



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.

SEPTEMBER 4, 2022 | TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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



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

Prayer for a New School Year.

Lord God, thank you for a new school year and opportunities to learn and grow. Bless all students, families, school staff and teachers in the year ahead. Help us to love unconditionally, be filled with joy, remain peaceful and patient, be kind to others, and walk in goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen. (source: flourishingtoday.com)

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 August 26, 2022:

St. Pascal Baylon Parish Goal.....	\$ 39,982.00
Total Pledged.....	\$ 24,565.00
% of Goal Pledged.....	61%
Total Received	\$ 23,885.00
% of Goal Received.....	60%

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.

Reminder: Weekday Mass Times (September 6, 2022 - June 9, 2023)

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 8:00 AM

Wednesday at 9:30 AM (Regional School Mass)—parishioners welcome!

No Mass Monday

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.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for September 2022: *For the abolition of the death penalty.* We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

God Bless You,

Father John Mitchell

Adult Faith Formation—Fall 2022 Bible Study Interest Form

The Adult Faith Formation Committee is looking into having bible studies once again after our lengthy pause due to Covid. The decision to move forward will be based on interest level and the availability of people willing to serve as facilitators. (Training for facilitators will be provided!)

The fall study would be *Living for a Just Society* from the *Six Weeks with the Bible* series published by Loyola Press. It is described as follows: "God is always working to bring about social justice in the world, and He invites us to join him. Living for a just society encourages each of us to take a more active role in social justice, across the street and around the world."

If you are interested in participating in a fall bible study, fill out the simple, 3-question form at stpascals.org/adult-faith-formation. Please reply by September 19. Thank you for your input!

— SOCIAL JUSTICE & CARING —

Faith in Action: The Dignity of Work

With the approach of Labor Day, we are reminded that the economy must serve people, not the other way around. All workers have a right to productive work, to decent wages, and to safe working conditions. When we purchase goods and services, how often do we consider who made those things? What were the conditions in which those producing the goods and services must work? These thoughts should go beyond our geographic boundaries. What are the moral implications of purchasing items made by child labor in other countries? This week look at the items you purchase. Think about those who produced those items. Faith in action includes prayer. Say a prayer for those who have contributed to satisfying your needs and wants. Have a blessed and safe Labor Day Weekend.

Housing Forum

A Vision for Home: Urging Minnesota's Leaders to Champion Housing

September 13, from 7:00-8:30 PM (via Zoom)

Beacon Interfaith Housing is sponsoring a forum to come together and discuss the importance of housing for all in this election cycle—and beyond. Learn how to take meaningful action together at *A Vision for Home*. We need housing stability across every community in Minnesota. This is a call to bring St. Pascal Baylon parishioners together to demonstrate support for the bold solutions of Bring it Home Minnesota! Visit stpascals.org/parish-news to register by Zoom! Once you register, a Zoom link will be sent to your email confirmation.

To learn more about Beacon Interfaith Housing, visit beaconinterfaith.org.

— Baptized in Christ —

We welcome into our community of faith...

Rowan Dady Fitzgerald
child of Kelly

Henrik David Dybvik
child of Nathan and Elizabeth

who were recently Baptized in our church.
May God bless these households of faith.

— In Christ We Live Forever —

Please remember in your prayers...

Liz Kamish

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.

— REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS —

St. Pascal Regional Preschool is hiring!

As a growing program, we are looking to add to our teaching staff. We are hiring full or part-time teachers. Experience is preferred but we will train. Contact Kay Hannon at khannon@acamn.org or 612.424.6217 to learn how you can share your gifts with our wonderful preschoolers.

— SOCIAL JUSTICE & CARING —

September Collection:

Listening House of St. Paul

Listening House is a day shelter and community center located at 464 Maria Avenue in St. Paul (in the lower level of the First Lutheran Church). It provides hospitality, practical assistance, and counsel to people who are unsheltered or in need. Items needed include:

- Men's jeans, sizes 32-38
- Women's jeans, sizes 4-10
- Sunblock and bug spray
- Short and long-sleeved T-shirts
- Tube socks
- Sweatshirts and hoodies
- Backpacks and duffle bags with WORKING zippers
- Women's NEW underwear, sizes S-XL
- Men's NEW boxer briefs, sizes M-XL

Place items in the donation closet, located off the coat room, until September 25. Thank you for your generosity.

A New Choir Year Is Set to Begin—Come and lend your voice to beauty!

Studies say that singing together is good for the human spirit...St. Pascal's music ministry invites you to consider taking your place with others to grow your voice, your ministry, and be a part of a delightful group of singers. In just a few weeks St. Pascal's choir will be gathering again. If you have ever even thought about becoming a member or would like to just have a conversation about joining the group, please give Sharon a call at 651.774.1585.

The first rehearsal date is September 14, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM, in the Church.

St. Pascal's Parish Fall Festival—Sunday, October 9 from 11:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Only FIVE weeks until our Fall Festival! Come to the festival and enjoy a delicious chicken dinner catered by Tinucci's (dine-in or take-out) with pie by the slice available for dessert. Pricing and more details to come!

Theme Baskets: Do you have any empty large metal coffee cans or large clear plastic jars (think Cheese Puffs at Costco/Sam's Club)? We need some for the Theme Basket Tickets. Please leave them (with lids) in the Donation Closet. Contact Carla Hibbison at carla.hibbison@gmail.com or 651.900.3180 if you have questions.

Craft Room: Share your hand-made items, which will be sold to Festival attendees. Make one item or a dozen! Contact Sue Kubiak at suekubiak@gmail.com or 651.771.9085 if you have questions. All proceeds go to the parish.

Jewelry Boutique: Get a "Sneak Peek" of the best of the new Jewelry Boutique after all Masses on September 17-18. Beautiful necklaces, bracelets, pins and earrings donated by members of the Women's Club will be available for sale. All proceeds go to the parish.

Giant Sweepstakes Raffle: Tickets will be mailed to all parishioners in September.

— FAITH FORMATION —

Pre-Baptism Session

Monday, September 19 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, please contact Kim Roering in the parish office.

The Joy of Ministry! Three Reasons to Become an Usher:

1. You are already here! (Minister just one weekend per month, at the Mass of your choice!)
2. It sets a great example for your kids! (Minister together as a family—everyone loves it when a kid holds the door or hands them a worship aid!)
3. No special skills required! Just say hello, help with the collection and communion and hand out bulletins.

Contact Carla Hibbison at 651.900.3180 or at carla.hibbison@gmail.com for more information, or to volunteer.

The St. Pascal Women's Book Club

Monday, September 12 at 7:00 PM

We meet in the Staff Lounge on the 2nd Monday of each month. On September 12 we'll discuss Emma Donoghue's *Pull of the Stars*. On October 10, we'll share thoughts on Wendy Webb's *The Haunting of Brynn Wilder*. Webb is a Minnesota resident.

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 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
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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 12:00 PM Tuesday
keri.mader@stpascals.org

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Mass Times & Intentions

Readings September 4, 2022

Tuesday, September 06

8:00 AM The people of the parish

Wednesday, September 07

8:00 AM The people of the parish

Thursday, September 08

8:00 AM The people of the parish

Friday, September 09

8:00 AM + William Schwartz

Saturday, September 10

4:30 PM + Vince Arceno

Sunday, September 11

8:45 AM Joseph Robinette

10:30 AM The people of the parish

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!



Sunday:

Wis 9:13-18b

Ps 90:3-6, 12-17

Phlm 9-10, 12-17

Lk 14:25-33

Monday:

1 Cor 5:1-8

Ps 5:5-7, 12

Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday:

1 Cor 6:1-11

Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b

Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday:

1 Cor 7:25-31

Ps 45:11-12, 14-17

Lk 6:20-26

Thursday:

Mi 5:1-4a

Ps 13:6abc

Mt 1:1-16, 18-23

Friday:

1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27

Ps 84:3-6, 12

Lk 6:39-42

Saturday:

1 Cor 10:14-22

Ps 116:12-13, 17-18

Lk 6:43-49

Next Sunday:

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14

Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19

1 Tm 1:12-17

Lk 15:1-32

THE WEEKS AHEAD

Sunday, September 4

No scheduled events

Monday, September 5—Labor Day

Parish office closed—have a fun and safe holiday!

Tuesday, September 6

7:30am First day of school for SPRCS students

6:30pm Pastoral Council: Staff Lounge

Wednesday, September 7

9:00am Rosary: Church

9:30am School Mass: Church

Thursday, September 8

6:00pm Spirit Song: Church

7:00pm Men's Club Membership Meeting: Brioschi Hall

Friday, September 9

No scheduled events

Saturday, September 10

No scheduled events

Sunday, September 11

No scheduled events

Monday, September 12

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

7:00pm Boy Scouts: Brioschi Hall

Tuesday, September 13

9:00am Fall Decorating: Church

Wednesday, September 14

9:00am Rosary: Church

9:30am School Mass: Church

6:30pm Choir: Church

6:30pm 1st Reconciliation Parent Meeting: Brioschi Hall

Thursday, September 15

6:00pm Spirit Song: Church

Friday, September 16

No scheduled events

Saturday, September 17

After Mass Fellowship: Brioschi Hall

Sunday, September 18

After Masses Fellowship: Brioschi Hall, Kitchen

11:30am Women's Club Board Meeting: Brioschi Hall

12:00pm Confirmation II: Staff Lounge

Living Faith Booklets

A limited number of Living Faith booklets for October-December 2022 are available in the parish office. If you would like one mailed to you, please contact Kim Roering in the parish office.

Women's Club Board Meeting

Sunday, September 18 after the 10:30 AM Mass in Brioschi Hall.

All women of the parish are invited. We need a secretary and vice president. Please consider joining us! Contact Cindy Reisdorf at jreisdorf00@msn.com or 651.734.8937 with questions.

Stewardship of Giving

Financials for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023

July 2022

Sunday Giving

Giving	\$ 53,446.85	YTD Giving	\$ 53,446.85
Budgeted	\$ <u>69,458.30</u>	YTD Budgeted	\$ <u>69,458.30</u>
Deficit	\$ -16,011.45	YTD Deficit	\$ -16,011.45

Mortgage Reduction (as of 07.31.2022)

Loan Balance:	\$ 2,995,552.07
Principal:	\$ 13,432.59
Interest:	\$ <u>9,028.46</u>
Monthly Payment	\$ 22,461.05
YTD Collected Donations	\$ 21,367.65
YTD Payment:	\$ <u>22,461.05</u>
Deficit	\$ -1,093.40

Reserve Account Balance: \$ 219,616.58

of payments from Reserve: 10

Thank you for your support!

"The greatest honor we can give Almighty God is to live gladly because of the knowledge of his love."

—Julian of Norwich, *Revelations of Divine Love*