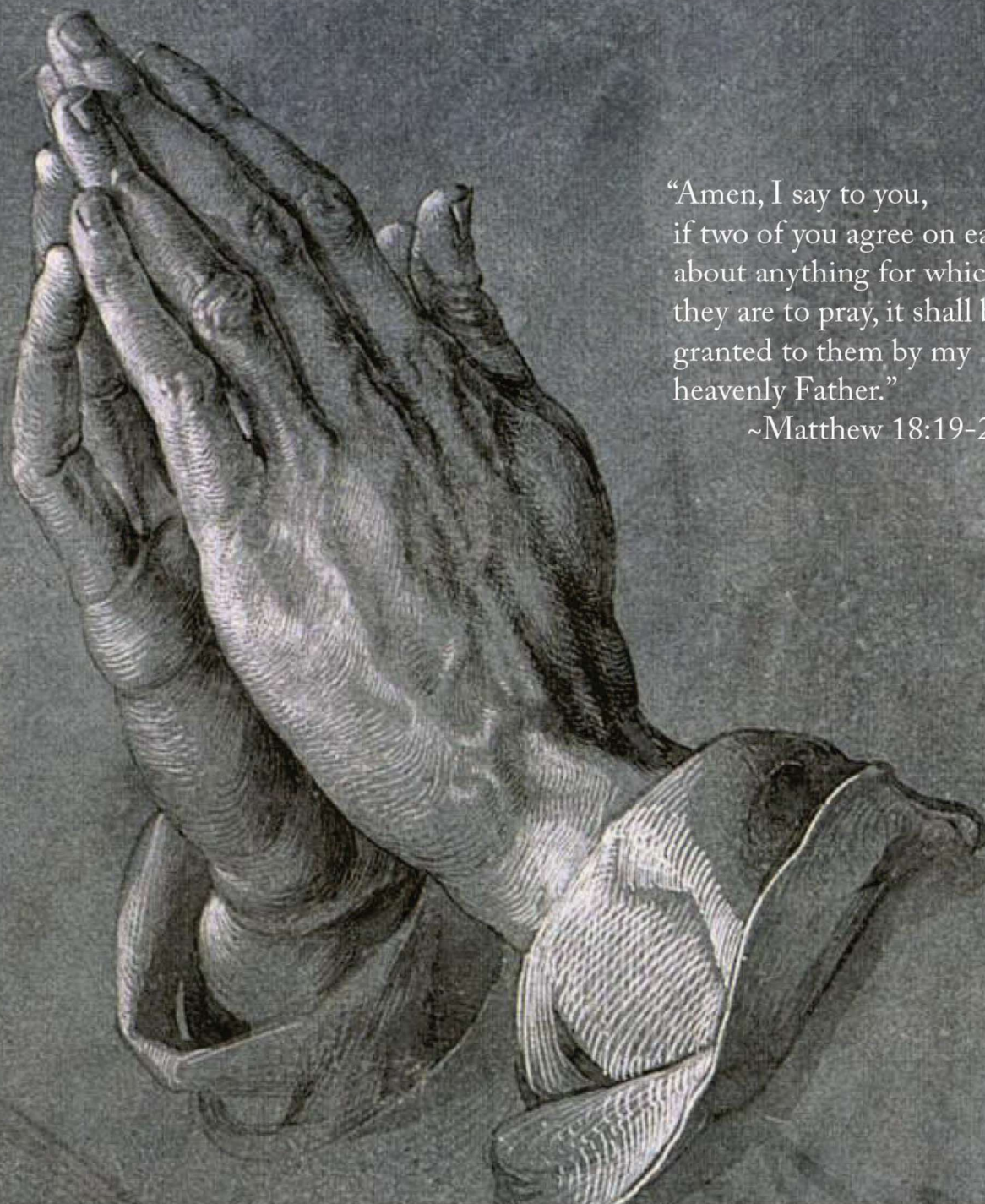


Sacred Heart Parish

September 6, 2026

Roslindale, MA



“Amen, I say to you,
if two of you agree on earth
about anything for which
they are to pray, it shall be
granted to them by my
heavenly Father.”

~Matthew 18:19-20



ST. PAUL CENTER 23RD SUNDAY
FOR BIBLICAL THEOLOGY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

As Ezekiel is appointed watchman over the house of Israel in today's first Reading, so Jesus in the Gospel today establishes His disciples as guardians of the new Israel of God, the Church (see Galatians 6:16).

He also puts in place procedures for dealing with sin and breaches of the faith, building on models of discipline prescribed by Moses for Israel (see Leviticus 19:17-20; Deuteronomy 19:13). The heads of the new Israel, however, receive extraordinary powers - similar to those given to Peter (see Matthew 16:19). They have the power to bind and loose, to forgive sins and to reconcile sinners in His name (see John 20:21-23).

But the powers He gives the apostles and their successors depends on their communion with Him. As Ezekiel is only to teach what he hears God saying, the disciples are to gather in His name and to pray and seek the will of our heavenly Father.

But today's readings are more than a lesson in Church order. They also suggest how we're to deal with those who trespass against us, a theme that we'll hear in next week's readings as well.

Notice that both the Gospel and the First Reading presume that believers have a duty to correct sinners in our midst. Ezekiel is even told that he will be held accountable for their souls if he fails to speak out and try to correct them.

This is the love that Paul in today's Epistle says we owe to our neighbors. To love our neighbors as ourselves is to be vitally concerned for their salvation. We must make every effort, as Jesus says, to win our brothers and sisters back, to turn them from the false paths.

We should never correct out of anger, or a desire to punish. Instead, our message must be that of today's Psalm - urging sinner to hear God's voice, not to harden their hearts, and to remember that He is the one who made us, and the rock of our salvation.



ST. PAUL CENTER XXIII DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO
FOR BIBLICAL THEOLOGY ORDINARIO (CICLO A)

Así como Ezequiel es nombrado centinela de la casa de Israel en la primera lectura de hoy, Jesús, en el Evangelio de hoy, establece a sus discípulos como guardianes del nuevo Israel de Dios: la Iglesia (véase Gálatas 6, 16).

También establece procedimientos para tratar el pecado y las faltas contra la fe, basándose en los modelos de disciplina prescritos por Moisés para Israel (véase Levítico 19, 17-20; Deuteronomio 19, 13). Sin embargo, los líderes del nuevo Israel reciben poderes extraordinarios, similares a los otorgados a Pedro (véase Mateo 16, 19). Tienen el poder de atar y desatar, de perdonar los pecados y de reconciliar a los pecadores en su nombre (véase Juan 20, 21-23).

Pero los poderes que Él otorga a los apóstoles y a sus sucesores dependen de su comunión con Él. Así como Ezequiel solo debía enseñar lo que escuchaba decir a Dios, los discípulos deben reunirse en su nombre, orar y buscar la voluntad de nuestro Padre celestial.

No obstante, las lecturas de hoy son más que una lección sobre el orden de la Iglesia. También nos indican cómo debemos tratar a quienes nos ofenden, un tema que volveremos a escuchar en las lecturas de la próxima semana.

Nótese que tanto el Evangelio como la primera lectura dan por sentado que los creyentes tienen el deber de corregir a los pecadores que hay entre nosotros. A Ezequiel incluso se le dice que deberá responder por sus almas si no alza la voz para intentar corregirlos.

Este es el amor que, según la Epístola de hoy, Pablo dice que debemos a nuestro prójimo. Amar al prójimo como a nosotros mismos significa preocuparnos profundamente por su salvación. Debemos esforzarnos al máximo, tal como dice Jesús, por recuperar a nuestros hermanos y hermanas, y apartarlos de los caminos equivocados.

Nunca debemos corregir movidos por la ira o por el deseo de castigar. Por el contrario, nuestro mensaje debe ser el del Salmo de hoy: exhortar al pecador a escuchar la voz de Dios, a no endurecer su corazón y a recordar que Él es quien nos creó y la roca de nuestra salvación.



SEPTEMBER 11TH

Today, we remember all those who lost their lives in the 2001 attacks. We pray for the victims and their families.



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**NO TIENES
QUE DECIR
NI UNA
PALABRA.**

*Solo ven y
quédate con Él.*

 En el silencio de la
Adoración Eucarística,
Jesús está presente.
*Él te ve.
Él te conoce.
Él te ama.*

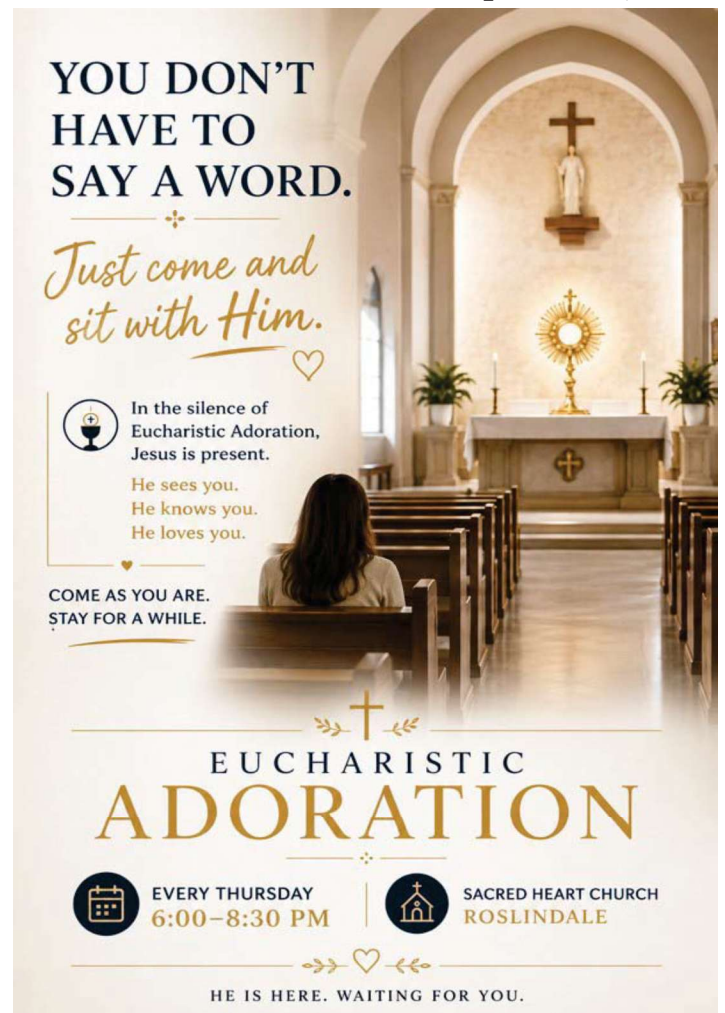
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AL
SANTISIMO**

 **TODOS LOS JUEVES**
6:00–8:30 PM

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ÉL ESTÁ AQUÍ. TE ESPERA.



**YOU DON'T
HAVE TO
SAY A WORD.**

*Just come and
sit with Him.*

 In the silence of
Eucharistic Adoration,
Jesus is present.
*He sees you.
He knows you.
He loves you.*

COME AS YOU ARE.
STAY FOR A WHILE.

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 **EVERY THURSDAY**
6:00–8:30 PM

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ROSLINDALE**

HE IS HERE. WAITING FOR YOU.

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STEM SCHOOL**

PREK 3 & PREK 4 ENROLLMENT NOW OPEN AT SACRED HEART STEM SCHOOL!

Aún quedan plazas disponibles en nuestros programas de PreK 3, PreK 4 y de educación bilingüe (español/inglés). En Sacred Heart, las clases reducidas y la estrecha colaboración con las familias garantizan que cada niño reciba atención personalizada, apoyo y el estímulo necesario para prosperar.

Para inscribirse en PreK 3, los alumnos deben tener al menos 2 años y 9 meses de edad y haber completado el entrenamiento para ir al baño. Sacred Heart STEM School acepta vales del programa Child Care Choice.

¡Programa una visita este verano, conozca a nuestro personal y descubra qué hace especial a Sacred Heart! Para más información, comuníquese con Paul Fitzpatrick, subdirector de participación (Assistant Principal for Engagement), llamando al (617) 323-2500 o visitando www.sacredheart-boston.org.

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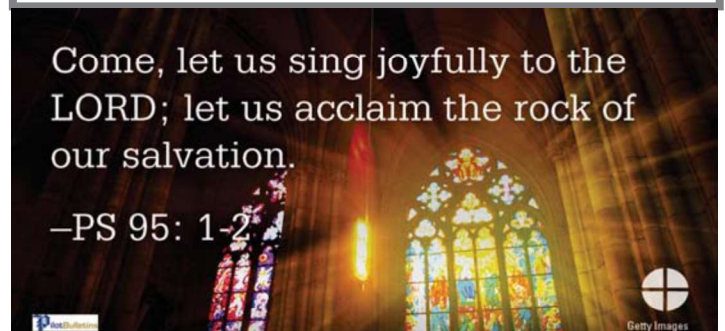
Schedule a summer tour, meet our staff, and see what makes Sacred Heart special! For more information, contact Paul Fitzpatrick, Assistant Principal for Engagement, at (617) 323-2500 or visit www.sacredheart-boston.org.

When we have to reply to anyone who has insulted us, we should be careful to do it always with gentleness. A soft answer extinguishes the fire of wrath.

• St. Alphonsus Liguori •

**Come, let us sing joyfully to the
LORD; let us acclaim the rock of
our salvation.**

—PS 95: 1-2



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PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN CLASS

All adult employees and volunteers who have contact with children must complete Protecting God's Children. The in person, 3 hour training at Sacred Heart Parish is on:

**Sunday, October 4th from 2:00pm—5:00 pm
in the Rectory Library**

*Please be sure to register on the Virtus website:
<https://www.virtusonline.org/>*

Click on "First Time Registrant." Select "Begin the registration process" then "Boston (Archdiocese)" from the drop down menu, followed by a list of all upcoming sessions.

For questions or additional information, please email Krissy Peterson at krissypeterson@gmail.com.

Love
YOUR NEIGHBOR
AS YOURSELF

ROMANS 13:9

Pastor

Here I Am, Lord. I Come to Do Your Will.

Have you noticed how many people it takes to celebrate the Mass? From the eucharistic ministers and lectors to the ushers and greeters, it can take up to 20 people.

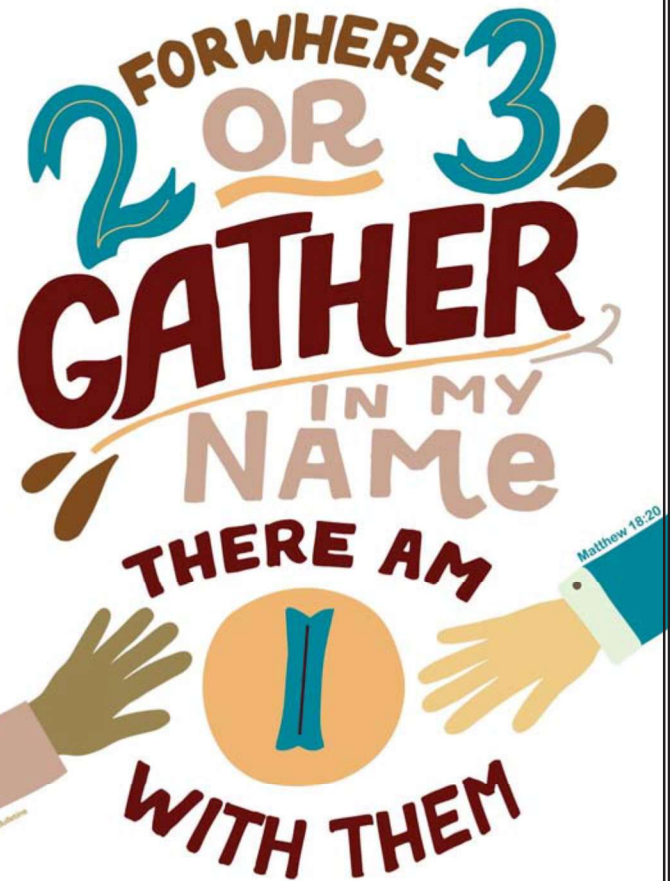


And it can take even more people to put on a parish procession or picnic or teach CCD or help someone get a bus pass.

Did you ever think you could be one of those people, volunteering to serve at a Mass, plan an event, or reach out to a member of the community in need? What is God calling you to do?

The weekend of September 19 and 20, people you attend Mass with each week will be at the back of the church after Masses at 4 pm, 8 am, 10 am and 5:15 pm to answer your questions about parish ministries and organizations and sign up new volunteers.

Join us and find a new and rich connection to Sacred Heart.



Vengan, lancemos vivas al Señor, aclamemos al Dios que nos salva.

-Salmo 94, 1-2

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READINGS, SAINTS, OBSERVANCES 2026	
SUNDAY Sep 6	<i>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20
MONDAY Sep 7	<i>Labor Day</i> 1 Cor 5:1-8/Psalm 5:5-6, 7, 12/Lk 6:6-11
TUESDAY Sep 8	<i>The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Ps 13:6ab, 6c/Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23
WEDNESDAY Sep 9	<i>Saint Peter Claver, Priest</i> 1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17/Lk 6:20-26
THURSDAY Sep 10	1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24/Lk 6:27-38
FRIDAY Sep 11	1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12/Lk 6:39-42
SATURDAY Sep 12	<i>The Most Holy Name of Mary</i> 1 Cor 10:14-22/Ps 116:12-13, 17-18/Lk 6:43-49
SUNDAY Sep 13	<i>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Sir 27:30—28:7/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35

Pilot Bulletins

Mass Intentions

SACRED HEART WEEKLY MASSES

SATURDAY, September 5

8:30 am Nash Henry Clerge *Birthday*
 4:00 pm Dominic & David Musto, Nicola Ballarano & Musto Family
 7:00 pm Hector Chacon *Memorial*

SUNDAY, September 6

8:00 am Sacred Heart Parish
 10:00 am God's Intervention, Deliverance & Peace for Nwanze Fam.
 12:00 pm Maria Fidelina Lopez, Pedro Juan Franceschi *Memorial*
 5:15 pm Devine & Mahoney Deceased Family Members

MONDAY, September 7

8:30 am Patricia Gozzo *Memorial*

TUESDAY, September 8

8:30 am Patricia Gozzo *Memorial*

WEDNESDAY, September 9

8:30 am Noemie Celin *Memorial*
 7:00 pm Hector Chacon *Memorial*

THURSDAY, September 10

8:30 am Marie Marthe Celin *Memorial*

FRIDAY, September 11

8:30 am Patricia Gozzo *Memorial*

SATURDAY, September 12

8:30 am Patricia Gozzo *Memorial*
 4:00 pm Jeanne Tiedemann *Anniversary*
 7:00 pm Sunday Mass: *No Intention*

SUNDAY, September 13

8:00 am Sacred Heart Parish
 10:00 am Patricia Gozzo *Memorial*
 12:00 pm Milagros Del Carmen & Dario Mejia *Memorial*
 5:15 pm Mary Espanet *Memorial*

Parish Finances & Stewardship

SACRED HEART PARISH, ROSLINDALE, MA

Offertory	07/05	07/12	07/19	07/26	08/02
Sunday Offertory	\$6,597	\$6,101	\$4,163	\$4,653	\$4,653
We Share Donations	\$5,606	\$950	\$1,588	\$1,250	\$1,250
One Time Donation				\$48	\$50
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Other Offertory	\$1,128		\$935	\$935	\$502
TOTAL	\$13,331	\$7,051	\$6,686	\$6,887	\$6,455
Budget	\$15,413	\$15,413	\$15,413	\$15,413	\$15,413
Deficit/ Surplus	\$2,082	\$8,362	\$8,726.	\$8,526	\$8,958

SECOND COLLECTIONS TO THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BOSTON

Date	Collection	Amount
03/08/26	Catholic Appeal	\$ 710
03/31/26	Easter Flowers	\$ 2,603
04/03/26	Holy Land Shrines	\$ 2,150
04/05/26	Clergy Benefit Trust (Easter)	\$ 10,329
05/14/26	Solemnity of the Ascension	\$ 4,456
05/15/26	Rice Bowls	\$ 2,671
05/24/26	Seminarians	\$ 1,950

2ND COLLECTION/HOLY DAY OFFERING 2026

04/03/26 Holy Land Shrines // Good Friday
 04/05/26 Easter Collection/Clergy Benefit Trust
 05/14/26 Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord
 05/24/26 Seminarians (Second Collection)
 06/21/26 Promoting the Gospel (Second Collection)
 07/12/26 Holy Father & Apostolic Work (Second Collection)
 08/15/26 Missionary Appeal: Propagation of the Faith (2nd Col)
 09/13/26 CCD Collection (Second Collection)
 09/20/26 Clergy Benefit Trust (Second Collection)
 10/18/26 World Mission Sunday (Second Collection)
 11/01/26 All Saints Day
 11/02/26 All Souls
 11/22/26 Collection for Retired Religious Sisters(2nd Collection)
 12/06/26 Flowers for Christmas (Second Collection)
 12/08/26 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
 12/25/26 Christmas Collection/Clergy Benefit Trust (RCAB Collection)



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As a united family in Christ, our parish has its roots in the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Our diverse parish welcomes all with open arms to celebrate our faith with love, joy, and compassion. Through prayer we strive to work humbly with a great acceptance and understanding of our neighbors and how best to serve those in need. Guided by the Holy Spirit we pray to grow together and live charitably by the Lord's teachings.

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Rev. Brian M. Clary, Pastor
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Susan Carroll

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Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 am, and 5:15 pm in English
12:00 pm in Spanish

Weekday Masses:

Monday through Saturday: 8:30 am in English
Every 4th Tuesday & each Wednesdays at 7:00 pm in Spanish

Penance: Friday after the 8:30 am Mass, Saturday at
3:00 pm and by appointment

Baptism: Call Rectory for arrangements.

Marriage: Call Rectory to speak with one of the priests at
least 6 months before the marriage.

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The Week Ahead Activities

SATURDAY, September 12

Confessions 3:00 pm Lower Church

SUNDAY, September 13

Adult English Choir Rehearsal 9:30 am Upper Church
Spanish Coffee 1:00 pm Murray Room

MONDAY, September 14

Pastoral Parish Council 7:00 pm Murray Room

TUESDAY, September 15

Spanish Prayer Group 6:00 pm Lower Church

WEDNESDAY, September 16

Youth Choir Practice 6:00 pm Murray Room

THURSDAY, September 17

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6:00 pm Lower Church
Spanish Prayer Group Meeting 6:45 pm Murray Room

FRIDAY, September 18

Youth Choir Practice (Spanish) 6:00 pm Murray Room
Adult Choir Practice (Spanish) 7:00 pm Murray Room
Haitian Prayer Group 7:00 pm Lower Church

SATURDAY, September 19

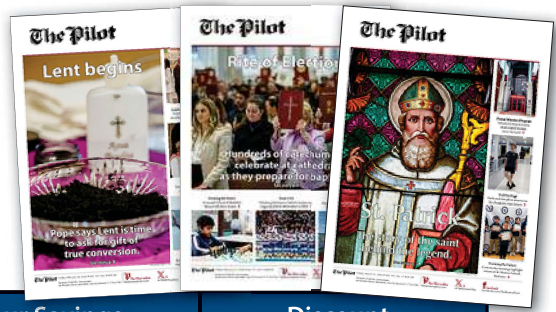
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SUNDAY, September 13

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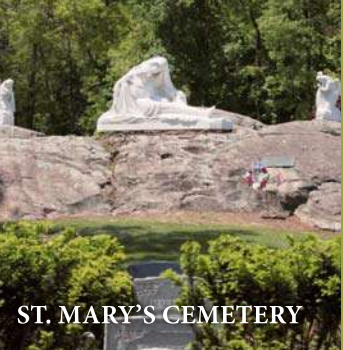
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