



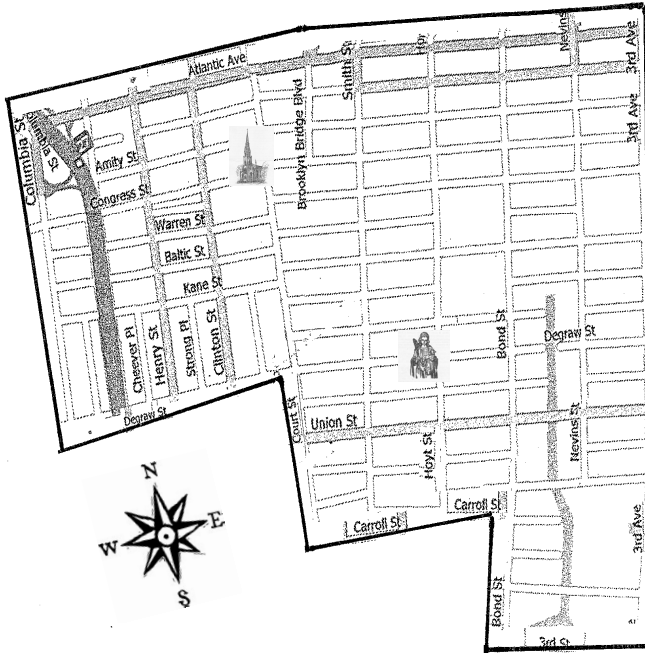
St. Paul & St. Agnes Parish

Saint Paul's Church

Saint Agnes Church

Boerum Hill + Carroll Gardens +
Cobble Hill + Gowanus +
Columbia St. Waterfront District

Brooklyn, New York



May 22, 2011

Parish Clergy

Father Robert M. Powers, Administrator
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Deacon Jaime A. Cobham
Deacon Leroy P. Branch, Jr.

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Sunday Mass Schedule at St. Agnes

Saturday: 5 PM Vigil Mass
Sunday: 9 AM English, 11:30 AM Spanish

Sunday Mass Schedule at St. Paul's

Saturday: 5PM Vigil Mass
Sunday: 8 AM & 9:30 AM English; 11:00AM Spanish

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday: 1--1:30 PM in St. Agnes; 4--4:30 PM in St. Paul's

Weekday Masses

Monday & Tuesday 8:30 AM, St. Paul's (Chapel)
Wednesday & Thursday 8:30 AM, St. Agnes (Chapel)
Saturday 8:00 AM, St. Paul's (Chapel)

Blessed Sacrament Chapel on Congress Street

Open for prayer, Monday through Friday, 7 AM to 3 PM.
Exposition & benediction as posted in the weekly bulletin

New Parishioners

We welcome new members of the parish. All parishioners should register and use church envelopes in order to maintain our parish of two churches.

Rite of Infant Baptism

Parents may inquire at either parish office about the commitment that is entailed.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples should make arrangements with one of the parish clergy at least six months in advance.

Religious Education (CCD)

Sundays in St. Agnes Hall, after the 9AM Mass.

RCIA (Sacramental Process for Adults)

Adults interested in receiving sacraments are invited to call either parish office.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

Parishioners who can not leave their homes may have the sacraments brought to them. Call the Parish Office.

Societies and Organizations

Please call either parish office about any of these organizations: Boy Scouts; *Caballeros de Colon*; *Carismáticos*; *Cursillistas*; Knights of Columbus; *Legión de María*, Young At Heart

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

Parish of St. Paul & St. Agnes

Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 22, 2011

Quinto Domingo de Pascua

St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church

May 21, 2011 - May 28, 2011

SATURDAY, May 21

8:00 Carmela Fiore r/b the family

5:00 Carmen Torres (1st Anniv.) r/b Louie & Ines Torres

SUNDAY, May 22

8:00 Aloysius Hudson r/b Buddy & Dee

9:30 Antoinette Ruggiero r/b Kiwanis Club of West End

11:00 Elba Iris Rodriguez p/p Maria Cabrera

Wilfredo Lopez Jr. p/p su madre Natividad Cintron

Teresa & Alfredo Loli p/p su hija Teresa Barrett

Felix & Julia Cruz p/p Daisy Soto

Mario Analuisa p/p Belgica Carrillo

Gregorio Padilla (25o. Aniv.)

p/p sus hijos Emelina, Lydia y Gregorio

Eva y Manuel Antonio Pereida r/b Lillian y familia

MONDAY, May 23

8:30AM Anne & Alice Walsh (RIP)

TUESDAY, May 24

8:30 AM Fred Competello r/b Angela Competello

SATURDAY, May 28

8:00 Jessie A. Paz (Living Birthday) r/b Marilu Paz Jones

5:00 Alejandro, Ludivina, Maria Cristina &

Patricio Lumapat r/b Lumapat & Cesario Family

Pray for...Recen por...

... **Our Sick:** Felicita Pedraza, Victor Soto, Mark Soto, Christopher Benson, Maria Gonzalez, Luisa Rodriguez, Tracy Cartwright, Sheila Polanco, Chris Medina, Helen Diaz, Ashton De Raveniere, Milton Piedra, Josey Ortiz, Alci Valdez, Edwin Rodriguez Maldonado, Vivian Gamba, Julio Guillen, Miguel Sotolongo, Francisca Baez, Dr. Allan Davis, Modesta Martinez

...**Thomas Nolan & Katherine Macfarlane**, who will marry at St. Paul's on Sat., May 28 at 2 PM.

+ **Josephine Piro, 86**, who died on May 11, and for those who mourn her, including her children Fred, Eugene, Salvatore, Angela, & Josephine.

CALL IN FOR A HOMILY

Father Danny Murphy, Pastor of St. Savior, Park Slope, records a three minute homily each day (except Monday) based on the Scripture readings of that day's Mass. Just call at any time **718-788-4055**.

St. Agnes Roman Catholic Church

May 21, 2011 - May 28, 2011

SATURDAY, May 21

5:00 PM Catherine Fabri (6 months)

r/b the Collazo Family

SUNDAY, May 22

9:00 AM Jack & Constance Wheary (Wedding Anniversary Remembrance)

r/b Jennifer & Jillian

11:30 AM People of St. Paul & St. Agnes

WEDNESDAY, May 25

8:30 AM John Marchesano r/b Virginia Marchesano

THURSDAY, May 26

8:30 AM Emmanuel Zuppardo r/b Nunzia & Family

SATURDAY, May 28

5:00 Rose Caraccapa (Anniversary Remembrance)

r/b her sister Dolly Mari

Wine & Hosts at St. Agnes for the week of May 22 were donated in memory of Ronald Lites as an Anniversary Remembrance by his wife, Cecilia Lites

The Ten Commandments

IV. Honor thy father and mother.

Commands: love, respect, obedience on the part of children; care on the part of parents for the spiritual & temporal welfare of their children; obedience to civil and religious superiors.

Forbids: hatred of parents and superiors; disrespect, disobedience.

from "The Ten Commandments", a pamphlet with imprimatur of the late + Walter Kellenberg, Bishop of Rockville Centre, June 6, 1971.

SPSA Parish Mission Statement

Relying upon the Holy Spirit in all that we do, we, the Roman Catholic Parish of **St. Paul & St. Agnes**, invite all in our neighborhood to celebrate our **common baptism in Jesus Christ** as a **priestly people**—interceding for our loved ones and for our world at Mass; as a **prophetic people**—proclaiming the Word of God in dialogue with our neighbors; as a **royal people**—building up the Kingdom of God through lives of humble service.

Traveling & Need to Find a Sunday Mass?

Visit masstimes.org or call 1-410-676-6000

COMING UP AT SPSA:

- **Honoree Banquet, Sun., June 5**
St. Agnes Center, 1-5 PM. \$25. Tickets on sale after Mass & at the Parish Office. 2011 honorees are: **Juan Rodriguez, Gladys Vargas, Madeline Tarantino, & Gayle Fagan**
- SPSA Celebration of **70th Anniv. Jubilee** of **Sister Innocentia** Lipari, MSBT at St. Paul's, **Sat., June 11, 2011 at 5 PM**
- **Graduation Masses** at SPSA, **Sat. June 25 & Sun. June 26th.** See page 4.
- SPSA Outing to the **Brooklyn Cyclones** vs. Staten Island Yankees, KeySpan Park, **Sat. Aug. 6,**
- SPSA **Card Party, Sat., Oct. 1, 2011**

Pray for... Recen por...

...the 13 children and 1 adult of SPSA who received the Sacrament of **Confirmation** last **Sat. May 14** at Sacred Hearts-St. Stephen Church, that they would remain open to the gifts of the Holy Spirit:

Dayanana Analuisa	Elysia Marie Machado
Ian Barris	Pamela Martinez
Summer Carrion	Alyssia Mercado
Evan Cedeno	Daniel Montesino
Carlos Cuadrano	Alexandria Natelli
Raven Lozada	Dayanara Ramos
Katherine Macfarlane	Kelsey Reyes

...the 20 children of SPSA who received **First Holy Communion** at St. Agnes Church last **Sun. May 15,** that they would continue to grow in communion with the Lord:

Yvette Cedeno	Elysia Marie Machado
Destiny Delcastillo	Luke Maddalone
Brandon Diaz	Javier Morales
Joseph Falcone	Jose Carlos Morales
John Ferraioli	Kathleen Murphy
Robert Ferraioli	Michael Nielsen
Eddie Flores	Adrian Perez
Roberto Guerrero	Dayanara Ramos
Skye Lamberty	Victoria Rodriguez
Nicole Lebron	Angelina Zambrano

Skipped Mass last Sun., May 15th?

The Church advises you:

Don't receive Holy Communion today to avoid committing another mortal sin.

We are very happy to have you at Mass at SPSA whatever your frequency of attendance is. But I urge all (adults & children) to abide by Church law & not to receive Communion if one or more Sunday or holy day of obligation Masses have been missed deliberately until one has gone to Confession & is in the state of grace once again. --RMP, Adm.

NEW THIS WEEK AT SPSA

- **Sister Jan Marie Kalyan, IHM, Photography Exhibit Continues today, Sun. May 22nd**
Sr. Jan Marie is displaying her nature photography on the gallery level of St. Paul's Church today, **Sun. May 22** from **12:00 PM to 6 PM.** SPSA is participating for the first time in **Brooklyn Studio Tours**, a biannual program of open studios in Cobble Hill, Carroll Gardens, & Red Hook. Brochures with maps of the sites of the studios are available in the vestibules of our churches.
- **Fundraising & Social Events Comm. Mon., May 23, 7 PM,** 234 Congress St. Volunteers are needed to help with the exciting parish events that are listed on this page.
- **Ticket sales** for the Sun. June 5th **Honoree Banquet** at St. Agnes Center after Mass & at the Parish Office. More info. to the left.
- **SPSA Couples** Dating, Married, Engaged. meets again this **Fri., May 27th at 7 PM** to socialize & to reflect; at the rectory, 234 Congress Street. RSVP: Deacon Leroy, 917-496-4221. New participants welcome.

THIS WEEK AT SPSA

Mon. 5/23: Rosary for Life, 1 PM, Congress St. chapel

Mon. May 23: Holy Hour, 5:30--7 PM
St. Agnes Church

New schedule for Eucharistic adoration & benediction. The time of exposition has been extended one half hour, from 5:30 PM to 7 PM. Adoration is every Monday; the churches are alternated: St. Paul's on the 1st & 3rd Mondays of the month; St. Agnes on the 2nd & 4th Mondays. Location to be announced for the 5th Monday, May 30th.

Tues. 5/24: St. Anthony Novena, 1 PM, chapel

Who Am I to Judge?

*I was shocked, confused, bewildered as I entered heaven's door
Not by the beauty of it all, nor the lights, nor its decor.
But it was the folks in heaven who made me sputter and gasp...
The thieves, the liars, the sinners, the alcoholics.
There stood the kid from 7th grade
who swiped my lunch money twice.
Next to him was my old neighbor who never said anything nice.
Joe, who I always thought was rotting away in hell,
was sitting pretty on Cloud 9, looking remarkably well.
I nudged Jesus, 'Hey what's the deal? I'd like to hear your take,
How did all these sinners get up here? There must be some mistake
And why is everyone so quiet, so somber, please give me a clue.'
'Hush, hush, child,' he said, 'They're all in shock. No one thought
they'd be seeing you.'*

Registration for Envelopes
Registración para Sobres

Name _____

Address _____
(include apt. no.; incluye direccion con apto.)

City, State, Zip _____

teleph. no: _____
(optional)

email address _____
(optional)

Age _____ (optional)

Ministries & activities in which I would like to serve in this parish (optional):

Return this form in the collection or email the data to peterpaulagnes@aol.com.

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ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2011
as of May 17, 2011

SPSA goal for 2011 ACA (completed): \$ 28,005
Money given over the goal for SPSA + \$ **8,052**

Total pledged to ACA from SPSA: \$ 35,057

Number of Pledges from SPSA to the ACA: 70
Number of Pledges of \$250 or more: 41
Court of Honor Pledges (\$1000 or more): 10
Percentage of goal achieved: 157%

What will you give to support your beloved church?

Now that our goal has been reached, all money received from SPSA parishioners in the ACA will be given back to our parish and will be used to pay the heating bills of this winter. ACA brochures are available by the church entrances.

THE COLLECTION

May 14 & 15, 2011

St. Paul's	\$	3, 109*
St. Agnes	\$	2, 404**
SPSA	\$	5, 513

*5 households gave 23% (\$728) of this amount.
**2 households gave 11% (\$275) of this amount.

2011 HONOREE BANQUET

St. Agnes Center, **Sunday, June 5, 2011, 1 PM -- 5 PM**

This year St. Paul & St. Agnes honors the following parishioners:

Gayle Fagan	Juan Rodriguez
Madeline Tarantino	Gladys Vargas

Tickets **\$25**; on sale after Mass and in the Parish Center.

CALLING ALL GRADUATES OF THE CLASS OF 2011!

As in past years, SPSA invites all graduates of the parish--from preschool through postdoctoral levels--to participate in a baccalaureate Mass of their choice on **Saturday, June 25th** or **Sunday, June 26th**. The graduates will renew their baptismal vows together at the time of the recitation of the creed, symbolic of their commitment to use their education for the building up of the Kingdom of God. Framed certificates will be given to all registered graduates at the conclusion of the Mass. Parishioners are encouraged to invite their family members and friends who live outside the parish to participate. The only prerequisite is that the graduate be a person of faith who is grateful to God for what he/she has achieved with God's help and with the help of others. A registration form will be available soon, or simply email peterpaulagnes@aol.com.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND TOWN

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The items below are for the information of our parishioners, who may find these programs pastorally & spiritually helpful. I do not endorse all these events. -RMP
(* indicates event appears for first time in bulletin)

Brooklyn Studio Tours Today

Artists of Cobble Hill, Carroll Gardens, & Red Hook open their studios to their neighbors this weekend. Info. available on line at brooklynstudiotours.com; brochures available in church. SPSA is participating; Sister Jan Marie Kalyan, IHM is displaying her nature photos on the gallery level of St. Paul's on **Sun., May 22nd, 12:30 PM -- 6 PM**. Sister Jan Marie is an adjunct faculty member of Marywood University, Scranton, PA, where she teaches photography and music & art education. Other artists will also display their work throughout the neighborhood. Come and support them. There is no fee or registration for the tour.

Pope John Paul II Mass Today

Diocesan Mass of Thanksgiving for the recent beatification of the late Pope John Paul II. At St. James Cathedral Basilica (250 Cathedral Place at Jay & Tillary Sts., today, **Sun. May 22, 4:30 PM**.

Lecture on Photography 5/25

"What Can Photography Reveal About Humanity: Rethinking the Task of Documentary Photography."
Speakers: Phil Bicker of TIME; Jeffrey Chapman, photographer. **Wed. May 25, 7 PM**, Columbia U. Faculty House, 64 Morningside Drive, NY. Co-sponsored by Crossroads Cultural Center & Columbia Catholic Ministry.

Sacred Romantic Music at St. Pat's 5/26

Thurs., May 26th, 7 PM at St. Patrick's Cathedral, E 50th St. & 5th Ave. featuring works of Beethoven, Franck, Puccini, & Joseph Rheinberger. performed by cathedral choir & orchestra. tickets: \$20 & \$30.

Misa de Sanacion 5/27

viernes, 27 de mayo, 7 PM, en Visitacion, 98 Richards St, Red Hook. Padre Claudio Antecini, celebrante.

Film: There Be Dragons

The story of St. Josemaria Escriva de Balaguer, 20th century Spanish priest who founded Opus Dei, the first canonical lay institute of the Catholic Church. Directed by Roland Joffe (*The Killing Fields; The Mission*) In English; playing in lower Manhattan theatres: 718-777-FILM

Film: October Cine: Octubre

A seedy pawnbroker in Lima finds redemption in becoming a single father to baby Milagritos during October, the month of the Festival of *Nuestro Señor de Milagros* (Our Lord of the Miracles). In Spanish with English subtitles; Lower Manhattan theatres; 718-777-FILM

Teachers' Morning of Recollection 6/4

"Christ the Teacher: A Look at the Spirituality of Teaching." **Sat., June 4, 9 AM - 12 Noon**, Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Williamsburgh. A morning of reflection on the spirituality & mission of teaching. For all those involved in any way in the ministries of teaching or catechesis. Registration required: 347-342-8354 or email teachersoflight@aol.com; no fee; a Project of Brooklyn Diocese/Faith Formation. www.teachersoflight.org

***Church History Lecture 6/5**

Church history series continues with *"The Fall of Constantinople"* at St. Joseph's Church, Casserly Hall, 371 6th Ave, NYC, **Sun, June 5, 2:30 PM**. John Rao, Assoc. Prof. of History, St. John's Univ. Reg: \$10 at door; includes wine & cheese reception. Info: Roman Forum Lectures in Church History website.

Natural Family Planning (NFP) 6/11

"How Natural Family Planning Renews Marriages"
A comprehensive conference on all aspects of NFP **Sat., June 11, 9 AM - 4 PM**. Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington, LI. Reg: Msgr. Robert J. Batule, 631- 423-0483, ext. 122 or msgr.batule@yahoo.com

***Evangelizing Parents 6/13 & 6/14**

Two hour workshop offered in four locations in the Diocese of Bklyn. during the day on **Mon. June 13 & Tues. June 14**. Contact Fr. Rob Powers by June 3 if you are interested in registering. The topic: the best practices, resources, & strategies for evangelizing Catholic parents.

***Infertility Treatments**

The Gianna Health Care Center for Women offers hope for couples struggling with infertility and recurrent miscarriage. Uses NaProTechnology that does not create or destroy embryos but corrects abnormalities, restores health of woman's body, & claims 70% success rate. Treatments do not conflict with Church moral teachings. Info: www.giannahealth.org or 212-481-1219. Dr. Anne Mielnik and Dr. Kyle Beiter, Directors.

Healing After Abortion 6/11

Day of prayer & healing for men & women. For location & reg., call Sisters of Life 866-575-0075 or Theresa Bonapartis at 877-586-4621. Men may reg. at 877-586-4621. Lumina@postabortionhelp.org

***The Gospel of John beg. 6/15**

Course on the theology of St. John's Gospel. At St. Francis of Assisi Church, San Damiano Hall, 129 W. 31st St. On 7 Wednesdays beginning June 15 until Aug. 3; 12 to 1 PM or 6:30 to 7:30 PM. Contact: 212-736-8500, Ext. 365 or jnuzzi@stfrancisnyc.org

***Short Film Festival 6/17**

"Discovering New Talent in Filmmaking"; a screening of the finalists of the 4th Annual International Short Film Festival. **Mon., June 17, 7 PM**. at the School of Visual Arts, 209 E 23 St, NY. www.crossroadculturalcenter.org

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