

ST. PAUL the Apostle Congregation

“**L**ord, teach us to pray just as John taught his disciples.”
He said to them, “When you pray, say:
Father, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come.
Give us each day our daily bread.”

— Lk 11:1b-3

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*We, the Catholic Parishes of St. Sebastian & St. Paul the Apostle, working together, are **challenged** by our Baptism, **nourished** in the Eucharist and **committed** to ongoing transformation to bring the person of Jesus Christ to individuals, families, and society.*

6400 SPRING STREET, RACINE, WI 53406

JULY 25, 2010
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekly Worship & Daily Prayer

Mass Intentions

Liturgy of the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 p.m. † All Souls

Sunday, July 25th, Liturgy of the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. † Living & Deceased Members of St. Paul

10:30 a.m. † Maria Guadalupe Gonzales
(Guadalupe Anchondo)

Monday, July 26, Joachim and Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary - DiA DE LOS ABUELOS

8:15 a.m. NO MASS - Communion Service

Tuesday, July 27, Weekday

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Wednesday, July 28, Weekday

8:15 a.m. † Ann Reader (Mary Medzis)

† Virginia Sucharda (Geline B. Williams)

Thursday, July 29, Martha

8:15 a.m. † Karen Letsch (Bob Letsch & Family)

Friday, July 30, Peter Chrysologus, bishop and doctor of the Church

8:15 a.m. † Rose Zwaga (Her Family)

Saturday, July 31, Ignatius of Loyola, priest

8:15 a.m. † All Souls

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8:30 a.m. † Penny Kutis (Her Family)

10:30 a.m. † All Souls

The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed Monday through Saturday prior to the Mass or Communion Service at 7:50 a.m.

Prayer Requests

In addition to our Book of Prayers, you may anonymously write your prayer request and place it in the wooden box on the west table in the gathering area. Feel free to contact Bernice Davis at 637-2959 or Sue Douglas at 884-9095.

St. Paul Schedule

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday through Saturday:
8:15 a.m.

Communion Service on Tuesday

Confessions - Each Saturday:

After 8:15 a.m. Mass & 2nd

Wednesday at 1:00 p.m.

St. Sebastian Schedule

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m. & 9:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday through Thursday:
8:00 a.m.

No Mass on Friday

Confessions - Each Saturday:

3:30 p.m. or by appointment

Sacraments at St. Paul

Baptism - Parents must be registered with the parish three months prior to Baptism. Please call the Parish Office to register for a Baptism preparation session.

Marriage - Couples call the pastor, at least six months before the desired date.

Anointing - First Friday of every month after 8:15 a.m. Mass or by request.

Eucharistic Adoration Thursday, August 5th, 2010

Exposition will follow the 8:15 a.m. Mass and conclude with a Holy Hour of Divine Mercy Devotions & Prayer from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. to include recitation of the Rosary and Benediction.



"I wait with longing for the Lord, my soul waits for His Word."
Psalm 130:5

Anointing of the Sick & First Friday Fellowship



All are invited to come forward at the conclusion of the 8:15 a.m. Mass on Friday, August 6th, for Anointing of the Sick. First Friday Fellowship will be held in Fr. Cox Hall immediately following. Take time to visit with friends and get to know others.

Weekly Scripture Synopsis

July 25 - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 18:20-32; Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13

Why Pray? Hear the little phrase at the end of today's Gospel: "If you then, who are wicked, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?" We often pray to inform God of our needs. His response is always the same: "I will send you my spirit". The Spirit is there to teach us God's way not to urge God to see things my way.

Readings for the Week of July 25, 2010

Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

Monday: Jer 13:1-11/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Jer 18:1-6/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Friday: Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12

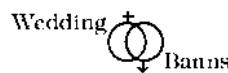
Next Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

Scripture Readings for Next Sunday

Excl 1:2, 2:21-23 What profit comes to us from all our toil?

Col 3:1-5, 9-11 How to live like a Christian.

Luke 12:13-21 Be rich in what matters to God.



III Mellissa Bellis & Ryan Schafer

I & II Kayla Hetland & Matt Suing

I Elizabeth Drzal & Casey Griffiths

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Michelle Kelner, Gloria Lotz and Earl Porcaro, whose funerals were held at St. Paul this past week. Please keep Michelle, Gloria, Earl and their families in your prayers.



Parish Calendar & Information

This Week at St. Paul

Sunday, July 25th

10:30 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word -
Gathering Space

Monday, July 26th

9:00 a.m. St. Paul Happy Crafters - Fr. Cox Hall

Tuesday, July 27th

No Parish Activities

Wednesday, July 28th

Women's Book Club — Fr. Esser Library

Thursday, July 29th

9:00 a.m. Peggy Taylor—Parish Nurse — Fr. Cox Hall

Friday, July 30th

10:00 a.m. Moms & Tots Playgroup - Hwy 11 Park
12:00 noon Parish Office closes
6:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday, July 31st

8:45 a.m. Confession - Church
2:00 p.m. Wedding

Sunday, August 1st

9:30 a.m. Baptism Preparation Class -
Fr. Esser Library
10:30 a.m. Children's Liturgy of the Word -
Gathering Space

COMMON GROUND OF GRIEF: Living After the Death of Your Spouse



Patrick Dean, Director of Grief Education Services with the Catholic Cemeteries will be presenting a grief program for those who have lost a spouse. The program will take place on Tuesday, August 3rd at San Camillo, 10200 W. Bluemound Road in Milwaukee. There are two times available: 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

The session will consist of a presentation of photographic images and grief education content followed by a period of questions and answers. This program is sponsored by the John Paul II Center and the Catholic Cemeteries of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. For more information, visit www.johnpaul2center.org or call 414-438-4420, ext 302.

*"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you.
I do not give to you as the world gives.
Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."
John 14:27*

Are we a welcoming faith community?

Since moving into our new church facility in the fall of 2002, we have welcomed over 600 new families to our parish. It is important for all to feel a sense of welcome and community here at St. Paul. This welcoming atmosphere helps our parish community grow, not only in size, but in faith-filled and practicing Catholics.

We hope that our parishioners and visitors alike feel a true sense of community that encourages them to enrich their faith, join in faith and family activities and reach out to those in need.

In a parish setting, stewardship of time and talents is important for building a strong and vibrant faith community. Stewardship of treasure is also important in maintaining a solid financial position and supporting the programs and ministries that touch our lives and our community.

We ask you to consider three things:

- 1.) TIME: Become involved in just one ministry.
 - 2.) TALENT: Share your talents and gifts with your parish.
 - 3.) TREASURE: Share your financial resources with your parish.
- If you are not a regular giver, please consider even a small monthly contribution. If you give regularly, perhaps now is the time to consider an incremental increase to your monthly contribution. To all...we say thanks for your commitment to St. Paul the Apostle Parish!

PARISH NURSE SCHEDULE



We are blessed here at St. Paul to have Peggy Taylor, R.N. as our Parish Nurse. Peggy shares her gifts of warmth and patience with us each Thursday morning from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Peggy is available to take your blood pressure, talk to you about your health concerns or medications and just provide a caring, listening ear to you.

Peggy's Hours for the remainder of July and August are:

Thursday, July 28th
Thursdays, August 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th

TRAVELING THIS SUMMER? DON'T FORGET MASS!

With summer travel upon us, it is easy to plan Mass into your vacation schedule. Log onto www.masstimes.org to find a church and mass time that will fit your schedule.

It is always a good idea to phone the church ahead of time to make sure that nothing has changed.

Enjoy safe, summer travels!

Scripture & Friendship Sharing



CANDLE LIGHT VIGIL FOR SURVIVORS OF ABUSE

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee invites survivors of abuse and their families, friends, clergy, parishioners and all those who care to stand together as we mourn what has been lost, and ask the Spirit to help guide us to the light of hope and the promise of resurrection in even those dark times. All are invited to a Candle Light Vigil on **August 22nd at 7:00 p.m.** at Three Holy Women Parish, St. Hedwig Church, 1702 N. Humboldt Avenue, Milwaukee.

For more information, please contact Amy Petersen at 414-758-2232 or email her at petersona@archmil.org.

MAGNIFICAT A Ministry to Catholic Women

With a deep desire in helping other women grow closer to God, the Magnificat Servant of the Lord Racine/Kenosha Chapter announces a Magnificat Breakfast on Saturday, August 14th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon at Infusino's Banquet Hall. The cost of a ticket is just \$10 and includes a delicious and faith-filled breakfast and a wonderful presentation by Karie Kinzler.

Karie is 48 years old and all are invited to witness a powerful conversion of the heart that transformed Karie's life in both spirit and body.

To order tickets or find out more, please call Rose Nelson at 654-7287 or Rose Birkholz at 657-9519. Deadline to register is August 9, 2010.

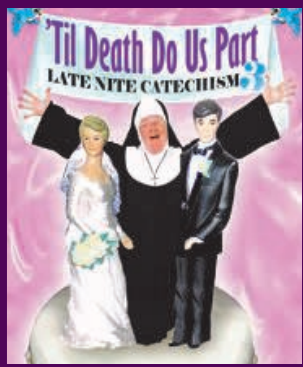
CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

Follow the call of Archbishop Timothy Dolan, Archbishop of New York and Chairman of the CRS Board in supporting Catholic Relief Services and providing HOPE to people in need around the globe.



As Archbishop Dolan recently stated, "I propose to you that Catholic Relief Services stands as one of the most effective agents of love, service, care and pursuit of justice extolled by our Holy Father in the encyclical *Deus Caritas Est*. I have come so to love the people associated with Catholic Relief Services. They are amazingly generous, faithful, competent people."

To learn more about CRS, log on to their website at www.crs.org.



FALL BUS TRIP TO SCHAUER ARTS & ACTIVITIES CENTER IN HARTFORD September 24th, 2010

Bus will leave St. Paul west parking lot at **10:30 a.m.**

Enjoy a **lunch buffet** at Schauer Center at **12:30 p.m.**
(Buffet includes: Hot beef, hot shredded chicken, mashed potatoes, salads, rolls, spice layer cake, coffee, milk or water. Cash bar is available.)

Show starts at 2:00 p.m.

Cost of the trip is \$67.00

This includes transportation, lunch buffet, theater production and all gratuities.

The bus will return to St. Paul at approximately **5:45 p.m.**

Please complete this portion and return to St. Paul Parish Office with your check **made payable to St. Paul the Apostle, no later than August 9th.**

Groups of four should register on the same form; we will make every attempt to keep your group together.

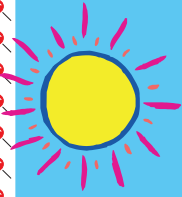
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Your reservation is only considered complete with payment. The parish reserves the right to cancel the trip, if unable to fill it. Any questions, please call Carmen Anzalone at 886-9722.



August 15th, 2010 St. Paul the Apostle Family Fun Day



FUN RUN/WALK BEGINS AT 1:00 P.M.!

Join us at Noon at the walking/bike path on Old Spring Street for a Family Fun Run/ Walk. The path is a 2.2 mile trail that will begin and end at the Old Spring Street entrance. The walk will begin at 1:00 p.m., with registration beginning at 12:30 p.m.

Families will also have the opportunity to pre-register at church on the first two weekends in August. There is no cost to participate and people of all ages are welcome to join the fun!

Ribbons and prizes will be awarded at a Ceremony at St. Paul following the Fun Run/Walk and lunch at church.



Bingo!

Those who choose not to participate in the Fun Run/Walk, are invited to join your fellow parishioners in Fr. Cox Hall for some fun games of Bingo at 12:30 p.m.!

A PICNIC TYPE LUNCH WILL BE SERVED BETWEEN 2:30 - 3:30 P.M.

THERE WILL BE FUN AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR FAMILIES AND CHILDREN

MAKE NEW FRIENDS AND WIN SOME PRIZES!

FUN FOR ALL AGES!

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!
LET US KNOW HOW YOU CAN HELP.
Drop in basket in gathering area.**

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

_____ **HELP WITH RUN/ WALK
(12:00 to 2:00 p.m.)**

_____ **HELP WITH BINGO
(12:00 TO 2:00 P.M.)**

_____ **HELP SERVE LUNCH
(1:00 to 3:30 p.m.)**

_____ **HELP WITH SET-UP
(9:00 to 11:30 a.m.)**

_____ **HELP WITH TAKE DOWN
AND CLEAN-UP
(3:30 to 5:00 p.m.)**

BASKETS!

As was the tradition with our family picnics of past, we will hold a basket drawing for all those present.



Please consider donating a completed basket or items that we can use to fill a basket.

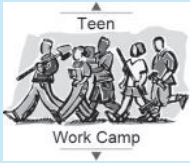
We ask that all donations be dropped off in the parish office no later than Wednesday, August 4th.

In keeping with our theme of family fun and wellness, we ask you to be creative in making baskets that are healthy and family friendly.

“Sowing the Seeds” - A Collaborative Lifelong Christian Formation Program

Child & Youth Ministry News

Workcamp For Teens in Racine



All Students who are interested in doing a local workcamp from August 2-6 should fill out a registration form, complete it as soon as possible and send it to David Kenny at St Paul The Apostle. This workcamp is for those who have completed 6th Grade and upwards. Registration forms are in the kiosks on the tables in the Gathering Space of Church. All information is provided on the Workcamp Brochure. We are also in need of Adults to help with worksites and driving. If you can help in any way, this is a very rewarding experience. please call David at 886-0530.

Young Adult Ministry News

Theology-on-Tap



Theology-on-Tap, a Four Week Summer Speaker series for Young Adults, Married and Single, in their 20s and 30s, is running from July 12–August 5, at locations throughout Southeastern Wisconsin. All sessions begin at 7:00 p.m. There is no cost to attend and registration is not required. Young adults of all denominations are welcome.

A Sample of the Presentations includes:

- Mass 101: The How, What and Why Guide to Catholic Worship
- The Journey of Faith is Not for Wimps – It May Be Hard But God Has Your Back
- Spirituality of Work – What Is It?
- Smells and Bells, and Those Things that Set Catholics Apart
- Heaven and Hell: A Catholic's Guide
- Reading and Understanding the Bible: A Catholic Perspective
- Christ the Great Storyteller
- How Do I Live Faithfully with the Universal Christian Church

For a complete listing of locations, topics, and presenters, please visit www.johnpaul2center.org or call 414-758-2213.

Adult Ministry

RCIA: Want to Know More About the Catholic Faith?



Do you know a Family Member, Spouse, Friend or relative who would like to know more about the Catholic faith or who has questions? The R.C.I.A. Program will begin soon at St Paul the Apostle. R.C.I.A is a process people go through to learn more about the Catholic faith, who prepare for the Sacraments of the Church and who are received into the

Church at Easter Vigil. If you are interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith, please inquire by calling the Parish office at 886-0530.

We Need RCIA Team Members

Are you interested in working with Adults who want to learn more about our Catholic faith? Have you a willingness to share your faith? The R.C.I.A Team is looking for additional members to facilitate discussion and be a support to these Adults who are preparing for the Sacraments. If you would like more information, please call the Parish office at 886-0530.

Wednesday Night Confirmation Catechists Needed

We are in need of Confirmation Catechists for the Wednesday night option at St Joseph's School starting in the Fall 2010 to January 2011. Classes will be held twice a month from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. If you can help, please contact David Kenny at 886-0530.



Registration For Sowing the Seeds Christian Formation Program

Registration Forms were sent out earlier in the Summer for Grades K-11.



Sowing the Seeds Registration

Please send your Registration Form and Payment to Sowing The Seeds, 6400 Spring St, Racine, WI 53406. If you do not have a registration form or would like more information about any of our Programs, please call David at 886-0530 or Lety at 639-6280.

Calling All the Baptized to Leadership

Please pray and consider a Leadership Role in our Sowing The Seeds Program. We are in need of Adults to be Leaders as Catechists, Hall Monitors, Mentors and much more. Please call Lety at 639-6280 or David at 886-0530 for more information.

Care Net Family Resource Center

Protecting Life is as easy as.....walking, eating and shopping! The annual Walk for Life for Care Net Family Resource Center is Saturday, September 25th. Please plan to join this walk for charity at Racine Christian School, 912 Virginia Street. You can participate as an individual or as team. A Pancake Breakfast will begin the day at 6:30 a.m. and a silent auction is being planned. Registration for the walk begins at 8:30 a.m. and the Walk will kick-off at 9:00 a.m.

Volunteers are needed to help that day. Silent Auctions items are also being accepted and are greatly appreciated. For more info, call 633-2177.

Welcome to St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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554-4508

Parish Trustee Secretary - Paul Ritter
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Parish Council Chairperson -

CAR & APC Representative - John Ellgas
939-4955

Sunday Morning Nursery Attendant - Cheryl Jacobs

www.masstimes.org (A good resource for travelers.)

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday 4:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.