



Attentive to the Holy Spirit and nourished by vibrant liturgy, we are a Catholic community that welcomes all, fosters healing and reconciliation, and acts for justice.

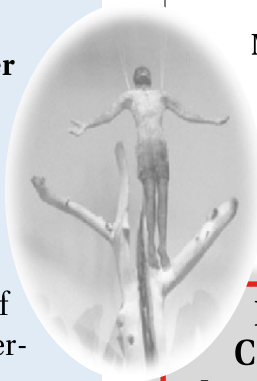
**IN YOUR OWN WISDOM, NOT IN MINE:
AN EVENING OF STORY AND SONG WITH
PAULO K. TIRÓL**

When composer, lyricist, and former Paulist Center musician Paulo K. Tiról moved from Manila to Boston to study music nine years ago, he never dreamed he'd be living the life he is now: working with Broadway performers, published by America's largest publisher of Catholic music, and now with the kind of person he'd always hoped to meet.

Join Paulo as he shares his journey, some of the songs he's written along the way, and the lessons he's learned about patience, discernment, and trust in the surprises that God sends our way.

Sponsored by the LGBTQ+ Ministry, Adult Education Committee, & Music Ministry.

Thursday, May 20th, 7pm. Here's [the link](#)



MAY 15 - 16 AND MAY 22 - 23, 2021

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

PENTECOST SUNDAY

IN-PERSON MASSES

Saturday 5:00pm

Sunday 10:00am

VIRTUAL MASS

Sunday 10:00am

IN-PERSON MASSES

For Sunday May 16th, and Sunday, May 23rd, Live-Streamed Mass from the Chapel, is at **10am.** (available as recording at same link after 11:15am)

May 16th YouTube [Link](#)

May 16th Link for [Order of Worship](#)

May 23rd You Tube [Link](#)

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**DEAR MEMBERS OF THE PAULIST CENTER
COMMUNITY AND FRIENDS,**

After prayerful reflection, I have submitted my resignation as Pastoral Minister of Liturgy and Music to Father Michael McGarry, effective July 31, 2021. For the past four years I have tried my best to coordinate and implement prayerful celebrations here at the Center.

These past 14 months have been the most unusual in my 50 years as a Pastoral Musician. I am deeply grateful to all who have ministered alongside me to continue our celebrations during this pandemic. I truly believe it is time for someone other than myself to fulfill the role as Pastoral Minister for Liturgy and Music as the Paulist Center moves forward. I hope to find part-time employment as I transition to a simpler workload.

My deepest gratitude to so many of you who have been such a great support during my time here at the Center.

Sincerely,

Peter Ghiloni



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Not in Mine**

An evening of song & story with
Paulo K. Tiról
Composer of Catholic liturgical music
& Broadway musicals



Thursday, May 20 at 7:00 PM
Zoom • bit.ly/pcctirol

Welcome! If you are considering becoming a member, please fill out a membership inquiry form that can be found on our website. You may also call the Reception Desk at 617-742-4460. After returning the form, a staff member will contact you.



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YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY - SMALL GROUPS

The Young Adult Ministry offers weekly small groups on **Tuesday evenings** from **7-8:30pm**. Participating in a weekly small group is a way to connect with other Catholic young adults and discuss topics related to both life and the faith. This may be in the form of reflecting on Scripture, discussing reactions to current events in society or the Church, or simply sharing what was challenging or rewarding during your week.



Especially at a time when many of us are not able to come together as a community at Mass, small groups can be a great way to foster spiritual growth or seek support from our peers.

All small groups meetings are confidential and non-judgmental.

We are also **looking to start a small group on Thursday evenings**.

You can sign up for a small group at [this link](#):

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

Know someone who may be thinking about becoming a member of the Catholic Church?

Fr. Chuck is connecting with women and men who are inquiring about Catholicism. There will be a regular, online, conversation through the summer; **beginning Monday, June 7th from 7-8:30pm**.

Please share Fr. Chuck's contact information (chuck@paulistcenter.org, 617-948-2424) and have them get in touch.



PAULIST FATHERS' NEWS

On **Saturday, May 22nd**, the Paulist Fathers will celebrate the **ordination** of **Michael Cruickshank and Richard Whitney**.



The ordination, which begins at **11am**, will be **livestreamed from New York City via the Paulist Fathers website**. Mike, originally from Chelmsford, got to know the Paulists at the Church of Saint Paul in Manhattan. Rich, originally from Duxbury, came to the Paulists via the Paulist Center.

Please pray for these Paulists as they begin a new aspect of their journey of life and faith.

Also keep in your prayers our five seminarians, as well as those who are discerning the call of the Lord.



YOUNG ADULTS BIBLE STUDY

Sign ups for the Bible Study on Wednesday evenings from 8-9pm are still open to all!

Readings will include the upcoming Sunday liturgical readings for the Catholic Mass as well as Orthodox liturgies.

The format will be:

- † opening prayer
- † check-in with each participant
- † the readings
- † sharing thoughts and reflections
- † closing prayer



Feel free to contact **Connor May** at csmay93@gmail.com if you are interested.

WORSHIPING IN-PERSON AT THE PAULIST CENTER CHAPEL

(imperative if you will be worshipping with us)..

Please reserve a place for either the **5pm Mass on Saturdays**, or the **10am Mass on Sundays**.

How to reserve a place? Please call the Center, **617-742-4460**, anytime before **Friday at 5pm**. You can leave a message, or **Sal**, our receptionist, will take your name and phone number. We need this information so that we can contact you should we become aware, after the liturgy, of a person with Covid who attended your Mass.

Note Carefully: If you are experiencing ANY symptom that would indicate that you are ill (not just for Covid), please stay home. If in doubt, please stay home!



Also, please read carefully the **Procedures** and watch the **YouTube video** (both links below).



Of special note:

- The doors open 10 minutes before the service
- Since there is no singing (yet), **we invite you to hum along** with the songs.



- **Procedures:** expectations and [requirements](#)
- [YouTube Video](#)

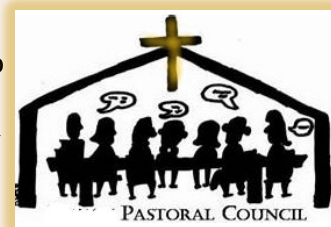
PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Are you a member of the Paulist Center who is looking for an **opportunity to serve** our Community? If so, please consider running for the **Pastoral Council!**

The Pastoral Council will be holding elections in the next month for three new members to join the Council in September, as we have our annual turnover for this two year commitment

Members **meet once a month for an hour and a half** to oversee maintaining the vision of the Paulist Center Community and advising the Staff on directions and initiatives. Candidates must gather **25 signatures of Paulist Center members** to be on the ballot. For further information about the Pastoral Council, its activities, and the nomination process, please see this [document](#) or email **Fr. Mike at michael@paulistcenter.org**.

This is a wonderful way to contribute to the Paulist Center Community and hope you will consider it!



WAYS OF GIVING

Our “**Community Gift**” is the Paulist Center’s tradition of **giving away 5% of our weekend offerings**, averaged out over the year, to a group outside of ourselves. **We are so very grateful** for your support during this time of uncertainty and financial peril.

The weekend of **May 15th/16th**, we designate our gift to **St. Francis House**, a refuge which offers food, shelter, counseling, and medical care for the poor and homeless of Boston.

The weekend of **May 22nd/23rd** we designate our gift to **New Ways Ministry**, a Church ministry working for reconciliation for lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender Catholics within Christian and civil communities. **Two ways to give:**

1. To make a one-time or recurring donation using your bank account or credit card, click on this link: <https://tinyurl.com/DonatePaulistCenter>
2. Giving by text: Text a whole dollar donation amount to **844-899-7511**; this will be designated as your “Weekend Offering.”

Thank You!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRAYER GATHERING

All are welcome to a prayer gathering on **Wednesday, May 19th at 7pm** led by the **Paulist Associates**.

Here's [the link](#)

On **Wednesday, May 26th at 7pm**, all are welcome to a prayer gathering led by the **Paulist Center's LGBTQ+ Ministry**.

Here's [the Link](#)



HOSPITALITY MINISTERS

If you can assist as a **Minister of Hospitality** with:

- † **welcoming,**
- † **seating, and**
- † **directing people into and out of the Chapel,**
we would love to hear from you!

If you are **not in a vulnerable group with regard to COVID-19** and are willing and able to assist in this very important ministry, please contact:

Peter Ghiloni at
peter@paulistcenter.org



THE RETURN OF SUNDAY 6PM MASS AT THE PAULIST CENTER

Last Friday, the Paulist Center announced **the return of the Sunday 6pm Mass** beginning **Sunday, June 6th** on the **Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**.



Sign-ups for attending Sunday 6pm Mass will be **required** like the other Masses on Saturday at 5 and Sunday at 10am.

Please follow the standard sign-up procedure.

(outlined on page 3 of this bulletin)

PAULIST CENTER ROSARY CIRCLE

The Paulist Center Rosary Circle meets virtually **every Monday evening at 7:30pm**.

All are welcome!

Here's the [Zoom link](#)



MINISTERIAL STAFF

Chuck Cunniff, CSP	Peter M. Ghiloni
Michael McGarry, CSP	John Morton
Susan Rutkowski	Patricia Simpson

Pastoral Council Co-Chairs

Jeanine Mount Tori Steinmeier

Please see our website for direct contact information.

