, and also new perspectives such as the relationship between worker and consumer. Redesigned financial structures need "to go back to being an instrument directed towards improved wealth creation." Consumers need to recognize purchasing as a moral act and that "the consumer has a specific social responsibility."



**ST. PAUL
THE APOSTLE
BOOK & GIFT SHOP**

**Meet the Author Dr. Conrad Fisher –
Routine Miracles**

A long time friend of Paulist Father John Collins, Dr. Fisher says the inspiration for this timely book started here at the Church of St. Paul the Apostle in conversations with Fr. John Collins, CSP. Not only is this a thought provoking book for people working in the medical field, but for all Americans who are trying to wade through the information about the future of Health Care in America. The book is available in the bookstore.

Thursday, Sept. 10 at 7 p.m. Parish Center

September selection is The Shack by William Paul Young. Discussion scheduled with Father John Collins, CSP.

Monday, September 21 at 7 p.m. Parish Center..

“Finally! A guy-meets-god novel that has literary integrity and spiritual daring. The Shack cuts through the clichés of both religious and bad writing to reveal something compelling and beautiful about life’s integral dance with the divine. The story reads like a prayer-like the best kinds of prayer, filled with sweat and wonder and transparency, and surprise. When I read it, I felt like I was fellowshiping with God. If you read one work of fiction this year, let this be it.”
Mike Morrell

Testimony-The Untold Story of Pope John Paul II (DVD). A wonderful documentary about his life narrated by Michael York. \$19.99

Breath for the Soul by Sr. Joan Chittister
This simple little book attends to what we human beings are most inclined to forget: preparing for and engaging in prayer. This is great spiritual reading for every person who longs for prayer to be the very breath of his or her soul. This book embraces Joan Chittister’s core belief on prayer. A great gift for someone you love.

Around the Diocese

**One Family Under God:
An Interfaith, Multilingual Prayer Service in
Support of our Immigrant Brothers & Sisters**

Join us as leaders from different faith traditions lead us in prayer in many languages. People of all faith traditions are encouraged to join

Monday, September 14 @ 7 p.m.
**At St. Mary’s Church
440 Grand Street
New York, NY 10002**

For more information, contact Angel Diaz (212)674-3266

PRAYER SERVICE

On the eve of the opening of the sixty-fourth session of the United Nations General Assembly.

Join Archbishop Timothy M. Dolan (Archbishop of New York) and Archbishop Celestino Migliore (Permanent Observer of the Holy See to the United Nations) at the Church of the Holy Family, 315 East 47th Street.

Monday, September 14 at 5:30 p.m.

A reception will follow. Please contact Fr. Robert Robbins (212) 753-3401. (robbinsrj@aol.com)

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(cell) _____ and/or (work) _____

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