Join Us to Celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy
Sunday April 3rd at 3 p.m. at Saint Paul Parish!

April 3, 2016
Divine Mercy Sunday
From Our Pastor;

On behalf of the priests, deacon & pastoral associates of both parishes we are grateful to everyone who contributed to the coordinated efforts that allowed for the prayerful celebration of the Sacred Paschal Triduum, including, our music directors, cantors, choirs, musicians, lectors, servers, ushers and sacristans, along with pastoral, administrative, and facilities staff. Liturgical decorations at St. John led by Sr. Evelyn as well as the Liturgical decorating committee at St. Paul made our sacred space appropriately prayerful as well as beautiful for the season leading up to Easter.

Easter attendance was extraordinary at both parishes. This year in each parish we utilized recently installed technology which allowed us to simulcast the Easter Mass to the Fr. Powers hall at St. John, & the Parish Hall at St. Paul.

Attendance at the additional times for the sacrament of Confession during Lent and Holy Week was so encouraging. Many commented on the convenience of the Sunday afternoon penance service.

May the Peace of the Resurrected Lord fill your hearts with His new life of Easter Joy.

Fr. Sepe

Save the Date
Saint Paul Parish is 100 Years Old!
We are blessed to have Cardinal Sean O’Malley to Celebrate Mass on November 19, 2016 at 4:00pm

Visit our website (www.stpaulwellesley.com) to see a historical video of our church. On the main page of the website go to Media and then to videos, there you will find “One Place...One Parish”. If you would like to borrow the video, please call the parish.

Parish Revenues

Thank you to all who have contributed. The Results for the Easter collections are listed below. Contributions may be dropped off in the parish collection on the weekend, mailed or dropped off at the Rectory. Our online giving program is always available.

Easter Collection for the Clergy Health and Retirement Trust.
$26,740.00

On behalf of the priests who have devoted their lives to serving the Church, thank you for your prayers and generous support.

Good Friday
$2,453.00

The Good Friday collection supports the sacred places and the educational, charitable and peace-seeking ministries of the Church in the Holy Land.
Please Join Us for Divine Mercy Sunday
Sunday April 3rd @ 3pm
St. Paul Parish
The Holy Hour will include Eucharistic Adoration, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Confession and reflection.
All are invited to attend!

St. Paul Parish has been a longtime supporter of Rosie’s Place a women’s shelter in Boston. The mission of Rosie’s Place is to “provide a safe and nurturing environment that helps poor and homeless women maintain their dignity, seek opportunity and find security in their lives.” This spring, St. Paul Parish will be sponsoring the brunch on Sunday, April 24th.

We are committed to provide enough funds for brunch for the guests and bring volunteers to serve the meal. The cost of the entire meal for 150 women and children is $350.00. Any size donation is welcome. If we raise more than $350.00 we will purchase much needed toiletries to bring with us. Please send your donations to the parish office clearly marked Rosie’s Place.

(checks can be made out to Rosie’s Place)

Thank you to all who have volunteered to prepare and serve the meal. The volunteer spots for the brunch are filled.

If you any questions, please contact Anne Bradley, arb1249@yahoo.com (781-237-7243)
or:
Chris Wargo, Christopher_wargo@hotmail.com (781-416-9791).

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“'If you judge people, you have no time to love them.’”
(Mother Teresa)

The Wellesley Food Pantry thanks the parishioners of St. Paul Parish for the March delivery.

In April we will be collecting Canned fruit and laundry detergent for the Wellesley Food Pantry. Your donations may be left in the bins at the front entrance of the church

Thank you for your help and concern.
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World Youth Day

Today we are introducing the young people from our collaborative who will be attending World Youth Day in Krakow this summer and inviting parishioners to sponsor the pilgrims both financially and spiritually. Please go to the World Youth Day link on the parish website for more information about this pilgrimage for our young parishioners and to find details of our second and final fundraiser.

Thank you for all your support

"Blessed are the merciful for they shall receive mercy.” Mt 5:7

Religious Education

Schedules and detailed information are available at our website, or feel free to call Kathy Curley at the Religious Education Office at 781-235-5012.

Sunday Morning Session (10:15a.m. – 11:15a.m.): Classes meet on April 3rd, 10th, and 24th. Meet in the school cafeteria.

Wednesday Afternoon Session (2:00 p.m. – 3:00p.m.): Classes meet April 6th, 13th, and 27th. Meet in the school cafeteria.

Confirmation Session (5:00 p.m. – 6:00p.m.): Our next classes are scheduled for April 3rd, 10th and 24th.

Confirmation Rehearsal is April 24th from 5 – 6pm. Please meet in the Parish Hall. Sponsors (if possible) should attend this rehearsal. If your sponsor can’t attend the rehearsal, a parent should attend.

Would you like to volunteer? Email to stpaulreligiouslyed@comcast.net, or call Kathy Curley at

American University Women For Life

Invite you to

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Wednesday evening
April 6th at 7:30pm-9:00pm
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Please call Elaine DeGrandis at 781-329-5375
For further information.
Directions: www.goodshepherdwayland.org

Susan’s books will also be available for purchase
On November 12, 1916, the cornerstone of St Paul Church in Wellesley was put into place and the church was blessed by William Cardinal O’Connell. Yes, St Paul Church is turning 100 years old! Let us come together to celebrate the occasion of this historic event.

We are in need of volunteers who would like to be on the celebration committee.

If you are interested please send an email to FC@stapaulwellesley.com or call at 781-235-1060.

You can learn more about the history St. Paul Church by going to the website www.stpaulwellesley.com and viewing a video called One Place...One Parish which can be found under the heading Parish Life and click on About our Parish.

Interesting facts that happened in 1916

- Enrico Caruso recorded "O Solo Mio" for the Victor Talking Machine Co
- The British Royal Army Medical Corps carries out the first successful blood transfusion that had been stored and cooled
- In Munich German automobile company BMW is founded
- Professional Golfer Association (PGA) forms in NYC
- Germany begins attacking ships in the Atlantic
- 20th Boston Marathon won by Arthur Roth of Mass in 2:27:16.4
- British Summer Time (Daylight Savings) introduced
- Saturday Evening Post cover features Norman Rockwell painting Boy with Baby Carriage
- Boys Scouts of America forms
- Coca-Cola brings current coke formula to the market
- Democratic President Woodrow Wilson narrowly defeats Republican Charles E. Hughes
- Woodrow Wilson signs legislation creating the National Park Service
- Cost of a first-class stamp 2 cents
MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 3 7:30 a.m. Memorial
Sunday, April 3 11:00 a.m. Memorial Thomas Hinchliffe
Monday, April 4 9:00 a.m. Memorial Frances & Richard Staffier
Tuesday, April 5 9:00 a.m. Memorial Vanda Cavatorta
Wednesday, April 6 9:00 a.m. Memorial The Arroll Family
Thursday, April 7 9:00 a.m. Memorial John Regan
Friday, April 8 9:00 a.m. Memorial For all our sick, deceased and private intentions.
Saturday, April 9 9:00 a.m. Memorial John & Joseph Mahoney
Saturday, April 9 4:00 p.m. Memorial Joe Fox

Please remember in your prayers:
Richard Boiardi
May her soul and the souls of all our faithful departed share in the fullness of life and peace with God.

SACRAMENTAL AND DEVOTIONAL SERVICES
Anointing of the Sick: First Saturday, following the 4:00 p.m. Mass * Baptism: 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month *
Funeral: Contact the Parish * Marriage: Arrange six months prior * Confession: Saturdays 3:00 to 3:45 p.m. (or by appt.) *

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WEEKEND MASS PARTICIPANTS (subject to change) Saturday April 2 and Sunday, April 3

St. Paul Parish Saturday 4:00 p.m. Sun. 7:30 a.m. Sun. 9:00 a.m. Sun. 11:00 a.m.
Celebrant Msgr. Lind Fr. Mackay Fr. Mackay Mgr. Lind
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Eucharistic Ministers Kathy Hughto Margaret Gerard Jennifer Kane Jim & Lee Johnson
Je’Lesia Jones Justine Crowley Michael Mastrianni James O’Connor
Luke Griffin Angel Carrillo Mark DelVecchio Jacqueline Fitzpatrick

St. John Parish Sat. 5:00 p.m. Sun. 7:30 a.m. Sun. 9:00 a.m. Sun. 11:00 a.m. Sun. 5:00 p.m.
Celebrant Fr. Sepe Fr. Connelly Fr. Sepe Fr. Sepe Fr. Sepe
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