



# ST. PAUL CATHOLIC PARISH

## Kensington, Connecticut

### A Franciscan Family of Faith

OCTOBER 11, 2026 | TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### ST. PAUL CHURCH

485 Alling Street  
Kensington, CT 06037

#### SACRED HEART CHURCH

48 Cottage Street  
East Berlin CT 06023

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00pm Vigil  
Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm

### Weekday Masses

Monday 7:00am  
Tuesday 5:00pm  
Wednesday 7:00am  
Thursday 5:00pm  
Friday 7:00am

All Masses are at St. Paul Church.

## HOLY HOUR

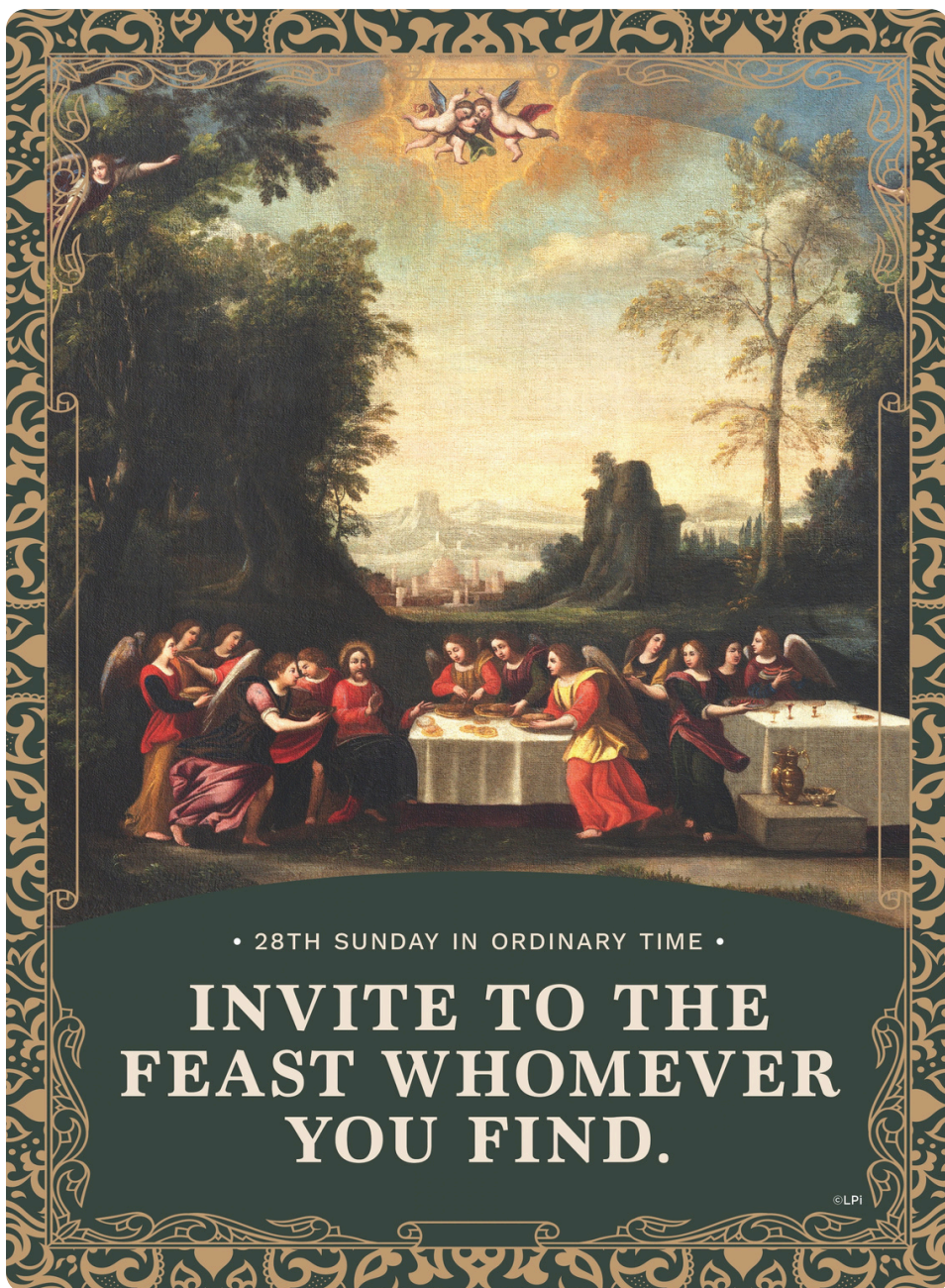
Tuesdays 4:00pm - 5:00pm

## CONFESSION

Saturdays 8:30am - 9:30am  
Saturdays 3:00pm - 4:00pm

## GET IN TOUCH

Monday-Friday 9:00am-4:00pm  
860-828-0331  
467 Alling St., Kensington CT 06037  
[ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org)



Our Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon will be held this weekend on  
Sunday, October 11 following the 12pm Mass.

Thank you to all who share your time and talent to serve others and help our parish.  
We are blessed to have you as part of our Franciscan Family of Faith.

## INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 10, 2026 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm | †**Gaetano and †Anna DiCarlo** by Roz & family

Sunday, October 11, 2026 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am | †**Harry Misteri** 10 Year Anniversary  
by Misteri and Magisano families

10:00am | Parishioners of Saint Paul Parish

12:00pm | †**Dorine Testori** 1st Anniversary  
by her husband and family

Monday, October 12, 2026 Columbus Day

7:00am | †**Deceased Friars, Families, Friends and  
Benefactors of the Franciscan Order**

Tuesday, October 13, 2026 Weekday

5:00pm | †**Aime Brochu** Birthday Remembrance  
by family

Wednesday, October 14, 2026 St. Callistus I

7:00am | †**Albert and †Nellie Larson**  
by John G. Hubbard family

Thursday, October 15, 2026 Saint Teresa of Jesus

5:00pm | †**Vincent Durante** Birthday Remembrance  
by Roz and family  
**God's Blessing for Sister Jadwiga Chlus**  
by family

†**Gilbert Pelletier** by family

†**Mary Cook** by family

†**Robert Green** by Bob and Joyce McMillan

Friday, October 16, 2026 St. Hedwig

7:00am | †**Chuck Pagano, Sr.** 50th Wedding  
Anniversary Remembrance by Cheryl

Saturday, October 17, 2026 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm | †**Donald Paris** 1 Year Anniversary  
by wife Dolores and family

Sunday, October 18, 2026 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am | **Parishioners of Saint Paul Parish**

10:00am | †**Vittorio Cifaldi** 2nd Anniversary by family

12:00pm | **All Living and †Deceased First Responders**  
by Saint Paul Parish

BLESSED MOTHER CANDLES  
WILL BURN THIS WEEK FOR:

†**Grandma Joyce Seagren**  
Birthday Remembrance  
by Erika and William

†**John J. Lynch**  
by Mary Jane Lynch

†**Lina Berardozzi Keller**  
Rest in Peace  
by the Laviana family

†**Nestor Jose Dagna**  
by Maria F. Lauria and family

Mass will be celebrated for the intentions  
listed below by the Franciscan Friars  
Conventual at a time and location to be  
determined by the friars:

Monday, October 12

†**Souls in Purgatory** by Anna

Tuesday, October 13

**Happy Birthday** by John W.

 *In Loving Memory*

†**Michael Dornfried**

†**Lisa Keller**

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let  
perpetual light shine upon them. May their  
souls and the souls of all the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

## FRANCISCAN FRIARS

### Pastor

Fr. Michael Englert, OFM Conv.  
frmichael@stpaulkensington.org



### Parochial Vicar

Fr. Theodore Neculaes, OFM Conv.  
frtheodore@stpaulkensington.org



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Fr. Raymond Borkowski, OFM Conv.  
frraymond@stpaulkensington.org

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Fr. Martin Kobos, OFM Conv.  
frmartin@stpaulkensington.org

## PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

Those who have made the offering for the intention for each Mass are invited to present the bread and wine during the Offertory for that Mass. To do so, please arrive at least ten minutes before the start time of the Mass, go to the sacristy and let the sacristan know you would like to bring up the gifts. If no one comes forward by that time, others will be invited to present the gifts.

## HOSPITAL VISITS

Our friars will be happy to visit you or your loved one in the hospital at your request. Please call #860-828-0331 or email [ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org).

## PRAYER LINE

To make a prayer request through our Daughters of Jairus Prayer Line, please call Terry 860-828-6667 or Pat 860-305-0147 with your confidential request. Please give the first name of the person to be prayed for & the intention.

## JOINING OUR PARISH

Our next Registration Meeting will be on **Monday, Oct. 12 at 7 pm** in the Church Hall. If you plan to attend, please let us know by calling us at 860-828-0331 or email [ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org). We look forward to welcoming you!

## PARISH COLLECTION

**09/22/26 - 09/28/26**

|                           |                 |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| In Church Collection..... | \$ 9,782        |
| Office.....               | \$ 774          |
| Online Giving.....        | \$ 7,465        |
| <b>Weekly Total.....</b>  | <b>\$18,021</b> |

For information about  
Online Giving,  
scan or visit

Our Sunday Visitor at:

<https://www.osvhub.com/stpaulkensington/giving/funds>



Thank you for your continued generosity!

## A GLANCE AHEAD

TMIY! Men's Group Meeting, 7am.....Saturday, Oct. 10  
**Rosary for Life, 12pm.....Saturday, Oct. 10**  
 Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon, 1pm.....Sunday, Oct. 11  
*Columbus Day (Parish Office Closed)..... Monday, Oct. 12*  
No Mother's Rosary due to holiday.....Monday, Oct. 12  
**Eucharistic Adoration (all day).....Monday, Oct. 12**  
*See page 5 for signup link*  
 New Members Registration, 7pm.....Monday, Oct. 12  
 13th of the Month Rosary, 12pm.....Tuesday, Oct. 13  
 Prayer Shawl group, 1pm.....Tuesday, Oct. 13  
 Holy Hour, 4pm.....Tuesday, Oct. 13  
 Evening Rosary, 6pm, SHC.....Wednesday, Oct. 14  
 Quilters & Crafters group, 9am.....Thursday, Oct. 15  
 Mass Book Opens for Jan-Mar.....Thursday, Oct. 15  
 Trunk Or Treat.....Saturday, Oct. 17  
 Blue Mass, 12pm.....Sunday, Oct. 18  
 Mother's Rosary, 2pm on the Green.....Monday, Oct. 19  
 College Care Package-Packing Night.....Tuesday, Oct. 20  
**Baby Items Collection ends.....Sunday, Oct. 25**  
 Saint Paul School Open House, 1-3pm.....Sunday, Oct. 25  
 Youth Bible Study, 6:30 pm.....Tuesday, Oct. 27  
 Healthcare Presentation - see page 10.....Tuesday, Oct. 27  
**40 Days for Life Closing Mass.....Saturday, Oct. 31**  
 All Saints Day.....Sunday, Nov. 1  
 All Souls Memorial Mass, 12pm.....Sunday, Nov. 1  
 National Vocation Awareness Week..... Nov. 1-7  
 Rosary Makers, 1pm.....Monday, Nov. 2  
 First Friday.....Friday, Nov. 6  
 First Saturday.....Saturday, Nov. 7  
 Children's Rosary, SHC 10am.....Saturday, Nov. 7  
 Italian Night Dinner.....Saturday, Nov. 7  
 Women of Faith, 7pm.....Thursday, Nov. 12  
 Young Men's Evening of Reflection.....Friday, Nov. 27

## PARKING REMINDER

This is just a friendly reminder to please refrain from parking directly in front of St. Paul Church on Alling Street. The spaces in front of the church must remain open so that emergency vehicles can have quick and convenient access to the building in case of an emergency. Thank you!



Visit us online: [stpaulkensington.org](http://stpaulkensington.org)



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 @saintpaulparish\_youth



St. Paul Parish Kensington CT

### Next Week's Readings

**Oct. 18, 2026.** For readings online, visit <https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading>

**Reading 1:** Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

**Responsorial** Psalms 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10

*Give the Lord glory and honor.*

**Reading 2:** 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

**Alleluia** Philippians 2:15d, 16a

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

*May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ  
shine like lights in the world as you hold  
on to the word of life.*

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

**Gospel:** Matthew 22:15-21

The Pharisees went off and plotted how they might entrap Jesus in speech. They sent their disciples to him, with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are a truthful man and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. And you are not concerned with anyone's opinion, for you do not regard a person's status. Tell us, then, what is your opinion: Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?" Knowing their malice, Jesus said, "Why are you testing me, you hypocrites? Show me the coin that pays the census tax." Then they handed him the Roman coin. He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?" They replied, "Caesar's." At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God."

### October is the Month of the Holy Rosary



## BLUE MASS AND RECEPTION

**Next Sunday, Oct. 18, 12:00 pm Mass**

Join us for our 3rd Annual Blue Mass in honor and recognition of those who are actively serving as police, fire and EMS personnel, those who are retired from active service, and their families, friends and supporters.



★ Mass begins at **12:00 pm** on **Sunday, Oct. 18th**

★ **People of All Faiths Are Welcome**

★ **Dress Uniforms** are Preferred for First Responders in Attendance

★ **Submit a Photo of Your First Responder** to be included in our slideshow! Please email photos to [bluemass@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:bluemass@stpaulkensington.org)

A light reception will follow the Mass in the Church Hall. All are welcome. No need to RSVP.

Save the date, and plan to join us for this special event to honor our First Responders!

To join the planning committee, please contact Elaine at 860 463 9193 or [elaine@homesweethome.ct.com](mailto:elaine@homesweethome.ct.com).

## JOIN US TO PRAY THE ROSARY

**Wednesdays** at Sacred Heart Church from 6:00-6:30pm. Prayer booklets are provided. We also pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. All are welcome!

**Mother's Rosary** Every Monday at 2pm at the Pieta statue on the Parish Green (inside the church if raining.) All are welcome to join us in prayer. (Note that we will not meet on Monday, Oct. 12.)

**13th of the Month** at noon in St. Paul Church. Next gathering: Tues., Oct. 13.

**Children's Rosary** at 10am on the 1st Saturday of each month at Sacred Heart Church. Contact: [cherylbattery@att.net](mailto:cherylbattery@att.net) for details.

## PARISH PRAYER LIST

|                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| Bobby Adamowicz     | Sylvia Lococo      |
| Nancy Adamowicz     | Mary Jane Lynch    |
| Emile Albert        | Lisa Mangiafico    |
| Amara Alice         | Lorraine McCarthy  |
| Terry Anderson      | Jane McKechnie     |
| Elaine Andrews      | Joyce McMillan     |
| Lynn Cooley Bak     | Nancy Motulko      |
| Zulma Barbieri      | Lenny Mulrooney    |
| Wendy Blackmar      | Ann Marie Musshorn |
| Cheryl Brown        | Our Military       |
| Michael Vincent     | Bob Namnoum        |
| Bulawa              | Patricia O'Neill   |
| George Bushnell     | Esther Ouellette   |
| Marge Bushnell      | Beverly Oraczewski |
| Christopher C.      | Emma Pagano        |
| Mark Camilleri      | Judy Pappalardo    |
| Janet Carroll       | Steven Pavano      |
| Pearl Casey         | D. J. Pavasaris    |
| Billy Sean Chandler | Ada Payamis        |
| Jonathan Cheung     | David Peters       |
| Doug Clarke         | Joan Pinney        |
| Maureen Corr        | Marilyn Puopolo    |
| Arlene Cotrona      | Nicky Ragozzino    |
| Roger Coyle         | Barbara Rich       |
| Linda Cullen        | Paul Richard       |
| Lenny Cullen        | Christopher Roddy  |
| Martin Dagna        | Susana Romero      |
| Marie DeFazio       | Shirley Sansone    |
| Fr. Tony DeFronzo   | Oscar Seipel       |
| Kathleen DeLisa     | Raul Seipel        |
| Donna DeReciaos     | Chris Sloane       |
| Bruce DuPont        | Kevin Stanowski    |
| Alyssa Dutkiewicz   | Elizabeth Smulski  |
| Josefina Fernandez  | Claire Suzuka      |
| Diana Fitzpatrick   | Pat Swent          |
| Maureen Freeman     | Angelica Szczygla  |
| Alyssa Glaser       | Gabriel Szczygla   |
| Donna Gray          | Julia Winkler      |
| Linda Hannold       | Lucia Teodoro      |
| Evan Hill           | Aniela Tokarzewski |
| Joel Jakiel         | Catherine Trombley |
| Leo Jankowski       | Jeffrey V.         |
| Peter Jurgilewicz   | Steve Varano       |
| Deborah Kasper      | Scott Veley        |
| Wendy Kenzior       | Taylor Wachtarz    |
| Adam Krzynowek      | Lois White         |
| TJ Larkin           | Father Josh Wilbur |
| Maria Lauria        | Grace Winch        |
| Richard Lee         |                    |

To request that we add or remove a name from our Prayer List, please contact us at [ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org) or call 860-828-0331. Please be sure to ask for permission from the person to be added. Names will remain on the list for one full month. After one month, we ask that you please renew your request. Thank you for helping us keep our Prayer List up to date.

## THANK YOU TO ALL WHO CELEBRATED THE FEAST OF SAINT FRANCIS WITH US!

A sincere and heartfelt thank you to everyone who made the 2026 Fr. Joe Memorial Walk such a blessing. To all who supported the event through donations, t-shirt purchases and lunch orders, to everyone who came out to walk, and to the many volunteers who gave their time to plan, set up and run the day, we are very grateful. Your generosity and spirit truly honored Fr. Joe's memory.

Each year, the Committee prayerfully selects a charity to receive all proceeds from the event. This year, during the Jubilee Year of St. Francis, the Committee chose the **Franciscan Home Care and Hospice Care** agency (FHCHC) as the beneficiary. Its mission aligns with the "Celebrate Life" theme of our event, and it is especially fitting that we support this charity in Fr. Joe's name.

Many of us experienced Fr. Joe's special gift for ministering to people in some of life's most difficult moments: at the end of life of a loved one, during hospice care, or after having lost a loved one. He would often clear his busy schedule to offer spiritual comfort, prayer and personal support in times of need. Worldly concerns would fade away as he cared for those entrusted to him in these circumstances.



This legacy aligns with the faith-based care provided by the FHCHC. Their home health professionals specialize in caring for people who are elderly, disabled, chronically ill or terminally ill and who would benefit from care at home. The Franciscan Sisters of the Eucharist operate the agency, and we were blessed to have a few of the Sisters join us for the Walk on Sunday!

All proceeds from the Walk go directly to support this agency, including t-shirt sales, lunch orders and your generous donations.

**If you missed the Walk and would still like to donate,** you can Venmo @**St\_Paul\_Parish** with "Fr. Joe Walk" in the memo line. You can also contact the parish office at [ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:ourchurch@stpaulkensington.org) or 860-828-0331.



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Photos on next page & on our website.

*Pax et Bonum*

The Fr. Joe Memorial Walk Committee

## ST. FRANCIS WEEKEND

See more photos on our website



## 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Now through October 31

Our annual 40 Days for Life campaign is underway and will continue through October 31. Please join us in our efforts to support a culture of life!

**Rosary for Life** Sat., Oct. 10 at 12pm on the Green

**Eucharistic Adoration** Monday, Oct. 12, 7:30am~7:30pm in St. Paul Church. **To sign up for an hour of Adoration**, visit our website or scan here-

**Closing Mass (4pm) & Laying of Flowers**

Sat., Oct. 31 following 4pm Mass at the Memorial to the Unborn

**Baby Item Collection** Sept. 26 ~ Oct. 25. See below!



### PREGNANCY CENTER WISH LIST

Clothing – New or gently used

Food Items – Please check expiration dates

#### Diapering and Bathing Supplies

- Diapers Newborn to Size 6 and Wipes
- Diaper Rash Cream/Diaper Bags/Changing Pads
- Baby Towels/Wash Cloths/Shampoo/Body Wash
- Baby Lotion/Grooming Kits

#### Feeding Supplies

- Bibs/Burping Cloths/New Baby Bottles & Sippy Cups
- New Cereal Bowls/Feeding Utensils
- Baby Cereal/Fruits/Vegetables
- Baby Dinners/Snacks/Juices

#### Clothing and Bedding

- Separates and Outfits (especially 0 – 12 months)
- Booties and Socks/Sleep Sacks/Footed Sleepers
- Receiving Blankets/Crib Blankets/Baby Quilts

Walmart Gift Cards are also greatly appreciated as they can be used for new equipment with free delivery.



Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Pierogi Sale in the coming weeks! Stay tuned for more information.



Our Women of Faith group will gather on Thursday, Nov. 12 at 7pm in the Church Hall. The topic is *Walking with Jesus in ways to do His work*. Contact us at [womenoffaith@stpaulkensington.org](mailto:womenoffaith@stpaulkensington.org).



## St. Francis Weekend

As we honored the life of St. Francis, we encouraged our young people to think about how they too can live a peaceful, simple, humble life according to the plan God has for them.

On Friday Oct. 2nd, several teens participated in our **Transitus Service**, a special Franciscan tradition that commemorates St. Francis' passing from this life into eternity.



God blessed us with great weather and a full crowd for our **YM Kick-Off Event** on Sunday, Oct. 4th. Thank you to all those who walked the Fr. Joe Memorial Walk with us and to all who participated in the Kick-Off Event fun which included making (and eating) Creation Cupcakes, making St. Francis commitments, doing a Franciscan scavenger hunt, raffling off prizes, and even helping "Build a Church" (or two). Most of all, we celebrated the life of St. Francis in community together. See more photos on our website!



## YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

### CARE PACKAGES!

We miss our young adults who are away from home! Our college students are deep in their studies, and we want to send them some love and encouragement for midterms. If you have a college student, or a military service/working professional young adult who is away from home, be sure to sign them up to receive a Care Package. **Signups end FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16.**

We are still collecting **donations** to fill these packages as well, and we are still in need of several items. If you can help, be sure to sign up. Scan the code below. (Online readers, [click here](#).)

### ALL HALLOW'S HIKE

The air is crisp, and we are ready to walk in the steps of holiness. Join us Halloween morning for YM's **Saintly Strides Hallow's Day Hike with Father Theodore**. All you need is a clear mind, walking shoes, and an open heart. Come wearing something representing your favorite saint, or come dressed as your favorite saint! Grab a friend and join in this fun faith filled journey. The hike will be on **Saturday, October 31st at 10am**. Sign up on our YM page using the QR code below.

### WONDERFULLY MADE!

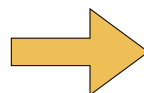
We are all created purposefully. Come spend an evening learning about the ways God calls us to respect all stages of life. We will get together to do a Walking Rosary and to hear from a special speaker, and of course we'll have fun with games and snacks too. Join us on **Thursday October 15th at 6:30pm**. Bring your friends, Rosary beads if you have them, and a **donation for our Baby/Maternity Items Collection** for the 40 Days of Life collection. See page 6 for the list of items. Sign up with the code below.

### YOUTH BIBLE STUDY

Our Youth Bible Study continues this month as we dig deeper in the Gospel of Matthew. Join us Tuesday, **October 27th** for the next meeting. Sign up below!

To RSVP for any of our Youth Ministry events, visit our YM page or scan here.

Follow us on Instagram!  
**@stpaulparish\_youth**





## ITALIAN NIGHT!

**Saturday, November 7**  
**Saint Paul School Gym**  
**Following the 4:00 pm Mass.**

**Tickets for our annual Italian Night Dinner are now on sale. Get your tickets before the event sells out!**

**Tickets** can be purchased online (scan below\* or visit our website) or by contacting Betty Lasker at (860) 992-8390. \*QR code below is now updated and active.

The menu for this year's dinner: Garden Salad, Bread, Pasta and Meatballs. The entrees will be plated and individually served. In response to feedback from our guests, the amount of food has been scaled back, and the price of each ticket has been lowered to \$20.

Guests are invited to enjoy the happy hour prior to the dinner by bringing their choice of hors d'oeuvres and beverages.

Purchase tickets individually, or in tables of 8, 9, or 10.

**All proceeds will benefit our Youth Ministry Program!**



## LADIES' GUILD FUNDRAISER

### Boscov's Coupons

The Ladies Guild's first fundraiser of the year will be their **Boscov's annual 25% coupon sale**. For \$5.00 you can purchase a coupon that will allow you to get up to 25% off on many items both in the store and online. Members of the Ladies' Guild will be selling the coupons at the entrances of the church this weekend, October 10/11. Proceeds are used, not only to support the activities of the Guild, but also to support **scholarships for the school and special purchases for the parish and church such as new vestments for the friars.**



The next meeting of the Ladies' Guild will be on November 4 at 6:30 pm. We will meet in the church for an All Soul's Mass for our members who passed away during this past year.

Food pantry donation : Thanksgiving food items

## CHILDREN'S CHOIR STARTS THIS WEEK!

### Rehearsals on Tuesday evenings

**PARENTS:** Your child is invited to join our Children's Choir. It is a great way for your child to experience the joy of singing and to participate in the liturgy. Our choir is for children in Grades 1-6. Rehearsals: Tuesdays, 6:00-6:30pm in the church. Performances: Children's Masses during the year, a Mass during the Christmas season, and the Greccio Concert December 13. Sign up on the parish website or scan the QR code. **The first rehearsal will be Tuesday, Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.**



## YOUNG MEN'S EVENING OF REFLECTION

### Friday, November 27 at 5:00 pm

**Young Men of Faith:** Strengthen yourself for the spiritual battle ahead. This night is for you - don't miss it! Join us on **Friday, November 27<sup>th</sup>** at 5:00 pm, right here at St. Paul. Register using the QR code or email: [EveningOfReflectionRegister@gmail.com](mailto:EveningOfReflectionRegister@gmail.com)

- Dinner
- Brotherhood
- Fellowship
- Spiritual Reflection
- Discernment
- Prayer



## HAND-CRAFT MINISTRIES

Our parish is blessed to have several ministries for those who are creative and crafty! All are welcome to come join us, whether you're new to the craft or want to learn!

**Rosary Makers:** Monday, Nov. 2 at 1pm in the Church Hall.

**Prayer Shawl Ministry:** Tuesday, Oct. 13 at 1pm in the Church Hall. We knit/crochet beautiful shawls to provide comfort and consolation for those who are going through a difficult time. For information contact Jeanne: 860-913-9023 or jcharb21@gmail.com.

**Quilters and Crafters:** Weekly on Thursday mornings from 9am-11am in the Church Hall. Those with a different craft or who want to learn how to quilt/sew are welcome to join us!

## FAITH FORMATION



### GOD IS OUR LOVING FATHER

It is a very special year for our 3<sup>rd</sup> graders as they prepare to receive the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion. In their first class, they learned that:

- Each person has an invisible soul, which gives us life and will never die.
- God created the angels to be his messengers and helpers.
- God gave us free will.
- As a result of Adam & Eve's sin in the garden, each of us suffer the effects of Original Sin, which includes a fallen nature and a broken relationship with God.
- Because of his love for us, God promised to send a savior to reconcile the world to himself.

Please keep these and all of the children in our Faith Formation program in your prayers.

## SAINT PAUL SCHOOL

### FUN RUN!

A heartfelt thank you to our families, teachers, staff, grandparents, parishioners, and friends for your support of our 2026 Fun Run! Rooted in faith and united for our students—together, we make incredible things happen!



### October 19: What to Expect in Kindergarten

*Prospective PK4 families can attend this special presentation and hear from Mrs. Lavoie to learn about our curriculum.*

**Save the Date for our Open House!**  
**Sunday, October 25 from 1:00-3:00 pm**

### SAINT PAUL SCHOOL

Kelly Esposito  
Admissions Director  
860-828-4343 x113  
admissions@stpaulkensington.org

Apply/learn more on our admissions page:  
<https://spslions.org/admissions>

Visit our website at **spslions.org!**





## HEALTHCARE PRESENTATION

Did you know there are over 1,000 people in CT on a waiting list for kidney/liver transplants?

The Hartford Healthcare Transplant Team will be here at St. Paul on Oct. 27 to give a special presentation on kidney disease, organ transplants and more. Join us to learn about the transplant process and how you can become a live donor.

Please RSVP!  
Scan below or  
visit our website.



**Tuesday**  
**October 27, 2026**  
**6:30 pm**  
**Church Hall**

This event is sponsored by  
our Culture of Life Ministry.

## WORD SEARCH

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| LUKE     | WOMAN  | BLESSED | HEAR    |
| GOSPEL   | CROWD  | WOMB    | WORD    |
| JESUS    | CALLED | THOSE   | GOD     |
| SPEAKING |        |         | OBSERVE |

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