

St. Paul the Apostle

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Pastoral Council Meeting: Meetings are open to all parishioners and announced as scheduled.

Altar Rosary Society: Meetings are open to all parishioners and are held on the second Sunday after the 8:30 Mass in September, through May in Room A.

Knights of Columbus Council 8170: Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00PM in the Parish Hall.

Legion of Mary: Meetings are held on Mondays at 5:00PM in Room "A".

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court #2692: First Tuesday of each month 6:00PM in the Parish Hall.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Contact the Parish Office. Baptisms will be on the first and last Sunday of the month after the 11:00AM Mass. Parents must be registered parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle. The child's birth certificate is required. No Baptisms during Advent and Lenten season.

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE: By appointment only and with notice of six months before the desired date of marriage. Weddings may take place on weekdays at any time and on Saturdays no later then 2:00 PM.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Anytime on request.

Weekday Masses

First Saturday - 8:00 AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday - 8:00AM Wednesdays, First Fridays and Holy Days - 7:00PM **Saturday Vigil Mass:** 5:00PM **Sunday Masses:** 8:30 AM, 11:00AM and 6:00PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confessions):

Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:30 PM, Wednesdays, First Fridays and Eve of Holy Day from 6:00 to 6:45PM and also by appointment.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL:

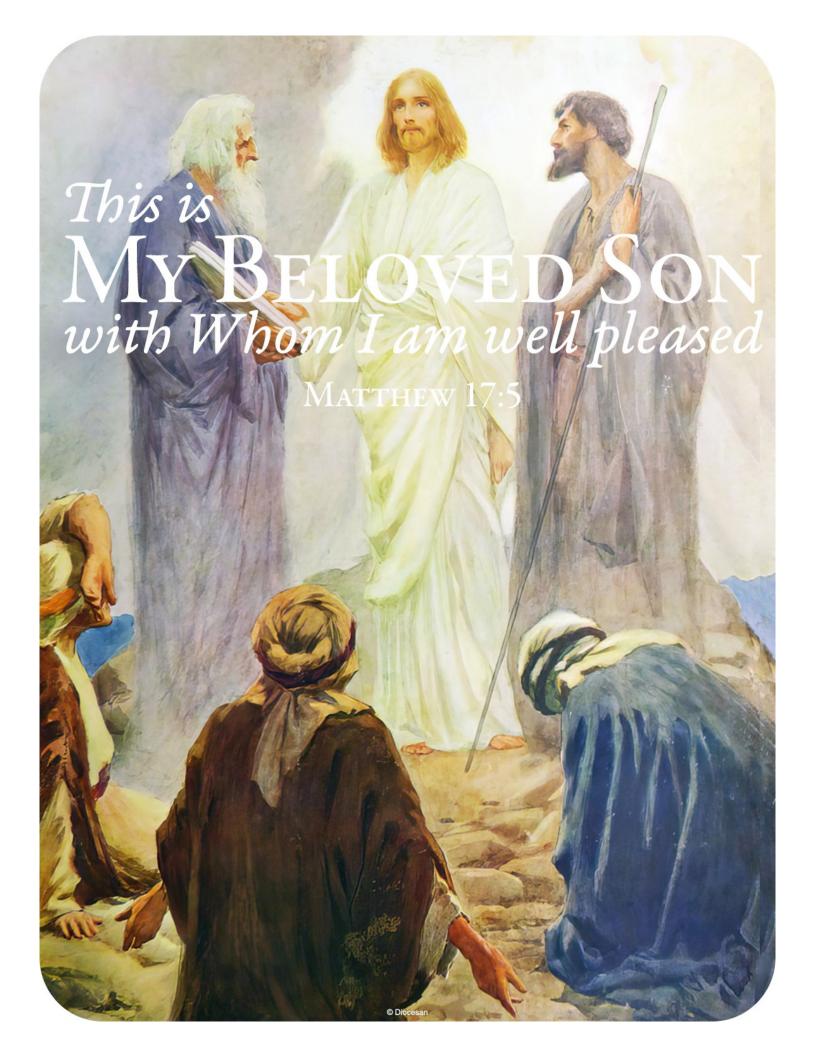
Monday through Friday - 9:00AM - 5:00PM

If you wish to sign up for a particular hour to visit with Jesus every week, please call the Parish Office at 361-937-3864

OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Thursday 9:00AM - 5:00PM & Friday 9:00AM to 12 noon.

BULLETIN E-MAIL:Office@stpaultheapostlecc.com Deadline - Tuesday at Noon

REGISTRATION FOR NEW PARISHIONERS: We warmly welcome new parishioners and visitors. If you have any questions about our Parish feel free to call the Rectory Office during working hours. New parishioners please register at the Church Office or Online. Anyone who moves out of the parish, or has a change of address, please let us know.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday August 4: St John Vianney, Priest

8:00 AM Zamora Family ~ Family

<u>Tuesday August 5: The Dedication of the Basilica of</u> St Mary Major

8:00 AM Lupe Burns ~ Family

Wednesday August 6: The Transfiguration of the Lord

7:00 PM † Bill Armstrong, † Belva Armstrong, † Stosh Wondolowski, † Ernest Poore, † Romeo Nillo, † Neil Nillo, † Luz Garcia, † Santos Gomez, † Dalia P. Garcia, † Esperanza Saenz, † Panfila Villegas, † Gloria Beatty † Suk Hi Jun

† All Souls in Purgatory

Healing: Max Borgmeyer, Gilberto Rodriguez Jr.

General: George Finan Jr ~ Family

Thursday August 7: St Sixtus, Pope and Companions,

Martyrs; Saint Cajetan, Priest 8:00 AM Zamora Family~ Family

Friday August 8: Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of Church

8:00 AM Lupe Burns ~ Family

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday August 9:

5:00 PM † Cyndy DeLeon ~ Family

Sunday August 10:

8:30 AM † Teresita Dimalanta

11:00 AM Parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle

Ministers of the Altar

Saturday 5:00PM August 9

Lector: K Maraist

EMs D Haag & T Borgmeyer Sunday 8:30AM August 10

Lector: P Rowe

EMs: O Herrera & P Martinez
Sunday 11:00AM August 10

Lector: S Balbin

EMs: R & G Escamilla

Sunday 6:00 PM August 10

Lector: B Alonzo EMs: C & O Flores

Homebound: N Gonzales & Sr Araceli





Prayer to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

O Immaculate Heart of Mary

Heavenly beauty and splendor of the Father, You are the most valued Heavenly treasure. New Eve, immaculate in soul, spirit and body, Created of the godly seed by the Spirit of God, You are the spiritual Mother of mankind. Pure Virgin, full of grace then and now, Your whole being was raised Heavenly in full glory, To be elevated above all the hosts within the Kingdom of God. O Heavenly Mother, Queen of Heaven and earth, I recognize the glory of your highest title, The Immaculate Heart of Mary! Loving Mother, dispenser of endless blessings, You who continuously intercedes on our behalf, Please present my need before your loving Son Jesus. In your own words, make your special request here. Do not just mention a word. Speak to the Immaculate Heart of Mary as you would speak to another person, begging your Heavenly Mother to plea to Jesus on your behalf, that you be granted this special request. O Immaculate Heart of Mary, I know that you are now presenting my need before Jesus, For you have never turned away those in dire need. Mother dearest, I await your favorable answer, Submitting myself to the Divine will of the Lord, For all glories are His forever and ever.

Monday Evening Devotions

Holy Hour with Praise, Music, Adoration and Benediction. Come tell the Lord all your worries ask for his help with them. You may also want to say prayers for your loved ones and friends and don't forget to also

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All religious education classes begin September 7, 2025.
All classes will be on Sunday mornings.

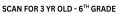
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (3 yr. old (potty trained) - 6^{th} grade) - 9:00 am - 10:45 am OCIA (children and teens) - 9:00 am - 10:45 am Middle School (7^{th} and 8^{th} grade) - 9:30 am - 11:00 am Confirmation (high school) - 9:00 am - 10:45 am

Registration cost \$40/ child per program \$75 max per family per program. Prices increase September 1, 2025. Class spaces are limited.

Register online at stpaultheapostlecc.com or register in person in the religious education building FMI Kayla Davila 36-937-5875; dre@stpaultheapostlecc.com









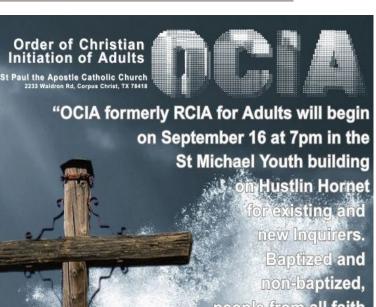
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SCAN FOR CONFIRMATION



people from all faith backgrounds, fallen-away Catholics or Catholics who have not completed their Sacraments of Initiation are welcome to join. Come to this Get Acquainted Gathering for more information and God Bless."



St Paul's Traveling Vocation Chalice

The Traveling Vocation Chalice will be available to travel from home to home for one-week intervals. During that week the host family will be asked to make a special effort to pray together with emphasis on an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life, as well as a clear understanding as to the vocation Christ is calling each family member. A binder of prayers will accompany the chalice. Sign-up sheet is available

after all Masses.





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Christus Spohn Care Van for Women's OB And Gynecological Services

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Will next be here at St. Paul's on August 19th and
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The Mission of Mercy Medical Center

2421 Ayers Street
Provides medical care for the uninsured.
Call 361-883-5500 Monday thru Friday
From 9:00AM to 5:00PM to make an appointment

SAFE ENVIRONMENT THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING

As we start a new year, and you are a new Volunteer or in a Ministry at St Paul's please ask about our safe environment trainings.

This training is required for all volunteers from the Diocese of Corpus Christi and will stay valid for 3 years. The training can be done online.

link is below.

If unable to do online contact: Denise Campbell via email: mdcamp52@gmail.com



Catholic Daughters of America

How to join Catholic Daughters? Attend a meeting or event and, of course pray for guidance. If and when the time is right, join. Membership is open to Catholic women ages 18 and older who love and support the Church. Together, lets live our Motto of "Unity and Charity by serving our community through faith and fellowship". For more information about joining please call or text Belia Mora 361-765-6576

Mary Our Patroness, "Pray for Us."

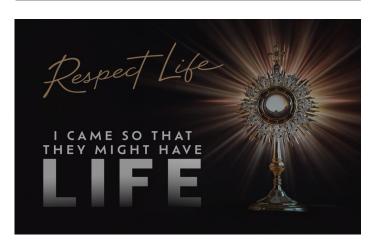


Knights of Columbus Council #8170

<>< Welcome Father Tomasz Kozub as our new Pastor. May the Holy Spirit be with Father as he shepherds St Paul's. God bless.

- <>< August 2; Family Movie night; sunset after Saturday Mass.
- <>< Tuesday, August 5 at 6:30PM, Knights Officer meeting.
- <>< Tuesday, August 12 at 7:00PM, Knights meeting, Rosary before at 6:30PM.
- <>< October 4 Parish trip to Valley Shrine.

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Matthew 5:3



Sunday Offering:

"Think of what is above, not of what is on earth." Colossians 3:2

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Stewardship of Treasure July 27, 2025

Online/Mail-in: Total (Thank You) Total Attendance:	\$ 1,761.00 \$ 6,807.30 666		
Saturday 5:00PM	175	\$	916.00
Sunday 8:30 AM	155	\$	1,692.00
Sunday 11:00 AM	210	\$	1,242.00
Sunday 6:00 PM	126	\$	1,028.30
<u>Children</u>		\$	168.00

Thank you for sharing your time with us.

In the month of **July** a portion of your tithes will go to help aid Timon's Ministries, Mission of Mercy Clinic and St Paul's Works of Mercy, Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa

Prayer to Avert Storms and Hurricanes

O GOD, MASTER OF THIS PASSING WORLD HEAR THE HUMBLE VOICES OF YOUR CHILDREN. THE SEA OF GALILEE OBEYED YOUR ORDER AND RETURNED TO ITS FORMER QUIETUDE. WE LIVE IN THE

SHADOW OF THE GULF OF MEXICO, A

DANGER OVER WHICH WE HAVE NO
CONTROL. O LOVING FATHER, SPARE US

FROM STORMS AND HURRICANES THAT
THREATEN US AND TURN OUR FEAR OF
YOUR POWER INTO PRAISE OF YOUR
GOODNESS. GRANT THIS THROUGH OUR
LORD JESUS CHRIST, YOUR SON, WHO LIVES
AND REIGNS WITH YOU AND THE HOLY
SPIRIT, GOD FOREVER AND EVER. AMEN

Diocese of Corpus Christi Bishop Stewardship Appeal 2025



Bishop's Stewardship Appeal Goal: Appeal \$ 33,474.00 Pledge Amount \$ 24,102.00 Paid \$ 19,627.00. Your participation is a blessing for our Church and Diocese. Together we share the joy of having made our goal to support the ministries funded by your pledge to the Bishop's Stewardship Appeal.

Do Your Share for Our Parish

We are in partnership with St. Peter's by the Sea UMC and Lord of Life Lutheran Church to distribute food monthly through the Coastal Bend Food Bank to households in Flour Bluff. Volunteers are needed to help with the distribution which takes place at St. Peter's by the Sea. Sign up sheets are on the table in the vestibule.

Volunteer to help if you can.

The next food distribution date will take place August 14th from 3:30 to 5:30 PM. Distribution days are the 2nd Thursday of each month at St Peter's by the Sea UMC.

Finance Corner

Word of Appreciation

Your continued support through out the year helps our parish greatly. Our parish is open seven days a week and serves many people in the area with our prayers and through our Works of Mercy. To those who are homebound, keep us informed of your needs. Your gifts are greatly appreciated.

Thank you and God Bless



The Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord August 6

"O God, who in the glorious
Transfiguration of your Only Begotten Son
confirmed the mysteries of faith
by the witness of the Fathers
and wonderfully prefigured
our full adoption to sonship,
grant, we pray, to your servants, that,
listening to the voice of your beloved Son,
we may merit to become co-heirs with him.
Who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever."

Scripture Readings For the Week of August 3, 2025

Sunday Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and

17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

Monday Memorial of Saint John Vianney, Priest

Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17;

Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday The Dedication of the Basilica of

St. Mary Major

Nm 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13,

Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2

Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

Thursday St Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs;

Saint Cajetan, Priest

Nm 20: 1-13; Ps 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9, Mt 16:13-23

Friday St. Dominic, Priest

Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21;

Mt 16:24-28

Saturday St Theresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin

and Martyr

Dt 6: 4-13; Ps 18: 2-3a, 3bc-4, 47 and 51;

Mt 17:14-20

Sunday Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-

2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-48 or

Lk 12:35-40

Flour Bluff Catholic Charities

As summer rolls around our pantry is in need of kid friendly foods and snacks. Our pantry helps feed our community's children, we are asking for donations of peanut butter and Jelly, loaves of bread, mac and cheese and snacks. Thank you so much to the St. Paul community for your continued support.



Every second Tuesday of the month there will be distribution of hygiene products from 9:00 AM- 2:00 PM

We are open on Tuesday's from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., and the third Wednesday of each month from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.



Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Robbing a Bank

The second reading from the Letter to the Colossians goes well with the first reading and the Gospel. Those passages warn how useless material wealth will be when we die. St. Paul continues this warning by reminding us that we have already died with Christ in baptism and risen to new life. To live this new life we must put to death whatever tendencies keep us from Christ.

Wealth can be a gift from God. The abuse is not necessarily in the possession of wealth. More likely, we abuse wealth in the way we attain it. How does that happen? I can give an obvious answer such as robbing a bank. Instead, do I work a full day for my pay, or do I spend a lot of time visiting with other employees or texting my friends? Am I honest with my customers, charging only for work I have done?

As for using our wealth, we usually think of family first. Do we spoil our kids, so they can "have the things I couldn't afford when I was young"? Or do we teach them to work for what they get? Do we teach our children to be generous to others?

Notice that Paul goes deeper, pointing out the thoughts and desires that lead to a life centered in wealth. In baptism we put to death passion and greed, tendencies that push us to own more or to control another person. Paul uses the image of taking off these vices as if they were clothing and putting on a new self that shows Christ in us. We begin to see Christ in others, for as Paul says, "Christ is all and in all" (Colossians 3:11).

Legion of Mary

Do you want to serve God more but don't know how? Do you want to grow closer to Jesus and his Mother? Do you want to deepen your spiritual life? The Legion of Mary meets on Mondays at 5:00 PM in Room A. All practicing Catholics, 18 and older are invited to come.

Chapel Vigil Lights

† Luz Garcia

The Infant Jesus Statue Light

St Paul the Apostle Parishioners

To Celebrate or Remember

The intention book for 2025 is open for mass intentions. Also, our large vigil lights can be lit for a week in honor of a friend, a birthday, a graduation, an anniversary, or to remember someone you have loved and lost.

Contact the office to reserve the date you want. The usual mass offering is five dollars. To schedule a special week for the vigil Light (s) the offering for Infant Jesus light is \$5 per week and the offering for the two chapel lights is \$10.



Please remember those who live in need of prayers:

Alexander Family, Kenny Alexander, Nicholas Anderson, Sam Anderson, Lupe Arredondo, Janie Ayala, George Ayala, Abel Bentancourt, Esther Bentancourt, Joel Bentancourt, Janet Buhidar, Max Borgmeyer, Chris Burns, Heather Burns, Manuel Bustos, Andrea Cabrera, Antonio Cabrera, Maria Cabrera, Rachel Casanova, Kathy Casey, Issac Cavasos, Miko Cerrone, Brandon Clark, Scott Clark, Annabelle Concert, Paul Concert, Jay and Jacqueline Dancy, Diana Diaz, Lidia Ducote, Denny David Eaton, Gerald Escamilla, Aida Escobar, David Escobar, Abel Flores, Gamez Family, Justin and Teresa Gamez, Jose Gamez, Amanda Garcia, Cindy Garcia, Joe Garcia, Luz Garcia, Sergio Garza, Grace Geeding, Beryl Hathcock, Benny Herrera, Mike Hernandez, Olivia Holt, Maria Holquin, David Kraeer, Melinda Kraeer and Richard Kraeer, Rachel Kraeer, Maryann Krohn, Stephen Libby, Juan Lorenzo, Jose Luiz, Aimee Lusson, Juanita and Steve Lusson, Martin Family, Joseph S. Martin Jr., Jacob Martinez, Cynthia Mora, John (Johnny) McCarty, Richard Nunez, Jr., Rogelio Olaes, Esperanza Ortiz, Lupe Ortiz, Adam Mathias Ortiz, Oscar Ortiz, Steven Ortiz, Jr., Jimmy Parker. Gloria Perez. Perea Family. Faye Phillips, Deacon Mike Rauen, Eddie Rocha, Josh Rock, Gilberto Rodgriguez Jr. David Rodriguez, Michelle Ruff, Phyllis Ruff, Nati Ruiz, Consuelo Salinas, Elizabeth Sanchez, Hudson Schoene, James Skrobarczyk, Crystal Tannous, Christina Turelli, Kaiden Turner, Sandra Vargas, Andrew Visosky, Stephen and Melinda Visosky, Mark Walker, Carol Walker, Pam Wondolowski, Israel Ybarra

Everyone, please look over the prayer list and contact the parish
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