



**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.

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**NOVEMBER 13, 2022 | THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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



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#### 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

### Responding with Generosity as a Christian Steward

The month of November is a good time to give thanks for our blessings and to ask ourselves how we are responding with generosity as Christian stewards. A steward is a person who manages and looks after the property, finances and resources of someone else. Generous Christian stewards recognize that each breath, each hour, every talent and every financial blessing comes from our God who is abundant in love. When we share generously with one another, our hearts become larger, and our joy becomes greater. Thank you for saying "yes" to Jesus Christ this past year by sharing your time, talent and treasure with our parish and the larger community.

This week we are sending our Church of St. Pascal Baylon 2022-23 Annual Report and Ministry Update to all registered parishioners. The annual report and update gives a snapshot of our parish life, ministries and finances. I think you will be inspired to read how we meet Jesus Christ in our liturgies, sacraments, worship, faith formation, service outreach, fellowship, hospitality, stewardship of our facilities and our pastoral care. Thank you for sharing your time, talent and treasure in all of these areas. I am also grateful to our parish staff for their hard work, their servant hearts and their prudent stewardship of parish resources and income.

In the annual report and update, you will read that our 2021-22 operating budget had a deficit of \$21,432.59 which we moved to long term debt for an unpaid bill. While it would feel more uplifting to finish the fiscal year with a surplus of income, I feel very uplifted by seeing all of the sacrifices you make in support of our parish and ministries. Many of you face economic stress and daily difficulties, and I am grateful for every dollar you give, every minute you spend in service, and every prayer you offer for our parish and world. Thank you for providing a welcoming parish home to people from St. Paul's Eastside and beyond. I consider it an honor and a blessing to serve you as your Pastor. You are in my daily prayers.

**Come join us for the Thanksgiving Ecumenical Prayer Service on Tuesday, November 22 at 7:00 PM at Grace Lutheran Church, 1730 Old Hudson Road, St. Paul.** We will pray together with our brothers and sisters from Progressive Baptist Church, Hope Lutheran Church, Good Samaritan Lutheran Church, Grace Lutheran Church and Our Redeemer Lutheran Church.

God Bless You,

Father John Mitchell

### Parish Finance Council Update

The Finance Council is an advisory council to the pastor regarding sound management of the temporal goods of the parish. The Finance Council meets on the fourth Thursday of the month. At the meeting held on October 27, the Finance Council reviewed and discussed:

- The parish financial status as of the end of September
- The current mortgage balance
- Parish maintenance status and upcoming projects
- The sale of Ryan Field
- Fall Festival results

### Anointing or Pastoral Visit?

If you or someone you know would like to be anointed or have a pastoral visit please contact Barb Uschold Anderson at [barb.ua@stpascals.org](mailto:barb.ua@stpascals.org) or 651.432.4959 and we'll set up a time.

## — SOCIAL JUSTICE & CARING —

### November Collection

#### *Fishes and Loaves Food Shelf*

The November Donation Closet collection is for Fishes and Loaves Food Shelf at Progressive Baptist Church. The food shelf distributes food from 10:30 AM – 12 Noon on Saturdays at 1505 Burns Avenue, with no residency or membership requirements. Items most needed are:

- Cereal
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Vegetables
- Canned Soup

Items can be left in the donation closet between now and November 27. Thank you for your generosity!

### Faith in Action: *Solidarity*

We are one human family whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences. We are our brothers' and sisters' keepers, wherever they may be. Loving our neighbor has global dimensions in a shrinking world. At the core of the virtue of solidarity is the pursuit of justice and peace. Pope Paul VI taught that if you want peace, work for justice. The Gospel calls us to be peacemakers. Our love for all our sisters and brothers demands that we promote peace in a world surrounded by violence and conflict (USCCB). Minimally we are called to pray for peace—peace on our streets and peace amongst nations. We can also speak out to government leaders who hold positions counter to the support of peace and justice. Write a letter, make a phone call, get involved.

### Christmas Wreath Sales

*Saturday & Sunday, November 26 & 27*

Boy Scout Troop 294 will be selling Christmas wreaths after all Masses outside the main church doors (Door 3). Wreath sizes will be 25", 36" or Door Swag. We will also have all wreaths available at the Men's Club Tree Lot. Wreath sales help our scouts with costs associated with the camping and high adventure trips we take each year.

If you have any questions, please contact Mike Aeling at 651.307.8237.

### St. Pascal's Men's Club

#### *Annual Turkey Bingo*

*Friday, November 18 at 7:00 PM in Brioschi Hall*  
Refreshments will be served. 18 and older are invited. Admission is free. RSVP at [stpascals.org/parish-news](http://stpascals.org/parish-news) or call the parish office at 651.774.1585.

## — REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS —

**Davanni's Fundraiser for Middle School Washington D.C. Trip**

Come have dinner on Tuesday, November 15 from 4:00 – 8:00 PM at the Eastside Davanni's on White Bear Avenue and support the middle school Washington D.C. trip. Please make sure to mention St. Pascal Regional when you order. Davanni's will donate 20% of the total sales that mention St. Pascal Regional to the students that night. Gift card and take-out purchases count towards the total. Thank you for all of your support!

**Women's Club News****Gertens Christmas Flowers & Plant Cards**

*Pick up your order on November 19/20 before and after all Masses.*

If you ordered Gertens flowers and/or plant cards from the St. Pascal's Women's Club, they will be ready for pick up before and after all Masses next weekend. Questions? Contact Ellen Aeling at 651.307.8241.

**Annual Women's Club Christmas Party**

*Saturday, December 10 at 10:30 AM in Brioschi Hall*

Join us for a wonderful brunch of egg bake, ham, chicken, fruit, vegetables and more. A complete menu and flyer will be in the bulletin next weekend (November 19/20).

Reservations for the party will be on sale beginning Saturday, November 19 through Sunday, December 4. *All reservations must be pre-paid.* Cost of the brunch is \$20. Please contact Cindy Reisdorf at 651.734.8937 with any questions.

**FREE Crafting Items**

Crafting Items that need a new home will be available in Brioschi Hall after Masses on the weekend of November 19/20. Please enjoy them in your projects!

**St. Pascal's Women's Book Club—Monday, November 14 at 7:00 PM**

We meet in the Staff Lounge on the 2nd Monday of each month. This month we will discuss Jon Krakauer's history of Mormonism, *Under the Banner of Heaven*. Next month, on December 12, we'll share thoughts on *The Mistletoe Murder and Other Stories* by PD James.

**St. Pascal's Men's Club Christmas Tree Lot**

St. Pascal's Men's Club is entering their 53rd year of selling Christmas Trees and is looking for help in the areas below. If you can volunteer a few hours on any—or all—of these dates, it would be greatly appreciated. *Tree sales begin on Black Friday (November 25) at 3:00 PM.* For further information, please contact one of the co-chairs: Dave Larson (651.735.8767) or Rick Bibeau (612.239.9834).

Tree unloading—Saturday, November 19 at 9:00 AM

Tree lot setup—Friday, November 25 at 9:00 AM

Would you like to help sell Christmas Trees? Please contact one of the above co-chairs.

*The tree lot is open from November 25 - December 23 or until sold out.*

*Weekdays from 3:00 - 9:00 PM | Weekends from 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM*

## — FAITH FORMATION —

**Confirmation I Registration**

Registration for confirmation is taking place now! St. Pascal's confirmation process consists of sessions beginning in the middle of 9th grade and concluding in the winter of 10th grade. Older candidates are also welcome. Registration materials for our group starting in January are now available. If you have a son/daughter in 9th grade and did not receive the materials in the mail this week, or if you want more information, contact Kim Roering in the parish office. Registrations are due by December 2, 2022.

**RCIA: "Advent and the Liturgical Year"**

*Wednesday, November 16 at 6:30 PM in the Founders Room.*

We will discuss the Catholic liturgy and the liturgical year. Why do we do certain things (prayers, music, etc...) in our liturgical celebration? What are all the different colors and seasons (Advent, Lent, etc...) about? All are welcome to join us for this discussion—Catholics who want a refresher about their faith and those curious about the Catholic Church.

**Eucharistic Ministers Winter Schedule**

It is time for the next schedule to be done. Many thanks to those of you who continue this ministry. If you opted out of the previous schedules, but now feel ready to be back in serving, thank you for doing that. We could use more ministers. If you would like to join this ministry, please contact Joann or the parish office.

Please check your calendars for December, January, and February, and let Joann know of your availability. *She needs those dates by November 16.* If you have questions or want more information you may contact Joann at 651.735.2762 or joann.bertini@gmail.com.

## C O N T A C T U S

**Parish Office**

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*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**

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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 5:30 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 November 13, 2022

### Tuesday, November 15

8:00 AM + Kathleen Minder

### Wednesday, November 16

9:30 AM + Don Hensel

### Thursday, November 17

8:00 AM Robert & Jacqueline  
Cowden

### Friday, November 18

8:00 AM + Stephen Flottmeyer

### Saturday, November 19

4:30 PM + Marian Koenig

### Sunday, November 20

8:45 AM The people of the parish

10:30 AM + Susan Calubayan

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

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



### Sunday:

Mal 3:19-20a  
Ps 98:5-9

2 Thes 3:7-12  
Lk 21:5-19

### Monday:

Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5  
Ps 1:1-4, 6  
Lk 18:35-43

### Tuesday:

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22  
Ps 15:2-4b, 5  
Lk 19:1-10

### Wednesday:

Rv 4:1-11  
Ps 150:1b-6  
Lk 19:11-28

### Thursday:

Rv 5:1-10  
Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b  
Lk 19:41-44

### Friday:

Rv 10:8-11  
Ps 119:14, 24, 72,  
103, 111, 131  
Lk 19:45-48

### Saturday:

Rv 11:4-12  
Ps 144:1-2, 9-10  
Lk 20:27-40

### Next Sunday:

2 Sm 5:1-3  
Ps 122:1-5  
Col 1:12-20  
Lk 23:35-43

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### Sunday, November 13

12:00pm Confirmation II: Staff Lounge

### Monday, November 14

12:00pm Bloodmobile: Brioschi Hall  
6:30pm JustFaith: Zoom  
7:00pm Women's Book Club: Parish Conference Room  
7:00pm Boy Scouts: Staff Lounge

### Tuesday, November 15

8:45am Bible Study: Parish Conference Room  
11:30am Staff Lunch: Staff Lounge  
1:00pm Beacon Team Meeting: Founders Room  
6:30pm Bible Study: Parish Conference Room

### Wednesday, November 16

9:00am Rosary: Church  
9:30am School Mass: Church  
6:30pm Choir: Church  
6:30pm RCIA: Founders Room  
6:30pm Faith Formation: Campus

### Thursday, November 17

9:30am Bible Study: Parish Conference Room  
6:00pm Spirit Song: Church  
6:00pm Cub Scouts: Old Church

### Friday, November 18

2:30pm Bingo Setup: Brioschi Hall  
7:00pm Men's Club Turkey Bingo: Brioschi Hall

### Saturday, November 19

8:00am Women's Club Poinsettia Delivery: Founders Room  
9:00am Men's Club Christmas Tree Delivery: Conway Lot  
10:30am 1st Reconciliation Retreat: Brioschi Hall  
After Mass Fellowship: Brioschi Hall  
After Mass Women's Club Poinsettia Pickup: Brioschi Hall

### Sunday, November 20

After Masses Fellowship: Brioschi Hall, Kitchen  
After Masses Women's Club Poinsettia Pickup: Brioschi Hall

### Financial Updates: Year-End Financial Gifts

As this calendar year quickly comes to a close, consider a special year-end financial gift to the parish in support of our many ministries and/or to support our mortgage reduction efforts. Last year, we received many special year-end gifts of cash or stock. These gifts are greatly appreciated and certainly encouraged! *Remember, all gifts must be received or postmarked by December 31, 2022 to be considered for the 2022 tax year.*

Stock transfers and sales do take some time so please take that into consideration as you consider a gift to St. Pascal's. Thank you for your generous consideration.

### St. Pascal's Legacy of Society

**Tax Efficient Legacy of Faith.** Gifts of life insurance policies to St. Pascal's can yield substantial tax savings to you while maximizing your Legacy gift. Consult with your tax adviser. 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.

### CORRECTION: Remembrance Weekend Bulletin Cover

James Ernest Cowen should have appeared as James Jay Cowan. We apologize for the error.

### Stewardship of Giving

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

#### September 2022

##### Sunday Giving

Giving	\$ 47,009.00	YTD Giving	\$ 142,656.00
Budgeted	\$ <u>69,457.67</u>	YTD Budgeted	\$ <u>208,374.00</u>
Deficit	\$ -22,448.67	YTD Deficit	\$ -65,718.00

##### Mortgage Reduction (as of 09.30.2022)

Loan Balance:	\$ 2,969,162.44
Principal:	\$ 12,288.63
Interest:	\$ <u>10,172.42</u>
Monthly Payment	\$ 22,461.05

YTD Collected Donations	\$ 52,718.00
YTD Payment:	\$ <u>67,383.15</u>
Deficit	\$ -14,665.15

Reserve Account Balance:	\$ 208,178.00
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# of payments from Reserve: 9

*Thank you for your support!*





## **Archbishop Hebda is about to do something big. Be one of the first to know!**

Our local Synod process involved three years of listening, preparation and engagement with laity, consecrated women and men, and clergy across the archdiocese.

Soon, on the Feast of Christ the King (November 19-20), Archbishop Hebda will release his pastoral letter outlining his vision and Synod Priorities.

**Sign up to receive the pastoral letter and other Synod updates via email at [archspm.org/synodupdates](https://archspm.org/synodupdates).**

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