

SAINT PAUL'S PARISH

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Corner of Bow and Arrow Streets

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Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time February 19, 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

Penance & Reconciliation

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, February 18 5:00pm For Peace in Ukraine

Sunday, February 19 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am For the People of St. Paul's Parish
9:30am Memorial: Mr. Barry Pham
11:00am Michael Mackillop
5:00pm For the Harvard Catholic Center Community

Tuesday, February 21 Saint Peter Damian 12:10pm Memorial: Charles Tauss

Wednesday, February 22 Ash Wednesday 12:10pm Saint Paul's Choir School Fund Intention

Thursday, February 23 Saint Polycarp 12:10pm Memorial: Ashton Bisbee

Friday, February 24
12:10pm Memorial: Clare Chapman

Saturday, February 25 5:00pm For Peace in Ukraine

Sunday, February 26 First Sunday of Lent

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 <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.

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Friends,

I know that some of us (me included!) have not completely stored away all of the Christmas decorations, yet here we are on the cusp of Lent! This **Wednesday**, **February 22**, **is Ash Wednesday**. It is a time of penance and repentance, disposing us more readily to return to the Lord and know his Light and Mercy. We will have the distribution of ashes at our three Masses on Wednesday at 8:00am, 12:10pm, and at 7:00pm. Please also see the sheet in the bulletin, also available in the vestibule and online, which describes the many opportunities for Lenten practices here at St. Paul's.

Almsgiving is an important component of Lent. With that, I am grateful to Fr. Patrick and his team for providing us with the **revised Electronic Giving options** available on the card in each of the pew racks. Along with other improvements, access to Venmo is now available. Of course, use of envelopes or cash/checks at the regular offertory are most welcome. With that, our **Parish Grand Annual Collection** begins to wind down at the end of February. **The goal is for every person to participate**. If the \$300 recommendation is beyond your capacity, please know that \$5, \$20, \$50 would be most welcomed. **Green envelopes are available throughout the church and in the vestibule foyer.**

A special thank you to Deacon Tim O'Donnell, the Harvard Catholic Forum, Choir Director James Kennerley, and the Choir of Men and Boys. This past Wednesday's event, anchored by Palestrina's *Missa Papae Marcelli*, was a perfect blend of scholarship, prayer, and community.

God bless, Fr. Kelly

ASH WEDNESDAY-FEBRUARY 22

Ashes will be distributed at our three Masses on Wednesday at 8:00am, 12:10pm, and at 7:00pm.

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.

Whoever keeps the word of Christ, the love of God is truly perfected in him. John 2:5

CORI RENEWAL TIME

Per the Archdiocese of Boston, as part of serving in ANY ministry at St. Paul's, or any parish in the Archdiocese, Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) checks are obtained for all volunteers who minister to or have the potential for unmonitored access to children, youth, elderly or the disabled. CORI checks with a valid ID will take place before you start practicing your ministry. Nancy will be in the Parish Office, 8:30am to 12:00pm on Sunday, February 26 for volunteers to fill out CORI forms You may also stop by the Parish Office (just call, (617) 491-8400 ext. 303 to find out available times). Thank You For Your Continued Support On This Very Important Matter.

BUILDING A CULTURE OF LIFE AND SOLIDARITY

Join us as we discuss and view the last 6 parts of the series *Into Life*. Journey with the Sisters as they explain what it means to walk with a woman who is pregnant and vulnerable. Group will meet on Mondays (Feb 20, Mar 6, 20, Apr 3, 17) at 6:30pm in the Boles Conference Room. For more information, visit <u>intolifeseries.com</u>.

FAITH IN ACTION. IT ALL STARTS WITH YOU

Next weekend, the 2023 Catholic Appeal will officially launch here in our parish and across the Archdiocese. One of the most meaningful ways that we witness the presence of Christ and deepen the impact of our Church's ministries is by supporting the Catholic Appeal. As your pastor, I invite you to prayerfully consider extending your generosity to this year's appeal. Many of you have already done so and I am deeply grateful. When our parish reaches its goal of \$78,548, a portion of the additional funds received will be returned to us for use in our parish. To make gift online, please visit www.bostoncatholicappeal.org/donate-now. Thank you!

LENTEN SERIES: CONVERSATIONS WITH CATHOLIC SCHOLARS AND SCIENTISTS

Thursday, February 23, 7:00pm *Student Lounge, Harvard Catholic Center, Harvard Square*

Francis Clooney, S.J., Parkman Professor of Divinity at Harvard Divinity School, discusses how Catholic faith has influenced his life choices, fields of research, teaching, and interactions with colleagues and students. Fr. Clooney is a world-renowned specialist on the traditions of Hindu India, and a leading figure globally in the developing field of comparative theology. Questions and conversation will follow, and refreshments will be served. Join us!

FEBRUARY 19, 2023

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

MASS AND PARISH SCHEDULE MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Parish offices will be closed in honor of President's Day on Monday, February 20. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am only.

FOOD PANTRY

Although many people associate food pantries with pasta and canned goods, we are blessed to have so much more to offer. Our food rescue partners provide meat, eggs, cheese, prepared meals, and some unique items like blueberry lavender flavored milk. We rely on parishioners to help keep the pantry itself stocked. There are a few items where the demand often exceeds the supply, most notably coffee and crackers. In addition, we need quarts of boxed milk, jam or jelly, canisters of plain oatmeal, solid white tuna, canned and dried fruit, honey, and condiments.

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

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

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.

PARISH GRAND ANNUAL

The Parish Council has asked to add its voice in support of the Parish Grand Annual Collection, which begins to wind down at the end of February. To date, 83 of our 900 parishioners have contributed to this important initiative. The goal is for every person to participate. If the \$300 recommendation is beyond your capacity, please know that \$5, \$20, \$50 would be most appreciated. Visitors are also encouraged to join us! Green envelopes are available throughout the church and in the vestibule foyer. Electronic giving is also possible on the kiosk and parish website. Thanks for helping to keep St. Paul's Community strong.

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.

Offertory week ending 2/12/23	\$2,620
Offertory via mail week ending 2/10/23	\$392
FY2023 Grand Annual to Date	\$84,529
FY23 (11/5/22-2/28/23)	
Electronic Giving January 2023	\$29,246
FY2023 Offertory (all methods) as of 2/12/23	\$441,528
FY23 (7/1/22-6/30/23)	

As always, thank you to past and present benefactors.



HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER-STUDENT NEWS

Join us for the 5:00 PM Mass on Sundays in St. Paul's church.

HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER PODCASTS

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 ww.HarvardCatholic.org and to register for the weekly e-blast, scan the QR Code.



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

YOUNG COUPLES & NEW FAMILIES

Welcoming all young couples and new families to potluck breakfast every second Sunday of the month after the 9:30am mass! We meet next door at the Catholic center, Room 203. Please contact James & Christie Capuzzi at saintpaulycnf@gmail.com if you have any 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 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)

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 Carlo Duffy (carlod@mit.edu) Note: this will not happen on the first Thursday of the month.

COURTYARD GATHERING WITH DINNER

Thursday, March 2 at St. Paul's Parish 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 outside in the courtyard starting at 7:00pm. Feel free to come for all or part of the evening! \$5 (cash only) donation please.

SATURDAY SERVICE: HOMELESS OUTREACH

Saturday Service with the Missionaries of Charity
Every Saturday promptly after the 9:00 am 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.

LENTEN SERIES: CONVERSATIONS WITH CATHOLIC SCHOLARS AND SCIENTISTS

Thursdays, February 23, March 9, and March 23, 7 PM

Student Lounge, Harvard Catholic Center
2/23: Francis Clooney, S.J., Harvard Divinity School
3/9: Elizabeth Papp Kamali, Harvard Law School
3/23: Eric Jacobsen, Chemistry and Chemical Biology
Three distinguished Harvard professors discuss how
Catholic faith has influenced their life choices, fields of research, teaching, and interactions with colleagues and students. Questions and conversation will follow, and

THOMISTIC INSTITUTE

refreshments will be served. Please join us!

Thomistic Institute Graduate Chapter: Please join us at 5.30pm on Thursday, February 23 for Professor Mary Keys (Notre Dame) speaking on "Seeking Peace in the City: Augustine and the Virtue of Humility" in Sever Hall 213.

THE LORD IS KIND AND MERCIFUL.

Psalm 103