



the STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2012



If you have made a pledge to the Appeal it is important that you fulfill it. The wonderful programs and ministries provided by the Archdiocese and its parishes are made possible through the Appeal.

Remember, our parish receives 100% of all the money paid over the Appeal goal so fulfilling your pledge will help us as well.

If you have not yet made your gift to the Appeal, it is not too late. Please call or stop by the Parish Center and talk to Diane Macon during the week.

Thank you for your generosity.

Peace – Father Gil

You can also make your gift online at
www.stewardshipappeal.org
May God bless you for your generosity.

PAULIST ITALY TRIP

Join us for a trip to Italy in October as we follow the Saints of Italy. We will be leaving October 5th and be returning on October 16. We will be traveling to Rome, Assisi, Florence, Bergamo, Padua and Venice and will be staying at monasteries and religious houses. The trip will be guided by Frs. Thomas Holahan and Ronald Franco, CSP. There is limited space. Please email welcomecenter@stpaultheapostle.org for more details about the trip.

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Friends –

As summer is upon us, it's time for our annual reading recommendations from the Welcome Center Bookstore.

I want to strongly recommend a wonderful book by one of my favorite authors, David McCullough. His 1972 book on the construction of the Brooklyn Bridge was reprinted last May. The book, "**The Great Bridge**" tells the story of the politics, personalities and the engineering behind the construction of this great NYC landmark. There's a fair bit of engineering terminology which is sometimes difficult, but the entire story unfolds so effortlessly – it's a great summer book. McCullough has twice received the Pulitzer Prize, for *Truman* and *John Adams*, and twice received the National Book Award, for *The Path Between the Seas* and *Mornings on Horseback*; His other widely praised books are *1776*, *Brave Companions* and *The Johnstown Flood*. I particularly enjoyed *John Adams*, *Truman*, *1776*, and *Mornings on Horseback*.

The first two are insightful and 'difficult-to-put-down' presidential biographies. The last two essentially have New York City as one of the characters; *1776* recounts the American Revolution in that year, which was centered here in the City. Detailed descriptions of life in the City gave me a new appreciation for role of the people and the City in the Revolution. The other tells the story of Theodore Roosevelt's upbringing in the City and so again, the city comes alive in the descriptions of the people and places. When I came here in 2006, I wanted to learn more about the history of NYC and these were tremendously helpful.

This year the Public Theater presents one of William Shakespeare's great comedies, "**As You Like It**" in Central Park. The play contains that famous soliloquy (Act II, 7):

*All the world's a stage
And all the men and women merely players;
They have their exits and their entrances,
And one man in his time plays many parts,
His acts being seven ages..."*

The heroine, Rosalind, the daughter of a banished duke falls in love with Orlando the disinherited son of one of the duke's friends. When she is banished from the court by her usurping uncle, Duke Frederick, Rosalind takes on the appearance of a boy calling herself Ganymede. She travels with her cousin Celia and the jester Touchstone to the Forest of Arden, where her father and his friends live in exile. Themes about life and love, including aging, the natural world, and death are included in the play. New friends are made and families

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are reunited. By the end of the play Ganymede, once again Rosalind, marries Orlando. Orlando and Rosalind, Oliver and Celia, Silvius and Phebe, and Touchstone and Audrey all are married in the final scene. Oliver becomes a gentler, kinder young man so the Duke changes his ways and turns to religion and so that the exiled Duke, father of Rosalind, can rule once again. A classic story of conversion!

For some light, but profound theological reading, pick up a copy of Anthony de Mello, "**Song of the Bird**". It's a small book in which the late Jesuit shares 124 stories from a variety of traditions, both ancient and modern, using parables to illustrate profound contemporary realities about our everyday concerns and our common spiritual quest. For a more directed meditative book, use his wonderful little book, "**The Way to Love: Last Meditations on Love**". There are about 30 brief meditations on the nature of love and a wonderful way to spend some time on the beach contemplating.

May the LORD bless your summer with rest, happiness, and peace!
Father Gil

Peabody Youth Orchestra

Conducted by Harlan D. Parker, the Peabody Youth Orchestra of John Hopkins University will present a free concert at St. Paul's on **Thursday, June 28 at 7:00 pm**. Featured selections will include Magic Flute Overture, Bizet L'Arliessiene Suite No. 2, and Tchaikovsky Symphony No. 2.



OSP represents the Gay and Lesbian parishioners at the Church of St. Paul the Apostle. It organizes programs around three main streams:

SPIRITUALITY, DIALOGUE, SERVICE

For information about upcoming events or if you'd like to be a part of OSP check out www.outatstpaul.org

May She Rest in Peace

✠Evelyn Baer

WOMEN’S EMPOWERMENT NETWORK

The YMCA of NYC is offering a six-week Computer and Career Development Certificate Program for displaced homemakers. This **free** program has been funded by the New York State Department of Labor to prepare women to enter the workforce. The program consists of two parts. The first section is a comprehensive hands-on computer training conducted in a state of the art computer lab. This class runs **Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 am to 4 pm**. Students will learn Microsoft Office applications, excellent work habits and the organizational skills necessary to run an efficient office. The Career Development section of the program is taught on **Tuesday and Thursday from 9 am to 4 pm**. In a comfortable and confidential setting, participants are invited to share their challenges and concerns about the job search process. Together the participant and staff develop a plan for achieving career goals. Call **212-937-8700** to register. We are located at 50 Broadway, 13th Floor, New York, NY 10004.



Join us at **7 pm** on **Wednesday, June 20th** at **St. Malachy’s – The Actors’ Chapel** (239 W 49th St) for the New Jersey Choral Society’s performance of *Bel Canto*, led by conductor Eric Knapp. This evening of Italian opera will also feature pieces from some of Broadway’s most well-known shows, including *Carmen*, *Sweeney Todd*, *Phantom of the Opera*, and *Madame Butterfly*. Tickets are \$25 each and are being sold in the rectory, as well as at the gift table during mass.

Proceeds will benefit the **Voices United Choral Festival** being held on **November 12th** at the **Beacon Theatre**. This festival will bring together hundreds of voices from the United States and abroad in a concert event that will also feature performances by the cast of the hit Broadway play, *Memphis*. Voices United will benefit local charities, like Covenant House New York, and well as many outreach ministries of The Actors’ Chapel.

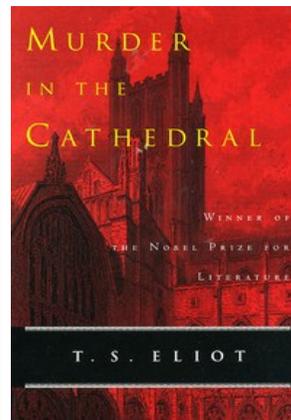
For information, please call St. Malachy’s rectory at **212-489-1340**.

TEACHERS FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Have you thought about being a catechist, but have never given it a try? Would you like to join us in sharing your Catholic faith with the children of St. Paul’s parish? Are you willing to commit yourself to be present with your students for classes from September to May? However, there is some latitude for your personal schedule because you will be sharing the teaching responsibility with another teacher for the 31 Sunday’s sessions scheduled during the school year from **11:00-12:30 pm**. **The heart of our program is the dedication of our catechists.** Co-teachers will be needed in the fall for the following classes: First pre-confirmation class (1st & 2nd graders); Post-Communion class (3rd, 4th & 5th graders); Pre-Confirmation class (6th & 7th graders). Training and ongoing support are provided with opportunities for personal spiritual growth.

Other volunteers’ opportunities: Substitute teachers, hall monitors, clerical help, and refreshment committee. Please consider this important ministry to our youth. If you have an interest, call Hernán Sánchez in the Religious Education Office **212-265-3495**, extension 341 or E-mail: hernan.sanchez@stpaultheapostle.org. It is certainly a help for all of our children. We hope it will be a joy for you!



Great Catholic Fiction
For the month of June, we will be reading *Murder in the Cathedral* by T. S. Eliot. The book will be on sale in the Bookstore in the coming weeks, and will be 20% off for the month of June. A discussion will be held on **Tuesday, June 26th** at **7 pm**.

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL LIVING WITH CANCER CONFERENCE



The cancer conference will be held at Calvary Hospital at 1740 Eastchester Road, Bronx, NY on **Saturday, June 23rd** from **9:15 am—3:30 pm**. It is intended to benefit people living with cancer, their families, friends and health care professionals. This Conference is free-of-charge and will offer information and practical tips to confront the day-to-day challenges of living with cancer.

Conference Schedule:

9:15 am: Registration and Continental Breakfast

10:00 am: Welcome

10:15 am: Keynote Address, Reflections by Survivors

11:00 am: Medical Update-What's New

11:30 am: Questions and Answers

12:15 pm: Lunch

1:00 pm, 2:15 pm: Concurrent Workshops

In order to attend, please call **(212) 712-8368** in order to register over the phone. Although the conference is free, early registration is encouraged due to limited space.

PROJECT RACHEL

Project Rachel operates as a network of healing composed of specially-trained caregivers which may include priests, deacons, sisters, lay staff and volunteers, mental health professionals, spiritual directors, mentors, chaplains and others, such as medical personnel. These individuals, often working as a team, provide direct care to women, men and adolescents who have been touched by an abortion loss, enabling them to grieve, receive forgiveness, and find peace. Contact information for the nearest Project Rachel can be found by clicking on the map on "Where to Find Help" on the Project Rachel website, www.hopeafterabortion.org

YOGA AT ST PAULS

No class Monday, 6/18.

Class will resume at 6:45 pm on Monday, 6/25.

Join us for an evening of yoga at the Parish Center in a welcoming, supportive environment. Blocks and blankets are provided and we have a few mats, too, but if you have one please bring it. The class is offered for all levels. We look forward to having you joining us – *Namaste.*

For more information or to join our email list, contact Kenneth Wright (climbtronador@yahoo.com).

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

ABC's of Catholic Relief Services: This week - CRS and Farmers... Farmers in poor countries face increasing challenges. Degraded eco-systems, land tenure questions, and labor affected by HIV/AIDS are among the issues. People's lives depend on what food they grow. Imagine. American Catholics who support CRS have an impact on CRS agricultural programs, thus on people's lives. Last week – CRS/El Salvador. Next week – CRS/Gambia.

For more info visit: www.crs.org

CENTERING PRAYER

Practice Christian meditation and chant as inspired by the monks and desert fathers - be drawn to a life of increased creativity, vitality and substance, in these times of turmoil and confusion. The next meeting is **Wednesday, June 20th** from **6-8:30 pm** at the Parish Center. These meditation sessions are held every Wednesday evening.

Please RSVP at: meditativeprayer@aol.com.

THURSDAY EVENING PRAYER GROUP

Please come and join us for prayer on Thursday evenings at **7:00 pm** in the Parish Center. We pray for all intentions requested during the week. If you would like us to pray for you or a loved one, please write your intention in the "Book of Prayer" located in front of the large crucifix in the north aisle of the church. All are welcome!

FAITHWALERS

Join us for a walk in Battery Park on **Saturday, June 23rd** in the back of the church after the **8:30 am** Mass. We will take the subway down to the park, and then walk along the Hudson River. Please RSVP in the WelcomeCenter-Bookstore.

JUNE 17, 2012

<p>DIRECTIVA PASTORAL Padre Gilbert S. Martinez, CSP, Parroco</p> <p>Diacono Waldemar Sandoval Gina Delgado: Coro Hispano</p>		<p>Misa Hispana: Domingo 12:30 pm Cura Ultraya Cursillista: Domingo 1:30 pm</p> <p>Confesiones: Llame por cita Telefono: (212) 265-3495</p>
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Si ha hecho un compromiso con la Campaña es importante que cumpla con el. Los programas y ministerios maravillosos que provee la arquidiócesis son posibles gracias a la Campaña.

Recuerde, nuestra parroquia recibe el 100% de todo el dinero recaudado que sobrepase nuestra meta de la Campaña, así que cumplir con su compromiso nos beneficia a nosotros también. Si todavía no ha hecho su regalo a la Campaña, aún tiene tiempo.

Gracias por su generosidad.

Padre Gil

También Usted puede hacer su donación en
www.stewardshipappeal.org
Que Dios le bendiga por su generosidad.

RETIRO PARA MINISTROS

El día Sábado, 30 de Junio, será un día de oración y preparación práctica para todos los que quieran servir como ministros extra-ordinarios de la Palabra y de la Eucaristía. El taller comienza a las 10 de la mañana en el centro parroquial y terminará a las 2 de la tarde. Es obligatorio asistir para ser ministro. Para más información contacta al Diacono Sandoval o a Rosa Cruz.



Saturday, June 16th, Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 ✠ Shintarō Goto
5:15 Venerable Henriette Delille, Sainthood Cause

Sunday, June 17th, 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 For the People
10:00 ✠ Florencio Pedrego
12:30 ✠ Gilberto Ramos
5:15 ✠ Douglas E. Horne

Monday, June 18th

7:30 ✠ Thomas Hillis & Family
12:10 ✠ Mary Grace Califano

Tuesday, June 19th, Romuald, abbot, Juneteenth Day

7:30 ✠ Nicola Molin
12:10 ✠ Germana G. Cordano

Wednesday, June 20th, World Refugee Day

7:30 ✠ Koji Hosokawa
12:10 ✠ Michael O'Halloran

Thursday, June 21st, Aloysius Gonzaga, religious

7:30 Alberto Guzman
12:10 ✠ Angelina Iannicelli

Friday, June 22nd, Paulinus of Nola, bishop; John Fisher, bishop, and Thomas More, martyrs

7:30 ✠ Rudy L. Castillo
12:10 ✠ Petra Martinez

Saturday, June 23rd

8:30 ✠ Mary Grace Falco & Family
5:15 Happy Birthday Jennie Sablian

DO YOU HAVE AN ALLERGY TO GLUTEN? Gluten free hosts are available at all masses. Please let the celebrating priest or any of the ministers know before mass and we will prepare a gluten free host for Holy Communion. Then at the communion procession, please receive the Body of Christ from the priest, who will have the gluten free host separated

Let us Pray for Our Sick

Michele Blanco, Jose & Clemencia Garcia, Teresa Guevara, Isabel Iondoño, Lina Melendez, Liza Ann Montero, Melba Ortiz, Juan C. & Ruth Ospina, Kathleen Ryan, Esther & Lucy Salgado, Rafael Salinas, Antonio Silva, Natan Sheyer, Leslie Smith, Abe Steingart, Mary Kovack, Francisco Gerdy, Carrie Bullock, Tracy Manning, Jenny Young, Joan Gonzalez, Marie Rose Marguerite Moze, Jasmin Mania, Luis Guzman, Jose Lorenzo Aegura, Enriqueillo Menoz, Ramuntco Iban Bosoh, Serangely, Ana Torres, Angeline Roselli, Luisa Jaquez, Nicole Giral, Myriam Garcia, Sally Ann, Maria Luisa Alfaro, Giuseppe DiScipio, Marian Grabowski, Tina Cacomanolis, & Janet Lindell., Susan Walton, Bernard Bisbal, and DeDe Sharkey, Paula Corredor, Caroline Okrant, Kevin Morgan, John O'Neill, Joel Juarbe, Faye Blakley-Powell, Deanna Tilton

Please remember in prayer the following Paulist Fathers, the anniversary (day/year) of whose death is this week (*denotes served at St. Paul's): William J. Cartwright* (6/17/1933), Francis Bertrand Robert* (6/17/1985), Peter J. Moran (6/21/1941), John F. Carvlin* (6/21/1979), John E. Weber (6/21/1984), Charles S. White* (6/21/2001), Edwin B. Kron* (6/22/1990)

A Word from Servant of God, Father Isaac Hecker, CSP Founder of Paulists and 1st Pastor of our Parish
Not to "resist the Spirit" is the first duty. Fidelity to the divine guidance, yielding one's self up lovingly to the impulses of virtue as they gently claim control of our thoughts—this is the simple duty. (On the guidance of the Holy Spirit, PV, 132)

PARISH SUPPORT

Thank you for your generosity!

<u>Receipts:</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
June 10th	\$10,004	\$11,346
Parish Pay	\$1,894	\$1,596

Readings for the Week of June 17, 2012

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34
Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14 /Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Mt 6:24-34
Next Sunday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17
Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

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.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE _____ ZIP _____

HOME/CELL NUMBER: _____

EMAIL: _____

_____ Yes, send me weekly collection envelopes.

_____ Yes, send me information on contributing through ParishPay.