

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.

OCTOBER 30 - 31 AND NOVEMBER 6 - 7, 2021
31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WEEKEND IN-PERSON MASSES Saturday Sunday 5:00 PM 10:00 AM 6:00 PM

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Tuesday and Thursday

WEEKDAY IN-PERSON MASSES

12:05 PM

LIVE-STREAMED MASS Sunday 10:00 AM

2020 HECKER AWARD: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH AT 5 PM

We are two weeks out from welcoming our <u>2020</u> Hecker Award winner, Fr. Bryan Massingale! Fr. Bryan is receiving the award for his justice work in both LGBTQ and Racial Justice issues. Please plan on joining us in-person in our Chapel to welcome Fr. Bryan on November 13th or on-line during our live stream that evening.

To prepare for this important event, there are <u>two opportunities</u> in which you can learn more about his work:



<u>Thursday, November 4th at 7 pm</u>, the Racial Justice Advocacy Group is hosting a Zoom discussion on the following articles, podcast and videos. November 4th Zoom <u>link</u>

1. "The Assumptions of White Privilege and What We Can Do About It"

An essay in the National Catholic Reporter

Link

2. "Openly Gay Priest Discusses Pope Francis' Appeal for LGTBQ Protections"

A Six Minute Listen with Transcript

Link

3. "Racism and the Way Forward"

A 20-minute podcast

Link

4. "How the Church Can Combat Racism and White Privilege"

An interview with Fr. Bryan Massingale conducted by America - the Jesuit Review

Link

5. "LGTBQ Ministry is For the Good of All"

An essay in US Catholic

Link

6. Buy Fr. Massingale's book, *Racial Justice and the Catholic Church* and bring it to the Hecker Award evening. We will ask Fr. Bryan to sign books at the end of the liturgy.

Link

<u>Wednesday, November 10th at 7 pm</u>, join us for a virtual prayer service, hosted by our LGBTQ+ group, that will highlight Fr. Bryan's work. <u>Link</u>

Please come and learn more about the significant work of Fr. Bryan Massingale and help us welcome him on November 13th!

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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PLEASE PRAY FOR ...

The repose of the soul of our Third Saturday Morning Breakfast volunteer extraordinaire Pat McCarthy.



Pat not only cooked for our Saturday morning guests for decades, but she was also the primary shopper. As her family shared with us, even family vacations had to be planned around her commitment to her third Saturday morning folks. She will be greatly missed.



Please keep Pat and her family in your prayers.

Link to obituary on Legacy.

FAMILY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (FREP) 2021-2022

Registration is now open for this upcoming year of faith formation. Please go to www.paulistcenter.org, then click on Exploring Our Faith, then Youth Faith Formation (ages 0-18) for more information and to register.

The **first class** is scheduled for **Sunday**, **November 7**th.

First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion-preparation and celebration of the sacraments will be offered in the winter/spring of 2022. More information about the sacraments to follow.

BAPTISM PREP

B aptism prep for expectant/new parents will take place on Saturday,



November 13th from 10-11:15am, via Zoom.

More information can be found **here**.

Should you have questions or wish to register, please contact **Fr. Chuck**.

LIVE-STREAMED MASS LINKS

The 10am Mass is Live-Streamed. (available as recording at same link after 11:15am)

October 31st YouTube <u>Link</u> October 31st Order of Worship <u>Link</u>

November 7th YouTube <u>Link</u> November 7th Order of Worship <u>Link</u>



SPIRIT OF HECKER GALA

Join the Paulist Fathers for their Second Annual Spirit of Hecker Awards Gala (online) on Saturday, November 6th, 8:30pm.

There will be "Spirit of Hecker" Awardees from every Paulist Foundation. From the Paulist Center?

Our own multi-talented Emily Spicer Hankle!

For more information about the exciting **Auction and Raffle** associated with the Spirit of Hecker Gala, can be found **here**.

ARCHDIOCESAN JUSTICE CONVOCATION

Register now for the 13th Annual Archdiocesan Justice Convocation, A Virtual Gathering on Saturday, November 13th, 10am to 12:30 pm.

Theme: "Let Us Dream: The Path to a Better Future."

For more information, see **this flyer**.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The month of November is traditionally a time when Christians remember those who have died.



We invite you to inscribe the names of your loved ones who have passed between November 1, 2020 and November 1, 2021, in our Book of Remembrance – located in front of the icon of Mary in the Chapel.



You may also submit names of your loved ones who have passed this past year by filling out this <u>form</u>. The names will then be inscribed in our Book of Remembrance.

As we approach the end of another liturgical year, we pause to contemplate our passing from this life into a new life in God's heavenly reality. We lift up for those who have gone before us and with hope and trust, celebrate their new life surrounded by the saints in glory.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O God, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

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 challenge.

The weekend of **October 30**th **and 31**st we designate our gift to **Haley House**. This non-profit organization uses food with purpose and the power of community to break down barriers between people, empower individuals, and strengthen neighborhoods. Based in Boston's South End and Roxbury neighborhoods, Haley House is dedicated to helping those made vulnerable by the harshest effects of inequality move toward wholeness and economic independence.

The weekend of **November 6**th **and 7**th, we designate our gift to the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development**, the domestic anti-poverty, social justice program of the U.S. Catholic bishops. Its mission is to address the root causes of poverty in America through promotion and support of community-controlled, self-help organizations and through transformative education.

Two ways to give to the Paulist Center:

- **1.** To make a one-time **or** recurring donation to the Center 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 for your continued support!*



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