Fourth Sunday of Easter April 26, 2015

Welcome, Father Cary!

This Saturday, April 25, Father Rubén presided at the Catholic marriage ceremony at St. Paul's, and is attending the wedding reception, of Jeramie & Paula Von Arx. Paula is the daughter of parishioners Tom & Cindy Tucker.

In Father's place for our 5:30 Saturday Mass, we welcome Father Bob Cary, CSP, as our celebrant.

Lent Boxes

New Fire, New Water, New Light and New Life - we will provide love, hope and joy to our missionary efforts in and outside of the Diocese through the Ashes to Easter Diocesan Mission Project. If you have not returned your Lent box, the deadline is **this** Sunday, April 26.

Children's Religious Education

St. Paul's Religious Education classes for children will meet this Sunday, April 26, from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. in the Finn Center. They **will not meet** next Sunday, May 3, due to the K of C Pancake Breakfast.

Confirmation

Our Confirmation class will meet this Sunday, April 26, from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Church sacristy.

Spring Fiesta Party!

Our Parish Spring Fiesta Party is **this** Sunday, April 26, at 6:00 p.m. in the Finn Family Life Center for those who have signed up to attend and bring rice, beans, salad, guacamole and desserts. Enchiladas, chips and salsa will be provided. Entertainment will be by the Bluebonnet Chorale.

First Friday and Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday falls this Friday, May 1. Mass and Anointing of the Sick will begin at 8:00 a.m., followed by Adoration in the Chapel of the Holy Spirit from 8:30 a.m. until closing with Benediction at 6:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to spend some quiet time with Jesus for a half hour or an hour. Sign-up sheets are available at both entrances to the church. It is imperative that at least one person is present at all times during the exposition of the Holy Eucharist. For more information, call Liz Zarsky at 512-784-9535.

Saturday Parish Social

After the 5:30 Mass next Saturday, May 2, we will have our usual Wine & Cheese Social, hosted by the WWICS. Please plan to attend and enjoy good food, drink and conversation.

All - parishioners and visitors alike - are invited!

Sunday Pancake and Sausage Breakfast for the Parish

Please join us for a pancake and sausage breakfast, with fruit cups, next Sunday, May 3. Breakfast will be prepared and served by the Knights of Columbus continuously from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. This should accommodate attendees of both the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses on Sunday, as well as anyone else who would like to join us. Donations will be accepted. This will take the place of our usual "Donuts and Coffee" social on the first Sunday of the month. Do join us for a good breakfast and socializing with our community!

Thank you for your very generous donations:

Regular Collection - \$8,854.33 Seminary Collection - \$2,010.00

St. John's Dedication

As a parish, we congratulate Father Jairo Lopez and the parishioners of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Marble Falls on the completion of their new church. The dedication of the church will take place next Sunday, May 3.

Bluebonnet Chorale Free Performance

The Bluebonnet Chorale will give a free performance of their Spring program this Thursday, April 30, at 10:00 a.m. at St. John's Catholic Church, 105 Hwy 1431 in Marble Falls. They will sing in the Parish Activity Center, located next to the new church. St. John's Women's Fellowship will be serving light refreshments after the performance. For more information contact Frances Lachance at 830-598-2585.

Volunteer Opportunity

The Altar Linens Committee is in need of two new members. The time commitment is for two months each year (May & June or July & August). Duties involve picking up the small altar linens from the sacristy each week, washing and ironing them, and returning them to the sacristy before the following weekend. You do not have to handle the large altar cloths or the scarves. If you would like to help, please call committee chair Joan Mickey at 830-596-8232.

Welcome & Farewell!

One new family registered with the parish in March. Please welcome Robert & Linda Baker to the St. Paul's family! We also bid a fond farewell to Joe & Karen Wilkens, who will be moving to Delaware in early May. Joe & Karen, who have been parishioners since 2009, were very involved both at St. Paul's and in their community. We will miss them (and their talents!) and hope that they will come back to visit often.

Bible Study

The Ladies' Ecumenical Bible Study Group will meet this Monday, April 27, at 3:00 p.m.in the Finn FLC.

Catholic Women's Book Club

Our Catholic Women's Book Club will meet at 3:00 p.m. this Thursday, April 30. If you are not a member and wish to join, please contact Claudia Haydon at 598-9364 or c.ehaydon23@gmail.com.

Knights of Columbus

The 4th Degree Knights of Columbus will meet on Monday, May 4, at 6:30 p.m. St. Paul's Knights of Columbus Council will meet on Monday, May 11, at 6:30 p.m.

Liturgical Ministers

5:30 p.m. Lector – John & Susan Fox; E.M. – Kathy & Jim Jamail and Jeanette Matzinger
Usher – Jeff Rybak and Barry Zinz; Sacristan & Altar Server – Gary Olfers
8:30 a.m. Lector – Liz Zarsky and Bill Steffek; E.M. – Jerry Kramer, Pat Heilman and Valorie Becker
Usher – Dick Heilman and Jerry Kramer; Sacristan – Liz Zarsky; Altar Server – Joe Marino
10:30 a.m. Lector – Patty & Paul Gosselin; E.M. – Guy Fournier and Sara Dutch
Usher – Bob Schweizer and Shelton Thibodeaux; Sacristan – Guy Fournier; Altar Server – Ed Stemac

A Word from Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers

"The Holy Spirit is essentially and always the same. But the manifestations of the Holy Spirit vary according to the characteristics and dispositions of his rational recipients. Hence in the history of the Church there are various phases of her life, the characteristics of which are made up of the action of the Holy Spirit on the one hand, and the co-operation and different obstacles met with on the other hand, in the work of the regeneration and sanctification of the human race."

[On the Mission of New Religious Communities, 1876]

If you have asked Father Hecker to pray for you or another person who is ill, and you believe something miraculous has happened, please phone Fr. Paul Robichaud, CSP, at (202) 269-2519.

St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store Truck

The St. Vincent de Paul Austin Thrift Store Truck will be at St. Paul's on Sunday, May 10, from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. They are in particular need of clothing and small appliances. They request, please, no furniture, chemicals/gas, food or paint. The truck will be stationed near Father Ruben's home. Tax receipts will be available for you.

Thank you for your generosity!

The Conference of St. Paul/St. John

Looking for a Summer Retreat?

'Have You Seen Him Lately?,' a retreat by Father Steven Bell, CSP, Father John Collins, CSP and Father Tom Gibbons, CSP will be held at St. Mary's on the Lake, Lake George, New York, from July 16-19. The cost is \$399 per person with a \$99 deposit. For more information, go to www.stmaryslakegeorge.com or call 405-420-8100.

Weekly Mass Intentions

| April 25 | 5:30 p.m. | For the People | May 1 | 8:00 a.m. | For the People |
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| April 26 | 8:30 a.m. | For the People | May 2 | 5:30 p.m. | Madeline Ferri + |
| April 26 | 10:30 a.m. | Kathryn 'Kay' Thompson + | May 3 | 8:30 a.m. | Bessie Wilde + |
| April 29 | 5:30 p.m. | Dennis Wilde + | May 3 | 10:30 a.m. | Anne Welch + |
| April 30 | 8:00 a.m. | Bill & Mary Kay Bedortha | | | |

Mass Intentions

At the present time, we have openings for Mass intentions.

If there is someone you would like to have a Mass said for, please call Gayle at the Church office (598-8342).

Prayer Requests

Please keep Stan Jakubowsky, Joe Zarsky, Monsignor Elmer Holtman, LaKeisha Pegg, Faye Marie Olson, Barbara Erlenmeyer, Elizabeth Bires, Harold Wilson, Peggy Welch, Pastor Ellen Ely, Ted Boyle, Vicki Harriger, Don Wright, James Keenan, Sue Olfers, Jack Sopel, Bill Bochat, Justin Hopple, Lynn Blalock, Frances Hemby, Frank Matzinger, Nancy Hill, Sharon Leamon, Dr. Terry Turner, Bruce White, the Hugunin family, Chris Purcell, Olene McCarty, Curtis & Linda Neeley, Chante Moore, Jackie Blalock, Jerry Burditt, Totty Burditt, Bill & Kathy O'Hanlon, Sonny Blair, Shelley Davis, Jessie Bochat, Josh Smith, Gordon Schlagel, Sheri Wilson, Nicki Vosmera, the Snyder family, John Gentry, Martha Greer, Genny Dalton, Danielle Hebert Mitchell, Ed & Judy Steiniger, Phyllis Suter, Alessandro Crott, David Christopher, Mike Roye, Amanda King, Gary Garlett, Kathy Morrissette, Solana Brooks, George Engler, Kitty Sebera, Skye Laird, Bailey King, Anita Fey, Skip Grit, Karen Vincent, Lt. Daniel Browne (NYFD), David Dawson, Tom & K. K. Rice, Polly Denham, Samantha Gosselin, Sue Stubbs, Chris Bard, Spencer Davies, Charlie Campbell, James Bochat, Brenda Poe, Jeff Walker, Syl Brady, Florence Scott, Luke Balsam, Ginny Rhodes, Rebecca Butler, Patti Bright, Ed Maugham, Marion Kneas, John & Mildred Hayes, Tracy Wallace, Kaden Wiley, Gail Nickel, Donna Travis, Trisha Belota, Bob & Cindy Bishop, Paul Hellinghausen, Paul McLean, Sharon Mickey, Theresa Stuteville, Taylor Brown, Helene Moran, Eric Waltenbaugh, Arthur McGrath, Laura Koby, Casey Culpepper, Carol Kowing, Jack White, Sarah Jane Reardon, Chuck Burgess, Wendy Bedortha, Brenda Hebert, Robert Mancini, Tyler Buckley, John & Marilyn Sheehan, Susan Schaefer, Michael Matulik, Dorothy Havelka, Jeanette McLeod, Davis Drangmeister and Jennifer Ramirez in your prayers for healing.

Please pray for Margaret Ellis, and for her family. Mrs. Ellis, who was 94 years old, passed away on April 17, in Iowa. She is the mother of parishioner Jeff Ellis.

Please pray for those in our Armed Services

Staff Sgt. Josh Zabierek
Army Spc. Warren Andrews
LCpl. Corey K. Bradford
Aviation Apprentice Agustín Place-Knipe
Major Andrew & Lt. Col. Maria Bochat

Master Sgt. Steven O. Wiley SFC Erick DeAlba Staff Sgt. Adam Long 2nd Lt. Sean Zarsky, USAF SPC Captain Eric & Captain Heather Barton Matthew Anderson, USN Lt. Christopher Carr SFC Mary McLean James Balestrini Branden Carlson

St. Paul the Apostle Parish

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MASSES

SATURDAY AT 5:30 P.M., SUNDAY AT 8:30 A.M. & 10:30 A.M. WEDNESDAY AT 5:30 P.M., THURSDAY & FRIDAY AT 8:00 A.M.

CONFESSIONS

WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY - 4:45 - 5:15 P.M.

ADORATION

FIRST FRIDAYS - 8:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M., FOLLOWED BY BENEDICTION

PHONE: 830-598-8342 FAX: 830-598-1274 OFFICE HOURS: MTWF 8:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. TH 1:00 - 5:00 P.M.

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Music Mary Williams 235 388 0130

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The Samaritans...reaching out – Ron Balsam 693-3084
Social Activities – Mary Kay Otto 598-7539 & Josie Quinlan 693-2659

Finance Council Chair – Lynette Morrison 830-385-9080



Brown Bag Collection

Next weekend, May 2 & 3, we will have our monthly 'Brown Bag' collection to aid the St. Vincent de Paul Society. All proceeds from this collection will go directly to the local conference, which is a joint effort of St. Paul's in Horseshoe Bay and St. John's in Marble Falls. The St. Paul/St. John conference serves only those people living in the 78654 and 78657 zip codes. The Society of St. Vincent De Paul wants to thank the parishioners of St. Paul for the generous contribution of \$2,705.00 that was collected on February 28 & March 1. During the month of February, our conference assisted 25 families with utility bills, food and gas as well as housing expenses. The total expenditures for the assistance provided was \$7,899.73. We thank you again for your donation.

If you are contributing a check, please make it out to the St. Vincent de Paul Society!