



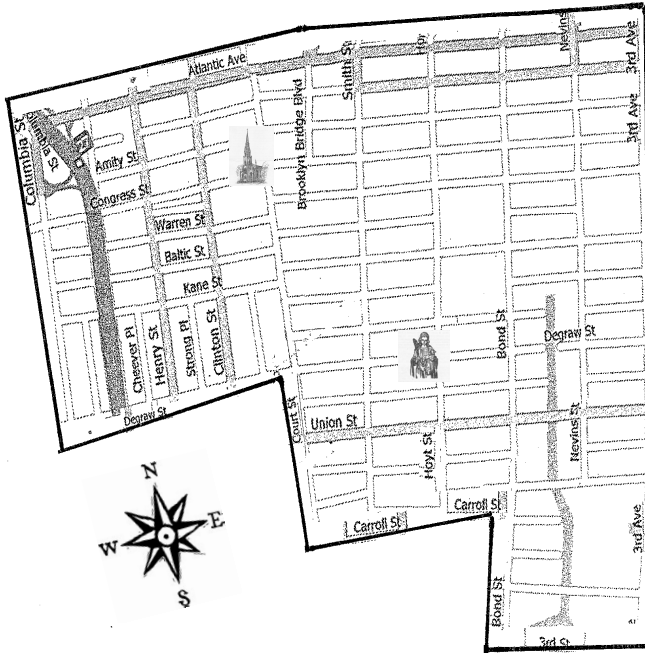
St. Paul & St. Agnes Parish

Saint Paul's Church

Saint Agnes Church

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

Brooklyn, New York



August 21, 2011

Parish Clergy

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

Parish Pastoral Staff

Sister M. Innocentia Lipari, MSBT, Pastoral Associate
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Monday through Friday, 1—4:30PM

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

Blessed Sacrament Chapel on Congress Street

Open for prayer, Monday through Friday, 7 AM to 3 PM.

Exposition & Benediction: Mondays 6 to 7 PM:

St. Paul, 1st & 3rd Mondays; St. Agnes, 2nd & 4th Mondays.
Wed., 11 AM to 12:30 PM: Chapel on Congress St.

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 Maria*, 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

Twentieth-first Sunday of the Year August 21, 2011 *Vigésimo Primer Domingo del Año*

St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church

August 20, 2011 - August 27, 2011

SATURDAY, August 20

8:00 AM Catherine Bressie (Deceased)
r/b Barbara Zelenko

5:00PM Mary Canty r/b Ronnie Mangie

SUNDAY, August 21

8:00AM

9:30AM Norman Casteelani r/b Alice Benson

11:00AM Ruperto Acevedo (9. Aniv.) p/p su hija Millie
Ramon Sorote p/p su esposa Helen Diaz
En Honor al Gran Poder de Dios p/p Altigracia Padilla

MONDAY, August 22

8:30AM

TUESDAY, August 23

8:30AM The Loetterle & Keeley Families r/b the Family

SATURDAY August 27

8:00AM

5:00PM Anne Walsh r/b Patricia Walsh

Skipped Mass last Sun., August 14th?

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.

Traveling & Need to Find a Sunday Mass?

Visit www.masstimes.org
or call (734) 794 2100

This bulletin is on **Facebook** (stpaul/stagnes)
and at stpaulstagnes.wordpress.com

New email address: stpaulstagnes@gmail.com

St. Agnes Roman Catholic Church

August 20, 2011 - August 27, 2011

SATURDAY, August 20

5:00 PM Cianciotto Family r/b Frances Fevola

SUNDAY August 21

9:00AM Mark Bartololli r/b Nicole Monteleone

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

WEDNESDAY, August 24

8:30 AM

THURSDAY, August 25

8:30 AM

SATURDAY, August 27

5:00 PM Richard Spakowski r/b Diane Kornofsky

Pray for... Recen por...

...the deceased & for those who mourn them:

+ **Manny Lopez, 69**, on Aug. 5; husband of Damaris; father of Manny, Jr., Louis, Daisy, Louis, Joseph, & Elias.

... **Our Sick**: Felicita Pedraza, Victor Soto, Mark Soto, Christopher Benson, Maria Gonzalez, Luisa Rodriguez, Sheila Polanco, Chris Medina, Helen Diaz, Milton Piedra, Miguel Sotolongo, Francisca Baez, Edwin Rodriguez Maldonado, Dr. Allan Davis, Maria Colon, Raymond Silva, Modesta Martinez, Dolores Pellegrino, Carmen Cruz, Juanita Rivera, Freddy Mercado, Susan Sengupta Ana Dobson, Guy Guido.

...**Pope Benedict XVI's** general & missionary intentions for the month of August

- that the World Youth Day taking place in Madrid would encourage all the young people of the world to root and found their lives in Christ
- that Christians of the West, docile to the action of the Holy Spirit, would re-encounter the freshness & enthusiasm of their faith

Dial a Homily

The Good Word: a homily call in service of St. Francis of Assisi Church, NY, 212 736 9233

Fr. Danny Murphy, Pastor of St. Savior's, Park Slope. reflection on the readings of the day 718 768 2560

**Please join the 121 parishioners
who have given to the 2011 ACA
to assist St. Paul & St. Agnes:**

1 household gave \$10,000	4 households gave \$280
3 households gave \$2500	2 households gave \$275
1 household gave \$1250	32 households gave \$250
7 households gave \$1000	1 household gave \$222
1 household gave \$900	1 household gave \$200
1 household gave \$780	8 households gave \$150
1 household gave \$650	1 household gave \$125
1 household gave \$550	19 households gave \$100
8 households gave \$500	20 households gave
1 household gave \$400	\$50 or less
8 households gave \$300	

**...And what will you give to the ACA to
support St. Paul & St. Agnes?**

Brochures are near the church entrances. Please consider a pledge of at least **\$250**. \$2500 of our parish's ACA income (5% of the \$49,722) came from the clergy (Administrator & deacons) who are assigned to SPSA.

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2011
as of August 15, 2011**

SPSA goal for 2011 ACA (completed): \$ 28,005
Money given over the goal for SPSA + \$ 21,717

Total pledged to ACA from SPSA: \$ 49,722

Number of Pledges from SPSA to the ACA:	121
Number of Pledges of \$250 or more:	67
Court of Honor Pledges (\$1000 or more):	12
Percentage of goal achieved:	178%

Ravive en toi le don reçu.

Renueva en tí el don recibido.

**Renew in yourself the gift
you have received.**

theme of renewal of faith
in the Diocese of
Gaspé, Quebec, Canada

Envelope Registration

You may return this form by mail or in the collection.

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

The following info. is optional:

teleph. no: _____ age: _____

email address: _____

New unused gifts you might donate
to the **Card Party & Chinese Auction**
which will be held on **Sat., Oct. 1st**

mixer blender toaster oven

flat screen high definition TV

pressure cooker DVD player lap top

stainless steel knife set GPS

wok sports equipment ipod

game systems (wii, xbox, game cube)

crock pot alarm clock radio

Cuisinart ice cream maker or food processor

cordless telephone

child's bicycle comforter & sheet set

glass beverage set

coffee maker & grinder (all in one unit)

crystal vases Mikasa set china set

Or you could donate the
cash equivalent, using the donation
envelopes, & the Fundraising
Committee would buy the prize for you.

In 2010, parishioners donated **\$3600** in cash
to purchase prizes for the Card Party.
Help us match this level in 2011.
As of August 14th, **47** parishioners
have given a total of **\$1955**.

The level of the Oct. 1st Mega 50/50
(as of August 14) is at **\$ 2092**:
\$1046 for the winner; \$1046 for SPSA.
Help us to reach our goal of **\$ 10,000**:
\$5000 for the winner; \$5000 for SPSA

Make it a Mega 50/50!
Get your chancebooks in today!

THE COLLECTION

**Aug. 13 & 14, 2011 +
the Assumption, Aug. 15**

St. Paul \$ 3102

St. Agnes \$ 2113

Parish **\$ 5215**

COMING UP AT SPSA:

The Girl with the Guitar Back on 8/28

Kathie Bistreich aka the Girl with the Guitar will be back at the **8 AM Mass** at St. Paul's next **Sun., Aug. 28th.**

Nstra. Sra. de Caridad del Cobre 9/11

Misa a las 11 AM el 11 de Sept. en San Pablo, honrando a la Patrona de Cuba, Nuestra Sra. de Caridad del Cobre. Recepcion después en Salon San Pablo.

Holy Hour on 9/11

A holy hour will be held at **2 PM** on **Sun., Sept. 11** in St. Paul's Church to mark the 10th anniversary of the tragic attacks on our country. It is an opportunity for us to pray for many things: the eternal rest of those who died; the healing of those who were injured and who lost loved ones; the conversion of hearts engaged in terrorism and violence; the wisdom of all engaged in national security; the protection of peacekeepers and of innocent civilians.

SPSA Couples Barbecue 9/16

All couples of the parish--married, engaged, dating--are invited to a potluck barbecue on **Fri., Sept. 16th** at **7 PM** in the rectory yard at 234 Congress St. RSVP: Deacon Leroy Branch, 917-496-4221.

Oct. 1st Card Party & Chinese Auction Fundraiser Needs Your Support

All parishioners are asked to donate money or an attractive, unused, unopened gift (if packed in plastic, in clear, nonyellowing, nondusty plastic) for a gift or gift basket for the Sat. Oct. 1st Card Party & Chinese Auction Fundraiser. **We ask all parishioners to give either a new gift worth \$25 or more or a monetary donation of at least \$25.** For the 2010 Card Party, parishioners gave \$3600 which was used for the purchase of gifts. The Card Party was a success, and a major factor was the quality & quantity of the gifts that were raffled off. Donation envelopes marked with yellow & blue dots are also available by the church entrances.

Religious Ed for PreK & Kindergarten

The program will resume on **Sun., Sept. 18th**, when CCD begins, at St. Agnes Center at 10 AM. No registration or regular attendance required. These years of a child's life are fertile ground for catechesis. All infants, pre-K, & kindergarten children are welcome along with their parents.

Catechists Needed

Please contact Bill Gorman at the Parish Office if you are interested in teaching in our Religious Ed (CCD) Program, which meets Sun. mornings at 10 AM in St. Agnes Center

Sacraments for Adults

Are you an adult who desires Baptism, First Holy Communion, and/or Confirmation? Simply call or speak with Fr. Rob Powers or any of our parish deacons.

THIS WEEK AT SPSA

Mission Appeal in SPSA Today

Our parish extends a warm welcome to Msgr. George Tomichek and a deacon who have travelled from Philadelphia to speak at all Masses this weekend in order to appeal for funds for missions in the Diocese of Calbayog in the Phillipines. Msgr. Tomichek is a diocesan priest who was a missionary for many years with the Redemptorists in the Phillipines.

As in past years, envelopes for this mission appeal will be distributed at Mass today. These envelopes may be returned by Sunday, Sept. 11th. Please be generous; remember that financial as well as prayerful support of the missions is our obligation as Catholics.

Misioneros Visitan SPSA Hoy

Nuestra parroquia extiende una bienvenida carinosa a Mons. George Tomichek y un diacono que han viajado de Filadelfia para hablar en todas misas este fin de semana para pedir por fondos para misiones en la Diocesis de Calbayog en las Filipinas. Mons. Tomichek es sacerdote diocesano que fue misionero por muchos años con los Redentoristas en las Filipinas.

Como en los años pasados, sobres para esta campaña misionera sera distribuidos en las misas de hoy. Pueden devolver los sobres por dom., 11 de sept. Favor de ser generosos; recuerdan que apoyo financiero como apoyo de oracion de las misiones es nuestra obligacion como catolicos.

Religious Ed. (CCD) Reg. Today; Classes Begin Sept. 18th

There will be registration for Religious Ed. (CCD) after the 9 AM Mass until the beginning of the 11:30 AM Mass in St. Agnes Center, today, **Sun., Aug. 21** & next **Sun., Aug. 28.** **Classes begin Sun., Sept. 18.**

Parish Office Closed This Week Mon. Aug. 22 thru Fri. Aug. 26

Office services, including arranging a Mass intention, can be received by appointment only this week. Leave a message with your phone number on the answering machine at St. Agnes (718-625-1717) or on extension 20 at St. Paul's (718-624-3425 or 718-624-0179) and someone will get back to you.

Mon., Aug. 22nd Holy Hour

6 - 7 PM St. Agnes Church

Please come by to pray before the Blessed Sacrament. Time before the Real Presence is necessary to maintain a deep relationship with Christ

Fundraising & Social Events 8/23

The Fundraising & Social Events Committee meets this **Tues., Aug. 23** at **7 PM** at the rectory at 234 Congress St. Volunteers are needed for the **Card Party & Chinese Auction Fundraiser**, which is scheduled for Sat. Oct. 1st.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND TOWN

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

St. Francis at the Frick until 8/28

Bellini's *St. Francis in the Desert* in the sky-lit Oval Room at the Frick Museum, 1 E. 70th St. at 5th Ave, NY thru Sun., Aug. 28th. 212-268-0700

Rembrandt & the Face of Jesus

A special exhibit of Rembrandt's portraits and drawings of a very human face of Jesus. At the Philadelphia Museum of Art until **Oct. 30**, 2011. Tickets on sale at www.philamuseum.org/exhibitions.

The Art of Bklyn Festival 8/20-27

"The Art of Brooklyn: A Festival of Film, Music, & Art" showcasing NY's Indie filmmakers, musicians, & visual artists. **Sat. Aug. 20--Sat. Aug. 27** At St. Francis College Theater, 180 Remsen St, Bklyn. Hgts. Tickets & info: theartofbrooklyn.com; theartofbrooklyn@gmail.com

Catholic Underground 9/3

A cultural apostolate for Catholic hipsters & yupsters sponsored by the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal (www.franciscanfriars.com). Every first Sat. of the month at Our Lady of Good Counsel, 230 E. 90th St, (betw. 2 & 3 Aves.), NY. **Sat., Sept. 3, 7:30--10:30 PM**. Eucharistic adoration and artists from the Catholic Underground. Both hip and solemn. <http://catholicunderground.net>

***Ignatian Spirituality 9/10**

Would you like to walk more closely with God? Learn more about how you can grow nearer to God through Ignatian spirituality and prayer. **Sat., Sept. 10, 1-4:30 PM**, St. Francis Xavier Church, 55 W. 15th St, NY. An info. session addressing: What is Ignatian spirituality? What is Ignatian contemplation? What is spiritual direction? What are the Spiritual Exercises? Info: Rose Allocca, 718 388 4522, rallocca@hotmail.com; or Marie Bannister, 917 301 2426; mariebannister1@gmail.com. Sponsored by ISEL (Ignatian Spirituality in Everyday Life)

9/11 10th Anniv. Liturgies

9/11 Mass of Remembrance on **Fri., Sept. 9th, 5:30 PM** in St. Francis Xavier Church, 55 W. 15 St., NY. Co-hosted by the church & Xavier HS. Fr. David Ciancimmino.

The prayer event *"Destined to Live Together"* is cosponsored by St. John's Univ. and the Community of Sant' Egidio on the 10th Anniversary of 9/11. Families of victims will share their experiences. At the St. John's Lower Manhattan campus, 101 Murray St, NY. Event begins at **7:30 AM, Sun, Sept. 11th**.

Vespers commemorating 9/11 victims on **Sun, Sept. 11, 7 PM** at St. Francis Xavier Church, NY.

Catholic Singles Weekend Retreat

At Mt. Manresa Retreat House, Staten Island, **Fri. Oct. 21 -Sun. Oct. 23**. 718-727-3844. www.mountmanresa.org

Catholic LGBT Conference 9/22-9/25

CALGM (Catholic Association for Lesbian & Gay Ministry) holds its 2011 conference *"Setting the Table for LGBT People in a Diverse Church"* **Sept. 22-25, 2011** in the Best Western Albany Airport Inn, Albany, NY. Presentations focus especially on the issue of Catholic families' acceptance of homosexual members of the family. Info: www.calgm.org

***Padre Pio Festival 9/25**

St. Padre Pio Parish will have Mass & procession at **11 AM on Sun. Sept. 25**; Peter Cardinal Turkson, celebrant, Fr. Ermelindo DiCapua, OFM Cap, friend of Padre Pio, homilist. Italiana Mass with Fr. Capua at 2 PM. Blesses with relics of Padre Pio and Mother Pauline after Mass. Street festival with food, **12 to 6 PM**. Our Lady of Pompeii Church, 4680 Dante Ave, Vineland, NJ 08361; 856 691 7526; www.pppnj.org

Cena-Baile de Providencia 10/9

Nuestra Sra. Madre de la Divina Providencia Cena-Baile con musica en vivo con el Trio "Ideal" el domingo, 9 de octubre, 5 PM hasta 10 PM en Polonaise Terrace, 150 Greenpoint Ave, Bklyn, 11222. Costo: \$100; en la puerta: \$125. Un evento para ayudar con los costos de la misa y celebración anual en la Diocesis de Bklyn (este ano en Santiago Catedral-Basilica el viernes, 18 de nov., 7:30 PM). Para mas info, o para comprar boletos, dejar su nombre y telefono en el voice mail del Padre Freddy Cintron, 718-436-5917 o hable con P. Rob Powers.

***Tours of Inisfada**

Inisfada (Irish for Long Island) was originally the 87 room & 37 chimney summer cottage and 300 acre estate of Nicholas Brady and his wife, Genevieve, who became a papal duchess. Built in 1919, the mansion's style is Jacobean Revival and Tudor-Elizabethan. Particularly remarkable for its intricate wood carvings is Duchess Brady's private chapel, St. Genevieve's. Angelo Cardinal Pacelli, who later became Pope Pius XII (1939-1958), was a guest at Inisfada in the early 1930's. In 1937, Mrs. Brady gave Inisfada to the Society of Jesus (the Jesuits) who have maintained it as St. Ignatius Retreat House ever since.

Tours of Inisfada are \$10 per person and can be arranged by contacting Fr. Damian Halligan, SJ at 516 621 8300. A virtual tour is available at www.inisfada.net. Inisfada is about a 45 minute drive from our parish & is located at 251 Searingtown Road, Manhasset, LI 11030 (Exit 36 on the LIE)

***Regis High School Open Houses**

Regis HS, 55 E. 84th St, NY, an all-scholarship Jesuit school for talented & gifted Catholic boys. Bklyn Admissions Info. Night: **Wed., Sept. 28, 7 PM** at St. Saviour Church, 611 8 Ave at 6 St, Park Slope. Open House at Regis HS for 8th graders & parents on **Columbus Day, Mon, Oct. 10, 1 to 4 PM**. Info: Eric Di Michele, Director of Admissions, 212 288 1100; edimiche@regis-nyc.org

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