



SAINT PAUL'S PARISH

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Corner of Bow and Arrow Streets

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www.harvardcatholic.org

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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. For entry to a Mass, one must have proof of registration and a face mask. Thanks for your understanding.

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"St. Paul's Harvard Square"

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Please inquire at the parish office

Penance & Reconciliation

Tuesdays 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM (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 a priest or call the

Vocations Office at (617) 746-5939

Anointing of the Sick

Please contact a priest

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 23, 2020

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Saturday, August 22

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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

Sunday, August 23

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

9:30am Memorial Leo and Rose Wald

11:00am Memorial Maire Naughton

Monday, August 24 Saint Bartholomew

12:10pm Choir School Fund Intention

Tuesday, August 25 Saint Louis and

Saint Joseph Calasanz

12:10pm Memorial Kathleen Murphy

Thursday, August 27 Saint Monica

12:10pm Memorial: Etti Isetti Meghian

Friday, August 28 Saint Augustine

Saturday, August 29

The Passion of Saint John the Baptist

5:00pm The safety and legal protection of all
children in the womb

Sunday, August 30

Twenty-Second Sunday in 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 may be left Food Pantry donations will now be accepted in the church foyer (not DiG Hall) 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 an 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 email
for assistance.



**ADORATION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Suspended until further notice.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Friends,

If there isn't such a thing as normal anymore, this week at least brought a familiar ring to it. We had a good Summer Music Camp, sponsored by the Choir School, for 22 boys and girls. I am grateful to the staff (including several choir school alum) who helped to make it a success.

These days have also seen two First Communion, the baptism of twins (Hildegard von Bingen and Teresa of Avila, no less!) and the long delayed but still joyous graduation of the choir school Class of 2020. The Harvard Catholic Center also sponsored a well-attended Holy Hour on Thursday in the Church for graduate and post doc students.

The plan right now is that the scaffolding in the sanctuary will be dismantled and the church cleaned by Friday, September 11. Pray that all goes well and that the workers remain safe. Food Pantry donations will now be accepted in the church foyer (not DiG Hall) whenever there is a Mass (Monday-Friday 12:10pm; Saturday 9:00am, regular Sunday schedule.)

The Catholic Appeal, which supports the administrative function of the Archdiocese, has been hard hit by the Covid disruption. We will do our final part in assisting this weekend and next. You will find envelopes in the pews which you can put in the offertory baskets at your convenience.

Also, at the end of Mass, remember to put your kneeler down. This marks the spot as a place that needs to be cleaned after Mass. We continue to explore best practices!

Know of my prayers for you, and I depend on yours.

God bless,
Fr. Kelly

ST. PAUL'S LANGUAGE WORKSHOPS

Christian Latin: 1st and 3rd Mondays

Begins September 14, 7:00pm - 8:00pm

This course will survey inspiring and generally underappreciated examples of Christian prose and poetry spanning over a millennium - from the Roman Empire through the Medieval era - in the original Latin. We will start with excerpts from a pair of early saints' lives, read selections from St. Jerome's Vulgate Bible and proceed to later masterpieces, including some of the wonderful antiphons of St. Hildegard of Bingen. While there will be some language review, we will focus on reading and translation of the texts. Participants should have completed and have some recollection of a year or more of Latin. Classical languages instructor Michael O'Brien will lead this group. There is no charge, and texts and learning materials will be distributed or are available online.

New Testament Greek: 1st and 3rd Tuesdays

Begins September 15, 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Back for the fourth year! This year we'll be reading selections from the Gospel of St. Matthew. Experience this inspiring text in its original language! We will provide for some Greek language review while focusing on reading and translation of the text, with particular attention to passages without counterparts in the other Gospels. Participants should have completed a year of either New Testament or Classical Greek. Teachers are Classical languages instructor Michael O'Brien and Deacon Tim O'Donnell. There is no charge, and texts and learning materials will be distributed or are available online.

Workshops are co-sponsored by St. Peter Parish and the Harvard Catholic Forum & will run from September 2020 to May 2021. Zoom format for now. For more information or to sign up, contact Mike O'Brien at mcsamicus@gmail.com, or (617) 721-9559.

CATHOLIC TV

The CatholicTV Network, commonly known as CatholicTV, is the oldest Catholic television network in the US. There are wonderful programs and Mass available. Below are the cable channels in Cambridge that offer CatholicTV. RCN Cable Channel 85, Roku Channel 85, Verizon FiOS Channel 296, Xfinity/Comcast Channel 1669

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BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Please pray for all engaged couples at St. Paul's, especially:

- II. Merry Batter and Mike Helou
- II. Kim Lehan & Elliott Porder

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

FOOD PANTRY

Thank you to all who have generously donated funds or non-perishable food to the pantry over the past few months. As Cambridge reopens, we are welcoming back some of the customers who assumed that we were closed and watching our numbers gradually increase. Each week we fill prepacked bags. non-perishables, and we are current need of pasta/sauce, rice/beans, cereal/milk, tuna/mayo, or peanut butter/jelly. We are looking for a few additional volunteers who can pick up bread from Whole Foods on Friday evenings and deliver it to the church the following morning once a month. Presently, we are unable to accept new volunteers in the pantry at this time. We encourage parishioners to visit the Cambridge Volunteer Clearinghouse website for an updated list of opportunities. Anyone who is interested with bread pickups should contact Tara Lauriat (tl17997@yahoo.com).

ARE YOU RECEIVING THE PARISH E-MAILS?

The parish sends out an e-newsletter every Friday afternoon, and also occasional e-mail announcements in between. These days it's more important than ever for us to communicate this way. If you're not getting these emails, Please contact Nancy in the parish office (nnicol@stpaulparish.org or (617)491-8400 x 303) and get on our list!

NEED HELP DURING COVID-19?

The following resources are set up to help you and your families during this time:

Parish Food Pantry Saturday's at 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Pre-packaged groceries passed out in the courtyard outside the church. Bags are FREE and you do not need to be a Cambridge resident or show ID

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Call the parish office (617) 491 - 8400 x 303

Are you cooped up and missing the fellowship of our church community?

If you would like to hear from us by phone or e-mail, call the parish office at (617) 491-8400 x 342 or e-mail StPaulsCaring@gmail.com

FREE COVID-19 SWAB TESTING

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health is offering free drive through COVID-19 swab testing in Cambridge, 163 Gore Street. Appointments are available by calling (617) 665-2928. Testing sites also open in Somerville and Malden. Test results are provided in two to four days.

ST. PAUL'S PARISH

"90 DAYS NOW FOR YOUR PARISH" PHASE II

The 90-Days Now – For Your Parish, is an online supplemental offertory giving program started by a member of the laity to support parishes during the pandemic. In Phase 1, the program raised more than \$450,000 for 236 parishes. 90-Days Now encourages parishioners to rally around their own parish or another of their choice by making a special daily supplemental offertory commitment for the next 90 days. With the launch of phase 2 of the program, a generous anonymous benefactor has pledged to a match the gift when the overall campaign reaches \$700,000. Should you choose to join in this effort, the Archdiocese has created an easy-to-use link to donate. **ALL FUNDS GO DIRECTLY TO OUR PARISH.** The link is available by going to **www.BostonCatholic.org/donate.** We are incredibly moved by this effort and forward this information for your consideration. We understand many individuals and families may not be able to contribute to this special offertory collection given the economic impact this pandemic has had on your personal finances. We remain extremely grateful for your prayers of support for our parish family. Thank you

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.

8/16/2020	\$989
Offertory by mail	\$2,116
FYTD Offertory	\$34,945

HARVARD CATHOLIC CENTER—STUDENT NEWS

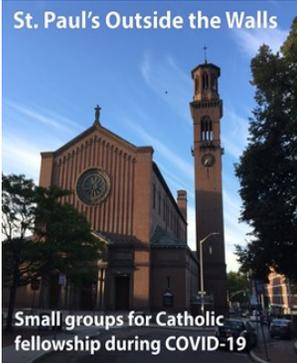
**DUE TO THE CURRENT SITUATION,
PLEASE VISIT HARVARDCATHOLIC.ORG
FOR UP TO DATE INFORMATION**

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

REGISTER FOR MASS

Due to temporary occupancy limits, reservations are currently required (1 per every 2–3 family members). Reserve your seat by visiting stpaulparish.org:

GRAD STUDENTS, POST DOCS & YOUNG PROFESSIONALS



GRADUATE STUDENTS AND YOUNG PROFESSIONALS (GS/YP) SMALL GROUPS: ST. PAUL'S OUTSIDE THE WALLS

Registration Now Open!

With COVID 19 causing us to become isolated, spread out across the country/world, and a bit

dulled, many folks in our community miss the friendly conversations that used to take place after Masses or during our large pasta dinners and discussion groups. As a remedy for this during the pandemic, **small groups of 3-4 people** dedicated to discussion, prayer, and fellowship are now forming no matter if you're in Cambridge or on the other side of the world. We ask that you join us this fall semester for our small discussion groups: St Paul's 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>. Groups will continue to be filled and formed throughout the semester, but if you wish to be included in the first round of group assignments, then fill out the form by **Thursday, August 27**. While the exact focus of each group will be determined by its members, the chaplaincy will help provide suggested topics for discussion each week in our weekly eblast.

Group Formation Coordinator: Nicolette Bardele
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Small Group Support and Ideas Coordinator: Aileen Devlin
(aileendevlin@gmail.com)

GRAD PRAYER AND SCRIPTURE GROUP: VERBUM DEI

Sundays from 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Come join us at the park outside the Cambridge Public Library at 11:00am to discuss the Sunday scripture readings! All are welcome! Ben Schlanger (benjamin.p.schlanger@gmail.com)
Xander Nuttle (anuttle@mgh.harvard.edu)

GRAD STUDENTS, POST DOCS & YOUNG PROFESSIONALS DINNER

Please visit www.harvardcatholic.org for the latest information.

YOUNG COUPLES & NEW FAMILIES

Please visit www.harvardcatholic.org for the latest information. HarvardCatholicYCNF@gmail.com

EX LIBRIS: THEOLOGICAL WRITINGS DISCUSSION GROUP

Please visit www.harvardcatholic.org for the latest information. maxkuheljbugaric@g.harvard.edu

UNDERGRADUATE

CSA GroupMe: Stay in the loop for everything going on in the Catholic Student Association at Harvard! Join by going to this address: <http://bit.ly/CSAGroupMe>

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

To stand in the presence of God is to stand in the presence of incomprehensible mystery. We are people of proofs and facts. With good reason, we are becoming more doubtful of what presents itself to us, as technology makes it easy to fabricate false images and distort what is actually true. What we think is real actually may not be. We become skeptical. Does this skepticism affect our relationship with God? To have faith in God means that we must be willing to trust in the absence of full knowledge. To know the mind of God means we would know God himself, and that is impossible. To acknowledge Jesus as the Christ means we acknowledge that the reality and presence of an incarnate God has a fundamental claim on who we are. When we name this truth, we participate in a depth of knowledge that stretches us far beyond the scope of our minds. It brings us to silence, which is the only way to touch our soul.

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