



# SAINT PAUL'S PARISH

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### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

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[www.harvardcatholic.org](http://www.harvardcatholic.org)

### ST. PAUL'S CHOIR SCHOOL

(617) 868-8658

[saintpaulschoirschool.us](http://saintpaulschoirschool.us)

### Mass for the Lord's Day

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM

St. Paul's Church

### Daily Mass

Monday - Friday 12:10 PM

Saturday - 9:00 AM

St. Paul's Church

*Because of very limited capacity in the church to ensure safe social distancing, one must register for a seat at Mass (visit [stpaulparish.org](http://stpaulparish.org)). For entry to a Mass, one must have proof of registration and a face mask. Thanks for your understanding.*

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our **YouTube** and **Facebook** pages

"St. Paul's Harvard Square"

### SACRAMENTS

#### Baptism

Please inquire at the parish office

#### Penance & Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm ~ Or by appointment

Upper Church

#### 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 a priest or call the

Vocations Office at (617) 746-5939

#### Anointing of the Sick

Please contact a priest

Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

June 27, 2021

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**LITURGICAL CALENDAR**

**Saturday, June 26**

5:00pm For peace throughout the world

**Sunday, June 27**

**Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

7:30am For the safety and legal protection of all children in the womb

9:30am For the People of St. Paul's Parish

11:00am Memorial: Harold Cronin

**Monday, June 28 Saint Irenaeus**

12:10pm Special Intention: Staff of the Neville Center and Isabella

**Tuesday, June 29 Saints Peter and Paul**

12:10pm Choir School Fund Intention

**Wednesday, June 30**

**First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church**

**Thursday, July 1 Saint Junipero Serra**

**Saturday, July 3 Saint Thomas**

5:00pm Vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life in the Archdiocese of Boston and those currently in formation

**Sunday, July 4**

**Fourteenth Sunday of 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 rciastpaulcambridge@gmail.com 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 12:00pm.

**PARKING FOR MASS ON SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

Free parking at the Cowperthwaite Garage is available by permit only 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 fill out a registration card available in the church vestibule or at the parish office.

**SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Please contact parish staff by e-mail for assistance.



**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

11:00am to Noon on Fridays in the Church.

## THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Dear Friends,

**Blessings to you as we officially enter the summer season.** I hope it will be a good one for you. It was great last week to see so many familiar faces able to come back to Mass for the first time in a long time. We pray for the continued growth of our community; be sure to pray and to reach out and invite others to join you.

**I want to introduce to you and welcome Joe Ferme**, who will be with us for about six weeks this summer. Joe is a seminarian at my Alma Mater, The North American College in Rome. He will be entering Fourth Theology this year and will be ordained a deacon in October. He is a fine man, and we are very happy to have him here with us.

As mentioned last week, **I have decided that we will not be able to have Mass in DiGiovanni Hall this summer.** We will miss the comfort of air conditioning, but with all the moving parts involved with repair work after the Parish Center flood, we must have as much space as possible available to us as carpets, ceilings, kitchen, and walls are replaced. Thanks for your understanding.

**Speaking of repairs and construction: we are addressing issues of deterioration around the stained-glass rose window above the organ on the façade of the church.** We have had a professional assessment of the problem and I will report its findings and next steps back to you as soon as they are available. You may have also noted that the **brick pillars marking the entrance to the stairs and courtyard** are in a very sad state (crumbling!!), as well as the **concrete pilasters in the front of the church.** The brick pillars are scheduled for reconstruction this summer, with the rest to be addressed as soon as possible. Though we do have some funds remaining from the Inspiring Hope Campaign to help with these projects, any other assistance would be welcome.

**We want to continue to swell the ranks of those who can help the parish as greeters, lectors, servers, and Eucharistic ministers.** We would also like to have a robust team set up to assist as **Offertory Collectors (ushers) for each Mass.** You could reach out to Deacon Tim, Judy Beatrice, or Nancy in the main office.

**We are very happy that Covid restrictions are being relaxed.** As announced, those who prefer to continue to wear masks are most welcome to do so. We will also continue to keep the two side sections of the church set up for distanced seating; all other seating is open now. Those who have received a vaccine no longer have to wear masks; others are asked to continue with this practice. For the time being we would prefer that people receive communion on the hand for the comfort of the Eucharistic Ministers; if you would like to receive on the tongue, please come at the end of the communion line. Registration for Masses is no longer necessary.

**We will be keeping the church open every day from 9:00 until about 7:00.** In normal times, we see about 50 visitors a day who come in to pray and to take in the beauty of this edifice. Pray that many will come closer to the Lord by their time, even if brief, at St. Paul's.

God bless, Fr. Kelly

### **HOLY WATER FONTS ARE BACK!**

With the continued lifting of covid restrictions, we are thrilled to finally bring back the holy water fonts in the vestibules so that you can once again bless yourself upon entering the church! To mark the occasion, we have made small bottles of holy water available for everyone to take home. The ancient blessing of holy water and salt is considered a "minor exorcism" since it contains a special power to expel evil spirits. It is thus fitting for anyone to sprinkle holy water as an aid to imploring divine protection most especially in one's home and office. You might also bless yourself with holy water each night before bed and upon getting up in the morning. And when you run out, simply ask any priest to refill it from the large font in the sacristy!

Here is an excerpt from the priest's prayer for blessing water that seems particularly relevant to our time:

*May it rid whatever it touches of all uncleanness and protect it from every assault of evil spirits... Let no breath of infection, no disease-bearing air remain in these places. May the wiles of the lurking enemy prove of no avail. Let whatever might menace the safety and peace of those who live here be put to flight by the sprinkling of this water, so that the health obtained by calling upon your holy name may be made secure against all attack.*

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

**FOOD PANTRY**

Please continue to bring your extra paper bags with handles for the food pantry. We are now allowing our guests to select a special item of their choice in addition to the staples included in their bags. This means that we have an ongoing need for **cereal, rice, tuna, pasta sauce, peanut butter, and mayonnaise**, but we also need other items. Popular items include **oatmeal, crackers, nuts, trail mix, dried fruit, granola bars, coffee, ketchup, shelf stable milk and almond milk**. In contrast to the winter when the shelves were overflowing, many items are in short supply at this time.

**PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN**

Reminder that all volunteers must complete a Protecting God's Children VIRTUS program. You may do so by visiting [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org).

**MONDAY PRAYER GROUP**

The group meets on **Mondays, starting at 1:00pm, by telephone**. For dial-in instructions contact Bill Wendell ([realestatecafe@gmail.com](mailto:realestatecafe@gmail.com))

**CENTERING PRAYER**

The Centering Prayer Group is meeting on **Zoom on Thursdays at 6:30pm**. If you would be interested in joining, contact [stpaulcentering@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulcentering@gmail.com).

**BADALIYA & PEACE ISLANDS FAITH SHARING**

St. Paul's Badaliya Gatherings meets 3:00pm-4:30pm remotely on the third Sunday of every month. Call (781) 395-4391 if you would like to receive the Zoom link.

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS: COME AND SERVE!**

As we return to full liturgical celebrations, we invite those who have served in the past as well as new volunteers to join us **Liturgical Ministers: Come and Serve!**

We are looking for **Lectors, Altar Servers** (both young people and adults), and **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC)**. Past and new volunteers, please **contact Judy Beatrice at [judybeatrice1@comcast.net](mailto:judybeatrice1@comcast.net)**. We also need **Greeters and Ushers for Inviting, Well-Ordered, and Reverent Worship**. Our Masses during the COVID restrictions have been strengthened by the dedicated service of so many ushers, greeters, and cleaners. Thank you all! If you have been helping us already, please consider continuing your service in one or both of these roles. We also welcome new volunteers. **Contact Deacon Tim at [timodonnell@post.harvard.edu](mailto:timodonnell@post.harvard.edu) or (617) 897-1148**. We will provide training for new volunteers and a "refresher" for others to introduce current practices. Scheduling is tailored to your availability, please consider serving even if you often have other weekend commitments or are away part of the year.

**PARISH SUPPORT AND FINANCES**

In light of the present situation, 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  
If you have envelopes, please mail them to the parish.

If you do not have either, please consider putting money aside and when Masses resume you can easily make your donation.



Please pray for Ernest Griffiths III whose funeral Mass was celebrated last week. Please keep Ernest and his family and friends in your prayers.

6/20/2021	\$1,158
Mail	\$1,270
May Electronic Giving	\$23,866
<b>FYTD Offertory</b>	<b>\$428,484</b>

# HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER—STUDENT NEWS

**PLEASE VISIT HARVARDCATHOLIC.ORG  
FOR UP TO DATE INFORMATION**

**Masses for all schools are  
suspended at this time.**

**5:00 PM SUNDAY MASS**  
Will resume in the fall.

## **HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER YOUTUBE CHANNEL AND PODCASTS**

Subscribe to the Harvard Catholic Center's YouTube Channel "Harvard Catholic Center" and check out Fr. George's ongoing video series. Also, listen to Fr. Patrick's new podcast series, "The Harvard Catholic," which can be found on the bottom of the HCC homepage and all podcast listening apps.

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

### **YOUNG COUPLES & NEW FAMILIES**

HarvardCatholicYCNF@gmail.com for questions

### **ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE**

If you are interested in learning or helping teach English as a second language please reach out to Matt Silas (msilas3@gmail.com).

### **VERBUM DEI**

#### **GRAD PRAYER AND SCRIPTURE GROUP**

**Sundays from 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

Now that the weather is nice again, Verbum Dei has gone back to being outdoors. Every Sunday from 11:00am-12:30pm, we meet in Riverbend Park, right by the John W. Weeks Footbridge. Here's a link to the Google Maps pin... <http://bit.ly/HCCVDBbytheriver> On rainy days, we continue to meet over Zoom at the following link: <http://bit.ly/hccvbdzoom> Note that both of these links are case-sensitive.

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### **GRADUATE STUDENTS (GS) AND YOUNG PROFESSIONALS (YP) SMALL GROUPS:**

#### **ST. PAUL'S (ZOOMED) OUTSIDE THE WALLS!**

To sign-up and indicate your preferences for the small groups (such as location, meeting frequency, availability, and desired group activities), please fill out the following Google form: <https://forms.gle/pnB7pTJnLUbfNi7L9>.

Coordinators: Nicolette Bardele

(nbardele@g.harvard.edu) and Aileen Devlin

(aileendevlin@gmail.com)

## **COURTYARD GATHERING WITH DINNER AND ADORATION**

**Thursday, July 1 at St. Paul's Parish**

6:00pm: Adoration and Confession in Main Church

7:00pm: Outdoor Dinner Gathering in Parish Courtyard

Rain location: TBD

Come join the graduate student, postdoc, and young professional community at St. Paul's as we restart our renowned monthly dinners on the first Thursday of each month! After a 15-month hiatus due to COVID, it's wonderful to kick off our return to in-person dinners with Adoration and Confession starting at 6:00pm in the main church followed by dinner outside in the courtyard starting at 7:00pm. Depending on your availability, please feel free to come to all or part of the evening!

Sandwiches will be served with an eventual transition back to our traditional pasta dinners in the coming months as we find more pasta dinner volunteers! \$5 suggested donation. Questions or concerns? Please contact Josh Shutter ([shutter@g.harvard.edu](mailto:shutter@g.harvard.edu)).

## **LIVE THE LITURGY**

### **INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

"Do not be afraid, just have faith." God does not rejoice in our demise or our destruction. Rather, He made us in his image and desires that we have life. He also desires that we be healed and know His loving touch. There is great power in an embrace offered in love. The touch of another can heal wounds and restore life. There is also power in faith. Faith can turn us toward the truth and turn us toward God. Both love and faith can lead us to hope that no matter what we encounter, God will continue to sustain us in being. He will not allow us to perish. God can profoundly change how we see Him, ourselves, and one another. God desires that we turn toward Him and be healed of all that wounds and binds us so that we can be free and enjoy the fullness of life. We are asked to arise and walk proudly with this life-giving faith. Reach out and share this faith with someone this week so that they too can receive God's life changing embrace and heed His call to wholeness. There are many in our world wandering around aimlessly without hope. Bring it to them.