

THE PARISH OF SAINT PAUL & SAINT AGNES

ONE PARISH TWO CHURCHES

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St. Agnes Church

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Weekend Mass Schedule at St. Agnes

Saturday: 4PM Vigil Mass
Sunday: 9:15AM English, 11AM French, 12:30PM Spanish

Weekend Mass Schedule at St. Paul

Saturday: 5:30 Vigil Mass
Sunday: 7:45AM English; 11:00AM Spanish

*English and Spanish are spoken at each parish office.
Se habla Ingles y Español en cada oficina parroquial.

New Parishioners

We welcome new members to the Parish of St. Paul and St. Agnes! Located in one of Brooklyn's most vibrant neighborhoods, our parish of two historic churches brings together people from diverse backgrounds into one community rooted in the Gospel. We hope you will discover at the Parish of St. Paul and St. Agnes a welcoming home where, nourished by Word and Sacrament, you can grow in the love of Christ. We invite you to join us for Mass in English, Spanish or French and consider the parish your own oasis of peace, calm and mercy. All parishioners are encouraged to register and use church envelopes in order to maintain our parish of two churches.

Religious Education (CCD)

Sundays after the 9:15AM Mass in St. Agnes.

Baptisms

Please call the rectory and make an appointment to make arrangements for your child's baptism. Please bring your child's birth certificate as well as the names of the Godparents who must be Roman Catholic to sponsor your child. Next Baptism class is January 25th at 7pm in St. Paul with Deacon Leroy

Societies and Organizations

Please call either parish if you are interested in any of these organizations: *Favor de telefonar cualquiera oficina parroquial si le interesa cualquiera de estas organizaciones: Carismáticos; Boy Scouts; Legión de María*

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY
THROUGH SATURDAY IN ST. PAUL AT 8:30 AM.
WEDNESDAY ONLY 8:30 AM ST. AGNES

CONFESSIONS

St. Agnes Saturdays from 3:30 to 3:50 PM and by appointment
St. Paul Saturdays following the 5:30 PM Mass and
by appointment
(Please call either office to Schedule an appointment)

The Epiphany Of The Lord Jan. 02–03, 2016 La Epifanía Del Señor

Saint Paul Roman Catholic Church

Sat. Jan 2nd
8:30 Philomina Stracka (D) Req. by Ana Torrentino
5:30 Birthday Celebration Mass for Sister Innocentia (L)

Sun. Jan 3rd
7:45 Vito Mannino (D) Req. By His Wife Maria
11:00 Los Feligreses de la Parroquia San Pablo y Santa Inés
11:00 Por Víctor, Mark & Dennis Soto (D) p/p Daisy Soto
11:00 Gracias A La Salud de Uylsis Pena (L) p/p Su Hermana
11:00 Ramon Lugo (D) p/p Su Esposa Madalena y Hijo
11:00 Por Jose Rodriguez (D) p/p Su Hermanos
11:00 Felicitia Pedraza (D) p/p Maria Gonzalez
11:00 Justina Gonzalez (D) p/p Su Hijas Maria y Antonia

Mon. Jan 4th 8:30 Ernst Flamme (D) Req. by His Daughter Ingrid

Tue. Jan 5th 8:30 RIP Griffith Xavier Clarke

Thur. Jan 7th 8:30 Living & Deceased members of James O'Brien & Doyle Families

Fri. Jan 8th 8:30 RIP Joseph & Michael Dunn

Sat. Jan 9th
8:30 In Loving Memory of Edward McCann Req. by Toni Manteiga
5:30 Rosa Ruiz (D) p/p Milagros Ruiz



The Sanctuary Lamp for the month of January is donated by Bill Hendrickson and Teresa Tritch

ADULT CHILDREN OF ALCOHOLICS MEETING:
Tuesday at 7pm at St. Paul lower church hall.
Please enter on Congress Street through the gate

NARCOTIC'S ANONYMOUS:
Meets at St. Paul rectory on the 2nd floor
Every Sunday at 4pm

ROSARY FOR THE UNBORN:
Join us every Monday at 1pm in the chapel in St. Paul on Congress Street for 3 rosaries with our Sister Innocentia
BELIEVE. PRAY. SAVE.

NURSERY/PRE K SUNDAY SCHOOL
Our parent/preschool "God time" group has resumed meeting. Parents along with their pre-school children, are invited to The Sacristy after the 9:15 am Mass for some time of instruction, play and fellowship.

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS :
Please help us keep Christ in Christmas be sending religious Christmas cards, not secular ones and by using religious Christmas stamps from the post office

Saint Agnes Roman Catholic Church

Sat. Jan 2nd
4:00 Rita Bomparrto (D) Birthday Remembrance
Req by He Daughters Linda & Maryann

Sun. Jan 3rd
9:15 Salvatore, Jennie Zerilli & Nettie Zerilli Adelfio (D)
Req by Vincent & Gasper

9:15 Angela, Maria & Enrico Mazzella (D)
Req. by The Mazzella Family

9:15 Albert Baruch (D) Req by Frank Maddelone

9:15 In Loving Memory of Nova Bermudez

9:15 The People of St. Paul & St. Agnes Parish

11:00 Pour toutes les familles et pour le repos des âmes des défunts

12:30 Los Feligreses de la Parroquia San Pablo y Santa Inés
p/p Douglass & Laura Galeas

12:30 Healing Prayers for Michelle Doon-Doon
p/p Douglass & Laura Galeas

12:30 Por Ramón Ureña (D) p/p Su Hijo Ramón y Familia

Wed. Jan 6th 8:30 The Deceased Members of The Fallon Family
Req by Irene Fallon

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4:00 In Loving Memory of Nova Bermudez



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WORLD PEACE DAY :

Pope Francis announced the theme of the Message for the Church's 49th World Day of Peace that was celebrated on January 1, 2016 as:

Overcome Indifference and Win Peace.

Overcome Indifference and win Peace is the title of the Message for the 49th World Day of Peace, the third of the papacy of Pope Francis. Indifference in regard to the scourges of our time is one of the fundamental causes of the lack of peace. Today, indifference is often linked to various forms of individualism which cause isolation, ignorance, selfishness and, therefore, lack of interest and commitment. Increase of information does not mean per se an increase of attention to the problems, if it is not accompanied by solidarity-based openness of conscience. To this end, it is essential the contribution that can provide—besides the family—educators, teachers, people of culture, media practitioners, intellectuals and artists. Indifference can be won only responding together to this challenge. Peace is possible where the rights of every human being are recognized and respected, heard and known, according to freedom and justice. The Message for 2016 aims to be a starting point for all people of good will, particularly those who work in the education, media, culture, each one acting according to their possibilities and according to their best aspirations to build together a more conscious and merciful, and, therefore, more free and fair world.

*** The World Day of Peace initiated by Paul VI, is celebrated each year on the first day of January. The Holy Father's Message is sent to all Foreign Ministers of the world, and also indicates the Holy See's diplomatic line during the coming year.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Alex and Teresa Avitabile, Nick Lupo, Jeff Hyde, Cecilia Lites, Aurelio Almanzar, Ángel Torres, Hugh White, Elizabeth Méndez, Alba Martínez, Maria Mannino, Franchesca Giangarra, Carmen Rivera, Pearl Conanan, Michelle Doon-Doon, Auriel Henderson

SACRIFICING FOR ONE ANOTHER:

Or "speaking about Parish funding & finance"... We demonstrate being good stewards of our Parish by sharing our blessings through our weekly offertory gift, and as donors of special funding for others in need.

COATS:

Please bring your slightly used clean coats to church to be distributed to the needy. There are boxes in the back of both churches.

CHRISTMAS GIFT TO CHURCH:

Please be generous!

We need new altar linens and will use your Christmas gift to the church to purchase new linens.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THIS SUNDAY:

The Epiphany of the Lord

Reading I– Isaiah 60: 1-6

Reading II– Ephesians 3: 2-3a, 5-6

Gospel– Matthew 2: 1-12

Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him. When Herod the king had heard these things, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. And when he had gathered all the chief priests and scribes of the people together, he demanded of them where Christ should be born. And they said unto him, In Bethlehem of Judaea: for thus it is written by the prophet, And thou Bethlehem, in the land of Juda, art not the least among the princes of Juda: for out of thee shall come a Governor, that shall rule my people Israel.

Then Herod, when he had privily called the wise men, enquired of them diligently what time the star appeared. And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship him also. When they had heard the king, they departed; and, lo, the star, which they saw in the east, went before them, till it came and stood over where the young child was.

When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy. And when they were come into the house, they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense and myrrh. And being warned of God in a dream that they should not return to Herod, they departed into their own country another way.

SOUNDS ON SACKETT **A CONCERT SERIES OF JAZZ, POP AND** **CLASSICAL PERFORMANCES**

The Sounds on Sackett Committee would like to thank all of you who joined us for our Fall concerts.

Our Spring season starts on Saturday March 12th at 7pm with a performance by internationally renowned pianist, Leon Livshin

Hope to see you then!

YEAR OF MERCY:

The year of mercy begins on December 8th. You can install the free 365 days to mercy app today from Our Sunday Visitor going to osv.com/yom

JESUS IS OUR LIGHT:

In celebrating the birth of Christ, let us carefully consider what his birth reveals about God. This is a God who comes not to condemn but to give life. Once we begin to grasp this life, then the vision of Isaiah, as remarkable as it seems, cannot hold a candle to light that will shine from us

EN ESPANOL

Nuestro seminarista ,Willy Kingsley conducirá una introducción de La Biblia el Domingo 31 de Enero después de la 12:30 misa en el salón parroquial de Santa Inés. Todos están invitados!

Biblias Latinoamerica con letra grande están de venta. Tapa blanda son \$20.00 y tapa dura \$35,00. Por favor llame a Christine en la oficina o consulte Lydia Colon-Fores. Pueden pagar en cuotas.

EN FRANÇAIS

DÉBUT DES COURS DE CATÉCHÈSE EN FRANÇAIS A L'ÉGLISE SAINTE AGNÈS CE MOIS

Il y aura un cours d'éveil à la Foi tous les premiers Dimanche du mois de 10h00mn - 11h00mn, destiné aux enfants âgés de 3-5 ans.

En ce qui concerne la Catéchèse en langue Française préparatoire aux Sacrement de l'Eucharistie et de la Confirmation, la date de début des cours vous sera communiquée à la fin de ce mois.

Pour plus d'informations, nous vous prions de bien vouloir contacter le Révérend Père Paul Anel à l'adresse email suivante : anel.paul@gmail.com

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