Saint Paul of the Cross

A Catholic Community That Grows Disciples!

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Very Reverend Thomas R. Lafreniere, Pastor

Rev. Nadeem Yaqoob, O.A.D., Assisting
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Rev. Brian Flanagan, Retired

Rev. Daniel Devore, Assisting
Rev. Lee Smith, Retired

Deacon Frank Bandy

Deacon Gregory C. Quinn

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 - 9:00 am or by appt.

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Mass Intentions For The Week

SATURDAY, MAY 11
5:00 PM † Ida Cormier & Rose Sabatella
by Joe & Lorraine Sabatella

SUNDAY, MAY 12
7:30 AM † Julie Taubman by The Dunne Family
9:00 AM For the Mothers of St. Paul of the Cross
Living & Deceased
10:45 AM For the intentions of Lu & Elaine Hill
by Patti & Tim Wengierski
5:00 PM Belinda Dearlove by the Dunne Family

MONDAY, MAY 13
8:00 AM For the Mother’s Day Novena
5:30 PM For the intentions of Mary Claire McMillan
by her family

TUESDAY, MAY 14
8:00 AM For the Mother’s Day Novena
5:30 PM † Neil Shulas by Vicki & Scott Griswold

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15
8:00 AM For the Mother’s Day Novena
5:30 PM † Mildred Wilkins by Arlene Widmayer

THURSDAY, MAY 16
8:00 AM For the Mother’s Day Novena
5:30 PM † Victoria Koneva Knaus
by The Knaus Family

FRIDAY, MAY 17
8:00 AM For the Mother’s Day Novena
5:30 PM † Anna Cervelli
by her children and grandchildren

SATURDAY, MAY 18
8:00 AM For the Mother’s Day Novena
5:00 PM † Neil Shulas by The Chesnes Family

SUNDAY, MAY 19
7:30 AM † Ron Wangrud by Susan & Larry Kelleher
9:00 AM † Josephine Estacion Burgess
by Nina & Dr. Gary Lammert
10:45 AM For the Mother’s Day Novena
5:00 PM † Therese Ouellette
by Yolande & Gilles Soucy

Ministry of Religious Education & Confirmation
Kate Devine
RCIA/
Faith Inquiry
Deacon
Gregory C. Quinn
Director of Music & Liturgy
Jeanne Clark

Director of Family Life Ministries
Jon Niven

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 the Parish Office.

Charismatic Prayer Group
Thursdays at 7:30pm in the Parish Center. Mass & Healing Service 3rd Thursday of each month in the 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 on our website, in the office during the week, and in the vestibule 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.
This week, May 13th, at a glance…

**Monday:**
- 8:30 AM  Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
- 2 PM  Yarn & Rose Knitters
- 5 PM  Sandwich Makers

**Tuesday:**
- 8:30 AM, 6 PM  Legion of Mary
- 9 AM  Hospitality Ministry
- 6 PM  Kairos Team Meeting

**Wednesday:**
- 10 AM  Walking with Purpose Women’s Bible Study
- 6:45 PM  Choir Rehearsal
- 7 PM  Columbiette Meeting
- 7 PM  Matthew: A King and His Kingdom Bible Study

**Thursday:**
- 7 PM  Walking with Purpose Women’s Bible Study
- 7:30 PM  Mass & Healing Service

**Friday:**
- 9 AM – 5 PM  Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Saturday:**
- 8:30 AM  Kairos Meeting

**Sunday:**
- 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM  Coffee, Donuts & Fellowship
- 9 AM  Story Keepers
- 9:15 AM  RCIA
- 10 AM – 12:30 PM  Knights of Columbus Breakfast
- 1 PM  Retrouvaille CORE

**Looking forward to, in the near future:**
- Mondays 5:30 PM  Al-Anon Meeting; 5/27 Memorial Day – Parish Office and Adoration Chapel Closed; NO 5:30 PM Mass; 6/1 Dare 2 Care Shower Trailer Fundraiser; 6/13 LIFT; 6/16 Father’s Day

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**FOR MAY 18/19**

Sat., 5:00 PM - Cynthia Leising
Sun., 7:30 AM - Kathy Doggett
9:00 AM - Ken Dwyer
Jorge Perez
10:45 AM - Joan Cashon

**SUNDAY, May 5th**

$13,269.00 + ONLINE $ 2,943.00

**Maintenance & Improvements**

$ 3,235.00 + $ 347.00

_God bless you and thank you for your generosity in supporting your church!_

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**SECOND COLLECTION – THIS weekend is the Diocesan Collection for The Catholic Communication Campaign and Catholic University of America.**

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**Marriages**

Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the wedding date.

Please call the Parish Office.

Our beautiful Ave Maria Banquet Hall (capacity 325) and our St. Joseph Hall (capacity 175) are available for rental for approved adult receptions and gatherings for occasions connected with church events.

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**Your donations assist the poor in many ways. Thank you for dropping your dollar bills and loose change in the poor boxes. God bless you!**

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**All Saints Catholic School**

1759 Indian Creek Parkway
Jupiter, FL 33458 (561) 748-8994
www.allsaintsjupiter.org

All Saints is dedicated to providing all students with a nurturing, learning environment reflecting Gospel values and teaching the traditions of our faith. Come see for yourself!

*“Where All God’s Children are Honored”*

Help All Saints School collect BOX TOPS for cash. Please drop off your box tops at the welcome desk or the parish office.

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Enrollment is open for the 2019-2020 school year.

Please contact Patty Rabideau, Admissions Director at 561-748-8994 or prabideau@allsaintsjupiter.org for more information or to schedule a tour.

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**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!
Each year this Fourth Sunday of Easter celebrates Jesus the Good Shepherd. Today’s Gospel seems especially timely, for as Christians worldwide suffer persecution like Paul and Barnabas, Jesus promises his sheep enduring, invincible safety: “They shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand.” But we who are free to live our faith peacefully sometimes take our membership in Jesus’ flock for granted, wandering astray to seek our own pleasure and prosperity. The simple cross that Pope Francis always wears seems to show us how Jesus responds to that. Francis’s cross features an image of Jesus, who has sought and found a lost sheep, then joyfully set it on his shoulders to carry it gently home. May Good Shepherd Sunday inspire us, so often lost and found ourselves, to assist Jesus in seeking, finding, and gently carrying home our fellow precious lambs.

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; Jn 15:9-17
Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Jn 12:44-50
Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14

To prepare for the Readings of May 18/19

First Reading — Paul and Barnabas reported how God had opened the door of faith to the Gentiles (Acts 14:21-27).
Psalm — I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God (Psalm 145).
Second Reading — God’s dwelling is with the human race (Revelation 21:1-5a).
Gospel — This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another (John 13:31-33a, 34-35).
Looking Through Stained Glass

A Column by Fr. Tom


Over the last two weeks, we discussed the Theological Virtues of Love and Faith. We will now turn our focus to the third Theological Virtue: Hope.

You may remember in a previous column that the term Pride was confusing because it had multiple definitions. [cf. Looking Through Stained Glass, “Life in Christ – Part 2: Pride – Good For You?”, Feb 24, 2019] Like Pride, Hope has multiple definitions. However, unlike Pride, the two main definitions of Hope are both positive. According to the Oxford Dictionary, hope means either “1. A feeling of expectation and desire for a particular thing to happen” or “2. A feeling of trust.” The first definition is how we use “hope” in common speech. For example, we might say, “I hope it doesn’t rain on our parade.” This is not the Theological Virtue of Hope. The second definition begins to move toward the Catholic definition of Hope. According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC), “Hope is the theological virtue by which we desire the kingdom of heaven and eternal life as our happiness, placing our trust in Christ’s promises and relying not on our own strength, but on the help of the grace of the Holy Spirit.” [CCC, 1817] We can see from the above definition from the Catechism that Hope is not just a desire for something positive – in fact the ultimate positive thing, Heaven – but it is also trust that God will make this happen.

As we mentioned in the column on the Theological Virtue of Love, Love is the spring from which all the Virtues come. Because of God’s love for us, He wants us to be with Him in Heaven, and this is the source of our Hope. God gives us the grace of Hope, so that we might not only desire Heaven, or even be optimistic about the possibility of Heaven, but God’s grace gives us trust that He wants Heaven for those who trust in Him.

We can also say that Faith helps us with the Virtue of Hope. Faith and Hope are interdependent. Our Faith in God gives us a reason for Hope and our Hope is lived out here on Earth through our Faith. In his encyclical On Christian Hope (or Spe Salvi), Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI expressed this reality as “Faith is the substance of Hope.” [Spe Salvi, 10]

As alluded to above, Hope is not just a Virtue for the afterlife. It is, as all virtues are, a grace of God that helps us live this life too. In Paul’s Letter to the Romans, he expresses it this way, “…We wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that sees for itself is not hope. For who hopes for what one sees? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait with endurance.” In the encyclical mentioned above, Benedict takes this Scripture as his basis and begins, “Redemption is offered to us in the sense that we have been given hope, trustworthy hope, by virtue of which we can face our present: the present, even if it is arduous, can be lived and accepted if it leads towards a goal, if we can be sure of this goal, and if this goal is great enough to justify the effort of the journey.” [Spe Salvi, 1] So, the Pope Emeritus is affirming that the Hope we are given from God’s grace, not only applies to Heaven, but can help us as we live in this world, especially when events of this world present us with challenges and trials. So, Hope helps us persevere.

Next week, we will begin our discussion of the Cardinal Virtues: Prudence, Justice, Fortitude, and Temperance.
FAITH FORMATION
RESUMES IN THE FALL
We had a great year! Look for sign up information in August for next year.

Rising 9th graders and all High School Students:
Miss Kate is taking a group to Steubenville Orlando July 19-21st.
If you are interested in attending please call the office or email Miss Kate.

STORY KEEPERS
Children infants to age 5 are welcome to come to the Parish Center during the 9 AM Sunday Mass. This program is ongoing and free of charge. Hope you can join us!

A BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL PARISHIONERS!
There is still time to join the study of Matthew
Next class WED., May 15th AT 7 PM
Matthew 22-23
“Let’s Get Real”
IN THE AVE MARIA HALL.
PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE for a SCHEDULE - Facilitated by Fr. Tom

“Walking with Purpose”
Women’s Group & Catholic Bible Study
Wed. Mornings & Thurs. Evenings
ALL WOMEN WELCOME!
For more information or to register please call Kate or Joanne at the Parish Office.

Fill Our Van & BBQ
Saturday, June 1, 2019
10:00am - 2:00pm
Carlin Park, North Pavilion in Jupiter
(look for the banner)

$20 Admission includes BBQ and 2 drinks
Tickets available at showerthepeople.us

A Catholic Radio Station
Listen live at 98.3 FM or www.wpbvradio.com

THANK YOU for an incredible first season of All Pauls Men
Keep an eye on the bulletin for upcoming summer programs

BECOMING A MAN AFTER GOD’S OWN HEART

Join us this summer for Subs and Sundae, Movie Night and After 5 PM Mass
Social Time!
Dates and times coming...
Mother’s Day Blessing

Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church. Bless all mothers: those with children, those grieving empty arms, and those mourning and missing the one who gave them life. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen!

Victoria Addazio
William Addazio
Amelia Barkauskas
Charlotte Bell
Caroline Connor
Bella Jones
Claire McDermott
Addyson Munroe
Delaney O’Brien
Quinlan O’Brien
Gia Pallitto
Gianna Ricci
Bridget Rooney
Grace Rosenfarb
Danny Sheehan

First Communion Class

May 5, 2019

Congratulations to our First Communion Class and their families!!

56th Anniversary

DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Father you call each one of us by name and ask us to follow you. Bless your church by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve your people as Sisters, Brothers, Deacons, and Priests. Inspire us as we grow to know you, and open our hearts to hear your call. We ask this in the name of Jesus Our Lord, Amen.
Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

As we celebrate the 53rd World Communications Day, the theme chosen by our Holy Father comes from St Paul’s Letter to the Ephesians, “We are members of one another” (Eph 4:25), From Network Communities to Human Communities.

In his message for World Communications Day, Pope Francis references the internet and the “communities” formed by the various models of social communication. The Pope invites us to model ourselves on the original “network”, the Holy Trinity. “This is the network we want, a network created not to entrap, but to liberate, to protect a communion of people who are free. The Church herself is a network woven together by Eucharistic communion, where unity is based not on “likes”, but on the truth, on the “Amen”, by which each one clings to the Body of Christ, and welcomes others (Vatican, January 24, 2019).

On the weekend of May 11 & 12 the diocese will have a special collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Half of the CCC collection will fund the national communication efforts of the U.S. Bishops. The remainder funds our diocesan communications projects like the television Mass, the Florida Catholic newspaper, our diocesan website, electronic newsletters, and various forms of social media.

Our special collection On May 11 & 12 also supports Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., the national university of the Catholic Church. As the only institution of higher education in the U.S. founded by our bishops and chartered by the Vatican, the university educates clergy, religious, and lay faithful from across the nation.

Because of your support of the CCC and Catholic University collections, millions of faithful will have the opportunity to deepen their faith through media resources and Catholic education.

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

FATHER’S DAY
SPIRITUAL BOUQUET CARDS
for Fathers, living or deceased, are available in the Religious Shop and the Parish Office.
The Religious Shop is stocked with a fine assortment of gifts and cards for all occasions. There is also a large selection of books and videos.

St. Vincent de Paul Society asks you to join in and.

Our mission is to bring dignity to anyone in need - with a shower, a clean set of clothes, and of course some food! To fulfill our mission, we will need to buy a 4-stall shower trailer and truck.
To learn more about our ministry, or to help us fulfill our mission, please visit us at
www.showerthepeople.us
or contact Kate Devine in the Parish Office. Thank you!!

CATHOLIC SOCIAL

Mater et Magistra:
Christianity and Social Progress
(John XXIII, 1961)

"One may not take as the ultimate criteria in economic life the interests of individuals or organized groups, nor unregulated competition, nor excessive power on the part of the wealthy, nor the vain honor of the nation or its desire for domination, nor anything of this sort. Rather, it is necessary that economic undertaking be governed by justice and charity as the principal laws of social life." (#38-39)

Challenge Question: This document, written in 1961, can be applied to the realities we face as citizens of nations today. How does this challenge from John XXIII speak to the present rise of nationalism around the globe? Does excessive nationalism, which is different than patriotism, promote justice and charity?
If you are interested and would like to become a Columbiette, please call the parish office. Columbiette meetings are on the 3rd Wednesday of the month. The next meeting is Wed. May 15th at 7 PM in the All Saints Room. Refreshments begin at 6:30 PM.

Knights of Columbus general meetings are on the 2nd Wednesday of the month; the next meeting is Wed., June 12th (officers meet on the 1st Wed., the next meeting is June 5) at 7 PM in the All Saints Room. Please consider joining the Knights of Columbus at St Paul of the Cross Parish. Contact Jonathan Knaus at 561-603-8303 or email jonathan.Knaus@kofc.org

PARISH BREAKFAST

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council 12322

NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 19th

10am — 12:30 pm

Tickets are $10

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Matthew 25:35
For I was hungry and you gave me to eat...

Here is an opportunity for 3 ways to help!

* Make a meatloaf on the first Thursday of each month and bring it to the parish office by 2 PM. Next drop off date is June 6th.

* Serve dinner to the hungry at St. Georges Center, 21 W. 22nd St. RB, on the first Thursday of each month (June 6th) - Team A and on the fourth Thursday of each month (May 23rd) - Team B. Arrive at 5 PM, serve and cleanup, done by 6:30 PM.

Please contact the parish office for more information.

CORE: Continuing Our Retrouvaille Experience

Meeting Next Sunday, May 19th, (3rd Sunday of the month) at 1 PM in the All Saints Room.

Facilitated by Ron & Maritza Garey
Please call the Parish office for more information.

Please join us as we embark on a Spiritual Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Italy Hosted by Fr. Tom

Even if you have been to Italy before, you will experience a new spiritual journey!

Still trying to decide if this trip is for you? Do you need more information about the Shrines of Italy that will be visited on this Italy Pilgrimage? Join us, in the comfort of your own home, TOMORROW, Monday, May 13th at 7 PM for a WEBINAR.

All you have to do is call JoAnne or Gerri to register your email!

*Flyers located in church and in the Parish Office*

For more information, please contact JoAnne McCormack 561-254-8934 or Gerri Augustine 561-310-3997

Home-town pickup to your local airport, for our bi-residential parishioners, is included. Financing is available.
Whether or not we are present at Church, we remain one in the Lord. Please keep the following members of our parish family in your prayers: David Antonucci, JoAnn Dube, Owen Williams and Zeke Seifel
Ray & John Seymour
Chuck Shaw
Rick Shotton
Ray Shindor
Richard Shorter
Linda Sieppermann
Cameron Simpson
Patricia Smith
Mila Solts
Hanna Elizabeth Sousa
Charles Speer
Joy Spencer
Ki and Beth Spicer
Edward Stewart
Patricia Stichnoth
Kelly Suddell
Kevin Sullivan
Mayrann Talano
Leon Thomas
Rebecca Timmons
Mark Vadus
Rosemary Ware
Doug Weiss
Joan Wheeler
Luann Wiita
Albert Wiker
Felix Wilson
Darlene Zook

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

Sean Ancona, Navy
CS 2 Christopher Avola
Spec. Thomas Bates
Tyler Blank
Maj. Travis Blasche, Army Aviation
PFC Adam Blazak, Army
Chris Bodley
Corporal Thomas C. Boehlein, USMC
LCPL Christopher Boudreaux, USMC
Angela Browning
Capt. Eric Arthur Bruns
Maj. Nicolas Chighizola, Air Force
Col. John Cross, Army
Michael Crump
1st Lt. Michael J. Culler, 101st Airborne
Ryan Cunningham, FLA National Guard
Josh Curtis
LCpl Giulio D’Alatri, Marines
PFC Gabriel D’Alatri, Marines
Command Sgt. Maj James Dickens, Army
Staff Sgt. Stephen Dickens, Army
1st Lt. John F. Dowd, Army
2nd Lt. Sam Dowd, Army
Capt. Michael Andrew Dytrych, Army
Hanah Eastwood
Major Matthew Farmer, Army

Merciful Father, You desire the welfare of all your children. Stretch out Your protecting arm over our men and women in the service. Shield them from every danger to body, mind and soul. Comfort them in loneliness, sustain them in hardship, give them the courage they need to fulfill their duty and so do Your will in all things. Bestow on our leaders and the leaders of the world the wisdom and prudence which will bring peace and justice to all.

This we ask through Jesus Christ, Your Son, Our Lord. Amen. Mary, help of Christians, pray for us.