

St. Paul Parish Newsletter

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Parish News



On Saturday, October 13th at 10:00am, we will have a service for **Blessing of the Animals**. We encourage everyone to attend this service with your beloved pets. It will be held outside under the canopy in front of the church.

Stuffed Animals



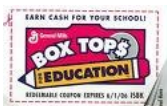
St. Paul Parish member, Lydia Kowalski Cane is asking for our help to collect new and barely used stuffed animals. Lydia brings the stuffed animals to children at local hospitals where she lives in Gainesville, Florida. We will be collecting the stuffed animals until the end of November. There is a tub inside of the church for you to drop off the stuffed animals.

Happy Halloween



Our Friday Night Spaghetti Dinner and Sunday Breakfast Buffet has been a huge success and now we are in need of more volunteers. If this is something that you can help us out with, please see or contact Father Mark or Bob Canfield 352-454-8673 Even if you can only volunteer once a month it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!!

Group Photos



Schools are back in session, so we will continue collecting box tops & labels for education. In the back of the church there is a plastic bin for you to drop off your box tops & labels. For more information about these programs, check out their websites at:

www.boxtops4education.com
www.labelsforeducation.com



In November, we will be taking new photos of all our societies and groups to update our church website. The date will be announced at a later time and we will also send out an email to you.

Special Offering Envelopes

The month of October is designated for the *Bishop Kardas Memorial Fund*. Parish members can donate to this fund by using their Bishop Kardas Memorial Fund envelope. Also, if you are not a member and would like to donate to this fund, please use a Love Offering envelope located in the church pews and mark it "*Bishop Kardas Memorial Fund*". This fund is used to help maintain the cottages and apartments located in Davie, Florida that belong to the Diocese.

YMS of R Men's Group

The next YMS of R meeting will be held on Sunday, October 21st at 9:00am inside of the social hall. All men of the parish are encouraged to attend. If you are new to the parish, this is a good opportunity for you to meet some of the men of our parish.



St. Paul Choir

We have a fantastic, spirited choir here at St. Paul's, under the direction of Charley Stoykovich. We are still looking for singers for our Saturday and Sunday Masses. Anyone interested in joining the choir can meet here at the church on Tuesdays at 4:00pm for practice.



Ladies Adoration Society

We thank the Dear Lord for your blessings and never ending support to our society.



Our annual cookie tray raffle will be on December 15th. Tickets will go on sale beginning November 24th after all masses. The winning tickets will be drawn Saturday, December 15th by Fr. Mark and the winners (last year we had 22) will be announced after all masses.



Our 13th Annual Retreat will be held January 24th thru the 26th at the beautiful Lake Yale Conference Center in Leesburg. Our featured guest speaker will be Gaye Martin, back by popular demand. Our keynote speaker will be our Rt. Rev. Stanley Bilinski, Jr. of the Western Diocese (our Bishop Stan). Retreat 2019 is open to all Ladies of the parish. If you are interested or have any questions I would love to talk to you.

Prayer Blankets



We are in need of Prayer Blankets. If you can knit or crochet and would like to make a blanket, we would be so grateful. To date we have gifted 100 plus blankets. These blankets are made with love and filled with prayers. Offering great comfort and support they receive a beautiful blessing by Deacon Angelo before they are given to whoever is in need of one. The blanket size is about 32 inches by 32 inches. This is just a guide, it does not need to be exact. If you have any questions, please give Dori Canfield a call at 352-233-9661 or email at: doricandfield@gmail.com

In His Service, Dori Canfield, President A.N.S.

NOTE: Just a quick reminder: if you would like to bake for Friday night, we have boxes of cake mixes and pans in the back of the social hall on top of our freezer. The cakes can be dropped off and put in the freezer. Just note the cake type and date along with your name. Thank You!



Father Mark's bible study class meets every Thursday morning at 10:00am here at St. Paul's social hall. This ongoing class is for everyone interested in finding out more about their faith. Father Mark brings us many pearls of Scripture each week and whether you are a first time bible reader or an astute learned scriptural connoisseur, there's something special in the Word of God for everyone. You are encouraged to bring a friend.

Golf League



Our church golf league meets each Tuesday of every month at 8:30am at Spruce Creek Del Webb in Summerfield. Golfers are paired into groups of 4 players in scramble format. If any men or women are interested in joining our fun league, please contact Susan Hilt at 352-307-2129. Bring your friends. All are welcome. Sign up sheets will be posted in the social hall.



Birthdays

- 1st Ruth Walsh
- 3rd Lynn Kubacki
- 4th Betty Wentael
- 9th Gertrude Kucharski
Lawrence Phillips
- 11th Lyn Novak
Bob Pitel
- 12th Jeffrey Gerstner
- 15th Will Nordman
- 17th Tom O'Donnell
- 18th Verna Kopka
- 20th Mike Mungavin
Al Walczak
- 21st Marlene Kress
- 25th Rick Aneiro
- 28th Tom Jeffey
- 29th Margaret Sottosanto
- 30th Ann Marie Cipriano



Anniversaries

- 3rd Dick & Sharon Pierce
- 11th Wally & Peg Brosig
- 13th John & Barbar Yunker
- 18th George & Vinnie Meidhof
- 19th Kenny & Joyce Koledge
- 23rd John & Elaine DalNegro
- 24th Ron & Judy Mierzwiak
Lawrence & Veronica Phillips
- 26th Jack & Eileen Davis
- 30th Mike & Arlene Mungavin

* Members: if your birthday or anniversary is not listed, please inform Debbie Niznik.



Backpack Program

Our mainstay charitable program provides local homeless school children with personal care/hygiene items all year round. Please drop off items anytime on the rectory porch or at church on Sundays in the bins at the back of the church.



Sunday Coupon Flyers

Debbie Niznik wants to thank all of you for bringing in your Sunday coupon flyers each week. Debbie has been on a mission to get as many free or next to free items for our "Clean Kids" Back Pack Program and she needs your help. If you receive the Sunday newspaper, and you just throw out the Sunday coupon flyers or you just cut out a few coupons and throw the rest of the flyer away, **STOP** and bring the flyers and put them in the second plastic bin drawer labeled Sunday Coupon Flyers inside of the church. Thank you.



Spaghetti Dinners



Come and bring your friends to our weekly all-you-can-eat spaghetti dinners on Fridays from 4:00-7:00pm. Dinners include salad, roll & butter, and your choice of a free beverage - either coffee, iced tea, or lemonade. Adults are just \$6.00 and Children 12yrs and younger are FREE. There are also homemade desserts from our Ladies ANS Society for only \$1.00 each. If you are bringing a large group, please contact Bob Canfield at 352-454-8673. Please let him know how many are in your party and what time you will arrive, and he will reserve your table(s) for you.

Words for Thought

*We are never alone when we pray,
because the Trinity acts on our behalf.*

*Not only is prayer an amazing
privilege: it's also a powerful endeavor ...*

*A divine appointment
with almighty God.*

Charles F. Stanley

Sunday Breakfast Buffet



Come join our Sunday morning Breakfast Buffet in our social hall from 9am to 1pm. Enjoy a spectacular all-you-can-eat buffet filled with lots of different breakfast items to select. Pancakes will be made to order at the kitchen window and the buffet includes: French toast, farm fresh scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, corned beef hash, home fries, fresh fruit, bagels & cream cheese, cereals, along with Complimentary coffee, milk and iced tea. All for only \$10! Children 9 & under are only \$5! Now, here's the other really cool part: If you are a customer at our Friday night spaghetti dinner, you will receive a \$2 discount coupon to that Sunday's Breakfast Buffet!



Here at St. Paul Parish we try to keep you up to date on church activities. In addition to our newsletter we also have emails. Our email address is:

debniz1959@gmail.com

If you would like to receive these emails, please pick up a form in the back of the church and give it to Debbie Niznik.

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