

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.

JULY 3, 2022 | FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Jesus Sends Out His Disciples. In the Gospel of Luke, we have two episodes where Jesus sends out his followers on a mission to cure the sick and to proclaim that the Kingdom of God is at hand. The first episode is in Luke 9:1-6 when the Twelve Apostles are sent out. In the Gospel reading this weekend (Luke 10:1-12), Jesus sends out seventy-two other disciples to cure the sick and proclaim the Gospel. Jesus teaches the seventy-two disciples in Luke 10:4 to trust that God will provide for them (carry no money bag, no sack, no sandals) and to travel with urgency (greet no one along the way). Travelling in this manner would probably test the faith of these disciples but also strengthen their faith as they see the Gospel working and living through them. There are people in the world today who dedicate their life's work to serving the sick and bringing the good news of God's love to the world: lay women and men, religious sisters and brothers, missionaries and priests. Even if we do not travel to other parts of our country and world as a missionary to help others in the name of the Gospel, each one of us can be a missionary in our own neighborhood, workplace, school and community. You may have seen these words on a small sign as you exit the door of some churches: "You are now entering the mission fields". I like that sign and the reminder it gives. All of us are missionaries in the sense that through our baptism we are called to proclaim the Gospel in the world. In our missionary witness of God's love, the Holy Spirit guides our words and actions. Furthermore, as Paul writes in Galatians 2:20, "I have been crucified with Christ; yet I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me". As we go out into the world this week, I invite us to remember that we are missionary disciples who are sent by Jesus Christ to bring the Good News of God's salvation and Christ's love to a hungry world, and we are accompanied and empowered by the Holy Spirit.

Welcome to Father Bob Hart and Father Phil Rask this weekend of July 2-3. This weekend we welcome Father Hart to preside at the 4:30 PM Mass on Saturday and Father Rask to preside at the 8:45 and 10:30 AM Masses on Sunday. Father John is out of town on vacation.

Fall Festival, Sunday, October 9. We are having our Fall Festival on Sunday, October 9 from 11:30 AM - 4:00 PM. We will have the raffle, craft room, theme baskets, food and more! Watch the bulletin and *Pascal's Pulse* for more information.

The Pope's Monthly Intentions. Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father's request and to join with many people worldwide in praying for this intention each month. From time to time, the Holy Father may add a second prayer intention related to current events or urgent needs.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for July 2022: *Families.* We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

God Bless You,

Father John Mitchell

Faith in Action: Catholic Social Teaching

Catholic social teaching is often referred to as one of the best kept secrets of the Catholic Church. In fact, those very teachings are the ones that call us to action. They call us to meet the needs of others, especially those outside our parish walls. By meeting those needs, we put our faith into action. During June we focused on Care for God's Creation. Did you do at least one of the suggested activities? In upcoming Faith in Action announcements, we will focus on other aspects of Catholic social teaching and offer specific actions you may consider taking. Brought to you by the Social Justice and Caring Committee.

— SOCIAL JUSTICE & CARING —

July Collection:

Merrick Community Services

Merrick's mission is to support individuals and families to navigate life transitions, find health and stability, and promote independence. Merrick upholds their Mission by providing services through their Food Shelf, Meals on Wheels, and Employment and Family Services. Their most needed items include:

- Bath soap
- Dish detergent
- Laundry soap
- Tissue
- Shampoo and/or conditioner
- Paper towel
- Sponges and/or wash cloths
- Household cleaning items and/or disinfectant spray
- Hand sanitizers
- Masks
- Body soap
- Lotion

Place items in the donation closet, located off the coat room, before and after Masses until July 31. Thank you!

Beacon Interfaith Housing Collaborative:

East Metro Development Preview

On Thursday, June 23, St. Pascal's Beacon team along with several parishioners, metro congregations, local residents, and politicians attended Beacon's East Metro Development Preview. It was announced that their next plan to build deeply affordable supportive housing will be in Maplewood's Gladstone neighborhood. This project will be called Gladstone Crossing and will create homes for about 40 young families. Lots of positive energy and overwhelming support was received for this project, which should be completed within 3-5 years.

Call to Action:

- 1. Secure \$600,000 in fundraising efforts.
- 2. Secure land use and zoning rights at future Maplewood City Council meeting.

Stay tuned for more information. Questions? Contact Ann Karner at akarner24@gmail.com or Julie Moore at 0109jmm@gmail.com.

[&]quot;How you do life is your real and final truth, not what ideas you believe."

[—]Richard Rohr, *Breathing Underwater*

REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS

Faithful Beginnings Preschool

St. Pascal Regional Catholic School provides a Faithful Beginnings preschool program for children as young as 33 months. Our program provides a warm and welcoming environment that is filled with engaging hands-on activities that challenge each child to learn and grow. We are blessed to be able to provide a faith-filled program that embraces each child. We offer part-time and full-time programs for children as well as an extended day program available until 5:30 PM. Call the school office at 651.776.0092 or visit stpascalschool.org for more information on enrollment.

Weekly Rosary—All Summer Long!

The gentle repetition in the Rosary is meant to lead one into restful and contemplative prayer related to each Mystery—Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous—and to help us to enter into the silence of our hearts, where Christ's spirit dwells.

Join us every Wednesday at 9:00 AM in the church to pray the Rosary together. All are welcome!

Free Subscriptions The Catholic Spirit

If you would like to receive a FREE subscription to *The Catholic Spirit*, delivered to your home twice a month, please fill out the form below and return it to the parish office. You may also contact Theresa at 651.432.4960 or theresa.ruttger@stpascals.org.

NAME

STREET ADDRESS / APT #

CITY / STATE / ZIP

You must be a registered parishioner of St. Pascal's to receive this offer

FAITH FORMATION

Pre-Baptism Session

Monday, July 25 at 6:30 PM

Parents interested in having their child baptized at St. Pascal's are asked to participate in one formation session prior to baptism. Pre-registration is required. To register for a session or schedule the celebration of a baptism, contact Kim Roering in the parish office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA is available to any person seeking full membership in 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 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, contact Kim Roering in the parish office at 651.774.1585 ext. 128 or kim.roering@stpascals.org

Looking for an Angel with a Cargo Van

Much of the food that is distributed at the Fishes and Loaves Food Pantry at Progressive Baptist Church comes through a food rescue program where drivers collect food at various markets and deliver it to the pantry. The food is then checked for freshness and distributed. The pantry could really use a pre-owned cargo van in good condition. While an outright donation would be wonderful, it may be possible to pay a reasonable price.

If you can be the angel who has such a van or knows of someone who would be able to help, please contact Rev. Paul Johnson at revpauljohnson@gmail.com.

National Night Out—Save The Date!

Tuesday, August 2 from 6:00 - 8:00 PM

All are invited to our second celebration of National Night Out at St. Pascal's in the Flandrau Street (main church) parking lot. There will be music, food, and fun! Our neighbors will also be invited to join us. If you are interested in helping with the event, please email Mary Weyandt, mlweyandt@mac.com. Watch for more details to come! Sponsored by the Parish Life and Activities Committee and the Social Justice and Caring Committee.

CONTACT US

Parish Office

Phone 651.774.1585 Email church@stpascals.org For after-hours pastoral emergency (death, dying or anointing), call 651.774.1585 and dial 1.

Parish Office Hours

Mon-Fri 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Holidays as announced

St. Pascal Regional Catholic School

Phone 651.776.0092 Email icollierpaske@stpascalschool.org

School Office Hours

Mon-Fri 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Parish Councils

Parish Pastoral Council

Meetings 1st Tuesday at 6:30 PM Mary Weyandt, Chair

Parish Finance Council

Meetings 4th Thursday at 6:30 PM *Mike Aeling, Chair*

Sacramental Information

Reconciliation

Saturday from 3:45-4:15 PM or contact Fr. John in the parish office Communal celebrations as announced

Baptism

One pre-baptismal session is required. To register for a pre-baptismal session 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 5:00 PM Monday thea.munoz@stpascals.org

Mass Announcements

Due 3:00 PM Tuesday john.mitchell@stpascals.org

Like, follow & share us on Facebook: St. Pascal Baylon Catholic Church Readings July 3, 2022

THE WEEK AHEAD -

Tuesday, July 5

8:00 AM + Fr. Dennis Evenson

Wednesday, July 6

8:00 AM + Barbara O'Connor

Thursday, July 7

8:00 AM The people of the parish

Friday, July 8

8:00 AM The people of the parish

Saturday, July 9

4:30 PM + Isaac Romero

Sunday, July 10

8:45 AM The people of the parish

10:30 AM + Bob & Lorraine Winkel

Use Your Smartphone to Make a Donation to St. Pascal's!

- Scan this QR code with your phone.
- 2. Open the secure link.
- 3. Follow the prompts.
- 4. Thank you!



Sunday:

Is 66:10-14c Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20 Gal 6:14-18 Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

Monday:

Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22

Ps 145:2-9

Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday:

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13 Ps 115:3-10 Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday:

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 Ps 105:2-7 Mt 10:1-7

Thursday:

Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9 Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16 Mt 10:7-15

Friday:

Hos 14:2-10 Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17

Mt 10:16-23 Saturday:

Is 6:1-8 Ps 93:1-2, 5 Mt 10:24-33

Next Sunday:

Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37 Col 1:15-20

Lk 10:25-37

Stewardship of Giving

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

May 2022

Sunday Giving

Giving \$ 81,748.61 YTD Giving \$ 665,290.28 Budgeted \$ 73,364.58 YTD Budgeted \$ 656,845.84 Surplus \$ 8,384.03 YTD Surplus \$ 8,444.44

Mortgage Reduction (as of 05.31.2022)

Loan Balance: \$ 3,027,062.70 Principal: \$ 13,308.47 Interest: \$ 9.152.58 Monthly Payment \$ 22,461.05 YTD Collected Donations \$ 286,306.46 YTD Payment: 247,071.55 Surplus 39,234.91 Reserve Account Balance: \$ 226,915.48

of payments from Reserve: 10

Thank you for your support!

Sunday, July 3

No scheduled events

Monday, July 4—Independence Day

Parish office closed—Have a fun and safe holiday!

Tuesday, July 5

No scheduled events

Wednesday, July 6

9:00am Rosary: Church

7:30pm Men's Club Softball: Brioschi Hall

Thursday, July 7

6:30pm SJCC: Zoom

Friday, July 8

No scheduled events

Saturday, July 9

11:00am Parish Service Project: Feed My Starving Children, Eagan

Sunday, July 10

11:45am Baptism (Guzman family): Church

Monday, July 11

7:00pm Women's Book Club: Staff Lounge

Tuesday, July 12

No scheduled events

Wednesday, July 13

9:00am Rosary: Church

7:30pm Men's Club Softball: Brioschi Hall

Thursday, July 14

No scheduled events

Friday, July 15

No scheduled events

Saturday, July 16

2:30pm Baptism (Majeski family): Church

After Mass Fellowship: Brioschi Hall

Sunday, July 17

After Masses Fellowship: Brioschi Hall

St. Pascal's Women's Book Club

Monday, July 11 at 7:00 PM

Drop in and check out the St. Pascal's Women's Book Club on Monday, July 11. We meet in the Staff Lounge located near the Conway Street entrance at 7:00 PM on the 2nd Monday of each month. You can come as often as your schedule allows. This month we will discuss Marion Dane Bauer's *Sunshine* and on August 8 we'll share Alexis Hall's *Rosaline Palmer Takes the Cake*.

Heart Questions Accepting the Christian Message

Jesus said to the disciples, "Whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near."

—Lk. 10:10-11

Adults: Where do you see the message of Christian faith being rejected in the world today? What is your response to that?

Kids: What can you do when you are generous with others, and they do not want what you give them?