

# The Parish of Saint Paul & Saint Agnes

## One Parish Two Churches

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Monday - Friday 9am-1pm and by appointment

*Weekday Mass Schedule at St. Paul*  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:30 am.

*Weekend Mass Schedule at St. Paul*  
Saturday: 8:30 am- 5:30pm Vigil Mass  
Sunday: 7:45am English; 11am Spanish

### Parish Clergy

#### **Jesus Christ, Pastor**

Rev. Joseph A. Nugent, Parish Priest  
Rev. Paul Anel, French Priest  
Deacon Leroy P. Branch Jr.

### Parish Pastoral Staff:


Sister Innocentia Lipari, MSBT, Pastoral Associate  
William Gorman, Coordinator, Religious Education (CCD)  
Joan O'Brien, Director of Music Ministry, St. Agnes  
Lyudmila Papayani, Organist, St. Paul  
Christine Sanchez, Secretary

*St. Francis Xavier Academy*  
763 President Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11215  
Dorothy Taylor Principal

### 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*

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

*Office at St. Agnes Church\**  
433 Sackett Street, Brooklyn, NY 11231   
Telephone: 718-625-1717 Fax: 718-625-1929  
Monday - Friday 2pm-5pm and by appointment

*Weekday Mass Schedule at St. Agnes*  
Wednesday: 8:30 am

*Weekend Mass Schedule at St. Agnes*  
Saturday: 4pm Vigil Mass  
Sunday: 9:15 am English, 10:45 am French, 12:30 pm Spanish

### 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) (Nursery/Pre K "God time" Group)*  
Sundays after the 9:15 am Mass in St. Agnes.

### Baptisms:

Please call the rectory and make an appointment to make arrangements for your child's baptism. Next Baptism class is **January 9th at 7pm in St. Paul with Deacon Leroy**

### Weddings:

Please call for an appointment with Deacon Leroy at least 6 months in advance 917-496-4221

### Confessions:

**St. Agnes: Saturdays 3:30pm**  
**St. Paul: Saturdays following the 5:30 pm mass**  
**Also, by appointment**

## Saint Paul Roman Catholic Church

*Saturday, December 31st*

8:30 The Deceased Members of The Reilley Family  
5:30 Theresa Liu Avitabile (D) Req. by Her Husband Alex

*Sunday, January 1st*

7:45 The People of St. Paul & St. Agnes Parish  
11:00 Los Feligreses de la Parroquia San Pablo y Santa Inés

*Monday, January 2nd*

8:30 Theresa Liu Avitabile (D) Req. by Her Husband Alex

*Tuesday, January 3rd*

8:30 Deceased Members of The Rodriguez Family  
Req. by Marta Vega

*Thursday, January 5th*

8:30 Mario, Nunzio, Rose Assiduo (D) Req. by The Mazzella Family

*Friday, January 6th*

8:30 Members of The O'Brien & Doyle Families (D)

*Saturday, January 7th*

8:30 Ann Cammarari (D) Req. by The Family  
5:30 Ernst Flamme (D) Req. by His Daughter Ingrid Flamme

### Adult Children of Alcoholics Meeting:

**Tuesday @ 7pm** at St. Paul lower church hall.  
Please enter on Congress Street through the gate

### Narcotic's Anonymous:

Meets at St. Paul lower church hall  
**Every Sunday 4pm**

### Rosary for Life; Believe. Pray. Save.

3 Rosaries every **Monday @ 1pm** in St. Paul's chapel  
with our Sister Innocentia. Everyone is welcome

### Legion of Mary:

Meets every **Thursday 6pm** in St. Agnes Hall

### Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts:

Every **Friday 7pm** in St. Paul Hall  
New members welcome

### Girl Scouts/Brownies:

**Weekly meetings will resume January 13, 2017**

### Young at Heart:

**Weekly meetings will resume March 8th, 2017**

## Saint Agnes Roman Catholic Church

*Saturday, December 31st*

4:00 Bro. Frank Annunziata, SM (D) Req. by Gerald DeMaio

*Sunday, January 1st*

9:15 The People of St. Paul & St. Agnes Parish  
10:45 Le peuple de Saint Paul et Saint Agnes  
12:30 Los Feligreses de la Parroquia San Pablo y Santa Inés

*Wednesday, January 4th*

8:30 Betty Gorman (D) Req. by Chickie O'Leary

*Saturday, January 7th*

4:00 Rita Bompartito (D) Birthday Remembrance  
Req. by Her Daughters Linda & Maryann



*The Wine & Host are offered  
In Loving Memory of Betty Gorman  
Donated by James, Mary & Marisa*



*The Altar Candles are Lit  
In Loving Memory of Emmanuelle Zuppardo  
Donated by His Family*



*The Sanctuary Lamp is Dedicated  
In Loving Memory of Betty Gorman  
Donated by Joan Callery*

### Happy New Year!

*The great thing about walking with God in life is that there is always the opportunity to start anew - God always offers us a new day and a new dawn, no matter what has gone before. At the start of the New Year, why not take a moment to thank Him for last year, ask His forgiveness for where you have failed, and dedicate this New Year to Him - to serve Him and love Him afresh. A good way of reviewing the year ahead is to write down the main areas of your life (e.g. work - family - friends - church - leisure etc) and then think about what God might want to do in these areas of your life for the next year. Once you've done this you might want to share this with your partner or a close friend, and give your decisions over to God in prayer.*



*You Belong Here  
Become a Registered Parishioner*



*Let Us Remember To Pray For The Sick,  
The Homebound, The Elderly and  
All Those Who Are Alone...*

Auriel Henderson, Michelle Doon-Doon, Nick Lupo, Terry Trance,  
Ivette Ramirez, José Arce, Altagracia Rodríguez, Jacinta Salgado,  
Yesenia Morales, Barbara Towey, Madeline Tarantino,  
Ariel Velasquez, Bernardo Rodriguez, Manolo Hernandez,  
Estelle Santos, Juanita Rangel, Ramonita Silva,  
Nettie Perez, Damaso Nazario

*Tithing Envelopes:*

Boxes of your tithing envelopes for 2017 are now available. Please pick them up from the front of the Church at St Paul's and in the rear of the church at St. Agnes. If you do not see your box, please fill out the white form and return it. Our secretary Christine will search for you and, if needed, will make a box for you.

*Coats:*

The coat drive ended on December 31st. Please do not bring any more to the church. We thank you for your Generosity in sharing 192 coats with those in need.



*Solemnity of Mary,  
Mother of God*

*The feast is a celebration of  
Mary's motherhood of Jesus.*

The title "Mother of God" is a western derivation from the Greek Theotokos, which means "God-bearer".

On this day, we are reminded of the role that the Blessed Virgin played in the plan of our salvation. Through the Holy Spirit, God the Father prepared Mary to be the dwelling place where His Son and His Spirit could dwell among men. Christ's birth was made possible by Mary's fiat, or sanctioning of God's plan with her words,  
"Be it done to me according to thy word".

Calling Mary "Mother of God" is the highest honor we can give to her. Just as Christmas honors Jesus as the "Prince of Peace", the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God honors Mary as the "Queen of Peace". New Year's Day is also designated as the "World Day of Peace", further acknowledging the role of Mary in our hearts and in our world.

*Save The Date!...*

*Learn about Animal Rescue*

Animal Care Centers of NYC (ACC) is always looking for animal lovers eager to volunteer their time and skills to help homeless and abandoned cats, dogs in NYC. Walk a dog, cuddle a cat, write bios for animals available for adoption, and more! **To learn more come by Saturday, January 7th 2-4pm in St. Paul Hall**

*Lunch Time!*

The next monthly fundraising lunch sponsored by the Legion of Mary is **January 29th 1:30-3pm** in St. Agnes Hall, tickets on sale \$7.00. Plus a Grand 50/50! All are welcome!

*Reserva La fecha!...*

*Abrigos:*

**El último día para donar abrigos era el 31 de Diciembre. Le agradecemos su generosidad en compartir 192 abrigos con los necesitados.**

*Almuerzo:*

El proximo almuerzo de recaudacion de fondos es **Domingo Enero 29, de 1:30-3pm**, en el salon de Santa Ines. Boletos a la venta \$7.00, Tambien habra 50/50!! Todos estan invitados!

*Lo bueno de caminar con Dios en la vida es que siempre hay la oportunidad de empezar de nuevo - Dios siempre nos ofrece un nuevo día y un nuevo amanecer, no importa lo que haya pasado antes. Al comienzo del Año Nuevo, por qué no tomar un momento para darle las gracias por el año pasado, pedirle perdón por donde has fracasado, y dedicarle este Año Nuevo a Él - para servirlo y amarlo de nuevo. Una buena manera de revisar el año que viene es escribir las principales áreas de su vida (por ejemplo, trabajo - familia - amigos - iglesia - ocio, etc) y luego pensar en lo que Dios podría querer hacer en estas áreas de su vida para el próximo año. Una vez que hayas hecho esto, podrías compartir esto con tu pareja o con un amigo cercano, y entregar tus decisiones a Dios en oración.*



*A lifetime of work and accumulated assets can do good  
For an eternity --If you take some time to plan!  
Please Remember St. Paul & St. Agnes in Your Will..*

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