St. Paul of the Cross
A Catholic Community Where People Choose to Belong!

Masses
Daily: Mon. - Fri. 8:00 am & 5:30 pm; Sat. 8:00 am
Sat Vigil: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:45 am & 5:00 pm
Confessions: Sat 8:30 am - 9:00 am or by appt.

Reverend Thomas R. Lafreniere, Parochial Administrator
Msgr. James M. Burke, Retired
Rev. Daniel Devore, Assisting
Deacon Bill Rich, Retired
Rev. John Chandler, Retired
Rev. Lee Smith, Retired
Deacon Frank Bandy
Deacon Gregory C. Quinn

ONE OF THE LEPERS, REALIZING HE HAD BEEN HEALED, RETURNED, GLORIFYING GOD IN A LOUD VOICE.
LUKE 17:15
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8
5:00 PM  For Karin Estrada
          by Russell Smith & Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9
7:30 AM  For Jamie Du by Mildred Coo
9:00 AM  For Salvador Coo by Mildred Coo
10:45 AM For Michael Viscount
          by Patricia Bowers & Charlie Sears
5:00 PM  For the intentions of our parishioners

MONDAY, OCTOBER 10
8:00 AM  For the intentions of John Stonitsch
          by Russell & Edith Smith
5:30 PM  For the intentions of Beth Anne Elliott
          by Roger & Cleda Yachetti

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11
8:00 AM  For the intentions of
          Robert & Margaret Jendrejack
          by their family
5:30 PM  For Bernie Slean by his family

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12
8:00 AM  For Tom Compozia by Christa Cressman
5:30 PM  For Christopher Preli
          by Joe & Nancy Lombardi

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13
8:00 AM  For Charles L. Hudson, Jr.
          by Jim & Kim Ryan
5:30 PM  For Dan Shalloway
          by Terry & Cathy Breese

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14
8:00 AM  For the intentions of Jim & Jeanne Clark
          by Theresa Trotta
5:30 PM  For Lawrence McAllister
          by Mary Kay Ettari

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15
8:00 AM  For Edward Bruno by The Bruno Family
5:00 PM  For the intentions of our parishioners

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16
7:30 AM  For Robert Mackey by his family
9:00 AM  For Kalle Lumio by Jessie Quick
10:45 AM For Andrew & Elvera Jendrejack
          by the family
5:00 PM  For Jesse Sorensen
          by Dan & Amy Carbone

First Friday
Exposition & Holy Hour after 5:30pm Mass

Devotion to Mary
First Saturday of the month, rosary and procession
  to the grotto following 8:00am Mass.
  Rosary is prayed every Saturday after the 8:00am
  Mass, and with the Legion of Mary, Tuesdays after the
  8am and 5:30pm Masses.

Adoration Chapel
Open for quiet meditation before the Blessed
  Sacrament during office hours. Exposition
  every Friday. Located across from Parish Office.

Charismatic Prayer Group
Thursdays at 7:30pm in the Parish Center.

Mass & Healing Service
3rd Thursday of each month in Chapel.

Hospital/Homebound Visits
If someone is in the hospital or homebound and would
  like a visit, please advise the Parish Office.

Parish Office Hours
Monday-Friday    9:00am - 5:00pm
Saturday         9:00am - 1:00pm
Sunday in the vestibule of the church 9am - 12noon

Religious Shop - 624-1752
Monday - Friday  8:30am - 1:00pm
Saturday         8:30am - 5:00pm
Sunday           8:30am - 12:00pm & 4:30pm - 6:30pm

New Parishioners - Registration forms are available in the office during the week and in the
  foyer of the church in the wall rack.

Registered Parishioners - please help keep our census current by advising us of any changes of address, phone
  numbers, and family additions or deletions.
October 9, 2016

Baptisms
Celebrated on the second Sunday of each month at 12:00pm. Instructions on the first Saturday this month at 10:00am. Parents are encouraged to attend instruction class prior to the birth of their first baby. Call the Parish Office to register.

Next Baptism Class is Saturday, Nov. 12th

FOR OCTOBER 15/16
Sat., 5:00 PM - Pat Booth
Sun., 7:30 AM - Mark Hopper
9:00 AM - Ken Dwyer
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5:00 PM - Scotty Howell

FOR OCTOBER 15/16
Sat., 5:00 PM - Volunteer needed
Sun., 7:30 AM - Anthony & Grace Kearns
9:00 AM - Olivia & Sofia Perez
10:45 AM - Matthew Watts
5:00 PM - Penelope Ryan

This week, October 10th, at a glance…
Monday:  8:30 AM—Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help
2 PM  Yarn & Rose Knitters
5 PM  Sandwich Makers
Tuesday:  8:40 AM & 6:10 PM  Legion of Mary
9 AM  Hospitality Ministry Meeting
10 AM  Christ Child Meeting
Wednesday:
10 AM  Walking With Purpose – Women’s Bible Study
6:30 PM  Consoling the Heart of Jesus
7 PM  Knights of Columbus Meeting
Thursday:
7 PM  Walking With Purpose – Women’s Bible Study
7:30 PM  Charismatic Prayer Group
Friday:  9 AM – 5 PM  Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Saturday:  12 Noon Public Square Rosary - Oakbrook
Sunday:  Blood Drive after all morning Masses
Baby Bottle Campaign – Please take a baby bottle home
8:30 AM – 12:30 PM  Coffee, Donuts & Fellowship
9 AM  Story Keepers
9:30 AM  RCIA
10:15 AM  CIA Session
5 PM  Confirmation I & II and Middle School – Mass, Dinner and Class

Looking forward to, in the near future:
40 Days for life continues until Nov. 6th; Baby Bottle Campaign thru Oct. 10/23; 10/15 Public Square Rosary Crusade; 10/18 Lector Workshop; 10/19 Columbiettes Meeting; 10/20 Mass & Healing Service; 10/22 Caritas PS, Alumni Retreat; 10/22 Altar Server Appreciation:
10 AM & Grandparent Mass: 4:30–St. Ignatius; 10/30 K of C Breakfast; CIA Fall Festival; 11/14 Spirit & Truth

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FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2
$ 10,888.00 ONLINE $ 1,594.00
Maintenance and Improvements Fund
$ 2,590.00 ONLINE $ 210.00
God bless you and thank you for your generosity in supporting your church!

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Your donations assist the poor in many ways. Poor boxes are located near the doors of the church. Please give a dollar or more and help us help others. God bless you!

If you would like to become an official member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, an Ozanam Orientation will be presented Saturday, November 5th at St. Therese de Lisieux in Wellington. Breakfast, lunch and materials will be provided. Please call the office and speak with John to register.

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Marriages
Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the wedding date.
Call the Parish Office.

Our beautiful new Ave Maria Banquet Room (capacity 325) and our renovated Parish Hall (capacity 175) are now available for rental for approved adult receptions and gatherings for occasions connected with church events.

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Email us at: office@paulcross.org
TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GRATITUDE

Surely we can all recall at least a few days in our lives when things were going so well that nothing could put us in a bad mood. Maybe it was the day a very special person asked us to the senior prom, or perhaps it was our wedding day. Maybe it was the day we learned that we were expecting a long-awaited child, or the day we got an overdue promotion. There was elation in our hearts and lightness in our step, an extraordinary vitality throughout the day. We probably got on the phone right away to tell at least a few key people about our good fortune.

This is surely how Naaman and the leper must have felt when they were rid of their terrible diseases. They were hard-pressed to contain their gratitude, and although they were both unfamiliar with the customs of a foreign land, they had the good manners to thank the people responsible for their cures.

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 — 5:1; Ps 113:1b-5a, 6-7; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6; Ps 119:41, 43-45, 47-48; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Eph 1:1-10; Ps 98:1-6; Lk 11:47-54
Friday: Eph 1:11-14; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: Eph 1:15-23; Ps 8:2-3, ab, 4-7; Lk 12:8-12

To prepare for the Readings of October 15/16

First Reading — As long as Moses’ hands were kept uplifted, Joshua and his men had the better part of the battle with Amalek (Exodus 17:8-13).
Psalm — Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth (Psalm 121).
Second Reading — Remain faithful; proclaim the word; be persistent whether it is convenient or not (2 Timothy 3:14 — 4:2).
Gospel — God will secure the rights of the chosen who call out day and night (Luke 18:1-8).

The Diocesan School of Christian Formation

Classes take place at St. Patrick in PBG on Tues., from 7pm - 9pm. Next class, Ecclesiology, begins this week. Oct. 11, 18, 25, Nov. 1, 8, & 15. Cost is just $10. For more information, call 561-775-9544 or visit www.diocesepb.org/schools-of-christian-formation

Join us for LOVE IS LISTENING

SUN., Oct., 16th 3 - 4:30 PM, St. Ignatius
A groundbreaking communication approach to Alzheimer’s and dementia care. Presented by Michael Verde, award winning educator, author and founder of Memory Bridge. For info call 360-3327. Family, friends, and Caregivers of individuals with dementia are invited to attend this free presentation.

Annual Grandparents Pilgrimage Mass
Oct. 22, 4:30 PM
Cathedral of St. Ignatius Loyola, PBG
All, especially grandparents, are invited as celebrant Bishop Barbarito honors grandparents who pass on the faith to future generations. A children’s concert starts at 4 PM.

REST IN PEACE -
Sarita Paola Lopez, Richard Bonnet,
May they rest in God’s peace and may their family be strengthened in faith.

BLOOD DRIVE
SUNDAY, October 16TH 7:30 AM –12:30 PM
All donors will receive a free t-shirt and a wellness checkup that includes cholesterol, blood pressure, pulse and iron count. Stop in or help us better serve you! Make an appt. online at www.oneblooddonor.org and use sponsor code #3712.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL Thrift Store
250 W. INDIANTOWN ROAD #108
Located just West of Alt A-1-A
Call 561-401-9585
Mon. - Fri. 10am-4pm & Sat. 9am-3pm
Donations accepted, Volunteers welcome!
General meetings are on the 2nd Wed. of the month. The next meeting is Oct. 12th (Officers 1st Wed., Nov. 2nd) at 7 PM in the Coffeehouse.

COMING SOON!
Parish Breakfast: Sun., Oct. 30, after 9 and 10:45 Masses
Sock Hop: Sat., Nov. 5 at 6 PM, $25 per person

Knights of Columbus now accepting applications for new members!
Council 12322 N.P.B., Florida 33408
Please contact Jonathan Knaus at 561-603-8303 or email kofc12322@gmail.com

STORY KEEPERS - Children, infant to age 5 are welcome to come to the Parish Center during the 9 AM Sunday Mass. Hope you can join us!

CIA (Religious Education) 1st - 5th grade
Sunday, 10:15 - 11:45 AM
NEXT Sessions -
Oct. 16th and 23rd, Sessions;
Oct. 30th Fall Festival; First Sunday, Nov. 6th 9 AM Mass & Service Event

Middle School, 6th & 7th graders, Confirmation I & II
Sundays 5 PM Mass followed by dinner and class until 8 PM
NEXT Sessions -
Oct. 16th, 23rd & 30th, Nov. 6th

Confirmed Teens Team
Join Confirmation & middle school groups for Mass, dinner & class!

Young Adult Group
For upcoming events, call Kate in the parish office or email religioused@paulcross.org

FAITH FORMATION
CIA, Middle School and Confirmation Classes

Altar Server Appreciation Mass
Oct. 22, 10 AM Presentation, 11 AM Mass
Cathedral of St. Ignatius Loyola, PBG
All are invited as parish Altar Servers are honored. A vocations presentation begins at 10 AM, followed by Mass at 11 AM with Bishop Barbarito. Altar Servers should RSVP with their parish coordinator.

Students who would like to be an Altar Server and have received First Communion, may call the office.

NEW MINISTRY!!

The Ministry of Adult Altar Servers welcomes parishioners who are interested in assisting the clergy in the sanctuary during weekend Masses and/or during the week at daily Mass. If you would like to be part of this Spirit-filled ministry, please call the office. Training is available!
BABY BOTTLE BOOMERANG
With a little help, women with unplanned pregnancies can be encouraged to carry their babies to term and to plan productively for their future and the future of their unborn babies. After all the Masses today volunteers will be handing out baby bottles at all the doors of the church, one per family. Simply take the bottle home, fill it with spare change, cash and/or check and return either Sunday, October 16th or October 23rd to the designated area in the back of the church. Please help these mothers choose life, and keep Miracle House in your prayers. Thank you.

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**St Paul of the Cross MINISTERS OF THE WORD**
Your Lector Captains and Leaders invite you to a 3-part LEITOR WORKSHOP

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We ask that ALL Ministers of the Word – Weekday and Weekend – make every effort to attend! Make-up sessions will be provided as needed.

**Questions?** jeanne.clark@paulcross.org

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**Deadline Approaching to be Able to Vote**
If you are not already a registered voter, you can still register to vote in the November 8 General Election. The Voter Registration Deadline is October 11. For more information, visit the website of the Florida Division of Elections at dos.myflorida.com/elections

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**
The Legion of Mary invites everyone to Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM in our Adoration Chapel. If you can dedicate an hour on Fridays to spend with Our Lord, please call the Parish Office to sign up.
October 7, 2016

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

Saint Paul reminds us that “[we] are Christ’s body, and individually parts of it” (1 Cor. 12:27). As the body of Christ we are encouraged to keep in prayer and charity the whole church, our brothers and sisters around the world. In solidarity the Diocese of Palm Beach will have a special collection on October 15 and 16 to benefit the tremendous work of the Pontifical Mission Societies as they seek to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

The Church in the United States of America is sincerely grateful for all of the financial and spiritual assistance received by so many dioceses, religious orders, schools and missions when much of our nation was supported by the generosity of the Pontifical Mission Societies. As we are one body, one Church, we joyfully offer our prayers and charitable assistance to our brothers and sisters in need.

May God continue to bless you for your spiritual and financial generosity and may our Blessed Mother always intercede for you.

With gratitude for your continued generosity and every prayerful wish, I am
Sincerely yours in Christ,
Most Reverend Gerald M. Barbarito
Bishop of Palm Beach

Prayer Vigil –
Began Wed.,
Sept. 28th and
continues until Sun., Nov. 6th, at the Presidential
Women’s Abortion Center on Northpoint Parkway, WPB.
Volunteers needed to pray for 1-2 hours
from 7am - 6pm, Mon - Sat and 3 - 5 pm Sun.
www.40daysforlife.com/westpalmbeach or
call Susan at 255-1534

ANNUAL PUBLIC ROSARY CRUSADE

Please join us in praying the Rosary,
Litany and Consecration to our
Blessed Mother on the sidewalk area in
front of Publix, Oakbrook Square Plaza on
U.S. Hwy 1. Saturday, October 15th,
12 noon - 1:30 PM. This rally is one of over
15,000 rallies across the country. Please answer
Our Blessed Mother’s call,
to pray publicly for our country.
Bring a friend. Bring a chair and hat, as needed.
Cold water will be available. Please pick up a flyer
at the welcome desk or call Jim Howell,
714-6067 for more information.

SAVE THE DATES!!
NOVEMBER 5-6 AND 12-13
7:30 AM - 1 PM

St Francis of Assisi Annual Flea Market and Bazaar
We have lots of great items for the home,
as well as clothing, furniture, tools, books and
all kinds of “goodies”.

Also, if you have any donations for the event (it’s a great
time to clean out all that unnecessary stuff you have
been holding on to)... We will gladly accept those as
well...just call the church office at 842-2482.
See you there!!
PLEASE NOTE: Please call the Parish Office if you are being admitted to the hospital or know of someone in our parish who requests a visit from a priest or Eucharistic Minister. Names will remain on the prayer list for two months, unless notified.

PLEASE PRAY for the men and women in our armed forces stationed overseas, for the military commanders who lead them, for President Obama and his advisors and, for the men and women in our armed forces stationed overseas, for the military commanders who lead them, for President Obama and his advisors, and...