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Rev. Mario P. Farana, Pastor

Noe Valley Parishes

St. Paul's Catholic Church

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Vigil Mass

Sunday: 8:00 and 9:15 a.m.

Coffee & Donuts following 9:15 Mass

Holy Days: 8:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Daily Mass and Devotions

Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. in the Chapel

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 – 4:15 p.m. or by appointment

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Diane Costa, Pianist

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Grades Kindergarten through 8th Grade

Saturdays: 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

September - May

Confirmation Preparation for High School Teens

Tuesdays 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. in Chapel

Baptismal Catechesis Class - by appointment only

in English on the first Wednesday of the month

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, program runs September through May

Marriage Preparation, contact Fr. Mario Farana at least six (6) months in advance



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Parochial Vicar

Deacon Bill McLoughlin

Rev. Joseph Bradley,

In Residence St. Paul's

Rev. Ulysses D'Aquila,

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St. Paul's Elementary School

Kindergarten through Eighth-Grade

David Gallagher, Principal

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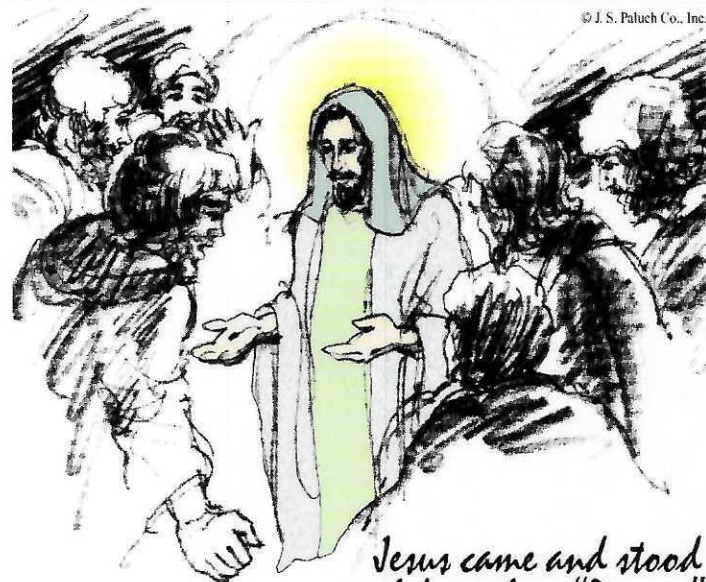
www.stpaulschool.org

St. Paul's: Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow + serving Noe Valley over 140 years

April 24th Second Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)

DIFFICULTY, SURVIVAL, AND GLORY

In Revelation, John the Evangelist tells us what we can expect as followers of the risen Jesus: distress, endurance, and a kingdom. Although we are only eight days into our fifty-day Easter feasting, we cannot ignore the distress weighing down our daily lives. Jesus' resurrection does not erase individual suffering, but his glorious triumph over death cultivates endurance in our hearts. We remember that Jesus did not spare himself, and we ask for the strength to endure as he did. Imitating Christ helps us grow as members of God's royal family. As beloved citizens of the Kingdom of God, we recognize our kinship with all people. Peter demonstrates his care for others as he heals multitudes of broken, suffering people. In the Gospel, Thomas accepts his own spiritual healing when Jesus helps him to believe. In times of difficulty, survival, and glory, we borrow Thomas' declaration of faith: "My Lord and my God!"



*Jesus came and stood
before them. "Peace..."*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17;
Mk 16:15-20
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36
Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15
Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19;
Jn 6:16-21
Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13;
Rv 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

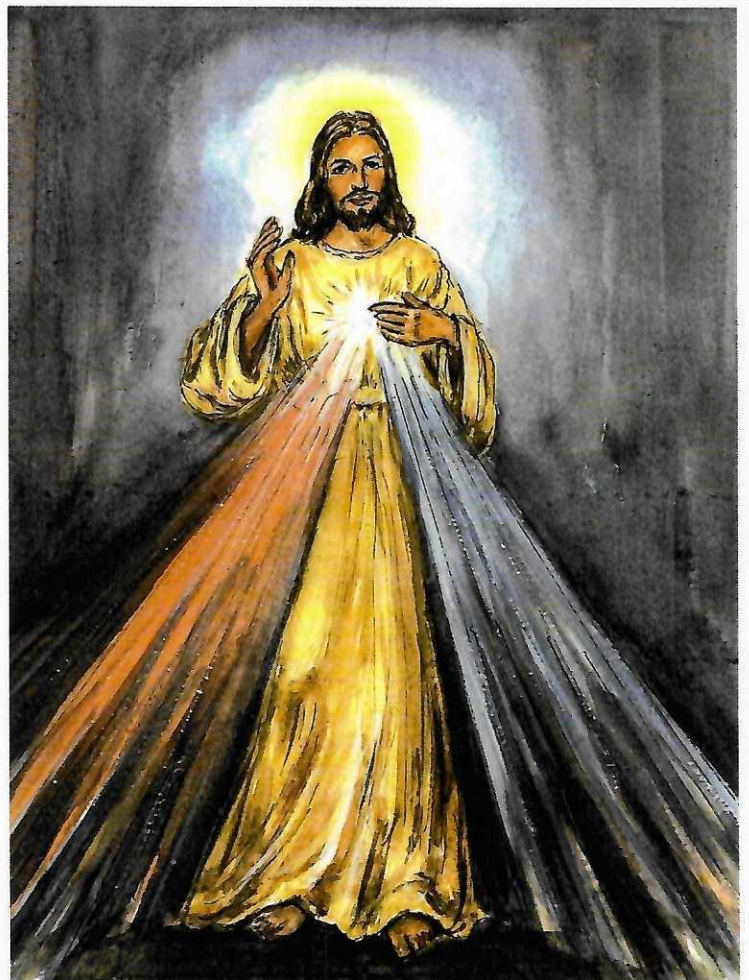
PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Second Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)

God of everlasting mercy,
who in the very recurrence of the paschal feast
kindle the faith of the people you have made your own,
increase, we pray, the grace you have bestowed,
that all may grasp and rightly understand
in what font they have been washed,
by whose Spirit they have been reborn,
by whose Blood they have been redeemed.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

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For those who have participated in an abortion
and feel they have committed an unforgiveable sin:
May they come to know the Lord's limitless mercy,
and turn to Him for forgiveness and healing; *We pray to the Lord:*



Calendar of the Week

Monday	April 25 th .	
Tuesday:	April 26 th .	Confirmation Class 7pm—Cancelled
Wednesday	April 27 th .	
Thursday:	April 28 th .	
Friday:	April 29 th .	
Saturday:	April 30 th .	CCD – 9:30am to 11am
Sunday:	May 1 st .	Coffee and Donuts following 9:15am mass

ST. PAUL'S THANKSGIVING RESPONSE TO GOD THIS PAST WEEK

Weekly Collection April 17 th . Easter Collection	\$ 24,099.85
Good Friday – Holy Land Collection	\$ 695.00
E-Contributions for March 2022	\$ 10,757.00
2022 Annual Appeal Goal	\$ 83,431.00
Collected as of March 20, 2022,	\$ 6,759.00
Balance Still Remaining for the 2022 Appeal	\$ 76,672.00

St. Paul's big GALA DINNER-DANCE & AUCTION returns on Saturday, May 14! The Gala is our primary fun- and fund-raising social event to support key projects in both the parish and school. This year's Gala adapts the theme of San Francisco's springtime multicultural "**CARNAVAL**" and is a celebration of the diversity and resilience of our community. We mailed out printed invitations, but the FASTEST way to RSVP is to go online to see details, buy dinner tickets, and preview the Auction Catalog. Get the CARNAVAL website in today's bulletin or check the announcements board in front of the church!

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

Congratulations to Shannon Chang and Tim Ogburn
For coming into full Communion

Mother's Day Cards are available for Mary's Altar. This is a nice way to honor our Mother's

Carol Warner

A Memorial Mass will be held for Carol Warner
Friday May 6th at 10:30am in St. Paul's Church

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who came and helped with the cleaning and decorating of the Church for our Easter Services. The Church looked beautiful. Thank you also to the Altar Society for the delicious lunch they prepared for us, it is always so appreciated.

Thank you to all who helped set up for the reception following the Easter Vigil

St. Paul's Catholic Elementary School

St. Paul's Elementary School is now accepting applications for the 2022-2023 school year for grades Kindergarten through 7th Grade. If you know of anyone looking for a new school, please send them our way. Application packets can be found on the school website at www.stpaulsf.org or call the school at 415-648-2055 for more information.

Why Send you child to a Catholic School?

They get a great education, and they have religion every day.

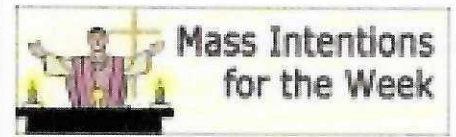
Please pray for those who are sick and those who have died in our Parish Family.

Sick: Stephanie Gordon-Rugg, Danny Manoos, Laura Crotty, Marang Virar, Leslie McLoughlin, Lilia Cardenas, Fr. Bill McCain

We Pray for our loved ones who have died.

Deceased: Jim Deignan, Rachel Aviles

The breaking bread books are now back on the shelves in the vestibules. Please return your books at the end of mass to the book shelves. Thank you.



Saturday Mass 4:30pm

Jeanette Affolter

Sunday Mass 8:00 am

Margaret and Jack Kotlanger (D)

Rev. Michael Kotlanger (D)

Amulio & Paolina Petrini (D)

Sunday Mass 9:30 am

Winifred and Eugene King (D)

Fr. Michael Kotlanger (D)

Margaret & Jack Kotlanger (D)

Ramona Ocambo (D)

Monday 8:30 am

Marie Doherty (D)

Tuesday 8:30 am

People of St. Paul's (L&D)

Wednesday 8:30 am

Ricardo Cortez (D)

Thursday 8:30am

People of St. Paul's (L&D)

Friday 8:30am

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Saturday AM prayer service 8:30am

Saturday Mass 4:30pm

Eduardo Escobar(D)

Jose Pilar Marquez (D)

Sunday Mass 8:00 am

Altar Society (L&D)

Sunday Mass 9:30 am

Lucy Vigna (D)

James Deignan (D)



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St Paul's CARNAVAL

Saturday, May 14, 2022

Cocktails & Silent Auction • 5 pm

Dinner & Live Auction • 7 pm

Entertainment & Dancing

BROTHERHOOD MASONIC CENTER

855 Brotherhood Way, San Francisco

Benefiting

St Paul's Parish & St Paul's School



RSVP online at stpaulsf.org/CARNAVAL2022

Our Gala Dinner-Dance & Auction adapts the multicultural springtime theme of San Francisco CARNAVAL!

It's the premier fun- and fund-raising event for St. Paul's Parish and School.

Here are three great ways that you can participate and build another successful Gala.

Attend

Printed invitations will be mailed soon – but you can RSVP and signup online NOW.

stpaulsf.org/CARNAVAL2022



What if you cannot attend? Buy a "CARNAVAL-at-Home" gift basket and virtually join the celebration!

Contribute / Donate

Contribute online to help meet our "Fund-a-Dream" goals, or buy raffle tickets.

Donate items for our silent and live auctions. People love:

- Sports and theatre tickets
- Gift cards
- Restaurant certificates
- Vacation getaway cabins

You can enter donations as well through the event website. Got an idea? Send it to auction@stpaulsf.net

Volunteer

Share your time and talent to help organize or carry out event tasks.

Perhaps you can:

- Help with decorations, from securing thematic items now to building balloon arches onsite
- Run the computers at event check-in/out
- Sell raffle tickets on May 14

Ready to help? Send your contact details to auction@stpaulsf.net

Gala co-chairs: Joseph Heinen (parish), Michelle Gaggero-Chamorro (school)