



The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph December 30, 2018

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

VIGIL MASS FOR SOLEMNITY OF MARY: THE MOTHER OF GOD MONDAY, DECEMBER 31: 5:30 PM.

*NO MASS TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 2019

**ON BEHALF OF FATHER RUBEN AND THE PARISH STAFF,
WE WISH YOU ALL A BLESSED NEW YEAR.**

The rosary will be held in the Holy Spirit Chapel every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. All are welcome.

+++ The office will be closed on Tuesday, January 1st. +++

*****Second Collection this weekend is for the Building Fund, to lower our debt. *****

*** Monday, December 31st Mass collection for - The Feast of the Holy Family, a Diocesan Special Collection. ***

First Friday Adoration

First Friday Adoration will be held **Friday, January 4th, 2019** from 8:30 A.M. and will close with Benediction at 6:00 P.M. Father Rubén will anoint the sick at the 8:00 a.m. Mass on that day. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the Holy Spirit chapel. Sign-up sheets are available at each entrance to the church. There is ample room in the chapel for several adorers at any given time. Please try to spend some time with Jesus so that he will never be left alone. Indeed, Our Lord will be waiting for you. For information, contact Liz Zarsky at (512) 784-9535.

First Saturday Social and First Sunday Coffee and Tacos

Our monthly First Saturday Social, sponsored by our WWIC's group, will take place on Saturday, January 5th, in the Finn Center after 5:30 pm Mass. Come join us!

On Sunday, January 6th, the Knights of Columbus will serve coffee and Tacos.

Paulist Associates Meeting

The Paulist Associates will meet **Saturday, January 5th, 2019, at 10:00 am** in the church sacristy. If you are interested, please join us for an hour of prayer and a discussion of C.S. Lewis' "Mere Christianity".

HEB/ Bayside Cards

HEB / Bayside cards will be available at the church office and after Mass on the weekend of **January 5th and 6th**. Thanks to your participation in this program, we have been able to apply \$11,062.74 to debt reduction. Please contact Ed Wenzel at 214.263.4424 or the office for more information.

2019 Calendars

The St. Paul the Apostle Calendars for 2019, featuring quotes from Pope Francis, can be found in Hecker Hall. Please take one home with you today.

Save the Date

On **Saturday, January 26th**, following the 5:30 Mass, our parish will honor Father Ruben and celebrate his birthday, his 40th Ordination Anniversary, and 10th year as our pastor.

Ladies Bible Study

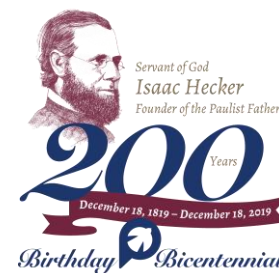
The next ladies' bible study will be on Matthew. This is a 24 lesson study which will begin on **January 14th**, break for the summer and continue through November. **Matthew: The King and His Kingdom** brings the history of Christ to life through Matthew's Gospel. You will see Jesus as the awaited Messiah who fulfills the promises and prophecies of the Old Testament, establishes the New Law, and inaugurates the Kingdom of Heaven. If interested, please join us every Monday at 2:30 in the Finn Center. The book, **Matthew: The King and His Kingdom**, can be purchased from Ascensionpress.com for \$28.95 plus shipping. If you have questions or plan to attend the bible study please contact Pat Bentley at bentleys@swbell.net.

Interested In Becoming A Catholic

Do you know anyone who is interested in becoming a Catholic? The RCIA program at St. Paul's is year round and tailored to the scheduling and knowledge needs of the individual candidate; with a focus on developing a personal relationship with Christ. Interested individuals should contact lowellcable@gmail.com.

Cantata Video and pictures

Cantata video is now available. I will receive the video with the rights to burn copies for anyone in the parish who missed the concert, who had participants & want a copy, or anyone else would like one. I can start burning dvd's by this weekend. To order, please email or call me – Mary Williams– 325-420-0023 or jrmwms655@tstar.net. The video will \$10 per copy. If you want copies of the 40 still photos burned also, the total is \$15. All monies will go for the cost of the photographer & the purchasing of music for the cantata.



Birthday Bicentennial

**200 years, Servant of God Isaac Hecker, Founder of the Paulist Fathers
December 18, 1819 – December 18, 2019**

Beware of Scams

If you receive an e mail from Father Ruben with the address listed as rmpatino1@gmail.com, please ignore it. It will ask you to buy I-tune cards for a friend of Father's who has cancer. It is a scam. If in doubt, call the office.

Registration Forms

If you have not filled out a registration form, please do so. They can be found at the entrance to the church. ***All parishioners*** are asked to fill out the form as many of you have changed e mails, telephone numbers, etc. and we would like to have the correct information in our data base. Please include birthdays and anniversaries (Including year) and all ministries that you serve in. Thank you in advance.

Reminder:

- * **Next weekends second collection will be for St. Vincent de Paul Society.**
- * **March 30 to April 10, 2019, A Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus,**
- * **April 1 – 3, 2019 St. Paul's Parish mission with Father Carey, topic Pope Francis and the Parables of Jesus.**
- * **Please note next week all names in Prayer Request will be deleted. If prayers are still needed call or send request to office.**

Thank you for your generous contributions totaling \$7,397.00

Christmas donations totaled \$2,839.00, Thank You.



Weekday Mass Schedule

Dec. 29	5:30 p.m.	Ethel Marr +	Jan. 5	10:30 a.m.	Mary Jamail+
Dec. 30	8:30 a.m.	Phillip Schmidt, healing	Jan. 6	8:00 a.m.	Phillip Schmidt, recovery
Dec. 30	10:30 a.m.	For the Parish	Jan. 6	8:00 a.m.	Bobby Ward+
Dec. 31	5:30 p.m.	For the Parish	Jan. 9	5:30 p.m.	First Responders
Jan. 2	5:30 p.m.	For the Parish	Jan. 10	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Joseph Nguyen Tien Huynh
Jan. 3	8:00 a.m.	For the Parish	Jan. 11	8:00 a.m.	For the Parish
Jan. 4	8:00 a.m.	Harry Olfers+	HAPPY NEW YEARS BLESSINGS!		

Liturgical Ministers

December 29, 5:30 p.m.

Lectors- Phil Schoch, Trudi Leddy
Ushers – Bill Gaylord, Barbara Shields

E. M. – Jeanette Matzinger, Emily Gaylord, Marilyn Ruiz
Sacristan and Altar Server – Gary Olfers

December 30, 8:30 a.m.

Lectors – Jackie Scott, Elizabeth Zarsky
Ushers – Pauline Kramer, Jerry Kramer

E.M. – Theresa Phillips, Pat Heilman, Joe Zarsky
Sacristan and Altar Server – Fred Phillips

December 30, 10:30 a.m.

Lectors –Patty Gosselin, Paul Gosselin
Ushers – Jack Gless, Ed Wenzel

E.M. – Grace Gless, Denny Fuller, Barbara Fuller
Sacristan and Altar Server – Lois Girten

December 31, 5:30 p.m.

Lectors: Mike Brittan, Judy Salvaggio
Ushers: Phil Schoch, Butch Nery

E.M. – Mike Salvaggio, Rene Pfiffner, Pat Schoch
Sacristan and Altar Server – Gary Olfers

Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to Howard Otto celebrating on December 30th. Donna Spaar and Shelia Kopenitz celebrate birthdays on December 31st. In our new year Sam Morrison celebrates on January 2nd and Nonny Limoges celebrates on January 3rd. *Enjoy a wonderful Year!*

Happy Anniversary

Happy anniversary to; Larry and Pam Davis celebrating 15 years; and Rhett and Marilyn Ruiz their 46th wedding anniversary, December 30. December 31st Jesse and Cindy Castaneda celebrate 23 years of marriage.
May God bless your marriage.

Prayer Request

Please pray for: Frank Freeman, Jeff Heller, David Davis, Carole Carson, Jennifer Rieck, Avery Lee, Sam and Debbie Bookout, Stephen Thompson, Mary Wright, Jamie Campbell, Debbie Engler, Bob Averyt, Joe DeAtkine, Brenna Price Combs, Marty Magill, Peggy Sinning, Donna Averyt, Kim Hugunin, Stephanie Martin, Annie Miller, Jack and Joan Scheider, Joy and Art Snell, Father Scott Mikkelson, Emily Fenlon, KK Rice, Steven Kopenitz, Jane Markley, Sherry Jones, Laura Koby, Juno Moffat, Zach and Joelle Moffatt, Jerry Humphries, Stephen Kuehler, Larry Markins, Michael Jamail, Monetta Jamail, Tommy Beall, Tara Lynn Bryant, Otis James, Joe Augino, Ginny Rhodes, Juanita Burson, Karl Woyton, Irl Unruh, Trisha Belota, Jacqueline Murphree, Elizabeth McChesney, Doreen Drinkard, Marian Averyt, Jody Jamail, Laurie Shaddrack, Lee Sanderson, Thomas Burke, Anita Fey, Betsy Crawford, Kathy Steffek, Russell Martin, Donald Autrey, Annette Burton, Steve Wilson, John Wiley, Roger Johnson, Tom D’Arcy, Samantha Gosselin, Jeff Snyder, Baldomero Patino Jr., Vickie Monfelt, Sean Grady, Kenny Johnson, Cheryl Smith, Charlotte De La Garza, Phillip Schmidt, Willie Wall, Marcus D. Perez, Bert Rogers, Claire Zarsky, Karen and Kirby Back, John Snyder, Donna Dewan and Ann Mikulencak.

Please pray for those in our Armed Services

Staff Sgt. Josh Zabierek
Army Spc. Warren Andrews
Sgt. Corey K. Bradford
Captain Sean Zarsky, USAF
Lt. Thomas Readle D.D.S. USN
Captain Eric Barton

Matthew Anderson, USN
SFC Erick DeAlba
Staff Sgt. Adam Long
1st Lt. Hannah Zarsky, USAF
Col. Maria Bochat
Captain Heather Barton

Tiffanie Beotchner
Lt. Christopher Carr
SFC Mary McLean
Ethan Cook
Sgt. James Balestrini
Michael Cook

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

Pastor: Father Rubén Patiño, C.S.P. email: rmpatino@aol.com

Paulist Fathers: Website: www.paulist.org

Parish Business Administrators: Sandy Gracia/Penny Breedlove

Phone: 830-598-8342

Office Hours: M-F 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Church Email: stpaul@zeecon.com

Parish Website: www.stpaulshorseshoebay.org

PASTORAL COUNCIL

President – Frank Trogus 830-596-3414

Finance Council – Mark Bentley – 281-460-5380

Liturgical Ministries – Esther Ellis 512-694-8945 emellis@nctv.com

Music – Mary Williams 325-388-9120

St. Vincent de Paul Help Line: 512-755-3299

Children’s Faith Formation - Keith Nesrsta 214-693-4063

Maintenance - Homer Ahr 830-598-2991

Finn Family Life Center - Ed & Pam Wenzel 214-263-4423

The Samaritans...reaching out: Georgina Christy 830-693-8001 gely@nctv.com

Social Activities – WWICS/Social - Claudia Haydon 830-598-9364

Communications – Pat Schoch 830-220-2201

Benevolence –Jackie Scott - jacalynscott@mac.com, Diana Virdell- mdvirdell@yahoo.com

Adult Faith Formation – Lowell Crable - lowellcrable@gmail.com

Development – Ed Wenzel 214-263-4424 : edwardwenzel@hotmail.com

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

“It is the common custom in meeting of friends at this season, to greet each other with a Happy New Year! This is a praiseworthy and pleasant custom, and in accordance with it, I greet you all, my dear brethren, with a Happy New Year! Happy New Year to all our friends and the inhabitants of this city, and to all our countrymen, whether dwelling north or south, east or west, in this our native land. Happy New year to all men of whatever race or clime; for God is our common Creator, and in Christ we are all sons of God, and therefore brethren.” [Sermon, *How to Be Happy*, 1863]

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 Father Paul Robichaud, CSP, at 212-265-3209 x350 and tell him your story.

