



**God's love knows no barriers. St. Pascal's...where all people matter.**

Welcome! We hope you enjoy your time with us. Whether you are just visiting, looking for a parish home or a member of our parish community, it's great to have you with us. Whatever your life circumstances, wherever you have been or whatever has happened in your life, you are welcome here.

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**NOVEMBER 02, 2025 | ALL SOULS' DAY**

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## **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday – Friday from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

A graphic for the Commemoration of Our Faithful Departed. It features a background image of a field of tall, white, feathery grasses in the foreground, with a line of trees and a sunset or sunrise sky in shades of blue, purple, and orange in the background. The text "Commemoration" is in a large, elegant, purple script font, and "OF OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED" is in a smaller, purple, sans-serif font below it.

## *Commemoration* OF OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Jeanette Teeters

Mary Ann Bruno

Joan Randall

Kathleen Ann Jarosch

Mary Hawkins

Barb Rosengren

Ronald James Snyder

Ken LaBrasseur

Jutta Koegler

Marine Ione Kordosky

Irene A. Quinn

Mary Louise Berg

Gloria Jean Gilbert

Franklin Andress

Jane Kiemen

James Joseph Frascione

Mary Ann Wesley

Shirley Smith

LaVerne T. Fleischhacker

Estherann "Dode" Olsen

Eileen Marie Brown

Mary Sikorski

Nicholas W. Jelinek

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## **Mass Times**

Saturday 4:30 PM | Sunday 8:45 & 10:30 AM (ASL) | Tuesday through Friday 8:00 AM

1757 Conway Street | Saint Paul, Minnesota 55106 | 651.774.1585

www.stpascals.org | church@stpascals.org

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

We tracked our weekend Mass attendance during October for statistical reports sent annually to the Holy See (Vatican) and the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Here are the results:

October Weekend Mass attendance	Saturday 4:30pm	Sunday 8:45am	Sunday 10:30am	Total
October 4-5, 2025	171	126	168	465
October 11-12, 2025	128	172	131	431
October 18-19, 2025	131	185	156	472
October 25-26, 2025	129	162	196	487
Average 2025	140	161	163	464

October Weekend Mass attendance	Saturday 4:30pm	Sunday 8:45am	Sunday 10:30am	Total
2019 average	157	223	199	579
2020 average	75	64	55	194
2021 average	126	149	129	404
2022 average	114	154	129	397
2023 average	116	161	146	423
2024 average	137	156	160	453
2025 average	140	161	163	464

The following topics were discussed at the October 21, 2025, meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council: Merrick Food Distribution: Merrick Community Services requested additional funds from our parish to support our monthly food distribution. Currently, our parish contributes \$400, and Merrick contributes \$600, for a total monthly cost of \$1000. The parish council recommended that we fund the additional \$600 per month for the remainder of this fiscal year from the Family Emergency Reserve Fund. Ideas for future funding include food distribution donations and fundraising. Parish Financials: The Parish Fall Festival on September 28 was a success. The initial estimate of financial profit is \$24,650. Sunday collections in September were below budgeted income, and October collections were above projected income. Parish Facilities: the boiler was recently turned on and the heating season has begun. New parishioner orientation and welcome will take place on Sunday, May 17 and October 18, 2026. Updates from liaisons to parish groups and committees: Parish Activities Committee: Pumpkin Bingo will be on October 24. Liturgy/Choir: the choir season began September 10, and new liturgical ministers are coming forth and will be trained. Archdiocesan Synod Implementation: Small groups are up and running, and the Reclaiming Sunday as a Day for the Lord and Family guide with monthly ideas are included as a bulletin insert and in the Gathering Space kiosk. Social Justice and Caring Committee: The We Care campaign in June collected \$4000+ to benefit Second Harvest, Bridging and Youthprise nutrition program. Women's Club: 55 people attended the wine and cheese event on October 14 for all parishioners in an informal atmosphere for adults and children with conversation, games and prizes. Men's Club: The Booya Sale went well on October 12. The next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council is December 9, 2025.

God Bless You,  
Father John Mitchell

## — SOCIAL JUSTICE & CARING —

### Donation Closet

#### November: Joseph's Coat

Joseph's Coat is a free store providing goods and services to those in need, within an environment of dignity and respect. The organization offers essential support to marginalized members of our community.

The following NEW or GENTLY USED & CLEAN items are being collected for Joseph's Coat:

- Hats
- Mittens and Gloves
- Scarves
- Blankets
- Men's and Women's Coats (XL and XXL)

### Emergency Food Drive

Due to SNAP benefits not being paid in November and the burden then falling to food shelves, this month we will also be collecting for Fishes and Loaves food distribution at Progressive Baptist and the Merrick distribution at St. Pascal's. While any food items are welcome, we are especially in need of:

- Canned Meat (tuna, chicken, beef)
- Canned Vegetables
- Canned Fruit

Items will be collected through November 30.

### Plastic Bags Needed

Do you have plastic grocery bags lying around? Consider bringing them to church! A lot of bags are needed for our monthly Merrick Food Distribution and the weekly food distribution at Progressive Baptist Church. Bags can be placed in the donation closet. Thank you!

### Weekly Rosary

Every Wednesday at 8:30 AM in the church

The gentle repetition in the Rosary is meant to lead one into restful and contemplative prayer related to each Mystery—and to help us to enter into the silence of our hearts, where Christ's spirit dwells. Join us to pray the Rosary together. All are welcome!

### Anointing or Pastoral Visit?

If you or someone you know would like to be anointed or have a pastoral visit please contact Barb Uschold Anderson at [barb.ua@stpascals.org](mailto:barb.ua@stpascals.org) or 651.432.4959 and we'll set up a time.

## — BAPTIZED IN CHRIST —

We welcome into our community of faith...

*Delilah Ann Benson*  
child of Travis and Emily

who was recently baptized in our church.  
May God bless this household of faith.

## — ST. PASCAL REGIONAL —

### AN ASCENSION CATHOLIC ACADEMY SCHOOL

#### Honoring Faith, Family, and Heritage

St. Pascal Regional Catholic School is proudly participating in the Día de Muertos Ofrenda Contest, organized by CSCOE! An ofrenda is a traditional altar decorated with candles, flowers, religious images, and photos of loved ones who have passed away. This project is a special way to celebrate faith, tradition, and community while honoring our loved ones with reverence and respect. Scholars have been working in art class to prepare decorations, and families have joined in by sharing photos, names and items to honor their loved ones. Like our post on Facebook to help us win \$1,000 in the contest. Thank you for your support!

#### We're Hiring—Join our mission!

We are hiring a year-round lead Early Childhood teacher for our growing program. Our school is rooted in faith, compassion and deep commitment to nurture every child's potential. You'll work alongside talented, caring colleagues who support each other and celebrate growth, both big and small. Plus, you'll have opportunities for ongoing professional development, a welcoming workplace culture, and the chance to genuinely make a difference every single day. We offer benefits, generous time off and competitive pay. Questions can be directed to Kay Hannon at 612.424.6217.

#### Parking Lot Safety

Please note that both driveways going into the church parking lot from Flandrau Street and the driving lane near the dumpsters are chained off during school recess from 10:50-11:40 AM to keep the school children safe while playing at recess.

Parking is available near Door 5 (entering off Third Street), in the Conway lot, or on the street during that 50-minute period. Parking in the regular lot WILL be available for funerals and parish events.

If you have questions, please call the school office at 651.776.0092. Thank you for helping us keep our children safe.

#### Men's Club Turkey Bingo—Friday, November 14 in Brioschi Hall Social at 6:30 PM | Bingo at 7:00 PM

All parishioners, families, and friends aged 18 and older are invited to attend.

We will be playing bingo for turkeys and cash prizes. The always-popular fried tacos will be served again this year. Beverages will be available.

Registration is requested to ensure we prepare the correct quantity of tacos.

Please sign up using the convenient SignUp Genius link at [stpascals.org](https://stpascals.org) or call the parish office at 651.774.1585.

## — AROUND THE PARISH —

#### The St. Pascal Women's Book Club

Monday, November 10 at 2:00 & 7:00 PM

The St. Pascal Women's Book Club meets in the Staff Lounge on the 2nd Monday of each month. Take your pick which time to attend each month—feel free to bounce back and forth even! This month, we will share Percival Everett's *James*.

Next month, on December 8, we'll host the annual Women's Book Salon Holiday Gathering and share our thoughts about the mystery classic *Hercule Poirot's Christmas* by Agatha Christie. Join us!

#### Women's Club Holiday Boutique

Get a jump start on your Holiday shopping at the St. Pascal's pre-Black Friday Holiday Boutique the weekend of November 21-22. Select treasures from the Festival Craft and Jewelry Boutiques along with new items and seasonal favorites.

*All proceeds go to St. Pascal Baylon Church.*

## — AROUND THE COMMUNITY —

#### Vatican Unveiled

In celebration of the 175th anniversary of the Catholic Church in Minnesota, the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis is hosting Vatican Unveiled, an exhibit of the largest collection of papal artifacts outside of Rome. This unique, historical collection will be hosted daily at Mall of America from January 10 – February 1, 2026. Some of the items will include a document with the second oldest papal signature outside of the Vatican and a Swiss Guard uniform from the time of Pius X so rare that the Swiss Guard asked to borrow it for their own exhibit. The 19,000 square foot exhibit is open and welcoming to all, as people will experience interesting historical perspectives, artistic items with old-world craftsmanship, and papal artifacts that show the humanity behind the leaders.

For more information or to get on the list to be notified when pre-sale exhibit tickets are available for purchase, go to [www.archspm.org/vaticanunveiled](https://www.archspm.org/vaticanunveiled).

## C O N T A C T U S

#### Parish Office

Phone 651.774.1585  
Email [church@stpascals.org](mailto:church@stpascals.org)

*For after-hours pastoral emergency (death, dying or anointing), call 651.774.1585 and dial 1.*

#### Parish Office Hours

Mon-Fri 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
*Holidays as announced*

#### St. Pascal Regional Catholic School

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#### School Office Hours

Mon-Fri 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM

#### Parish Councils

##### Parish Pastoral Council

Meetings 1st Tuesday at 6:30 PM  
*Anne Weyandt, Chair*

##### Parish Finance Council

Meetings 4th Thursday at 4:30 PM  
*Mike Aeling, Chair*

#### Sacramental Information

##### Reconciliation

Saturday from 3:45-4:15 PM  
or contact Fr. John in the parish office.  
*Communal celebrations as announced*

##### Baptism

One pre-baptismal session is required.  
To register for a pre-baptismal session or to schedule a celebration, call the parish office.

##### Marriage

Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least six months in advance of the desired date.

#### Parish Prayer Line

Mary Butler-Levine 651.735.0004

#### Parish Communication

##### Bulletin Notices

Due 5:00 PM Monday  
[thea.munoz@stpascals.org](mailto:thea.munoz@stpascals.org)

##### Mass Announcements

Due 12:00 PM Tuesday  
[keri.mader@stpascals.org](mailto:keri.mader@stpascals.org)

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**Mass Times & Intentions****Readings**

November 02, 2025

**Tuesday, November 04**

8:00 AM + Cisilio Baralbar

**Wednesday, November 05**

8:00 AM The people of the parish

**Thursday, November 06**

8:00 AM The people of the parish

**Friday, November 07**

8:00 AM Men's Club

**Saturday, November 08**

4:30 PM The people of the parish

**Sunday, November 09**

8:45 AM + Irene Quinn

10:30 AM Jacqueline Cowden

**Sunday:***All Souls Day*

Wis 3:1-9

Ps 23:1-6

Rom 5:5-11

Jn 6:37-40

**Monday:**Rom 11:29-36  
Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36

Lk 14:12-14

**Tuesday:**

Rom 12:5-16b

Ps 131:1b-3

Lk 14:15-24

**Wednesday:**Rom 13:8-10  
Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9  
Lk 14:25-33**Thursday:**Rom 14:7-12  
Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14  
Lk 15:1-10**Friday:**Rom 15:14-21  
Ps 98:1-4  
Lk 16:1-8**Saturday:**Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27  
Ps 145:2-5, 10-11  
Lk 16:9-15**Next Sunday:**Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12  
Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9  
1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17  
Jn 2:13-22**THE WEEKS AHEAD****Sunday, November 2—Remembrance Weekend**After Masses Veterans Dinner Ticket Sales: Gathering Space  
11:30am Confirmation II: Staff Lounge  
4:00pm Remembrance Evening Prayer: Church**Monday, November 3**11:00am Blood Drive: Brioschi Hall  
6:30pm Boy Scouts: Old Church**Tuesday, November 4**

No scheduled events

**Wednesday, November 5**8:30am Rosary: Church  
6:30pm Choir: Church  
6:30pm Faith Formation: Campus**Thursday, November 6**6:30pm SJCC: Zoom  
7:00pm Men's Club Board Meeting: Brioschi Hall  
7:00pm Spirit Song Rehearsal: Church**Friday, November 7**

8:30am First Friday Social: Brioschi Hall

**Saturday, November 8**

4:30pm Fire Drill at Mass: Church

**Sunday, November 9**8:45am Fire Drill at Mass: Church  
10:30am Fire Drill at Mass: Church**Monday, November 10**8:00am Veterans Dinner Setup: Brioschi Hall  
2:00pm Women's Book Club: Staff Lounge  
6:30pm Boy Scouts: Old Church  
7:00pm Women's Book Club: Staff Lounge**Tuesday, November 11—Veterans Day**8:00am Veterans Dinner Setup: Brioschi Hall, Kitchen  
5:00pm Veterans Day Prayer Service & Dinner: Church, Brioschi Hall**Wednesday, November 12**8:30am Rosary: Church  
6:30pm Choir: Church  
6:30pm Faith Formation: Campus**Thursday, November 13**

7:00pm Spirit Song Rehearsal: Church

**Friday, November 14**3:00pm Turkey Bingo Setup: Brioschi Hall, Kitchen  
7:00pm Men's Club Turkey Bingo: Brioschi Hall, Kitchen**Saturday, November 15**9:00am Men's Club Tree Shed Setup: Conway Lot  
After Mass Fellowship: Brioschi Hall  
After Mass Women's Club Craft Exchange: Brioschi Hall**Sunday, November 16**After Masses Fellowship: Brioschi Hall  
After Masses Women's Club Craft Exchange: Brioschi Hall**Use Your Smartphone to Make a Donation to St. Pascal's!**

1. Scan this QR code.
2. Open the secure link and follow the prompts.
3. Thank you!

**Stewardship of Giving: September 2025***Reconciled Financials for Fiscal Year July 1, 2025-June 30, 2026***Sunday Giving**

Giving	\$ 74,475.57	YTD Giving	\$ 199,656.56
Budgeted	\$ <u>66,675.06</u>	YTD Budgeted	\$ <u>200,546.18</u>
+/-	\$ + 7,800.51	YTD +/-	\$ - 889.62

**Mortgage Reduction (as of 06.30.2025)**

Loan Balance:	\$ 2,304,652.23
Principal:	\$ 4,480.38
Interest:	\$ <u>14,196.76</u>
Monthly Payment:	\$ 18,677.14

Collected Donations:	\$ 77,889.92
Payment:	\$ 56,031.42
+/-	\$ +21,858.50
Reserve Acct. Balance:	\$ 88,785.04

# of payments in Rsv: 5

**Thank you for your support!****First Friday Social**

Join us Friday morning, November 7, following the 8:00 AM Mass for First Friday Social. Share a cup of coffee (regular or decaf), a treat, and conversation with other St. Pascal's parishioners. Good for the soul!