

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.

AUGUST 7, 2022 | NINETEENTH 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

The Catholic Services Appeal Foundation (CSAF) conducts an Annual Appeal to fund 20 Designated Ministries within the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis that no one parish can support on its own. Here is an update on our progress towards our Parish goal as of July 22, 2022:

St. Pascal Baylon Parish Goal:	\$ 39,982.00
Total Pledged:	\$ 23,465.00
% of Goal Pledged:	59%
Total Received:	\$ 21,725.00
% of Goal Received:	54%

The Designated Ministries supported by the Appeal are: Abria Pregnancy Resources, American Indian Ministry, Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women, Campus Ministry-Newman Center, Campus Ministry-St. Paul's Outreach, Catholic Charities, Deaf Ministry, Elementary Catholic School Funding, Elementary Catholic School Scholarships, Evangelization, Catholic High School Scholarships, Hospital Chaplains, Latino Ministry, Marriage and Family and Life, Prison Ministry, Rachel's Vineyard, Seminarian Tuition Assistance and Room and Board, Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Venezuelan Mission, and Youth Ministry. You can give online to the Catholic Services Appeal at csafspm.org or call The Catholic Services Appeal Foundation office at 612.294.6622.

Other items:

The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is Monday, August 15. We will have one Mass on August 15 at 8:00 AM. The Assumption occurs on a Monday this year, and it is not a holy day of obligation. At the same time, it is a solemnity and a good day to celebrate Mass.

I will be taking vacation time from Sunday afternoon, August 21 to Tuesday evening, August 23 to visit my priest classmate, Father Dennis Quint, who recently became the pastor of the Cathedral of St. Raphael in Dubuque, Iowa. He spent the last 12 years as the pastor of the Basilica of St. Francis Xavier in Dyersville (the home of the Field of Dreams). While I am visiting Iowa, there will be no 8:00 AM Mass here on Tuesday morning, August 23.

I should learn by the end of August whether the Lilly Foundation has granted my sabbatical funding request. My sabbatical leave is planned for September-November 2023. If our parish receives the grant funding, there will be free activities here while I am gone to help you grow in your spiritual, mental and physical health: a free spiritual book, a creative painting event, and a talk on healthy eating. The grant will also help with my travel costs and continuing education program costs in Rome at the North American College. During my sabbatical leave, Father Bob Hart has agreed to cover the Masses and other sacramental needs at St. Pascal Baylon.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for August 2022: Small Businesses. We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating and serving their communities.

God Bless You,

Father John Mitchell

Hello from Pastoral Care Associate, Barb!

As your new Pastoral Associate for Pastoral Care, I am eager to visit with parishioners and get to know you better! I invite you to please contact me at the parish office if you, your loved one, or perhaps a parishioner neighbor/friend would like a visit, especially if you are not able to come to church regularly due to health or age constraint. When you're not able to get to church, the Church will come to you! If you find yourself or loved one hospitalized or recovering, please reach out to me to receive a visit/Eucharist while you are recuperating. Contact Barb Uschold Anderson, at the parish office: 651.774.1585 x129.

Eucharistic Ministers Fall Schedule

It is time for the next schedule to be done. Many thanks to those of you who feel comfortable continuing this ministry. If you opted out of the previous schedules, but now feel ready to be back in serving, thank you for doing that. If you would like to join this ministry, please contact Joann or the parish office. Please check your calendars for September, October, and November, and let Joann know of your availability. She needs those dates by August 16 If you have questions or want more information you may contact Joann at 651.735.2762, or joann.bertini@gmail.com

Funeral Lunch Ministry

Thank you to all who generously bake desserts for funeral lunches. Starting in August, Chris Igielski will be calling for desserts. She will be joining Shirley Brown who has done the calling for many years. Please welcome Chris and thank Shirley for her dedicated service.

Would you like to join this ministry?

Please call Chris at 651.336.1274 or Cindy Reisdorf at 651.774.2800. It involves bringing a dessert (cookies, bars or cake to serve 12-24) to St. Pascal's on the day of a funeral.

Fellowship Weekend

Saturday & Sunday, August 20 & 21 Join us in Brioschi Hall for coffee, donuts and juice after both Masses on Sunday—sit down and visit a while or take yours to go. For the Saturday night crowd, we have treats-to-go to show our appreciation for you!

Paper and Plastic Bags Needed

While the use of reusable grocery bags is ideal, it is not always possible. Give your clean large paper grocery bags and your plastic grocery bags new life. Drop them in the parish donation closet off the Gathering Space and they will be used by the food distribution programs here at the parish and at Progressive Baptist Church.

"Humanity, take a good look at yourself. Inside, you've got heaven and earth, and all of creation. You're a world—everything is hidden in you."

—Hildegard of Bingen.

Baptized in Christ —

We welcome into our community of faith
Vivian Dianne Balsimo
Douglas Mitchell Balsimo
Jaxson Lawrence Balsimo

who were recently baptized in our church. May God bless this household of faith.

Children of Preston and Lauren

REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS

Enroll Today!

First and foremost, our families, faculty, and staff make us special! It is through our shared commitment to the mission of faith, gospel values and academic excellence that we come together to serve our students, our parish and our community. Our dedicated and caring staff work closely with parents and students to foster a lifelong love of learning, and our close-knit, familyoriented atmosphere provides a warm and environment where lovina lasting friendships are made and our students thrive. At St. Pascal Regional Catholic School, we serve all. We place special emphasis on serving others within our school, our parish and our community. From our kindergarten students to our 8th-grade students, from our faculty and staff to our parents, we heed God's call to serve one another in a variety of ways. Visit www.stpascalschool.org website to apply!

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

— SOCIAL JUSTICE & CARING —

Call to Family, Community and Participation

A Call to Family, Community and Participation is the second theme of Catholic Social Teaching. Both sociology and Catholic teaching state that we humans are social beings by nature. Few people are called to be hermits. This is why we tend to form families, either biological or families by choice. It is also why we live in communities, both small and large. Take some time this week to look closely at your family. What do you see? When you look at the larger community to which you belong, what do you see? How are you being called to be part of your family or community? How do your family and community benefit from your presence? How are you growing in holiness in your family and in your community? Are there relationships that may be calling for healing?

Donation Closet

August Collection: Fishes and Loaves Food Pantry at Progressive Baptist Church

During August, food will be collected to help support the Fishes and Loaves Food Pantry at Progressive Baptist Church. We will be collecting the following items for Fishes and Loaves:

- Canned Fruit
- Canned Vegetables
- Cereal

Please place items in the donation closet, located off the coat room, before and after Masses from August 1-28.

For over a year parishioners from St. Pascal's have been volunteering at the Fishes and Loaves Pantry, and they can always use more help! Every Friday they pack food from 9:30 AM – 12 Noon, and on the first and third Saturdays of each month they distribute food. For more information contact Ann Karner at akarner24@gmail.com.

St. Pascal's Women's Book Club—Monday, August 8 at 7:00 PM

The St. Pascal's Women's Book Club meets on the 2nd Monday of each month in the Staff Lounge near the Conway entrance. You can come as often as your schedule allows—we are happy to have you join us as you can.

This month we'll share thoughts about *Personal Librarian*, an historical novel about J. P. Morgan and his library, co-written by Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher. Then, on September 12, we'll discuss *Pull of the Stars* by Emma Donoghue.

Young at Heart Mass & Luncheon—Thursday, August 25 at 11:00 AM Attention Men and Women 55-plus

Father John will celebrate the Eucharist with us at 11:00, followed by a short meeting. After our meal we will enjoy a music program presented by our neighbors from Woodbury Lutheran Church. Many of you will remember how we enjoyed the *Woodbury Lutheran Kitchen Band* when they entertained us several years ago. Mark your calendars and we will look forward to seeing you! For reservations call Betty Hensel at 651.714.8958 or Linda Spence at 651.730.9061.

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 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 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

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Tuesday, August 09

8:00 AM

Robert & Jacqueline

Cowden

Wednesday, August 10

8:00 AM Women's Club

Thursday, August 11

8:00 AM Doug Horrisberger

Friday, August 12

8:00 AM + Don Hensel

Saturday, August 13

4:30 PM + Jim Stach

Sunday, August 14

8:45 AM + Susan Korf

10:30 AM The people of the parish

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

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



Sunday

Wis 18:6-9 Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22 Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 Lk 12:32-48

Monday

Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c

Ps 148:1-2, 11-14

Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday

Ez 2:8-3:4 Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131

Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday

2 Cor 9:6-10 Ps 112:1-2, 5-9

Jn 12:24-26

Thursday

Ez 12:1-12

Ps 78:56-59, 61-62 Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday

Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 (Ps) Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6

Mt 19:3-12

Saturday

Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32 Ps 51:12-15, 18-19

Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10 Ps 40:2-4, 18

Heb 12:1-4

Lk 12:49-53

Stewardship of Giving

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

June 2022

Sunday Giving

Giving \$ 70,222.83 Budgeted \$ 63,764.58

YTD Giving \$ 792,110.24 YTD Budgeted \$ 784,375.00

Surplus \$ 6,458.25 YTD Surplus 7,735.24

Mortgage Reduction (as of 06.30.2022)

Loan Balance: \$ 3,027,062.70 Principal: \$ 12,224.87 Interest: \$ 10,236.18 \$ Monthly Payment 22,461.05 YTD Collected Donations 310,408.87 YTD Payment: 269,532.60 \$ Surplus 40,876.27

Reserve Account Balance: \$ 218,008.16

of payments from Reserve: 10

Thank you for your support!

Sunday, August 7

No scheduled events

Monday, August 8

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

Tuesday, August 9

No scheduled events

Wednesday, August 10

9:00am Rosary: Church

Thursday, August 11

No scheduled events

Friday, August 12

No scheduled events

Saturday, August 13

No scheduled events

Sunday, August 14

Baptism (Dybvig family): Church 11:45am

Monday, August 15—Assumption of Mary

8:00am **Holy Day Mass**

6:30pm Adult Faith Formation Committee Meeting: Zoom

Tuesday, August 16

Ministry Leadership Meeting: Brioschi Hall 6:30pm

Wednesday, August 17

9:00am Rosary: Church

Thursday, August 18

No scheduled events

Friday, August 19

No scheduled events

Saturday, August 20

After Mass Fellowship: Brioschi Hall

Sunday, August 21

After Masses Fellowship: Brioschi Hall 11:45am Baptism (Rog family): Church

Heart Ouestions Running the Race of Faith

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clinas so closely. and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

—Hebrews 12:1-2a

Adults: Other than Jesus, which of the ancestors of Christian faith has served as the greatest example to you? Why?

Kids: Which person of the Bible has been a good example to you of how to live?

St. Pascal's Legacy Society

Planned Giving—Options for leaving a legacy to St Pascal's. One particularly tax-efficient way to make a bequest is to donate part or all of your regular individual retirement account to charity by designating a charity as a beneficiary. Leave a legacy of faith. Consult with your tax advisor. If you want more information on St. Pascal's Legacy Society, please call Theresa Ruttger at the parish office at 651.774.1585 or talk to a member of the Legacy Committee—Ellen and Mike Aeling, Susan Hommes, Joe Sullivan, and Brigid O'Malley.

THEME BASKETS ARE BACK!







THE FALL FESTIVAL IS COMING— TIME TO START CREATING THEME BASKETS TO DONATE!

Individuals, families and groups are invited to contribute to this festival favorite. Create a basket around any theme you like—the only limit is your imagination!

FEELING CREATIVE?

Here are some ideas to get you started...

Games | Movies | Sports | Craft Supplies | Wine | Chocolate | Spa | Cat/Dog Lover | Books | Cooking/Baking | Superheroes | Princesses | Legos | Knitting | and more!

If you need a basket, we will have a limited number of various sized baskets available after Masses on August 13 & 14. If you have a basket to share, bring it in that day!

LACKING TIME OR CREATIVITY BUT WANT TO HELP?

- Beginning August 13 & 14, the donation tree will be in the Gathering Space after Masses. Just take a leaf from the tree and contribute the item, gift card, or cash noted and we will use them to create baskets.
- Ask your employer or other business owner to donate a gift basket with their products or a gift card for their services. Please include their contact information, so we can add them to our list of sponsors.

Theme baskets will be on display in the Gathering Space and chances will be available for purchase after Masses beginning September 5 & 6.

If you have questions, contact Carla Hibbison at carla.hibbison@gmail.com or 651.900.3180.

ST.PASCAL REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ANNUAL SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE



Let's go! GET READY FOR SCHOOL

DONATIONS ACCEPTED IN THE GATHERING SPACE OR AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE AUGUST 7TH-31ST

ST.PASCAL REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ITEMS MOST NEEDED:

- Crayola Classic Color Wide Markers
- Crayola Classic Color Thin Markers
- Watercolor Paints in a Tray
- Colored Pencils
- Highlighters
- Mechanical Pencils
- Black Permanent Markers
- 3 Ring Binder Pencil Bags
- Colored Post-Its
- Spiral Notebooks
- 5oz Dixie Cups
- Construction paper

HELP STUDENTS GET READY FOR SCHOOL

DONATIONS ACCEPTED IN THE GATHERING SPACE OR AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE (M-F; 8AM~1PM)