St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

Established in July 1960 • Staffed by the Society of the Divine Word (SVD — Divine Word Missionaries)

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Sunday masses
7:30 A.M. & 10:30 A.M.

Weekday Morning Mass—To Be Announced
Tuesday—Friday

Eucharistic Adoration—8:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.
First Friday of Each Month

Confession/Reconciliation
By Appointment

Parish Office Hours
Monday – Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
(Lunch Break - 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m.)

To Join St. Paul's Church
Please pick up the Census Information/Update Form from the foyer of the church, complete it and return it to the parish office

OCIA
If you want to become Catholic and ready to learn about the Catholic Faith, contact Mr. Reginald Green, the OCIA Coordinator, at 225-603-2493

Marriage
Please meet with the pastor at least six (6) months before the wedding date

Baptism
Please see inside this bulletin for specific details

Holy Communion to the sick
If you are or a family member is a registered member of our church and not able to attend Mass in church and would like to receive Holy Communion, please call the church office

Funeral
Please call the pastor before making arrangements with the funeral home

Pastor
Rev. Arockiam Arockiam, SVD— 225-383-2537

Permanent Deacon – Retired
Deacon Benjamin Dunbar Jr.— 225-324-5808

Parish Secretary
Mary Martin —225-383-2537

Parish Office Assistant
Christy Hall —225-383-2537

Parish Bookkeeper
Debra Dudley —225-383-2537

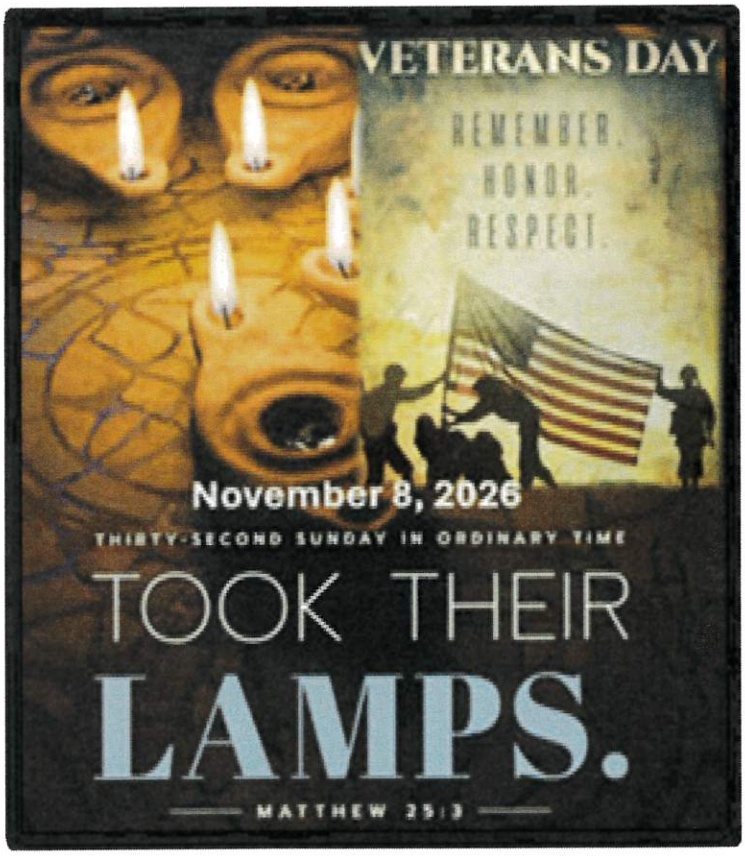
Director of Religious Education
Martha Davis —225-357-4108

Youth Director
Kawayna Ridgley —225-405-7225

Parish Nurse
Maxine Watts —225-278-6732

Finance Council Chairperson
Retired Judge Luke Lavergne—225-324-5665

Pastoral Council Chairperson
Randolph Le Duff—225-978-9256



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 8, 2026

Sun.: Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2-8/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13
Mon.: Ez 47:1-2,8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3,5-6, 8-9/1 Cor 3:9-11,16-17/ Jn 2:13-22
Tues.: Ti 2:1-8,11-14/Ps 37:3-4,18, 23, 27,29/Lk 17:7-10
Wed.: Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1-6/Lk 17:11-19
Thurs.: Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-10/Lk 17:20-25
Fri.: 2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1,2,10-11,17-18/Lk 17:26-37
Sat.: 3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-6/Lk 18:1-8
Sun.: Prv 31:10-13,19-20,30-31/Ps 128:1-5/1 Thes 5:1-6/ Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

MAY SHE REST IN PEACE...

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the Christophe and Coleman family at the passing of Ms. Carolyn Christophe

Mrs. Christophe funeral will be held at St. Paul on Saturday, November 14, 2026. Visitation at 8:30 a.m., Rosary at 9:15 and Mass is at 10:00.a.m.

May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Give online via cell phone with our QR Code

2026 Report from Bazaar Weekend 10/16/26 thru 10/18/26

Net Profit from Bazaar Weekend:

Raffle	**$ 23,960.00**
Bazaar	**$ 9,326.52**
Western Dance	**$ 4,575.00**
Bingo/Concession	**$ 2,250.00**
Total	**$ 40,111.52**

OFFERTORY—NOVEMBER 1, 2026

NEW ONLINE GIVING LINK: **osvhub.com/stpaulbr/giving/funds**

Collection:	$ 4,959.90
Online Giving:	$ 4,770.00
Building Fund:	$ 571.00
Mass Stipends:	$ 120.00
St. Vincent de Paul:	$ 166.00
Seminarian Education:	$ 189.00
All Saints:	$ 283.00
Latin America:	$ 20.00
Total Offertory	**$ 11,078.90**

Thank you for your generosity and sacrifice toward our church. God bless you!

Envelopes Mailed: 204 (Envelopes mailed to registered members) **Envelopes Returned: 48** (Envelopes used for general offering/tithes) **Online Givers: 35**

Last Sunday Mass Attendance: 7:30A.M.– 85 - 9:30A.M. 143

Birthdays NOVEMBER 8—14, 2026

Gavin Camel 11/8
Vernise Collins 11/8
Shandria Hawkins 11/8
Troy Scott 11/8
Theresa Greviuos 11/8
Thomas Davis, Jr. 11/8
Sylvia Trahan 11/9
Alana Benjamin 11/9
Joia Anthony 11/10
Dorpheila Pattterson 11/10
Joseph Anthony 11/12
Chelsea Buckley 11/13

Birthdays

Qunitha Scott 11/13
Alfonso Olive 11/13
Mason Hurst 11/14
Ka'mayla Kemp 11/14
Karen Stribling 11/14

MASS INTENTIONS

7:30 AM MASS: Doris Key, Earl Key Sr., Emma Doyle, Currie "Rudi" Doyle, Ellis Doyle Sr., Tony Key, Jacques Brown, Jared Brown, St. Paul Church Community

10:30 AM MASS: Howard Perry II, Roosevelt Bowers, Allen Landry Sr., Kelly Landry, Cordwell Landry, Alcin Malveaux, Joseph Malveaux, Paul Malveaux

PASTORAL CARE AND NEEDS

If you are scheduled for surgery, admitted to the hospital with a major illness, or have any pastoral needs, please contact:
Fr. Arockiam Arockiam, SVD, Pastor
337-522-0624 or arockiamsvd@gmail.com



Please Remember St. Paul The Apostle Church in your Last Will and Testament



ADULT FORMATION, BIBLE STUDIES, & ROSARY

Adult Formation: Sundays at 9:00 a.m. in the chapel

Rosary: Sundays at 6:00 p.m.
Dial 701-802 5490, then enter 878800#

SVD Bible Corner with Fr. Leon, SVD: Mondays 6:00 p.m.
Zoom ID: 836-4516 5259 (Pass Code: Bible)

St. Paul's Bible Study: Wednesdays at 6:00pm
Dial 805-706-5350 (No Access Code)

GOODWILL AND GRATEFULNESS TREE

GIVING TREE

St. Paul's Christmas Goodwill and Gratefulness Tree will be placed in the main entrance of the church on Sunday, November 29, 2026. If any parishioner needs basic assistance with Christmas gifts for their children, please contact Maxine Watts, our Parish Nurse at 225-278-6732 or the Parish office by Friday, November 20, 2026.

CHURCH SICK & HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Pray For Our Sick and Homebound Members

Ta'Rhonda Chube, Rose Crockett Carter, Carolyn Christophe, Cheryl Crockett, Shirley Dawson, Dcn. Benjamin Dunbar Jr., Almeasey Foster, Dianna Franklin, Marilyn Green, Theresa Grevious, Ruther Hall, James Hayward, Brenda Hickman, Carolyn Jenkins, Harry Johnson, Augustine Kador, Mable King, Elthea LeDuff, Angela Mamou, Marie Myles, Dorphelia Guillory-Patterson, Harry Sills, Sadie Simms, Martha Spencer, Paul Stewart, Curtell Thibodeaux, Mildred Trask, Irene Warner

SICK FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

PRAYING FOR OUR FAMILY MEMBERS & FRIENDS

Xavier Arockiam, Claire Bahlinger, Charles Bethley, Barbara Brennan, Cirsten Brown, Ernie Butitta, Dorothy Celestine, Helen Celestine, Cynthia Chambers, Ardell Christophe, Alberta Conner, Melba Daniels, Richard Dillon, Ronnie Gauthier, Anthony Grand, Marcus Guice, Sonya E. Hall, Gregory Harris, Lionel Hayes, Florence Jackson, Ella Lou Jackson-Thomas, James Pace, Allen Paschal, Martha Reinhart, Joel Rivera, Coogan Ryan, Jenna Scott, Dana Simoneaux, Anthony Skinner, Connie St. Romain, Stephanie Stewart, Calvin Thomas III, Walker Williams

If any names need to be removed from the lists, please call the parish office.

MINISTERS—SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2026

7:30 AM MASS

ALTAR SERVERS: Gavin Camel, Gabriel Camel, Jaden Goss
READERS: David Robertson, Randy LeDuff
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: David Robertson, Audrene LeBlanc
Paulette Robertson, Alice Zacharie

10:30 AM MASS

ALTAR SERVERS: Madelyn Williams, Jackson Williams, Jacques Parms
READERS: CCD Readers
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Anna Perry, Renee Camberos, Nancy Ball, Pamela Claiborne



BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Please add the names of loved ones who have passed this year or those whose names are not already in the book.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION SERIES

Sponsored by Our Lady of the Lake Regional Medical Center

Join us for our upcoming health and wellness lunch and learn
Stroke Awareness: B.E. F.A.S.T. Save a Life
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12 , 2026 at 11:30AM at
THE INSPIRATION CENTER located at
5509 Winbourne Ave., Baton Rouge, LA 70805
PRESENTER: MAXINE WATTS, RN
RSVP Required
Call (225) 765-4412 or email Scarlette.McClain@fmolhs.org



St. Paul's Youth Ministry's Halloween Spooktacular event was a great success. Thank you to everyone that supported the event.. We appreciate those that volunteered their time, donated candy, and a special thank you to those that brought their children to the event. Everyone had a great time!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Classes and Meetings...

Nov. 8: St. Paul's Veterans Day Program after 10:30 Mass
Nov. 15: Junior Daughters Breakfast Sale after both Masses
Nov. 15: 9:00 a.m. Knights of Peter Claver Meeting
Nov. 18: 6:00 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting
Nov. 19: Baptism Class
Nov. 25: 6:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Mass
Nov. 29: Baptism
Nov. 29: Giving Tree Displayed
Jan. 21: 6:00 p.m. Parish Finance Council Meeting



St. Paul's next Bingo Game is Friday, November 20, 2026. Doors open at 6 PM, bingo start at 7 PM.











St. Paul's Youth Ministry Spooktacular Event - A great time was had by all!

In Loving Memory

Opston, Dorcenia,
Wilbert, Phillip,
Opston Jr., Albert &
Jerome Guillory;
CB, Ruth, & Tia Davis;
Catherine Williams,
Yvonne Warren, &
Marcus Montigue

In Loving Memory

George Coleman Jr.,
Geneva Coleman,
George Coleman Sr.
Carrie Coleman
M.H. Weathersby
Odelia Weathersby
Donald Coleman
Myrtis Coleman

In Loving Memory of

Hazel Brent Brown,
Leo Brown, Sr.,
and the
Brent, Aldolph, Brown,
and Harrison Families

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In Loving Memory

Geneva Battley Spooner
Della Battley Rodney
Rosa Lee Johnson

LOCAL PHYSICIANS & MEMBERS OF ST. PAUL

Dr. Gregory Garner, MD—Family Medicine
Dr. Sharnette Miles, DPM—Podiatry
Dr. John Nnadi, MD—Infectious Disease Internist
Dr. Stacy Jones-Pedescleaux, MD—Family Medicine

In Loving Memory

Roosevelt Bowers,
Joseph "Buddy" Walker, Oscar LeDuff Jr.,
Elizabeth & Frank P. Bowers,
Carrie & Douglas Rodney Sr.,
Clara & Willis Walker,
Sarah Rodney Domino & Wilbert Domino Sr.,
Freddie Bowers, Ora Bowers Ward,
Sybil Thomas Johnson, &
Maureen Bowers Johnson

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Remembering

Famye Reed,
F. L. Stewart,
and the
Reed, Stewart,
Davis, and Granger
Families

In Loving Memory

Gussie A. Trahan
Edna Mae & Gussie B. Trahan
Orelia Rodney & Anthony Rodney Sr.
Annie Mae & Anthony Rodney Jr.
Barbara & James Wallace Rodney
Keith Rodney, Joseph D. Rodney
Dorothy Bazile & Georgia Smith
J. Whitney Rodney

In Loving Memory of

Kevin Michael
Ferbos
&
Wilfred Ferbos

In Loving Memory of

Dwight LeBlanc, Sr
With Much Love,
Audrene, Kobi,
Dwight Jr., Lloyd,
Morris, Kelby, Quintin,
Saniya, Malia, & Lennox

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In Loving Memory

Milton, Rachel, Lillie, Lillian,
J.D. & Verdell, Kirby, James "Pookie," Corinne,
Michael, Jessie Sr. &
Aaron B. Joseph; Annette & Ellis Myles Sr.;
Lawrence Sr., Shedrick & Lawrence III Ashford;
Rose, Albert & Terry Hebert;
Eula White & H.P. Martin;
Jessica D. Hughes

In Loving Memory of
Rev. Albert Williams,
Sr. & Jr., Mildred, and
John Williams; Lucy,
Robert, Gertrude, J.
Robert, Mary,
Martha Theodore;
Lillian & Forrest Oliver
Tobb, Ida, Johnny Sr. &
Jr., Willie, Charles, &
Lillian Brown

In Remembrance of

Lionel Bazile Sr.
Dorothy Bazile
James Bazile
Shelia Bazile

In Loving Memory of

Doris Key
Earl Key Sr.
Emma Doyle
Currie (Rudi) Doyle
Ellis Doyle Sr.
Tony Key

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