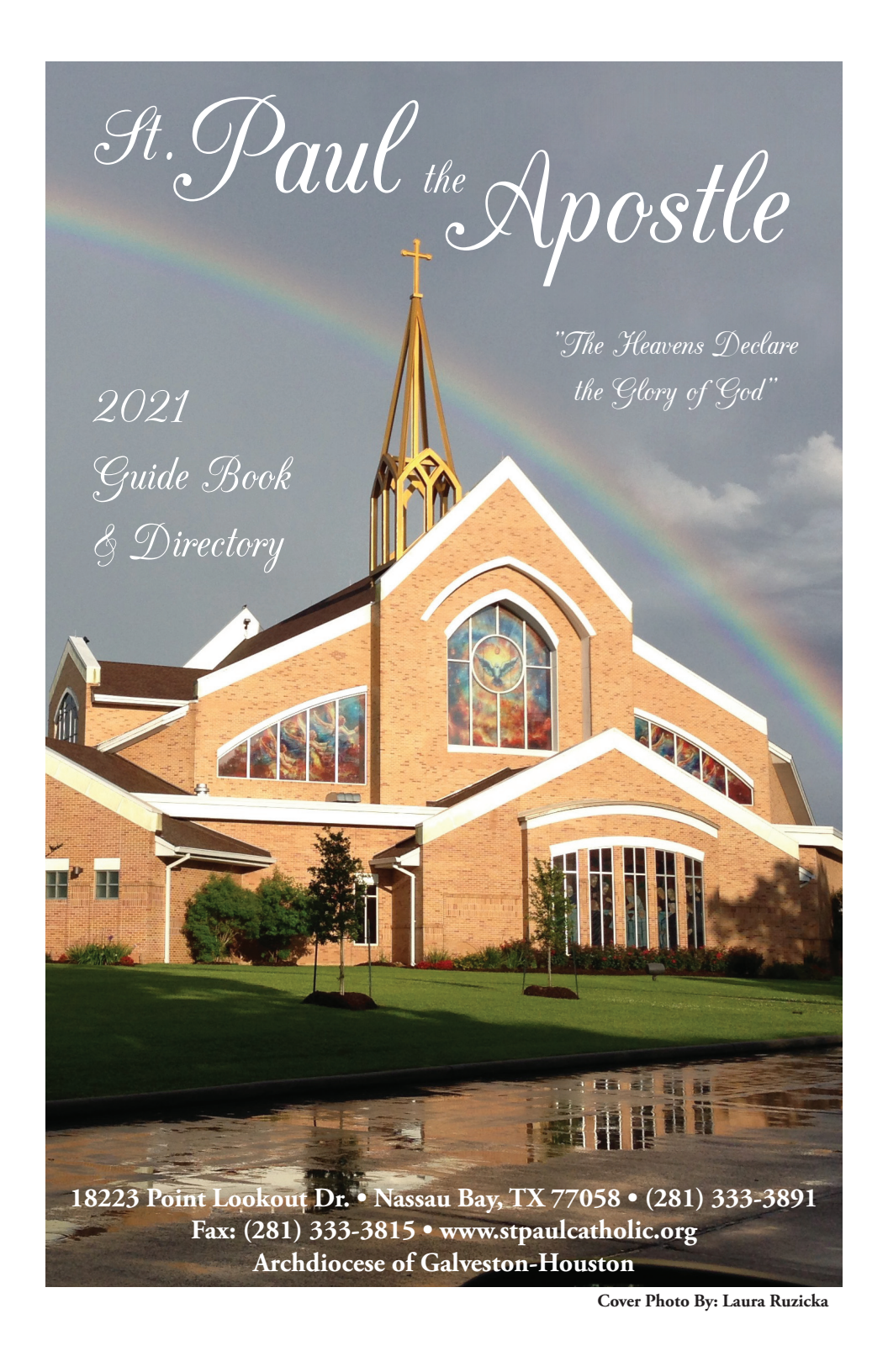


The background of the entire cover is a photograph of St. Paul the Apostle church. The church is a large, modern brick building with a prominent central steeple topped with a cross. A vibrant rainbow arches over the church, its colors reflected in a wet, paved area in the foreground. The church's facade features several large, colorful stained-glass windows, including a large circular one in the center and several arched ones on the sides. The sky is a mix of grey and blue, suggesting a recent rain.

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St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

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Parish Mission Statement

"Though diverse in many ways, we are united in glorifying Christ and being of service to our brothers and sisters. Embracing the Holy Spirit, we are drawn more deeply into the love of the family."

"Distintos de muchas formas, estamos unidos glorificando a Cristo y sirviendo a nuestros hermanos y hermanas. Recibimos con los brazos abiertos al Espíritu Santo, conforme nos lleva más profundamente al amor de la familia."

Office Hours

Monday thru Thursday 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Closed Saturday & Sunday

Liturgy Schedule

Celebration of the Eucharist (Mass)

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m. (English)

Saturday Vigil: 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (English)

Sunday: 12:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Sunday: 5:00 p.m. (English)

Daily Mass Schedule (Chapel)

Tuesday-Friday: 8:30 a.m. (English)

Thursday: 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Holy Days of Obligation

See Bulletin or Call the Parish Office (Times will be posted as needed)

Sacrament of Penance (Confession/Reconciliation)

Tuesday & Thursday: 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. or by appointment



A Note from Fr. Wencil

My dear Sisters and Brothers,

“Though diverse in many ways, we are united in glorifying Christ and being of service to our brothers and sisters, embracing the Holy Spirit to draw us more deeply into the love of family.”

Members of St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church family represent all parts of the Body of Christ. We come from many cultures, with many and differing talents, and travel on many differing life paths. But strongly, we join as one family of worship and identify as each other's brothers and sisters in Christ. It is our parishioners who developed the words above defining their bond to this parish. Through worshiping and serving together we not only nourish our own personal bond with Christ, but also each other's. Acting as His hands and feet we are blessed to serve each other, our church, and our community, while growing in our relationship with God.

Never has this spiritual family bond been more crucial than during these times as we weather the COVID pandemic together. Through this time when we have had to isolate and restrict the size of our gatherings, we have innovatively found ways to continue our worship and parish life. We have engaged in Zoom Rosaries, taped Masses, outside and socially distanced retreats, even drive-through annual festival activities, while also comforting each other differently, but nevertheless there for each other, through funerals, and celebrating continuation of lives with weddings, baptisms and confirmations.



Nota del P. Wencil

Mis queridos Hermanas y Hermanos,

“Distintos de muchas formas, estamos unidos glorificando a Cristo y sirviendo a nuestros hermanos y hermanas. Recibimos con los brazos abiertos al Espíritu Santo, conforme nos lleva más profundamente al amor de la familia.”

Los miembros de la familia de la Iglesia Católica de San Pablo el Apóstol representan el Cuerpo de Cristo. Venimos de muchas culturas, con diferentes talentos, viajando por diferentes caminos de la vida. Pero firmemente, nos unimos como familia en adoración, identificándonos como hermanos y hermanas en Jesucristo. Son nuestros feligreses quienes han dado la pauta para redactar lo antes escrito por la unión que nos define como parroquia. Actuando como Sus manos y pies, somos bendecidos con la oportunidad de servir unos a otros, a nuestra iglesia y comunidad, mientras crecemos en nuestra relación con Dios.

Este sentido familiar espiritual nunca ha sido más crucial que en estos tiempos, durante la pandemia de COVID. A través de este tiempo en el que hemos tenido que aislar y restringir nuestras reuniones, hemos encontrado nuevas formas para continuar nuestra vida espiritual y parroquial. Nos hemos involucrado en rosarios en Zoom, misas grabadas, retiros al aire fresco y socialmente distanciados, incluso actividades anuales del festival en automóvil y virtual, al mismo tiempo que nos consolamos mutuamente de maneras diferente, pero siempre ahí el uno para el otro, a través de funerales y de celebraciones de la continuación de vida con bodas, bautizos y confirmaciones.

Unidos en nuestra parroquia de San Pablo, nos esforzamos por ser los brazos de bienvenida de Cristo, abrazándonos y apoyándonos mutuamente mientras navegamos por la belleza y las cruces de la vida; y así juntos “Declaramos la gloria de Dios”.

Our Parish History

St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church was established at the direction of Bishop John Morkovsky. In his letter to the founding Pastor, Father George Beck, the Bishop stated: "Effective Saturday, June 20, 1964, you are appointed to organize a new parish in the NASA area." The new parish was established to meet the needs of the many Catholic families moving into the Clear Lake area to work at the Johnson Space Center and has always had close ties with NASA.

The first church roster listed 500 families and today has grown to list over 2500 families and continues growing. Sunday Mass was originally celebrated at Webster Intermediate School Auditorium with daily Mass celebrated in the garage of the rectory until the first church was built. Bishop Morkovsky and Father Beck broke ground for the new church on January 15, 1967. The original structure (now known as Founder's Hall) was meant to be a temporary church until a permanent church would be built.

Father Anton Sheltz replaced Father Beck as Pastor in 1982 and carried on his nurturing spirit, helping the faith community to grow. Ground was again broken in 1985 to construct an 11,000 square foot addition to the original church structure to house the increasing parish family. The additional space provided a large hall (now known as Beck Hall) where the community could gather, a new chapel (now the left half of the Youth Room), a youth room (now the Society of St. Vincent de Paul offices) and a choir room (now the right half of the Youth Room).

The parish welcomed Father Dominic Pistone, Jr. back to St. Paul the Apostle as Pastor in 1994. He served as an associate when Father Beck was Pastor. Father Dominic was known for his warm friendly manner, which made church members and visitors alike feel at home at St. Paul the Apostle Church.

Father Alberto Maullon, Jr. became Pastor of St. Paul the Apostle Parish in 2002. Father Albert understood that the vision of a parish relays the character, hopes, and ongoing conversion of the parish family. In 2007-2008, Father Albert and St. Paul the Apostle's Parish Pastoral council surveyed parishioners to see if the vision of the growing parish had changed. Feedback received overwhelmingly voiced excitement and hope for the future of the growing community but was tempered with concern for maintaining St. Paul's core gifts and identity in the face of change.

In response, a new vision was drafted, "St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church is a growing and diverse community with a small parish feel. United in prayer and worship, we reach out to others, leading and serving as one with Christ."

Father Albert provided the church family with spiritual guidance and encouragement. Under his leadership St. Paul's progressed through planning to final construction of the new church. In June of 2007, the parish celebrated yet another groundbreaking with then Archbishop Daniel DiNardo and Father Albert as construction started on the new church.

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Driven by the united faith, love and dedication of the clergy and parish family, the vision for a permanent church for the parish of St. Paul the Apostle became a reality with the new worship space dedicated to the Glory of God by His Eminence Daniel Cardinal DiNardo on August 29, 2009.

As stated by Father Albert in his August 29, 2009 Dedication Letter to the parishioners, "From our parish's earliest days, our focus has been on building a community of believers whose lives are living stones – testaments to God's infinite love, mercy and grace. With the dedication of this new church, the desires, sacrifices and labors of these living stones have come together to build a permanent house of worship for generations to come.

So much more than simply a gathering space, this church – built on holy ground – is a sign of the Church on earth. Here, art and architecture have united to do the work of the Holy Spirit by helping us prepare our hearts to receive God's word and enter more fully into communion with Him. Here, the heavens declare the glory of God. Welcome home."

Effective February 25, 2011, Cardinal DiNardo appointed Fr. Wencil Pavlovsky as our new Pastor. Fr. Wencil served in the Archdiocese as Pastor at St. John Fisher in Richmond and St. Augustine in Southeast Houston. He was formally installed as the new Pastor of St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church in a Mass celebrated by Msgr. Leo Wleczyk, our Episcopal Vicar, on Sunday, March 27, 2011. Father Wencil guides our spiritually diverse and multi-cultural family. He has imprinted the St. Paul community with his own unique and nurturing spirit, leading us in giving Glory to God.



Parish Contact Information

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Outreach

Gabriel ProjectParish-Based Crisis Pregnancy Ministry..... Ext. 338
713-225-5826

Society of St. Vincent de Paul..... Social Outreach Program..... Ext. 342
281-333-2509

Office Hours: Tuesday 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.,

Wednesday 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. and Thursday 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Appointment required for Financial Assistance but not for Food Pantry.

Finance Council

The Finance Council assists the Pastor in an advisory role with fiscal administration of the parish, encouraging support of Parish and Archdiocesan stewardship programs for Time, Talent and Treasure. They may be contacted at FinanceCouncil@stpaulcatholic.org.

2020 Finance Council Members:

Fr. Wencil Pavlovsky

Chima Akanwa

Maria Conner

Esperanza Monterrubio

Cynthia López

Jesus Adame

Kathy Tamer

Diana Tran

Pastoral Council

The Pastoral Council is a representative body of the faithful, focusing on the parish community and the Church mission. It is presided by the Pastor, with members assisting in a consultative basis, promoting the interests and spiritual well-being of the parish.

2020 Pastoral Council Members:

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Adult Ministry

Adult faith formation at St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church centers on the understanding that following in the path of Jesus Christ is a life-long, evolving journey. As a diverse community with a small parish feel, we are strengthened and refreshed by walking that journey with others.

A.A. (Alcoholics Anonymous)

Jim L. 281-381-1081
Larry C. 832-561-9841..... don53us@hotmail.com
High-Nooners meet Tuesday & Friday at 11:30 a.m. at St. Paul the Apostle.

Alanon (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry)

Alcohólicos Anónimos (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry)

A.C.T.S. (Men/Women)..... 281-333-3891

Adult Bible Study..... 281-333-3891

RISE Men's Fellowship

Marcus Michna..... 281-535-0312..... mjnichna@shelmark.net
Walking with Purpose Bible Study for Women, Various Times .. 281-333-3891

Friday 6:00 a.m. Silver Linings Bible Study (over 50)

Various times available offered for women

Thursday 12:30 p.m.

Wednesday Night Bible Study

Rick Banke 678-773-5601

Adult Faith Formation 281-333-3891

A variety of classes and special events to help adults grow in their understanding of, and appreciation for, the beauty and richness of our faith. Check the bulletin for weekly updates on activities.

Annulment Ministry 281-333-3891

In addition to helping these people with the practical aspects of obtaining an annulment, case sponsors also offer moral and spiritual support through the process.

Baptism Preparation Team 281-333-3891

Miriam Escobar (Spanish) 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
Baptism preparation classes are held monthly alternating between English/Spanish. Baptism interview required first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Divina Misericordia (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry)

Divorce Care: 13-week program, offered Annually .. 281-333-3891

Engaged Couples Sponsor Program..... 281-333-3891

Sponsor couples minister to engaged working with the Priest and Deacon in marriage preparation.

The Gathering Place 281-333-3891

The Gathering Place ministry exists to support the role of individuals who care for loved ones with memory loss. A caregiver support program takes place concurrently.

Habitat for Humanity 281-333-3891

Tom Dill 281-648-0665.....tnjdill@yahoo.com
Parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle Church who join with other area Catholic Churches to blitz build a house for a qualifying family.

Knights of Columbus Council #6234 281-333-3891

Tony Quezada, Grand Knight 281-217-1810.demetrioquezada@yahoo.com
The KC council defends our faith and Catholic values, promoting both married and religious/celibate vocations. Catholic men over the age of 18 are invited to join. Meetings are on Tuesdays

Ladies Lunch Bunch (over 50) 281-333-3891

Mary Sue Anton 713-254-2961.....manton8470@aol.com

Legion of Mary 281-333-3891

Maria Lorenzo 832-814-8248..... mclorenzo11@gmail.com
Our Lady Star of the Sea Praesidium is a unit of the Legion of Mary consisting of Catholic men & women, who participate in apostolic work under Mary's guidance. Meetings are on Mondays at 6:45 p.m. in room 1.

Legión de María (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry)

Marriage Preparation (See SACRAMENT INFORMATION)

Natural Family Planning 281-333-3891

The archdiocese requires that all couples preparing for Catholic marriage attend an NFP class. These programs are also open to married couples.

Prayer Groups and Scripture Studies 281-333-3891

A variety of prayer and scripture study groups are available.

Prayer Shawl Ministry 281-333-3891

Mary Ann Fitts 281-486-5895
This ministry knits and crochets prayer shawls (symbolizing shelter, peace and spiritual sustenance) for individuals in need of hope and healing. For information on meeting times, contact Mary Fitts.

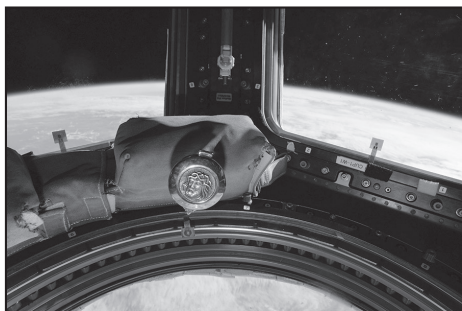
RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults 281-333-3891

Miriam Escobar (Español) 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
The process of becoming a Catholic is called the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.) (See SACRAMENT INFORMATION)

RICA: Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry)

Respect Life 281-333-3891

Marilyn Daniel 281-326-3799..... yodainoz@comcast.net
This ministry promotes all aspects of the Catholic Church's theology regarding the sanctity of human life...from conception to natural death. Second Tuesday of each month 7:00 p.m.





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Silver Linings..... 281-333-3891

Denise Skirde 281-326-9755..... texandenise@gmail.com
Parishioners, 50+ years, growing together in community and faith.
Second Monday of the month at 1:00 p.m. and periodic chartered day trips.

Small Christian Communities 281-333-3891

Small Faith Sharing Groups pray together, learn about their faith, share life experiences and support one another in their faith journey.

Spiritual Direction 281-333-3891

Miriam Sarahid Escobar 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
St. Paul's has several individuals who can walk with you on your spiritual journey. Each has their own gifts, style, and availability. Some speak English and others speak Spanish.

Sunday Morning Hospitality 281-333-3891

Welcome the parish community with coffee and donuts on Sunday mornings.

Teams of Our Lady 281-333-3891

Small faith communities made up of Catholic couples from several different parishes meet together to share in a meal, pray together, encourage one another and support married couples in their sacrament and vocation.

Zumba 281-333-3891

Laura Hicks 281-728-6441..... lauraphicks@gmail.com
Saturday at 9:30 a.m. An optional \$5 donation per class supports other adult ministries.

Children's Ministry

We believe parents are the most important role model in developing children's love of God and making their Catholic faith part of everyday living. Consequently, all our faith formation programs are designed to partner with parents and provide them tools to be the primary Catechists in their children's lives. We utilize the Diocesan Curriculum and Framework and encourage parents to explore with their children answers to the 4 Big Ideas:

- Who is Jesus Christ?
- How do we come to know and love Jesus Christ?
- How does Jesus Christ teach us to live a moral life?
- How are we called to become missionary disciples of Jesus Christ?

CONTINUING CHRISTIAN EDUCATION (CCE)

Sara Fontana 281-957-7327.....sfontana@stpaulcatholic.org

- Traditional CCE: Offered in English/Spanish. Volunteers prepare lessons based on the Diocesan Curriculum. Offered in English on Wednesdays from 6:30-7:45 p.m. or on Fridays in Spanish from 7:30-8:45 p.m. CCE in Family Formation Classes: Family Formation unites the family as they learn about their faith through Home Lessons, with a monthly at church gathering with children meeting in age level classes while parents attend adult catechesis and formation. Offered one Sunday a month in English and one Sunday a month in Spanish.
- Vacation Bible School (VBS): A dynamic week for children and volunteers is offered annually in the summer months. Participants grow in understanding of their faith and the Bible as they build community.

Moral Development, Sex Education & Safe Environment

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Circle of Grace the Cardinal requires that every parish offer a grade specific safe environment lesson. Circle of Grace, created by the Diocese of Omaha, is what is currently being offered. We are committed to partnering with parents in sharing effective ways for their children to acknowledge they are God's creation and have a Circle of Grace around them. This program seeks to educate them in skills that will assist in keeping them safe in their Circle of Grace.

Workshops & Resources

Teaching your children about sex is probably one of the most uncomfortable responsibilities of parenting. What if you had a place to practice and prepare words to be able to teach your children about the beauty of their bodies and the way God made them? Read the parish bulletin for workshops we offer and go to the website for resources. www.stpaulcatholic.org/childrens-ministry.

SACRAMENT PREPARATION (See SACRAMENT INFORMATION for Elementary up to High School)

Prayer

Grupo Carismático de Oración “Tierra Buena”

Ramiro & Wendy Novoa 281-744-5546

Tierra Buena is a family prayer group in Spanish. All parents who sign up for Friday night CCE are encouraged to bring their children with them to praise and worship from 7:00-7:30 p.m.; then return for adult formation after they take their children to CCE class.

Children’s Liturgy of the Word

Miriam Escobar 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org

Every Sunday during the noon Masses for Kindergarteners thru 5th graders. Children hear the same readings as the adult assembly, but from the Lectionary for Masses with Children.

Early Childhood Program (ECP)

In service to the community for over 20 years, the Early Childhood Program (ECP) provides an exceptional, developmentally appropriate early childhood ministry for ages 12 months to Pre-K 4, grounded in Christian values and open to all. Options are offered for 2, 3 or 5 day attendance, with early drop off and late pick up available and an 8-3 full day of school and care are available to those that are looking for a longer day for their child. English/Spanish program is available for 3 and 4-year-old. In addition to regular school hours, after school enrichment classes consisting of Books Alive, Science and Math and Beat Goes on are also offered.

Sheri Zombory 281-333-0176.. szombory@stpaulcatholic.org

NURSERY

Our nursery provides care for our youngest parishioners while their parents grow in their faith serving in the different ministries and while parents attend the 9:00 a.m. Mass and 12:00 p.m.

Miriam Escobar 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org

Liturgical Ministry

Liturgy is a public service, duty, or work, distinguished from private devotion. At St. Paul the Apostle liturgies utilize the talents and gifts that God has given our community to the fullest extent. With parishioners’ active participation behind the scenes in preparation and planning or through public roles of service within the Mass, our liturgies are truly life-giving celebrations.

Adoration (see Perpetual Adoration)

Altar Care 281-333-3891

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Sharon Reed 713-826-1424..... barsdr@hotmail.com

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Devotions in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary are held in St. Paul the Apostle's Chapel every first Saturday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.	
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Multicultural Ministry

Servidores de Bienvenida 281-333-3891

Los servidores de bienvenida son ministros que dan la bienvenida a todas las celebraciones litúrgicas.

ACTS en Español (hombres y mujeres)

Miriam Sarahid Escobar 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
Retiros anuales para un encuentro personal con el Señor, para hombres, mujeres y adolescentes. Después del retiro tenemos reuniones mensuales para continuar nuestro crecimiento en Adoración

Al Anón “Serenidad” Comunidad Teología y Servicio

Sofia Moreno..... 832-407-1239
“Serenidad” es una comunidad de hombres y mujeres católicas que hemos sido afectados por la adicción de algún familiar, que nos reunimos para apoyarnos unos a otros a través de nuestra fe compartiendo nuestras experiencias y nuestras fortalezas. Nos reunimos los jueves de 7:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m. en el salón 1

Alcohólicos Anónimos “Nueva Esperanza”

Mario Moreno cubsmariocubs@yahoo.com
Nueva Esperanza” es una comunidad Católica que estamos tratando la sobriedad para así tener un mejor contacto con Dios. Compartiendo nuestras experiencias y fortalezas para de este modo tratar de ayudar a otros hermanos que sufren con las Adicciones. Las reuniones son todos los jueves de 7:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m. Parlor C

AMSIF: Asociación para la Superación Integral de la Familia

Miriam Sarhid Escobar 281-957-7320... mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
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Somos una asociación que promueve la educación y la formación integral de las mujeres. A través de su programa, AMSIF capacita y promueve el desarrollo personal, refuerza la autoestima y fomenta la cultura de las mujeres participantes. A fin de que cuenten con las herramientas necesarias para transformar su realidad comprendiéndola posteriormente con los miembros de su familia

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Hombres y mujeres que se reúnen mensualmente para preparar un almuerzo para nuestra comunidad, con el fin de convivir en comunidad y recaudar fondos para los programas del ministerio multicultural.

Coro en español

Ramiro Novoa 281-744-5546
Práctica Jueves 7:00 a 9:00 p.m. y domingos de 10:45 am a 11:45 a.m.
El Coro en español canta los domingos en la misa de 12:00 p.m.

Curso de Verano Bíblico

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El Curso de Verano Bíblico es una semana dinámica dedicada al crecimiento espiritual y fortalecimiento de la fe Católica de nuestros niños, completamente en Español durante el Verano.

Dirección Espiritual

Acompañante Espiritual, Tomas Martinez (hombres) 713-858-9433
Acompañante Espiritual, Irma Martinez (mujeres) 714-858-1603
El Acompañante Espiritual ayuda a las personas: a descubrir la presencia de Dios en sus vidas; a crecer en el encuentro e intimidad con Dios a través del dialogo; ayuda a las personas que están en sufrimiento, a encontrar cuál es la voluntad de Dios en sus vidas y cómo podemos convertir ese sufrimiento en redentor; y ayuda a que una persona pueda discernir cuál es su vocación.

Grupo Carismático de Oración “Tierra Buena”

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Miriam Escobar 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
El grupo carismático de oración promueve una conversión personal, madura y permanente a Jesucristo nuestro Señor y buscamos abrir nuestro corazón hacia la persona de Espíritu Santo, su presencia y su poder. En nuestro caminar, animamos la obra de evangelización de quienes no pertenecen a la Iglesia, la re-evangelización de los bautizados, la evangelización de la cultura y de las estructuras sociales. Se reúnen todos los viernes a las 7:00 p.m.

Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos “Espacio de Dios”

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Jóvenes adultos de 18 a 35 años se reúnen a compartir y crecer en la fe.
Martes a las 7:00 p.m.

Legión de María

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Organización apostólica de laicos. Promueve diferentes devociones a la Virgen María y realiza diferentes apostolados. Martes a las 7:00 p.m.

Liturgia de la Palabra con Niños

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Hombres y mujeres dedicados al crecimiento espiritual de los más pequeños de nuestra parroquia. Explicando el Santo Evangelio a su nivel semanalmente durante la Santa Misa de 12 y una vez al mes en la misa de 9:00 a.m.

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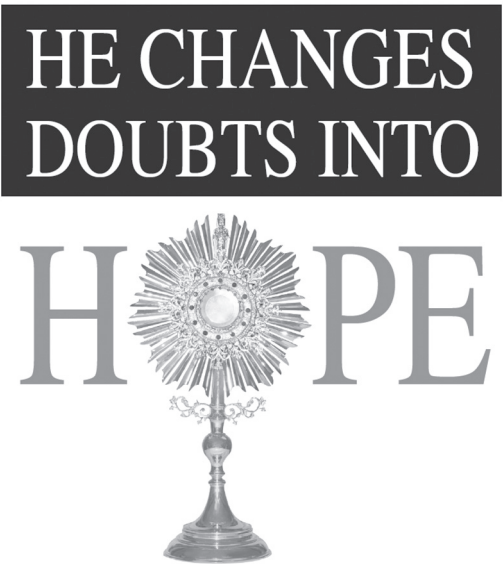
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Mujeres Aliadas que se Respaldan en la Iglesia y la Amistad. Dan a nuestro Nido Apoyo y Servicio. Reafirmación como mujer y madre, buscando dignidad y creciendo en la fe católica viernes 6:00 p.m.

MFCC: El Movimiento Familiar Cristiano Católico

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Grupo de familias Católicas unen sus esfuerzos promoviendo los valores humanos y cristianos de la familia. Reuniones son en diferentes días y horarios.

Ministros, extraordinarios de la Santa Comunión

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Preparación de Bautismo de niños menores de 7 años

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Entrevista el primer martes del mes a las 7:00 p.m. En español hay 1 sesión de 7:45 a.m. a 2:00 p.m. el último domingo del mes, alternando un mes si y uno no, en el mes de octubre las clases se ofrecen penúltimo domingo del mes. El Sacramento de Bautismo se lleva a cabo el segundo domingo de mes después de Misa de 12:00 p.m., alternando meses en español e inglés.

Preparación para Confirmación de Adultos

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Preparación Matrimonial

Rev. Wencil Pavlovsky..... 281-333-3891.....ext. 325
Parejas que desean casarse en San Pablo necesitan cita con el Padre al menos 6 meses antes de la fecha deseada para la boda. Uno de la pareja debe ser miembro registrado en la iglesia de San Pablo.

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R.I.C.A.: Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos

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Adultos que desean Iniciarse en la Iglesia católica por medio del Bautismo, Confirmación y Eucaristía.

Sociedad Guadalupana

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“Unidos en oración a ejemplo de Nuestra Santísima Virgen María de Guadalupe, para unir culturas y al servicio de las necesidades de nuestra comunidad” Nos encargamos de organizar y recaudar los fondos necesarios para la celebración de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

Music Ministry

The Music Ministry at St. Paul the Apostle Church is a vital part of the worship of our community. The Music Ministry is a joyful, vibrant, welcoming and faith-filled group of musicians and vocalists who strive for excellence and inspiration leading the community in sung worship.

Choir(s):

5:00 p.m. Sat choir, 9:00 a.m. Sunday choir, 12 noon Spanish choir
and Sunday 5:00 p.m. Band
281-333-3891 ext. 333

Instrumentalists

Projection Ministry281-333-3891
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Sound Board Technicians 281-333-3891

Coro en español (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry)
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Youth Ministry

St. Paul Adolescent Catechesis & Evangelization (S.P.A.C.E.) is rooted in Christ, guided by the Holy Spirit, brings teens into relationship with Jesus Christ, empowering them to become disciples of Him in their everyday life.

Kathy Giannini 281-957-7320.. kgiannini@stpaulcatholic.org

- High School students meet on Sunday afternoons for S.P.A.C.E.
- 2:30 to 4:30 (Bilingual)
- Jr. High Students meet on Wednesday nights for English EDGE and Friday nights for Spanish. Wednesday 6:30 to 8 and Fridays
- 7:30 to 8:45.

Sacrament Information

Baptism

INFANTS (birth to 6 years)

English 281-333-3891
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Parents must attend a baptism interview the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. and are then scheduled for a baptism class. English every other month, Saturday 12:30-4:30 p.m., Spanish last two Sundays of the month, 8 a.m.- 12 noon with baptisms celebrated the second Sunday of the month. Preparación de Bautismo de niños menores de 7 años (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry).

CHILDREN/YOUTH (7 years to 17 years)

Sara Fontana 281-957-7327....sfontana@stpaulcatholic.org
Miriam S. Escobar (en español) 281-957-7328mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
Youth 7 years old through 17 years who have not been baptized are invited to enter the RCIA for Children (R.C.I.C.) process. R.C.I.C. (Rite of Christian Initiation adapted for Children) to prepare to celebrate all three Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) during the Easter season. This two year process combines age-appropriate religious education, sacramental preparation and rites of the catechumenate.

ADULTS (18 years and up)

English 281-333-3891
Miriam Sarahid Escobar 281-957-7328.. mescobar@stpaulcatholic.org
Adults go through R.C.I.A. ("Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults").

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Confirmation

ADULTS (18 years and up)

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Adult Confirmation classes are offered throughout the year. Adult must be baptized and have received First Communion and must be registered in the parish. Preparación para Confirmación de Adultos (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry).

YOUTH (High-School Students)

Kathy Giannini 281-957-7320.. kgiannini@stpaulcatholic.org
The sacramental preparation is a 2-year process that may begin as a freshman. Separate requirements are needed depending on the year of the teen's Catholic journey which includes attending SPACE, high school youth group, on Sunday afternoons.

Eucharist

CHILDREN (Gr. 2 - Gr. 5)

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Preparation for 1st Reconciliation and 1st Communion occurs during CCE Classes and special sessions designed to assist in preparation for sacraments. Children are also prepared in their home by their parents, utilizing a Parent Coaching process www.growingupcatholic.com.

YOUTH (Gr. 6 - Gr. 11)

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- **FOUNDATIONS:** Youth in 6th through 11th grade who are baptized but have not received 1st Communion enter into an Inquiry period when they first register in the parish. They attend a retreat with at least one parent. After the retreat they are assigned a Parish Sponsor who assists them in going through a set of steps to help them get to know our parish, the Bible, the Catholic faith and more. Once the steps are completed they then become Candidates for 1st Communion and begin preparation classes for 1st Reconciliation and then 1st Communion.

ADULTS (18 years and up)

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The celebration of first Penance is included in this process. The adult must be registered in the parish and is required to attend R.C.I.A. ("Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults") Sessions, receiving First Communion and Confirmation upon completion.

RICA: Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry)

Reconciliation

ADULTS (18 years and up)

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Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 p.m. or by appointment.

CHILDREN/YOUTH (7 years - 17 years)

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Marriage/Convalidation

Rev. Wencil Pavlovsky 281-333-3891, ext. 325
One member of the couple must be a registered parishioner. Intro to Marriage Prep sessions are held 4th Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room.

Attend at least six months before you hope to be married.

Preparación Matrimonial (para más información, vea Multicultural Ministry).

Anointing of the Sick

Rev. Wencil Pavlovsky 281-333-3891, ext. 325
An emergency number will be provided if after business hours.

Christian Burial

Rev. Wencil Pavlovsky 281-333-3891, ext. 325
Funerals are not conducted on Sundays, Mondays or Holy Days of Obligation.

Parish Outreach

Gabriel Project 713-225-5826

Support for women in a crisis pregnancy, providing necessary supplies such as cribs, car seats, clothing, prenatal vitamins, diapers, etc.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry and Financial Assistance

281-333-2509 svdpstpaulscatholic@gmail.com
St. Paul's parishioners help those in need by offering a food pantry and financial assistance as well as moral support. Additionally, St. Vincent de Paul coordinates an annual Christmas gift drive the first or second weekend in December. We invite you to join us in this ministry of service.

Parish Wide Activities

Caritas Day

A day where parish members of all ages go out into our Clear Lake Community to show God's love through acts of service.

Deborah Bernay 281-380-4492

Out of this World Festival

Held the last weekend of October every year.

Festival Core Team & Festival Committee 281-333-3891

Safe Haven (formerly VIRTUS)

Office of Safe Environment Joe Kramer
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