

SAINT PAUL'S PARISH

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Corner of Bow and Arrow Streets

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Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 12, 2023

Mass for the Lord's Day

St. Paul's Church Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM (during academic term)

Daily Mass

Monday - Friday 8:00 AM, 12:10 PM Saturday 9:00 AM— St. Paul's Church

Vespers

Tuesday and Wednesday — 6:30 PM (Parish Center Chapel)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Friday 11:00 AM until noon in the Church

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Please inquire at the parish office

Confession

Saturday 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM Upper Church

Or by appointment

Eucharist

See Mass schedule above

Marriage

Couples planning to marry in the Church should make an appointment to see one of the priests as far in advance as possible (at least six months)

Confirmation

Celebrated annually, contact the parish office for info

Holy Orders

If you feel called to consider a vocation to priesthood or diaconate, speak to the clergy here or call the Archdiocese directly at 617-746-5939 (priesthood) or 617-746-5649 (diaconate)

Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament will take place immediately following the 9:00 AM Mass on the first Saturday of each month, or please contact a priest at anytime

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SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Offered after the 9:00am Mass on the First Saturday of each month. Those who are facing surgeries or very serious health issues may present themselves to the priest after Mass in the front of the church. Family and friends are most welcome to be present together during the Anointing.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays 11:00am to Noon in the church followed by Mass at 12:10pm.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Saturday, November 11

9:00am Memorial: Amy Keck 5:00pm For peace among nations and all those affected by war and violence

Sunday, November 12 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am For the People of St. Paul's Parish 9:30am Memorial: Roberto Mattii 11:00am Memorial: Mr. and Mrs. Yohannes Latiman Mulia 5:00pm For the Harvard Catholic Community

Monday, November 13 Saint Francis Xavier Cabrini

Tuesday, November 14

12:10pm Memorial: Clyde Reneman

Thursday, November 16
Saint Margaret of Scotland and Saint Gertrude
12:10pm St. Paul's Choir School Fund Intention

Friday, November 17 Saint Elizabeth of Hungary

Saturday, November 18

5:00pm For peace among nations and all those affected by war and violence

Sunday, November 19 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

The parish is always ready to receive adults into the process of preparation for baptism or reception into Full Communion with the Roman Catholic Church. Please e-mail rcia@stpaulparish.org for information.

Parish Food Pantry

Non-perishable food donations may be left in the church foyer whenever there is a Mass (Monday-Friday 12:10pm; Saturday 9:00am, regular Sunday schedule.) The food pantry is **open Saturdays from 10:00am to 11:00am**.

PARKING FOR MASS ON SATURDAY & SUNDAY

Free parking at the Cowperthwaite Garage is available <u>by</u> <u>permit only</u> for those attending Mass on weekends only. Contact the Parish office for a parking application.

New Parishioner Welcome to Saint Paul Parish!

To register, please visit the parish web site, www.stpaulsharvardsquare.org.

Low Gluten Hosts

Low gluten hosts are available. Please speak to one of the priests, in the sacristy, before Mass if you require one.

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Friends,

Once again, the issue of Physician Assisted Suicide is making its way through the Massachusetts legislature. In clear and consistent ways, the Catholic Church has stood against this proposal: "It is an affront to life and a dangerous precedent for determining end of life issues." I would ask you to pick up a fact sheet in the vestibule or online which shows how we can speak out against these bills. Thank you for your role in this important Pro-Life concern.

On another front also encompassed by the Church's social justice teaching, Cardinal Seán has asked all parishioners in the archdiocese to do their part to aid the migrants arriving in our area who now find themselves without housing or material goods. I have asked our parish chapter of the St. Vincent de Paul Society to propose a plan to me for how we might be part of these efforts. (And with that, keep your eyes open for information regarding the annual Thanksgiving and Christmas support offered by our parish group as well.)

Next weekend, we will have a brief presentation at each of the Masses regarding our upcoming Parish Grand Annual, which begins November 17/18 through March. You should have received a letter from me in the mail, or copies are available in the vestibule. We depend on this collection to cover our operating costs, and this year have a goal of \$160,000. Everyone is asked to participate. Thanks for your prayerful preparation and consideration.

You may have noticed a new "introduction" to the Offertory collection at Mass. Our intention is that it will help us all better to connect our understanding of the offering of the gift of bread and wine with Jesus' own offering of His Body and Blood on the altar with our own offerings of the joys and struggles of our lives. As the prayer says: "Pray, friends, that *my sacrifice and yours...*" This offering and sacrifice also includes our financial giving, another precept of the Church, for the health and care of the parish. May this introduction deepen our appreciation of a moment that may sometimes seem purely mechanical and disconnected from the spiritual action of the Mass into one rich in meaning and purpose.

Our Choir School has been busy with many different things: daily and Sunday Mass, weddings at home and out of state, soloists joining outside organizations, etc... And the Christmas season has not yet started! You can also join us for sung vespers this Thursday at 5:30pm in the church. Thanks to all those who donated to the school in the second collection last week. If you were not able to do so, feel free to send something to them through our parish office or one of the priests/ staff.

God bless you, Fr. Kelly



One of our Choir boys, Quinton Hashemi, was guest soloist for a performance of the Chichester Psalms by Leonard Bernstein at St. Cecilia Parish in Boston.

SECOND COLLECTION: NOVEMBER 18 AND 19 RETIRED RELIGIOUS SISTERS

Next weekend the Archdiocese will take up a collection for our Retired Religious Sisters. Funds help to provide for the retirement and health care needs of Sisters who have served in the Archdiocese. Thank you.

CATHOLIC APPEAL THANK YOU

Thank you to all who have participated in the Catholic Appeal. There is still time to contribute. Please visit Bostoncatholicappeal.org/donate

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Our parish chapter of the St Vincent de Paul Society offers financial assistance to those in need throughout the broader Cambridge community. The assistance ranges from help with utility bills, food, rent and a variety of other living expenses. Our funds come primarily from parishioner donations and, as such, are limited. If you or someone you know needs assistance, please call 781-5661-2048. If you would like to donate, please go www.svdp02138.online/donate or mail a check to St Vincent de Paul at 29 Mt Auburn St. Thank you for your support. We also have a Venmo link: @svdp02138.

NOVEMBER 12, 2023

CHECK OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. PAUL'S

FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry has been blessed with an abundance of fresh produce over the past few months, thanks to the farms that donate to our food rescue partners. Everyone has been leaving with full bags and there has usually been some left to fill the free fridge across the street. Availability of pantry items has been somewhat variable. We need cold cereal, oatmeal (canisters and flavored instant), granola bars and cereal bars, fruit cups, quarts of shelf stable milk (dairy as well as almond, oat, or other nondairy varieties), rice, coffee, flavored or herbal tea, and soup. We have more than enough pasta, pasta sauce, macaroni and cheese, canned beans, and canned tomatoes. As a reminder, we give each guest a complete package so we are requesting standard size packages as opposed to large ones (60 granola bars, a giant canister of coffee, etc.).

MASS INTENTIONS AT ST. PAUL'S

Mass Intentions for daily and weekend Masses are being accepted. Masses may be offered to remember those who have died, for those who are ill, as well as in thanksgiving for a birthday, anniversary or for a special intention. Please contact Nancy in the Parish Office during the week for **details and to reserve a particular Mass.**

SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp, which burns for eight days and nights at the tabernacle, symbolizes the presence of Christ and marks the boundaries of holy space in the Church. If you are interested in learning how to donate a Sanctuary Lamp, contact Nancy at 617.491-8400 ext. 303.

MEDITATIONS BEFORE MASS

The Guardini reading group is currently reading <u>The Lord</u>. If you are interested, please join us at **10:30am** on **Sundays in the Bishop Boles Conference** for about twenty minutes.

MONDAY PRAYER GROUP

The group meets on **Mondays, starting at 1:00pm, by telephone.** The number to call at 1 pm is 978-990-5000, and the number to enter when prompted is 701118. We read and discuss the Scripture readings of the day, then offer prayers for one another.

PARISH SUPPORT AND FINANCES

Please consider joining electronic giving at the parish:

Online Giving

Account may be set up for a one-time donation, continuous giving, or for an anonymous one-time donation

https://app.securegive.com/StPaulParish/dashboard

Or SecureGive App on your mobile device



Text Giving

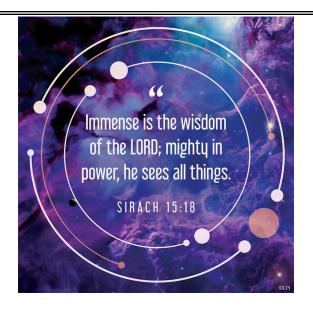
- Text "weekly" and donation amount ("weekly 10") to (617) 401-9400
- For first time donor, follow reply link to create account and confirm transaction
- ♦ For return donor, reply "Y" to confirm transaction

Kiosk Giving

Swipe your credit card in the vestibule.

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Offertory week ending 11/5/23	\$4,394
Offertory via mail week ending 11/3/23	\$1,053
FY2023 Grand Annual to Date	\$102,685
FY23 (11/5/22-2/28/23)	
Electronic Giving October 2023	\$27,777
FY2024 Offertory (all methods) as of 11/3/23	\$209,519
FY24 (7/1/23-6/30/24)	unreconciled

As always, thank you to past and present benefactors.



HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER—STUDENT NEWS

Join us for Mass on Sunday at 5:00 PM. St. Paul's Church.

HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER PODCAST

Check out Fr. Patrick's podcast series,

"The Harvard Catholic,"
which can be found on the bottom of the HCC homepage
and all podcast listening apps.

For more information visit www.HarvardCatholic.org and to register for the weekly e-blast, scan the QR Code.



GRAD STUDENTS, POST DOCS & YOUNG PROFESSIONALS (GS&YP)

HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL MASS

Mass weekly on Sundays at 8:15 PM (during the academic year) at the Harvard Business School Class of 1959 Chapel.

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL MASS

Mass is held on alternate Sundays at 6:30 p.m. (during the academic year) at Hark Second Floor on 11/12, and 12/3

YOUNG COUPLES & NEW FAMILIES

Will meet in the Boles Conference Room on Sunday, November 19.

Welcoming all young couples and new families to potluck breakfast every third Sunday of the month after the 9:30am Mass in DiGiovanni Hall. Please send an email to saintpaulycnf@gmail.com to get on our mailing list!

VERBUM DEI: GRAD SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER GROUP

Every Sunday from 11:00am-12:30pm, we meet in the Harvard Catholic Center's student lounge to reflect on this Sunday's readings (giving particular attention to the Gospel) and consider how they can impact our daily lives. No preparation is required; newcomers are very much welcome. Ben Schlanger (benjamin.p.schlanger@gmail.com) Kasey Kimball (kimbalkh@bc.edu)

GOLD MASS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2023 9:30 AM - MIT Chapel

Mass will be followed by a catered reception at 10:45

AM and a lecture by Fr. Nicanor Austriaco, OP, PhD at
11:00 AM on "The Science and Ethics of CRISPR and
CRISPR-inspired Gene Editing" in the MIT building W11
main dining room.

MONTHLY DINNER AND ADORATION

Thursday, December 7

6:00pm: Adoration in Main Church and Confession 7:00pm: Indoor Dinner Gathering in DiGiovanni Hall Come join the graduate student, postdoc, and young professional community at St. Paul's for our renowned monthly dinners on the first Thursday of each month! Adoration starts at 6:00pm in the main church (Confession also available) followed by dinner in DiGiovanni Hall at 7:00pm. Feel free to come for all or part of the evening! \$10 (cash only) donation please.

SATURDAY SERVICE: HOMELESS OUTREACH Saturday Service with the Missionaries of Charity

Every Saturday promptly after the 9:00am Mass, a group of us will carpool to the Missionaries of Charity's convent in Dorchester to help the Sisters with their children's program, women's shelter, and general needs. Please know that all are welcome to join, and you can email Michelle Vaccaro (michelle vaccaro@g.harvard.edu) with any questions.

PLAY WITHOUT CEASING (BOARD GAMES NIGHT)

Second and Fourth Friday of the month, 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM Harvard Catholic Center, Mary's Room, Rm 203 and Rm 204 Due to Thanksgiving, the group will NOT meet on Friday, November 24

Join us for some fun board and party games and meet your fellow Catholics (and soon-to-be Catholics!). Please feel free to bring your own games, though we will have well enough for everyone. The more the merrier. If you are planning on coming, please text Jack Edmondson at 717.778.7900 or connect through FB messenger.

R&R: ROSARY AND RELAXATION

Meet Rosary in the Women Doctor's of the Church Chapel Join us weekly on Thursdays at 7:30pm to pray a rosary and then hangout the lounge at 8:00pm. All are welcome, even for part of the evening! Any questions contact Terry Culpepper tculpepper@g.harvard.edu Note: this will not happen on the first Thursday of the month.

ST. JOSEPH MEN'S GROUP

Mondays, 8-9 PM Boles Room, HCC ckaminski@mba2025.hbs.edu

SATURDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BRUNCH: BRING SOMETHING TO SHARE! 9:30 AM

Room 203, HCC Contact Scarlett Rose Ford (scarlettroseford@gmail.com)