

CHURCH OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE

Parish Address

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New York, New York 10019
www.stpaultheapostle.org

Contact Us

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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 5:15 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*
Ms. Nancy Meyer *Cantor*
Mr. Michael Beltran *Cantor*
Ms. Ellen Bullinger..... *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**

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ –

Next Sunday we celebrate All Saints Day (November 1st). Throughout the month of November we celebrate our spiritual friendship with those who gone before us, our family and friends and those holy ones who have gone before us. We have a full calendar of events to which all are welcome:

Sunday – November 1st – PARISH BRUNCH & BOOKSALE – After the 10 AM Mass

Join our parish in a delicious brunch prepared by fellow parishioners! Great food and fellowship. Suggested donation is \$5. We also welcome Paulist Press for the introduction of a new book edited by Father Ron, “Isaac Hecker for Everyday”. It’s ‘a page a day’ book that helps us learn about our own Servant of God, Father Hecker.

Monday – November 2nd – ALL SOULS DAY – Masses 7:30 AM, 12:10 PM, 5:30 PM

Please join in the commemoration of our departed for whom we pray. Please inscribe the names of your dearly departed in the Book of the Dead located next to Father Hecker’s tomb.

Wednesday – November 4th – LUNCH & BOOK PRESENTATION – After 12:10 Mass

Join Father Ron for daily mass and then for lunch as he talks about his book, “Isaac Hecker for Everyday”.

Thursday – November 5th – YEAR FOR PRIESTS HOLY HOUR – 7 PM – 9 PM

From 7 PM – 8:00 PM the Holy Hour includes Concelebrated Mass, Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament, Vespers, Benediction, Priests welcome to concelebrate.

From 8:00 PM – 9:00 PM An informal reception & discussion with an opportunity to hear Monsignor William Belford, Vicar for Clergy of the Archdiocese of New York reflect on his personal vocation story during a simple meal.

Sunday – November 8th – FALL HOMELESS BANQUET – 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM

Sign up in the Welcome Center Bookstore to help serve and welcome our guests.

Monday – November 9th - THE SACRED ART OF DYING: PREPARING FOR PASSING - 7PM

A workshop on the Art of Dying including wills, funeral planning with estate planners, and a theological reflection by Father Ron.

There are other activities at Saint Paul’s in November, please watch the bulletin for more information.

PEACE – Father Gil

FREE SEASONAL FLU SHOTS

Prepare for the Flu with free shots offered in the Parish Center by St. Luke-Roosevelt Hospital for those 18 + years old. Please bring proof of identity. Medical screening for high-risk conditions may apply. Flu shots are limited, please register at the Bookstore and Welcome center. Thank you.

Monday – October 26th, 2 PM – 5:30 PM

Ministry Activities

ARTS AND ARTISTS' FIRST SONGBOOK OF THE SEASON

Arts and Artists at St. Paul will present its first *Songbook* concert of this – its 19th season – on Monday, October 26 at 6:00 p.m. at The New York Public Library for the Performing Arts at Lincoln Center. The concert will be held in the Bruno Walter Auditorium – 111 Amsterdam Ave, just south of 65 Street. This *Songbook* will be featuring an array of new composers and lyricists all having their songs performed by some of Broadway and Cabaret's best. This concert is Produced, Directed and Hosted by John Znidarsic. Admission is FREE and seating is on a first come – first serve basis. We hope to see you there. www.ArtsAndArtistsAtStpaul.com

PRAYER OF HEART & BODY

“Prayer of Heart and Body” is an on-going class that explores “body prayer” from a Christian perspective. The class uses yoga, movement, and meditation as tools for deepening prayer life. Class meets weekly, on Tuesday evenings, 6:30-8:15 p.m. at the Parish Center. For questions, contact Amy Russell, 917-545-4307 or e-mail amyussell2@hotmail.com.

GOD DOESN'T LIKE UGLY

A special Openings (Paulist ministry with visual artists) Exhibition featuring 15 artists addressing this theme in painting, drawing, mixed media, sculpture and photography. Artwork is displayed in the side chapels and throughout the church till **October 30, 2009**. (www.openingsny.com.)

FALL IN FAITH 2009

YOUNG ADULTS AT ST. PAUL'S

We are the *Apostolist* — *young adults in their 20's and 30's* of the Church of St. Paul the Apostle. Go to www.apostolist.com where you can browse event listings. Join us every Sunday evening **after the 5:15 Young Adult Mass** for fellowship and refreshments.

10/30: Halloween Party

Skip the Village, Come to St. Paul's. Costumes encouraged! 7:00-10:00 PM in the Parish Center (405 W 59th St.)

11/8: Fall Homeless Banquet

Prepare and serve hot meals to our guests 11:00AM-3:00PM, enter through the Parish Center.

LECTORS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

The next schedule is being prepared. If you have not returned the Ministry Update Form or otherwise responded please do so by Nov. 2, 2009. Thank you.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Thomas Merton on The Three Advents of Saint Bernard of Clairvaux

The Annual Merton Retreat

Fr. James Conner, OCSO, monk of the Abbey of Gethsemani, retreat master. On Saturday, November 7, 2009, 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Corpus Christi Church, 529 West 121 Street, Manhattan
Donation \$20. . Contact: (212) 666-9350.

www.corpus-christi-nyc.org/MertonSociety.htm

THE HIDDEN HEART

An original musical event commemorating the canonization of St. Jeanne Jugan. On Saturday November 7, 2009 at Alice Tully Hall / Lincoln Center. Curtain time 3:00 p.m.

A reception will follow at Church of St. Paul the Apostle. Tickets can be purchased directly from Alice Tully Hall (212) 671-4050 / www.lincolncenter.org.

SEX & THE SOUL

Fordham Center on Religion and Culture

Romance, Religion and responsibility

A Book Forum

Through extensive interviews, Donna Freitas's *Sex & the Soul* explores how today's college students struggle to reconcile two widespread features of campus life: spiritual longings and sexual freedom. What are the realities of “hook-up culture”? Why do faith traditions often falter in offering effective moral and spiritual wisdom?

Wednesday, October 28, 2009, 6 – 8 p.m.

Pope Auditorium / Lincoln Center Campus

Readings for the Week of October 25, 2009

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16

Thursday: Rom 8:31b-39/Lk 13:31-35

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Next Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

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

Estimados Hermanos en Cristo –

El próximo domingo es TODOS LOS SANTOS, el día en que recordamos que nuestra comunidad en el cielo siempre está con nosotros. La muerte no puede conquistar la Luz de Cristo y ellos son nuestros amistades.

¡Tú también puedes ser un santo! En nuestro bautismo se nos dio un vestido blanco que significa ser revestidos con la dignidad de un cristiano. A lo largo de nuestra vida, se nos advierte que llevemos esa dignidad sin mancha al trono del cielo (y del Cordero). Cuando despedimos a nuestros hermanos cristianos al final del camino, de nuevo vemos ese vestido blanco, el paño mortuorio que cubre el ataúd durante la liturgia exequial. Mientras estamos en el mundo, ser santo significa ser pobres de espíritu, ser sinceros. Esto quiere decir que sentimos dolor auténtico cuando nos arrepentimos, que somos humildes y tenemos sed y hambre por alcanzar la santidad.

Luego el lunes, 2 de Noviembre es DIA DE LOS MUERTOS. Por favor, escríbense los nombres de sus queridos fallecidos en el Libro de los Muertos, lo cual se encuentre a lado de la tumba de Servidor de Dios, Isaac Hecker. Este libro lo usamos en la oraciones de la iglesia durante el mes de noviembre.

PAZ – Padre Gil

Lecturas para la semana del 25 de octubre de 2009

Domingo: Jr 31, 7-9/Heb 5, 1-6/Mc 10, 46-52
Lunes : Rom 8, 12-17/Lc 13, 10-17
Martes: Rom 8, 18-25/Lc 13, 18-21
Miércoles: Ef 2, 19-22/Lc 6, 12-19
Jueves: Rom 8, 31-35. 37-39/Lc 13, 31-35
Viernes: Rom 9, 1-5/Lc 14, 1-6
Sábado: Rom 11, 1-2. 11-12. 25-29/Lc 14, 1. 7-11
Domingo siguiente: Ap 7, 2-4. 9-14/1 Jn 3, 1-3/Mt 5, 1-12

EL CÍRCULO DE ORACIÓN



El Círculo de Oración se reúne todos los viernes a las siete. Se reúne en el Centro Parroquial – todos son bienvenidos

VACUNAS GRATIS

Prepárese para la gripe. Vaccíneos de la gripe gratis ofrecidos por el hospital del St. Luke-Roosevelt. Personas de 18 años de edad y en adelante serán acomodados. Traiga por favor la prueba de la identidad. La investigación médica para las condiciones de riesgo elevado puede aplicarse.

Lunes, 26 de Octubre 2009, 2:00 – 5:30 PM
en El Centro Parroquial

Rifa Por – Fondos

Comite de la divina Providencia
(1^{ro}. Premio) Una Canasta de viveres
(2nd. Premio) Un perfume de Oscar de la Renta
(3^{ro}. Premio) Premio de Consolacion

Donacion: \$1.00 cada tiquete o 6 por \$5.00.
Fecha: Nov. 15, 09 – 12:30 p.m. – Despues le la
Misa en Honor de la Virgen
De la Divina Providencia



Saturday, October 24th

St. Anthony Mary Claret, bishop

- 8:30 George Onacilla (Happy Birthday)
- 5:15 Sainthood Cause for Pierre Toussaint

Sunday, October 25th

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 ☩Din Oliveri
- 10:00 ☩Dorothy Irving
- 12:30 Luis Perez
- 5:15 For The People

Monday, October 26th

- 7:30 ☩Carmen Acosta
- 12:10 J. Mathew Baca

Tuesday, October 27th

- 7:30 Mr. Bok
- 12:10 Michael Stephane

Wednesday, October 28th

Feast of SS. Simon & Jude, apostles

- 7:30 Joseph
- 12:10 Mr. Kim

Thursday, October 29th

- 7:30 John's Family
- 12:10 ☩Maria Fernandez

Friday, October 30th

- 7:30 Eric "Little E" Alvarez
- 12:10 ☩Eileen Dwyer

Saturday, October 31th

- 8:30 ☩Florence Be Dell
- 5:15 Sainthood Cause for Fr. Hecker

Please remember in prayer the following Paulist Fathers, the anniversary (day/year) of whose death is this week (*denotes served at St. Paul's): Thomas J. McCormack* (10/25/1964), William A. Michell* (10/26/1990), Louis J. O'Hara (10/27/1947), Msgr. John J. Burke (10/30/1936), John J. McLellan (10/31/1930).

Pray for Our Sick

Michele Blanco, Jack Cacomanolis, Jose & Clemencia Garcia, Teresa Guevara, Isabel Iondoño, Carmela Masone, Lina Melendez, Liza Ann Montero, Yadviga 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 Kinkead, Mary Kovack, Francisco Gerdy, Carrie Bullock, Jaime Vializ, Marie Starr.

Did You Know?...Ask Fr. Ron

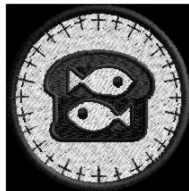
Byzantine Liturgical Rites

Constantinople became the political and religious center of the eastern Roman Empire after the Emperor Constantine built a new capital there in the 4th century on the site of the ancient town of Byzantium. Constantinople's liturgical rite developed from the Liturgy of St. James, in one form as modified by St. Basil the Great (330-379), and in another (more commonly used form) as modified by St. John Chrysostom (347-407). Since the 11th century, most Byzantine Christians have not been in communion with Rome. They constitute the Orthodox Churches of the East, whose titular head is the Ecumenical Patriarch of Constantinople, who, however, exercises no direct authority over them. Although united to each other by their communion with the Patriarch of Constantinople, the various Orthodox Churches are, however, mostly independent. They are typically divided along national lines (e.g., Greek Orthodox Church, Russian Orthodox Church, etc.).

The various Byzantine Rite Churches that over the centuries have returned to communion with the Rome resemble the corresponding Orthodox Churches in their liturgy. The *Russian Byzantine Catholic Church* (Orthodox in liturgy and spirituality according to the Byzantine tradition, but in communion with the Church of Rome) traces its institutional origin back to the 19th century in Russia. The philosopher Vladimir Soloviev (1853-1900) argued that there was no direct formal breach between the Sees of Rome and Moscow, and that one could be in communion with the Holy See while continuing to be Russian Orthodox. A movement began among various intellectual circles, spanning the aristocracy, the intelligentsia, and the growing middle class that led various Russians to seek to be in communion with Rome. In 1908, an Administrator of the Mission to the Russian Catholics was appointed. The decree appointing him directed him "to observe the laws of the Greek-Slavonic Rite faithfully and in all their integrity, without any admixture from the Latin Rite or any other Rite; he must also see that his subjects, clergy and all other Catholics, do the same." To be a Byzantine Catholic Russian remained technically illegal in the Russian Empire, until the 1917 Revolution and the Provisional Government's granting of religious freedom to all. The Russian Byzantine Catholic Church enjoyed full liberty for a brief period until, following the Bolshevik Revolution, the new communist government began to clamp down on all religious institutions. Russian Catholics who were able to escape emigrated to the West and established parish communities in the cities where they settled. *Next Week – St. Michael's Byzantine Rite Russian Catholic Chapel in New York*

Sharing & Caring...

Volunteering at the Church of St. Paul the Apostle.



LOAVES AND FISHES

Working together can feed the Hungry, in the body, and in the heart and soul!

To live a Catholic life, requires that we actively participate in making the world a better place to live.

Four people who come each week to count and tally the collections, also serve as volunteers in our Soup kitchen, Loaves and Fishes! Elaine and Anthony Viola, Terry Moffit, and Kathleen McGrath are participating through this service to the parish community, and to the people we serve in need, and they have been doing this for many years. Their weekly commitment to all the people they serve is appreciated. We know we can count on their presence.

How are you able to serve? Whether through **prayers, donation, volunteering**, whatever you can do.....pass it forward, do an act of kindness every day, make it your daily practice, do it with intention to serve, helping each other is how we as Catholics live our faith. How we serve, is a choice we make from the gifts and talents we are granted.

As the weather is starting to change, our lines for the Tues and Thurs lunches, and the pantry are getting longer. We are feeding over 100 at each of our lunches and the pantry is now serving about 70 people on a regular basis and our numbers are growing monthly. We can use your help. A \$30 donation feeds 20 people lunch and a donation of non-perishable, but nutritious food, helps replenish our pantry. Food donations can be dropped off at the parish center at 405 W 59th street. Donations should be made out to Church of St. Paul the Apostle, with a notation on the memo for Soup Kitchen donation. We appreciate your help.

The Rosary is prayed every weekday following the 12:10pm weekday mass. During October, the month of the Rosary, come pray with us in the Church on the left side near the Mary altar. All are welcome.

We pray for those in need, shelter them in your loving arms of strength and grace!

Assistance needed for a volunteer -

who is proficient in, and has access to In-Design Software. This is to help lay out a catalog of the art collection at Church of St. Paul the Apostle. If you can help, please call Margaret-Ann(917)370-0310 or margaretann@aol.com.



ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE BOOK & GIFT SHOP

October is Rosary Month

We have a beautiful collection of **Rosaries**, many hand made styles. Prices range from \$1 to \$250. Buy 2 and get a third of equal or lesser value at 50% off its retail price.

Metro Cards for 10 Rides are now in stock!

Great Catholic Fiction Series

Helena by Evelyn Waugh

Monday – October 26, 7p.m.at Parish Center

Sign up for events on-line at
www.welcomecenteratstpaultheapostle.org.

Bookstore/WelcomeCenter hours
Sunday 8:30 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Monday – Friday 10:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m. – 6:30 a.m. (212)315-0918

PARISH SUPPORT Stewardship Information

Thank you for your generosity.

Receipts:	2009	2008
Sunday, Oct. 18	\$8,024	\$10,760
Mission Sunday	\$3,501	

Become a Registered Parishioner

If you worship with us regularly and would like to be registered as a parishioner, please fill out the form below and return to our church offices or place in one of the collection baskets or boxes. Please print clearly.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

ZIP _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER(S):(home)_____

(cell)_____ and/or (work)_____

EMAIL: _____