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 17, 2022  |  SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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website: www.stpascals.org  I  email: church@stpascals.org
FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK

20 volunteers needed: Visit our neighbors to invite them to National Night Out. We are looking for 20 volunteers to go out in pairs in the next two weeks to the 10 neighborhood blocks that surround our campus to invite our neighbors to our National Night Out gathering in the Flandrau Street parking lot on Tuesday, August 2, from 6:00 – 8:00 PM. I have created maps of the 10 neighborhood blocks that are located within one block of our church campus. There are 20-25 homes in each of these city blocks. If you would like to visit the homes in one of the 10 neighborhood zones and you have someone to go with you, then stop by the table in the Gathering Space after Mass this weekend and pick up a map with a block of homes to visit, and also pick up from the table a stack of 20-30 National Night Out flyers with information about the event. The two of you will visit the homes in your assigned zone and knock on the doors or ring the doorbell, and if the person answers the door, please introduce yourselves and then say something like this: “We are from St. Pascal Baylon Church, and we are hosting a National Night Out gathering in our church parking lot on Tuesday, August 2nd, and we want to invite you to join us! The event is free, and we will have music, food, prizes, fun and a chance to meet the neighbors that live in our neighborhood.” If the person does not answer their door, you can leave the flyer in their door.

Tree Trench and Rain Garden Project Update. We await a start date for the parking lot project funded by the Ramsey Washington Metro Watershed District (RWMWD) in our Flandrau Street parking lot. The project includes the installation of three trees on the western side of the parking lot and a rain garden on the northwest corner. The project will start once RWMWD receives the construction permit for the project, and the permit application is taking longer than expected. Before summer began, we knew the tree trench and rain garden installation would limit some of the available space in our parking lot for our National Night Out gathering on August 2 and temporarily limit our parking spaces, but we felt the project was worth it for the benefit it will give to our environment. What is that benefit? The tree trench and rain garden will slow down and filter about one inch of rainfall off the impervious surface of our parking lot. As the rainfall soaks into the tree trench and rain garden, this is considered the first flush of rainfall and captures the most pollutants. Without any treatment, this rainwater carries all the pollutants into the Mississippi River. The tree trench and rain garden will remove phosphorus, suspended solids, and other pollutants that are in the rainwater that falls on the parking lot.

Welcome to Barb Uschold Anderson who will be joining our parish staff beginning Monday, July 18 as Pastoral Associate for Pastoral Care. We look forward to working with Barb in the parish office and in ministry throughout the community.

Next weekend, July 23-24, we will have a visiting missionary priest, Father Ferdinand Okafur, with us to preach at all the weekend Masses. Father Okafur is from the Diocese of Auchi in Nigeria. Father Okafur comes to us through the Missionary Cooperation Plan (MCP) that we participate in each year through the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis.

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

SOCIAL JUSTICE & CARING

Faith In Action
Respecting the Dignity of All Persons: Mothers and Children
As a faith community that respects life from conception to natural death, it is worth considering supporting agencies like Options for Women East which is just down White Bear Avenue from our parish. This group provides both pre-natal and post-natal assistance for mothers and their babies until the child is one year old. The food distribution programs our parish supports here and at Progressive Baptist Church and our work for housing through Beacon Interfaith Housing Collaborative also work to treat all people with dignity. Do we only give lip-service to supporting life or do we help those who are struggling, especially families with children?

Volunteer at St. Pascal’s
Monday, July 25, from 2:00-5:00 PM
St. PascaI’s/Merrick Food Distribution
Tuesday, August 2, from 6:00-8:00 PM
National Night Out
Also, check out Fr. John’s column in this week’s bulletin for details about helping out by distributing NNO flyers to our neighbors. If you are interested in helping out for either (or both) dates, please email Mary Weyandt at mary.weyandt@mac.com. You won’t want to miss out on these great community-building opportunities!

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.

Find a complete list of needed items in last week’s bulletin, on the door of the donation closet or at stpascals.org/social-justice-and-caring-committee.

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

Baptized in Christ

We welcome into our community of faith
Hailey Pearl Guzman
child of Jonathan and Ashley
who was recently Baptized in our church.
May God bless this household of faith.
REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS

Davanni's Fundraiser: Middle School Washington D.C. Trip & Mid-summer Reading Challenge Check-in

Come have dinner on Wednesday, July 20 from 4:00 - 8:00 PM at the Eastside Davanni’s on White Bear Avenue to support the St. Pascal Regional Middle School Washington D.C. trip. Davanni’s will donate 20% of their total sales to the students that night. Please make sure to mention St. Pascal Regional when you order or take the flyer in this week’s bulletin with you. Gift card and take out purchases count towards the total.

Also, students and families of St. Pascal Regional can stop by school on July 20 from 4:00 - 5:30 PM to show us how much of their summer reading challenge they have completed, play with friends and get a treat!

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.rutiger@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 to schedule the celebration of a baptism, please contact Kim Roering in the parish office.

Faith Formation Registration 2022-23

Wednesday Evening Faith Formation

Open to all children of St. Pascal’s who attend public schools. Forms are available on the parish website. Note that there are 3 forms to be completed:
1. FAMILY INFORMATION FORM (1 per family)
2. INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION FORM (1 per child enrolling)
3. SOCIAL MEDIA AND ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION PERMISSION (1 per child enrolling)

Registrations are due August 1! Please register early to help us allocate appropriate space and materials for each group. Fees will not be collected until after August 1.

First Reconciliation and First Eucharist

Children in grade 2 and older during the 2022-23 school year whose families belong to St. Pascal’s are welcome to prepare for and celebrate First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Registrations are due August 1! Registration forms and information are now available on the parish website. For more information contact Kim Roering in the parish office.

DRIVE UP FOOD SHELF AT PROGRESSIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

If you or someone you know need emergency food items, all are welcome to visit the food shelf curbside drive-up every Saturday from 10:30 AM – Noon. No residency or parish membership requirements.

“Faith is not for overcoming obstacles; it is for experiencing them—all the way through.”
—Richard Rohr, Radical Grace: Daily Meditations by Richard Rohr

Fall Festival Is Back!

Save the Date! Sunday, October 9 from 11:30 AM – 4:00 PM
Activities will include a delicious meal (eat-in or take-out), cash raffle, theme baskets, craft room and more, all on one level!

Craft Room: Want to share your handiwork? Donated hand-made items will be sold to Festival attendees, with all the proceeds going to St. Pascal. Make one item or a dozen using yarn, fabric, paper, clay, wood or any of your preferred materials. Please contact Sue Kubiak at 651.779.9083 or suekubiak@gmail.com if you have questions.

CONTACT US

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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 icolliepasske@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
Ann Karner, 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 Ackerman

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

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

**Stewardship of Giving**

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

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Thank you for your support!

**Readings**

*July 17, 2022*

**Sunday:**

- Gn 18:1-10a
- Ps 15:2-5
- Col 1:24-28
- Lk 10:38-42

**Monday:**

- Mi 6:1-4, 6-8
- Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16b-17, 21, 23
- Mt 12:38-42

**Tuesday:**

- Mi 7:14-15, 18-20
- Ps 85:2-8
- Mt 12:46-50

**Wednesday:**

- Jer 1:1-4
- Ps 71:1-4a, 5-6b, 15, 17
- Mt 13:1-9

**Thursday:**

- Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13
- Ps 36:6-7b, 8-11
- Mt 13:10-17

**Friday:**

- Sg 3:1-4a
- Ps 63:2-6, 8-9
- Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

**Saturday:**

- Jer 7:1-11
- Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11
- Mt 13:24-30

**Next Sunday:**

- Gn 18:20-32
- Ps 138:1-3, 6-8
- Col 2:12-14
- Lk 11:1-13

**THE WEEKS AHEAD**

**Sunday, July 17**

- After Masses: Fellowship: Brioschi Hall, Kitchen

**Monday, July 18**

- 6:30pm: AFF Meeting: Zoom

**Tuesday, July 19**

- No scheduled events

**Wednesday, July 20**

- 9:00am: Rosary: Church
- 7:30pm: Men’s Club Softball: Brioschi Hall

**Thursday, July 21**

- No scheduled events

**Friday, July 22**

- No scheduled events

**Saturday, July 23—Missionary Appeal Weekend**

- No scheduled events

**Sunday, July 24—Missionary Appeal Weekend**

- No scheduled events

**Monday, July 25**

- 8:30am: Welcome Rite & Visitation (Rita Fleischhacker): Chapel, Gathering Space
- 10:00am: Funeral & Lunch (Rita Fleischhacker): Church, Brioschi Hall
- 1:00pm: Merrick Setup: Brioschi Hall
- 3:30pm: Merrick Food Distribution: Flandelau lot
- 6:30pm: Pre-Baptism Session: Founders Room

**Tuesday, July 26**

- No scheduled events

**Wednesday, July 27**

- 9:00am: Rosary: Church
- 7:30pm: Men’s Club Softball: Brioschi Hall

**Thursday, July 28**

- No scheduled events

**Friday, July 29**

- No scheduled events

**Saturday, July 30**

- No scheduled events

**Sunday, July 31**

- 11:45am: Baptisms (Balasamo-Oehrlein family): Church

**Heart Questions**

**Holy Visitors**

*Jesus said to Martha, “There is need of only one thing, Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her.”*  
—Luke 10:42

**Adults:** Which response to God’s call is more natural to you—prayer or action? Why?

**Kids:** In the past week, when have you prayed and when have you done good things for others? Which could you do better?

“*We are made exactly as God wants us to be. We only need to lift our minds above Earth’s empty sorrows so that we can rejoice in the Divine joy.*”  
—Julian of Norwich, Revelations of Divine Love
DO YOU WANT A NIGHT OFF COOKING?

ST PASCAL'S DAVANNI'S NIGHT
WEDNESDAY, JULY 20TH
4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

DAVANNI'S ST PAUL-EAST SIDE
310 WHITE BEAR AVENUE, ST PAUL, MN 55106

MENTION OR SHOW THIS FLIER AND 20% OF YOUR TOTAL ORDER BEFORE SALES TAX WILL BE DONATED TO OUR SCHOOL FOR OUR 7TH AND 8TH GRADE WASHINGTON TRIP!

GOOD ON DELIVERY, EAT IN, TAKE OUT AND GIFT CARDS!