



SAINT PAUL'S PARISH

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saintpaulschoirschool.us

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

Third Sunday of Lent

March 3, 2024

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Saturday, March 2

5:00pm For the healing of all victims of abuse and violence

Sunday, March 3

Third Sunday of Lent

7:30am For the People of St. Paul's Parish

9:30am Memorial: Dr. Paola De Girolami

11:00am Memorial: Kevin Holland

5:00pm For the Harvard Catholic Community

Monday, March 4

8:00am Special Intention: Diane Belmonte

12:10pm Special Intention: Erin Sullivan Theisen

Tuesday, March 5

8:00am Special Intention: Diane Belmonte

12:10pm Memorial: Ruth Everest Lie

Wednesday, March 6

8:00am Special Intention: Diane Belmonte

Thursday, March 7 Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity

8:00am Special Intention: Diane Belmonte

12:10pm St. Paul's Choir School Fund Intention

Friday, March 8 Saint John of God

8:00am Special Intention: Diane Belmonte

Saturday, March 9 Saint Francis of Rome

9:00am Silvana Franco Veltkamp

5:00pm The safety and legal protection of the unborn

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 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 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.

**Church is Open for Prayer Everyday From
7:30 AM to 6:00 PM**

**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.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Dear Friends,

Forward in Faith: isn't that a good motto for Lent, and in fact, for our lives? This is the theme for the **2024 Catholic Appeal**, the collection which allows Cardinal Seán to fund the pastoral outreach that is done throughout the archdiocese every day, as well as the administrative offices which make that outreach possible. I can assure you that our staff also reaches out to the central offices frequently for assistance with our parish ministries. Our goal for this year as a parish is \$99,000. When we reach that number, a portion is returned to us for our own use. This is likely Cardinal Seán's final year overseeing this collection as he intends to retire this Spring (at age 80, I think it is only fair!); it would be a wonderful expression of gratitude to him if we could reach our goal. **As we have done in years past, next week I will lead all the parishioners during the Masses as we each fill out a pledge card.** Please give ample time and prayer this week to decide what you will be able to give; if it helps your discernment at all, I personally have pledged \$450 this year. Thank you!

We have two priests for **confessions on Saturdays from 3:00-4:30** and have added an extra slot on **Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00**. Confession, regular attendance at Mass (daily, if possible!), time before the Blessed Sacrament, Stations of the Cross, daily reading of Scripture and acts of outreach and charity, shaped by prayer, fasting and almsgiving are all tried and true means for preparing ourselves to return with great love to the Lord.

I'd like to highlight two calendar items. On **Thursday, March 7 at 4:30**, the Harvard Catholic Forum is hosting a **lecture** on the place of settings of Psalm 51 in the history of sacred music. This is followed at **5:30 by a musical presentation** by the St. Paul's Choir of Boys and Schola of various *Miserere* settings. All will be in the church. See the Forum website for more information. Then, on **Saturday, March 16 at 6:00**, we will have a whole community celebration not unlike our Oktoberfest. "**Gaelic and Garlic**" commemorates the Feast of St. Patrick and St. Joseph, Irish and Italian. If you would like to help with food, set up, decorations, entertainment, etc., please contact Anneliese at her RCIA address or Nancy in the office, and she will send you in the right direction. Save the Date!!

We have only just received an invitation for another conversation regarding the Synod on Synodality. This will be hosted by Bishop Barbosa next Saturday, **March 9 from 10:30 AM to Noon at St. Mary of the Annunciation Parish in Cambridge**. There is ample parking there. If you plan to attend, you could let Nancy in the office here know.

Please pray for our High School Confirmation students who are on a retreat day Sunday. They are an inquisitive and lively group whose commitment to the faith is refreshingly alive!

God bless you, Fr. Kelly

LENTEN OFFERINGS

LENTEN COMMUNITY LUNCHES

The Homeless Outreach Committee and friends will sponsor a community lunch program. It will take place on **Wednesdays, March 6, 13 and 20 at 12:30 PM** in the lower Church. Volunteers to set up, greet and eat with guests, serve, and clean up are needed. To sign up and help, contact Nancy in the parish office (nnicol@stpaulparish.org or 617.491.8400 x303).

LENTEN EVENING OF RECOLLECTION

Lenten Evening of Recollection, The Miserere (Psalm 51) in Prayer and Music Thursday, March 7

St. Paul's Church 4:30pm Presentation by Dr. Matthew Hall, 5:30pm Music: Allegri's famous *Miserere* and other settings of this penitential psalm by the St. Paul's Boys Choir

<https://www.harvardcatholicforum.org/themiserere>

EXTRA CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20 and 27 from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM.

Six priests available on March 27.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us in the Church every **Friday** during Lent from **5:30pm to 6:00pm.**

LENTEN PRAYER WEBSITE

www.usccb.org/lent

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your gift or visit
bostoncatholicappeal.org/donate4

"Every gift to the Appeal, no matter the amount, has meaning and purpose, and every gift plays an integral part in the vital mission of the Archdiocese of Boston."
- Cardinal Seán O'Malley

MARCH 3, 2024

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

FOOD PANTRY

Each year, the food pantry benefits from the generosity of the Cambridge community following the annual Martin Luther King Day event organized by Many Helping Hands 365. Stocked with nearly 30 bags of donations, we have an abundance of staples like pasta and beans. As a result, our primary need is snack items. In addition to **crackers and nuts, items like popcorn are very popular. Shelf stable milk** is also a priority item at this time. We also need **baby wipes**. We have been blessed with a large donation of diapers and we like to provide wipes with them.

CARING FOR THE SOUL

Caring for the Soul meets on the first **Monday of the month in Mary's Room** from **5:30pm to 7:00pm**. We are a group dedicated to mutual support and encouragement drawing on prayer and spirituality as a positive resource for those who struggle with mental health issues in their lives or in the lives of those we love. The group is led by Sister Nancy Kehoe. For questions, call Theresa Porier (603.532.8643), Laura Garcia (617.999.4037), or Carol Menkiti (617.666.2855).

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

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



Venmo

Search **StPaulsHarvardSquare**
(St. Paul Parish Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston)
and select the "Charities" tab

Kiosk Giving

Swipe your credit card in the vestibule.

Offertory week ending 2/25/24	\$3,182
Offertory via mail week ending 2/23/24	\$1,125
FY2024 Grand Annual Participants to Date	139
FY23 (11/5/22-2/28/23)	as of 2/25/23
Electronic Giving January 2023	\$18,222
FY2024 Offertory (all methods) as of 2/23/24	\$474,591
FY24 (7/1/23-6/30/24)	unreconciled

As always, thank you to past and present benefactors.

**WORKSHOP: BACH'S ST. MATTHEW PASSION
WITH MICHAEL MARISSSEN**

Saturday, March 23, 10:00 AM – 12 Noon ET

St. Paul's Campus, Cambridge MA

Learn more and register at

harvardcatholicforum.org/st-matthew-passion

**PROJECT RACHEL POST-ABORTION HEALING
RETREATS (MARCH 23, MAY 11)**

*Are you – or someone you know – seeking peace after an abortion? The Project Rachel ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston extends a special invitation to women experiencing regret from a past abortion to attend a *Come to the Waters of Healing* one-day retreat. Saturday, March 23 and Saturday, May 11. Locations are confidential. 508.651.3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com.*

HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER—STUDENT NEWS

Join us for Sunday Mass in the Church at 5:00 PM.

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)

SPECIAL LENTEN OFFERING

For Grad Students, Post-Docs, and
Young Professionals

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AND CONFESSION

Thursdays During Lent: (except Mar. 7 and Holy Thursday)
St. Paul's Church 7 PM to 8 PM

SOCIALIZATION AND CONVERSATION

Thursdays During Lent: (except Mar. 7 and Holy Thursday)
HCC Student Lounge 8 PM to 9 PM

HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL MASS

Every Sunday, 8:15 PM, HBS Class of 1959 Chapel
(No Masses Mar. 10, Mar. 31, or May 19)

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL MASS

Alternate Sundays, 6:30 PM, Hark 2nd Floor
(Mar. 17, Apr. 7, and Apr 21)

HARVARD KENNEDY SCHOOL

CATHOLICS LUNCH TOGETHER!

Tuesday March 5th at 12noon HKS Cafeteria.

YOUNG COUPLES & NEW FAMILIES

Welcoming all young couples and new families to potluck break-
fast 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 Sun-
day'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)

MONTHLY DINNER AND ADORATION

Thursday, March 7, 2024

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) fol-
lowed 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 pro-
gram, 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 ques-
tions.

THE WOMEN'S GROUP

Mary's Room, HCC

Join us for our women's group of prayer and fellowship!

Meeting on the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month.

Contact **Scarlett Rose Ford** (scarlettroseford@gmail.com)

ST. JOSEPH MEN'S GROUP

Weekly men's group of prayer and fellowship.

Mondays, 8-9 PM

Boles Room, HCC - ckaminski@mba2025.hbs.edu

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

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

Currently on pause until after Easter.

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.**