



God's love knows no barriers. St. Pascal's...where all people matter.

Welcome! We hope you enjoy your time with us. Whether you are just visiting or looking for a parish home, it's great to have you with us. Whatever your life circumstances, wherever you have been or whatever has happened in your life, you are welcome here. Please join us in Brioschi Hall after Mass for hospitality and to find out more.

SEPTEMBER 29, 2019 | TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

For Jesus, there are no countries to be conquered, no ideologies to be imposed, no people to be dominated. There are only children, women and men to be loved.

HENRI NOUWEN

World Day of



**MIGRANTS
REFUGEES**



For more information visit <https://migrants-refugees.va/resource-center/world-day-of-migrants-refugees-2019/>

Mass Times

Saturday 4:30 PM | Sunday 8:45 & 10:30 AM (ASL) | Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 AM | Wednesday 9:30 AM

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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



You are invited to a **Blessing of the Animals Sunday, October 6 at 12 noon in the church parking lot near Door 3 (Flandreau Street entrance)**. Bring your dog, cat, bird or other pet animal for the blessing. This blessing is in honor of St. Francis of Assisi whose feast day is October 4. Saint Francis is the patron saint of animals, ecology and merchants.



Catholic Services Appeal Update as of September 19, 2019

St. Pascal Baylon Parish Goal:	\$51,951.00
Amount collected:	\$43,545.00
% of Goal collected:	83.82%
Number of Gifts:	107

In response to the Gospel call to serve the poor and spread the Good News, the Catholic Services Appeal Foundation of the Saint Paul and Minneapolis Area (CSAF) works as Christ's hands and feet throughout the 12-county area. An independent non-profit foundation, the CSAF focuses solely on supporting 20 designated outreach ministries. Partnering with these ministries, we help those in need: the hungry, the orphan, the sick, suffering, dying and grieving, the imprisoned, evangelizing Catholic youth and college students, and strengthening families.

The Catholic Services Appeal Foundation offers options for one-time and recurring gift options:

1. **One-time gift.** This is a gift that would be made one time and can be made by cash, credit card or personal check.
2. **Installment gift.** This is a monthly recurring gift. The payment plan would be 10 monthly payments. Reminders are sent monthly.
3. **Credit Card Gifts.** These gifts can be made by credit card as either a one-time gift or a recurring gift.
4. **Automatic Bank Withdrawal Gifts.** These gifts can be automatically deducted monthly from your checking account if you provide the CSAF with a voided check.

The Catholic Services Appeal Foundation offices are located at 12805 Highway 55, Suite 210, Plymouth, MN 55441

Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM; Telephone: 612.294.6622. You may also give online at <https://csafspm.org/>.

God Bless You,

Father John Mitchell

Are You Called to Proclaim the Word of God?

Do you have the gift of proclamation? Are you a lover of Scripture? If so, you are invited to our upcoming training for proclaimers. This ministry involves proclaiming the first and second readings from Scripture during Mass or reading the general intercessions. The training will take place in two parts:

Sunday, October 13, 11:45 AM-12:45 PM

and your choice of **one** of the following:

Saturday, October 12, 10:00-11:30 AM

Tuesday, October 15, 6:30-8:00 PM

Please register for these sessions by contacting Keri Mader at keri.mader@stpascals.org or 651.432.4957.

What Does Our Banner Represent to You?

The banner that sits above the choir area of our church during summer Ordinary Time was painted by parishioner Carmen Johnson. It is entitled, "Come Follow Me" and Carmen describes it as follows: "We come from different places and times in our lives but gather in communion around the hand of God. We then follow Holy Wisdom into the world." That being said, Carmen points out that it is a meditation piece and open to interpretation. What does it mean to you?

Anointing Masses

The sacrament of Anointing will take place during all Masses the weekend of October 12/13. All who suffer from something that places your well-being at risk, whether physical, mental, or spiritual, are invited to celebrate this sacrament within our community liturgy.

Healing Mass for Friends in Recovery

Saturday, October 5 at 10:00 AM

Fr. Jim Livingston presides at a Healing Mass for Catholic alcoholics, for alcoholics who are not members of our faith, for all those who love them and for non-alcoholics who are concerned with the illness of alcoholism and wish to join with us in prayer. Complimentary chili lunch follows in Brioschi Hall. No RSVP is necessary. All are welcome! *Sponsored by the Twin Cities Calix Society.*

— In Christ We Live Forever —

Please remember in your prayers...

Irena Weigler

who was recently buried from our church. We extend our sincere sympathy to her family and friends, and pray for her soul's eternal peace.

World Day of Migrants & Refugees 2019—What is your ancestry?

In honor of the 105th World Day of Migrants and Refugees on Sunday, September 29, we want to celebrate the great diversity of our parish. Please stop at the ancestry map in our Gathering Space and pin your country or countries of origin, whether recent or long ago.

We come from all corners of the earth to worship together as one Body of Christ!

— REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS —

Washington D. C. Fundraisers

Help support our 7th & 8th grade students who are working hard to raise funds for their Washington D.C. trip in May.

Middle School Grocery Bagging

Saturday, October 5 from 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sun Ray Cub Foods, 2197 Old Hudson Road
 You need groceries—they need tips to apply to their trip. What more can we say?

Culver's Night is Back!

Monday, September 30 from 5:00 to 7:00 at the Sun Ray Culver's on Old Hudson Road
 The first Culver's Night of the 2019-2020 school year is nearly here! St. Pascal's will receive 10% of all sales during that time frame—come and join us for an evening of food, fun and fellowship.

First Wednesday Mass & Dessert Marian Center St. Paul—200 Earl Street

Wednesday, October 2 at 1:30 PM
 We share free desserts with our St. Pascal friends after the 1:00 PM Mass. Come and enjoy time with some of your parish friends. Invite anyone who might be interested in seeing folk from St. Pascal's.

Mass is celebrated at 1:00 PM each Day at Marian Center

Get Involved at Marian Center

We need Spiritual Care Volunteers and Eucharistic Ministers for those who cannot attend our daily Mass. We also need outing escorts, 1:1 visitors/befrienders for lonely residents, nail painters, activity assistants and more. please contact Jackie Bruns at jackie.bruns@bhshealth.org or 651.793.2116.

Ignation Volunteer Corps

Share your skills, wisdom and life experience in direct service to those who are poor. In return for a commitment of 1- 2 days a week with a local service site, the IVC provides guidance for personal reflection and prayerful conversation with other IVC volunteers monthly. Together, we hope to see God in all things and grow in our faith. For additional information, please call Kathleen Groh at 651.777.0991 or e-mail kgroh@ivcusa.org.

St. Pascal's Men's Club Annual Booya—Come early, it goes fast!

Sunday, October 13 from 10:00 AM until pots are empty
 \$4 per 12 oz. scoop. Containers are available—or bring your own.
 Individual servings will available in the cafeteria.

Proceeds will purchase the equipment/supplies for the St. Pascal Regional School K-8 PhyEd program, uniforms for extra-curricular sports activities, and other parish and regional school needs.

— OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

Dig Deeper Into Your Faith

Are you interested in digging deeper into your faith and learning more about Catholicism? Lifelong Catholics and those seeking to join the Catholic faith or complete their sacramental journey are invited to join us on Wednesday, October 9 from 6:30-8 pm in the Founders Room. We will discuss images of God, who God is, our perceptions of God, and how these change based on life experience. All are welcome, Catholics and those curious about the Catholic Church. For more information contact Kim Roering in the parish office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA is available to any person seeking full membership into the Catholic Church. Each year adults, youth, and children who want to convert from a different faith tradition or finish their sacramental initiation come together to learn about the church through prayer, formation, and liturgy. It is an initiation process for:

- Adults who have never been baptized
- Adults who have been baptized but have not completed initiation sacraments of Eucharist and/or confirmation
- Adults who have been baptized in another faith tradition and wish to become Roman Catholic
- Children over the age of 7 who have not been baptized

For more information, please email Dcn. Richard Moore at richard.moore@stpascals.org or contact Kim Roering at kim.roering@stpascals.org or 651.774.1585, ext. 128.

Listening House

St. Pascal's supports the Eastside-Listening House—dubbed the living room of the homeless—by donating men's and women's socks, underwear and tee-shirts. Men's jeans and sweatpants are also needed. Please, no mugs! Place these items in the marked boxes in the donation closet. *This is an ongoing ministry of the Women's Club.*

C O N T A C T U S

Parish Office

Phone 651.774.1585
 Email church@stpascals.org
For after-hours pastoral emergency (death, dying or anointing): Call the parish office.

Parish Office Hours

September 3, 2019-June 5, 2020
 Mon-Fri 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Holidays as announced

Parish Councils

Parish Pastoral Council
 Meetings 1st Tuesday at 6:30 PM

Parish Finance Council
 Meetings 4th Thursday at 6:30 PM
Cindy Reisdorf, Chair

St. Pascal Regional Catholic School

Phone 651.776.0092
 Email icollierpaske@stpascalschool.org

School Office Hours

September 3, 2019-June 5, 2020
 Mon-Fri 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Sacramental Information

Reconciliation

Saturday at 3:45 PM (and by appointment)
Communal celebrations as announced

Baptism

Pre-baptismal classes are required. To register for classes or to schedule a celebration, call the parish office.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made with the pastor at least six months in advance of the desired date.

Parish Prayer Line

8:00 - 10:00 AM 651.735.0004
 Mary Butler-Levine
 4:00 - 6:00 PM 651.774.3248
 Pat Kackman

Parish Communication

Bulletin Notices

Due 3:00 PM Monday
thea.munoz@stpascals.org

Mass Announcements

Due 3:00 PM Tuesday
keri.mader@stpascals.org

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St. Pascal Baylon Catholic Church

Mass Times & Intentions

Readings

September 29, 2019

Tuesday, October 01

8:00 AM + Jim Brown

Wednesday, October 02

9:30 AM The people of the parish

Thursday, October 03

8:00 AM The people of the parish

Friday, October 04

8:00 AM Men's Club

Saturday, October 05

4:30 PM The people of the parish

Sunday, October 06

8:45 AM + Lillian Miller

10:30 AM + A deceased member of the parish

Heart Questions

The Rich and the Poor

There was a rich man and at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table.

Luke 16:19-21

Adults: What are the "rewards" of caring for the needs of the poor?

Kids: What is one thing you and your family could do this week to help those who are poor or sick?

The Clothesline Project

MN Coalition of Battered Women

Saturday, October 5-Friday, October 11

In keeping with St. Pascal's hosting of domestic violence training awareness last year and the parish's work on sex trafficking, St. Pascal's is hosting The Clothesline Project. The mission of The Clothesline Project is to educate students and the community that violence is a problem everywhere, help is available, and that there is hope and a path to healing. The Clothesline is made up of t-shirts created by survivors of violence or created in honor of someone who has experienced violence.

The Clothesline Project provides evidence that incest, domestic violence, and sexual violence exists in our communities. It is a visual reminder of statistics that we often ignore. It gives a voice to those who have been forcibly silenced. Hopefully, it stirs us to action. Information on how to recognize and prevent violence, to reach out to survivors, and make a difference in the community is provided at the display. Most importantly, this project provides survivors with a venue to courageously break the silence and make us aware. This Clothesline Project is a tribute to them. Visit www.clotheslineproject.info for more information.

If you are experiencing violence of any kind and need help, please speak to Bonnie Steele at 651.432.4959 or Fr. John Mitchell at 651.432.4956. We want to support you and we want you to be safe.

Sunday:

Am 6:1a, 4-7

Ps 146:7-10

1 Tm 6:11-16

Lk 16:19-31

Monday:

Zec 8:1-8

Ps 102:16-23, 29

Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday:

Zec 8:20-23

Ps 87:1b-7

Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday:

Neh 2:1-8

Ps 137:1-6

Mt 18:1-5, 10

Thursday:

Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12

Ps 19:8-11

Lk 10:1-12

Friday:

Bar 1:15-22

Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9

Lk 10:13-16

Saturday:

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29

Ps 69:33-37

Lk 10:17-24

Next Sunday:

Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4

Ps 95:1-2, 6-9

2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14

Lk 17:5-10

THE WEEK AHEAD

Visit us at www.stpascals.org for more information on upcoming events.

Saturday & Sunday, September 28 & 29

Celebrating World Day of Migrants & Refugees

Saturday, September 28

5:30pm Eucharistic Minister Training: CH

Sunday, September 29

9:45am Eucharistic Minister Training: CH

11:30am Eucharistic Minister Training: CH

Monday, September 30

5:00pm Culvers Night: Sun Ray Culver's

6:30pm Boy Scouts 294: SL

Tuesday, October 1

9:00am Visitation for Thomas Trcka

10:30am Funeral & Luncheon for Thomas Trcka

6:30pm Pastoral Council: SL

Wednesday, October 2

9:00am Rosary: CH

9:30am School Mass—All are welcome!

1:00pm Marian Center Mass & Dessert: Marian Ctr of St Paul

6:30pm Choir: CR

6:30pm Faith Formation: Campus

Thursday, October 3

7:00pm Men's Club Board Meeting: CF

7:00pm Social Justice & Caring Committee: FR

Friday, October 4

No scheduled events

Saturday, October 5-Friday, October 11

Clothesline project for those who have been affected by violence

Saturday, October 5

8:00am Set up for Mass & lunch (Calix Society): CH, BH, Kit

10:00am Healing Mass & Lunch (Calix Society): CH, BH, Kit

10:00am Middle School Grocery Bagging: Sun Ray Cub

5:15pm Cub Scout Popcorn sales: GS

Sunday, October 6

After Masses Cub Scout Popcorn sales: GS

12:00pm Confirmation 2: OC

12:00 Blessing of Pets: Outside main church doors

MEETING LOCATION KEY:

BH: Brioschi Hall, CF: Cafeteria, CH: Church, CR: Choir Room, FR: Founders Room, GS: Gathering Space, OC: Old Church, SL: Staff Lounge

Most Reverend Harry Joseph Flynn, retired archbishop of the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis, passed away the evening of Sunday, September 22 at age 86. Funeral arrangements are as follows:

Sunday, September 29

Saint Mary's Chapel, Saint Paul Seminary, Saint Paul

5:30 PM Reception of the Body

6:00 PM Evening Prayer

6:30 PM - 7:00 AM (Monday) Public Visitation / Vigil for the Deceased

Monday, September 30

Saint Mary's Chapel, Saint Paul Seminary, Saint Paul

7:00 AM Morning Prayer

7:30 AM Transfer of the body to Cathedral of Saint Paul

Monday, September 30

Cathedral of Saint Paul, Saint Paul, MN

8:00 - 11:00 AM Public Visitation

11:00 AM Mass of Christian Burial

Following Mass: Transfer of the body to Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota Heights. Rite of Committal and Burial at cemetery.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A **FIRE WATCHER?**

St. Pascal's is in the process of replacing our fire alarm system. This process will take approximately three weeks and, during this process, the alarm system, strobes and horns will be deactivated. According to St. Paul city code, whenever a fire alarm system is deactivated, a person must be on duty as a "Fire Watcher" whenever there are people in the building. This person cannot have any other duties and their sole job is to patrol the building, keeping an eye out for signs of fire. In the unlikely event that a fire is detected, the "Fire Watcher" simply calls 911 and quickly notifies the groups in the building so the building can be evacuated.

We have people in place for the school day and evenings, but we are in great need of people to volunteer as "fire watchers" at the following times:

Monday-Friday from 3:00-6:00 PM

September 30-October 4
October 7-11

Monday-Tuesday from 3:00-6:00 PM

October 14-15

Saturday Masses from 4:00-6:00 PM

October 5 & 12

Sunday Masses from 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

October 6 & 13

You may sign up for as many or as few dates as you would like. If you would be available to help out during any of these days and times in the next couple of weeks, please contact Mike Kelleher, Director of Facilities, at mike.kelleher@stpascals.org.



Being a Fire Watcher is easy...and it's good exercise!

Compassion Kits

FOR THE UNSHELTERED

A typical Compassion Kit consists of a watertight **gallon-size zipper lock plastic bag** filled with small or sample-sized items like:

- Water bottle
- Socks
- Gloves
- Tuna and crackers
- Granola Bar or cereal bar
- Fruit snack or applesauce cup
- Crackers with peanut butter or cheese
- Gift certificate to fast food
- Hand wipes
- Pack of Kleenex
- Ibuprofen
- Tylenol
- Cough drops
- Maxi pads
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Nail clippers
- Band Aids
- Chapstick
- Comb or small brush
- Mints, cough drops or gum

Look for the completed Compassion Kits in the coat room within the next few weeks.

Thank you for your generous response to help the unsheltered in our community. Please keep them—and all the men, women, and children who have no place to call home—in your prayers.