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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.

AUGUST 22, 2021 | TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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TASTE AND SEE
God’s goodness.
Psalm 34

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**FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK**

Be careful of scammers. Recently a St. Pascal Baylon parishioner informed me that she received the following Email message from someone claiming to be “Fr. John Mitchell”:

> Hello
> Are you unoccupied? Get back to me via mail. I need favor from you.

**Blessings.**

This email message was sent by a scammer. I did not send that email message to her. The parishioner thought the email looked suspicious, and she did not respond to it. I expect if she had responded back to the sender (who was not the real me and had created an email account using my name), then the scammer would have asked her for financial help, or to purchase a gift card, or to send money. Be careful of suspicious emails. I will not send you an email asking for financial help, and I will not ask if you are ‘unoccupied’, nor will I ask if you can help me to help someone else in financial difficulty. If you receive suspicious emails or text messages, I recommend that you disregard them and delete them. Let us pray for people who steal and swindle; may they have a change of heart and use their intelligence and talents for honest purposes that help people rather than harm them. Let us pray for victims of financial scams who are often vulnerable and very trusting of people who express a need or ask for a favor. Let us also pray for law enforcement workers, technology company workers, cyber security workers and others who help keep us safe from fraud, scams and other crimes.

**On a happier note, I had a nice mini-vacation to Iowa last week.** I visited one of my seminary classmates in the Archdiocese of Dubuque who is the pastor of five (5!) parishes. I am very thankful to be at St. Pascal Baylon Parish where I am the pastor of one parish, on one campus, in one location with such wonderful people that you are. The corn and other crops that I observed during my four-hour drive there and back looked reasonably good. I pray that all farmers have a good harvest. I expect that many of them are having a difficult growing season with the drought conditions.

**Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for August 2021: The Church.** Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

**Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for September 2021: An Environmentally Sustainable Lifestyle.** We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

God Bless You,
Father John Mitchell

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**Baptized in Christ**

We welcome into our community of faith

Fiona Carol Brady
child of Patrick and Megan

who was recently Baptized in our church.

May God bless this household of faith.

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**In Christ We Live Forever**

Please remember in your prayers...

Marian Koenig
Dylan Martinez

who were recently buried from our church. We extend our sincere sympathy to their families and friends, and pray for their souls’ eternal peace.

**Catholic Relief Services: Help for Haiti**

The massive 7.2 magnitude earthquake that hit Haiti last week killed nearly 1,300 people and death toll numbers are increasing. When you give, you provide immediate assistance for our Haitian sisters and brothers desperate to survive this devastating situation. Your help will deliver immediate relief. Visit Catholic Relief Services at [https://support.crs.org/donate/haiti-earthquake](https://support.crs.org/donate/haiti-earthquake).
### Mass Times & Intentions

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<td>+ Stephen Flottmeyer</td>
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<td>+ Edward Graw</td>
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<td>+ Fr. Marino Limbag</td>
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### Readings

**August 22, 2021**

**Sunday:**
- Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b
- Ps 34:2-3, 16-21
- Eph 5:21-32
- Jn 6:60-69

**Monday:**
- 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10
- Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b
- Mt 23:13-22

**Tuesday:**
- Rv 21:9b-14
- Ps 145:10-13, 17-18
- Jn 1:45-51

**Wednesday:**
- 1 Thes 2:9-13
- Ps 139:7-12b
- Mt 23:27-32

**Thursday:**
- 1 Thes 3:7-13
- Ps 90:3-5a, 12-14, 17
- Mt 24:42-51

**Friday:**
- 1 Thes 4:1-8
- Ps 97:1-2b, 5-6, 10-12
- Mt 25:1-13

**Saturday:**
- 1 Thes 4:9-11
- Ps 98:1, 7-9
- Mt 25:14-30

**Next Sunday:**
- Dt 4:1-2, 6-8
- Ps 15:2-5
- Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27
- Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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### Stewardship of Giving

*Financials for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2021—June 30, 2022*

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**Mortgage**
- Loan Balance (as of 06.31) $3,190,301.46
- Collected Donations $314,223.78
- Monthly Mortgage Pmt $309,302.80
- Surplus $4,920.98
- Reserve Account Balance $207,301.47

*Thank you for your support!*

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### THE WEEK AHEAD

**Sunday, August 22**
- After Masses
- Hospitality Sunday: Brioschi Hall
- After Masses
- Women’s Club Book Sale: Brioschi Hall

**Monday, August 23**
- No scheduled events

**Tuesday, August 24**
- No scheduled events

**Wednesday, August 25**
- 11:15am Rosary: Church
- 6:30pm Finance Council: Zoom

**Friday, August 27**
- 5:00pm Wlodarczyk/Hepp Rehearsal

**Saturday, August 28**
- 2:00pm Wlodarczyk/Hepp Wedding

**Sunday, August 29**
- No scheduled events

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### St. Pascal’s Fun Bowling Mixer

The League is looking for regular season and sub bowlers for the 2021/2022 season. This is a non-sanctioned league of mixed couples (male/female), bowling at 6:30 PM every other Sunday at Sun Ray Lanes, starting August 29. For more information or to sign-up, please email Richard Hoffman at rjhoffman43@msn.com or call him at 612.554.6579 (cell). It’s a good time, join us!!

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### ARCHDIOCESAN SYNOD

**What You Need to Know About Synod Small Groups This Fall**

Be part of the Synod process that will shape our local Church. In small groups this fall, our parish will:

1. **Pray** for God’s guidance on how we can more vigorously proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ!
2. **Learn** the Church’s wisdom on the Synod focus area topics.
3. **Discuss** your perspective and ideas with other parishioners.
4. **Respond** with your feedback on Archdiocesan priorities to proclaim the Good News in our culture today.

Mark your calendar for Monday evenings from 6:30-8:30 PM on Tuesday mornings from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM starting September 20 at our parish. Small groups will gather for 6 weeks. See more at archspm.org/synod.

Registration will be available (but not required) beginning August 22 by going to the Sign Up Genius link on the parish website or calling the parish office. See more at archspm.org/synod or contact Kim Roering at kim.roering@stpascals.org or 651.432.4958.

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### REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS

**St. Pascal—Our Preschool Students GROW!**

We believe in the development of the whole child—mental, physical, academic and spiritual. Each day our children are immersed into purposeful play where they build critical thinking skills, develop fine and gross motor skills, practice self-help skills and engage in building social skills with other children. It is amazing to see what they can learn through intentional play that presents our curriculum to 3- and 4-year-olds in a way they will learn and grow! Come! Take a peek and learn more! www.stpascalschool.org.