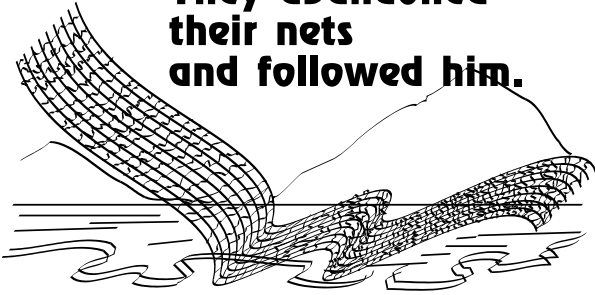

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

They abandoned their nets and followed him.



January 22, 2017

Sat. January 21, 2017

5:00 pm –Victoria Mercado, Helen Mastandrea
Elizabeth Radday

6:15 pm - Ultreya

Sun. January 22, 2017

9:00 am –Alba Pierce, Gaye Collins, John Lancellotti

9:00 & 11:00 am – CTW & 3, 4, 5 year olds

10:00 am – Grade 1 - Grade 2 with Parent Workshop

11:00 am – Robert Carpino, Marie McClure,
Priscilla Thelwell

11:00 am – Teen Liturgy

Mon. January 23, 2017

6:30-8:00 p.m. - Religious Education

Tues. January 24, 2017

6:30-8:00 p.m. - Religious Education

7:00 pm – Grade 6 Parent Workshop

Wed. January 25, 2017

6:30-8:00 p.m. - Religious Education

7:00 pm – Grade 4 Parent Workshop

Thurs. January 26, 2017

7:00 pm. – AA

7:15 pm – Choir Practice

Fri. January 27, 2017

Sat. January 28, 2017

11:00 am - Baptism

3:30 pm - Reconciliation

5:00 pm –Victoria Mercado, Anne Tracey,
Deceased Members of the Mehl

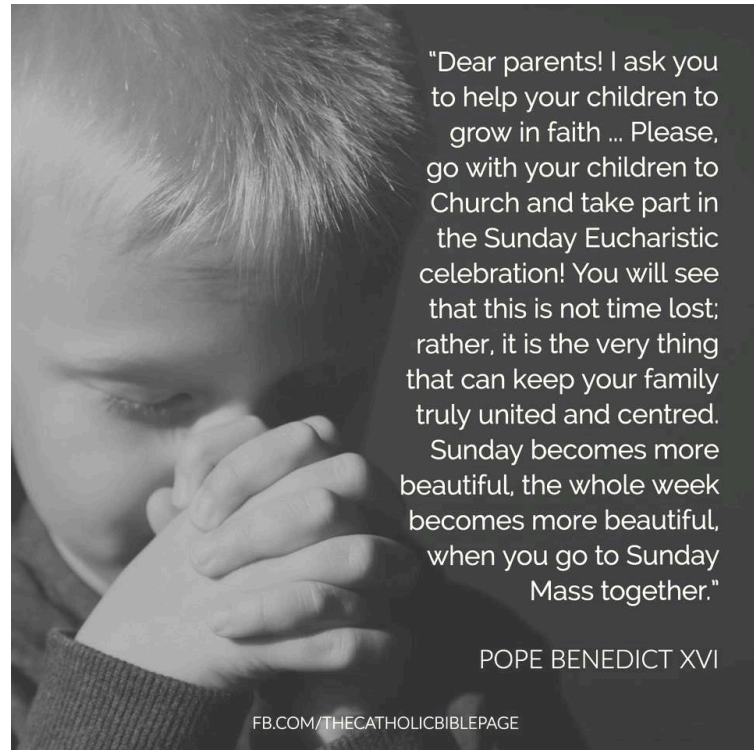
6:00 pm – Polish Dinner

Sun. January 29, 2017

9:00 am –Fred DeGroot, Gaye Collins, John Lancellotti

11:00 am – Nancy Batta, Bill Dami, Guckian & Fay Family

12:30 – Church History



“Dear parents! I ask you to help your children to grow in faith ... Please, go with your children to Church and take part in the Sunday Eucharistic celebration! You will see that this is not time lost; rather, it is the very thing that can keep your family truly united and centred. Sunday becomes more beautiful, the whole week becomes more beautiful, when you go to Sunday Mass together.”

POPE BENEDICT XVI

FB.COM/THECATHOLICBIBLEPAGE

THERE’S A GIFT HIDING IN THE BACK OF YOUR DRAWER!

You may have a “hidden asset” that will make you a significant donor to St. Paul's Church. If you are maintaining life insurance coverage that you or your family may no longer need, consider giving the paid-up policy to St. Paul's. You'll receive an immediate charitable deduction and deliver a substantial gift to St. Paul's, without affecting your investment portfolio or your cash flow. And remember, God is never outdone in generosity.

ONLINE FAITH FORMATION COURSES

The Archdiocese of New York and Fordham University have partnered to offer new online courses for those in parish ministry and those who simply wish to learn more about their faith. These courses are: Relevant to contemporary people Convenient for busy schedules Faithful to the Church For a limited time, these courses are being offered for FREE! To learn more and sign up visit: www.nycatholicfaith.org/learn

TREASURER’S REPORT

**Jan. 14th & 15th - Totaled \$7,104.04
Collection \$5,056.68– Online \$2,047.36**

Thank you!

CONDOLENCES

We extend our prayers and sympathy to Barbara Kraft upon the death of her husband John and the family of Ignatius Cottone upon his death. Please keep these families in your prayers.

POLISH DINNER

Come and join us on **Saturday, January 28th at 6:00 p.m.** for a Polish Dinner! Rick and his crew are cooking kielbasa, pierogi, stuffed cabbage and kapusta.

Prices are; **\$10.00 per person, \$30.00 for immediate family and \$8.00 for seniors and children under 12.**



So Polka on into Deacon John Hall after all the Masses this weekend and purchase your tickets!

For more information, or if you would like to bring a dessert, contact **Rick at 646-208-3552.**

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

“I beg you brothers in the name of Lord Jesus Christ, to agree on what you say. Let there be no factions; rather be united in mind and judgment... Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach the gospel – not with wordy ‘wisdom’ however, lest the cross of Christ be rendered void of its meaning.

From the early days of the church questions and disputes arose, as the communities were formed and began to grow. Two thousand years later, people continue to line up, choose a banner or are pasted with a label. The words of St. Paul should cause us to pause and think.

I hear many sermons, read many tracts, watch a variety of religious programs. All seem to have different perspectives. If they are credible, they should lead us to the cross of Jesus Christ. If they fail to do this, they are of little worth.

Did we not hear the scripture words “there is one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God who is Father?” May we learn to listen with a special ear, discern with a keen eye and discover the wisdom of Jesus Christ and the cross. Next time, don’t listen for just what you want to hear, but what you need to hear.

**Please turn off all CELL PHONES
before Mass!**

BLOOD DRIVE

On **Sunday, February 26**, we will be hosting a blood drive through the NY Blood Center. With the high need for donations, please consider donating. You may sign-up in advance or the day of the drive. To find out more information about the qualifications for donating and/or to sign-up to donate or volunteer, please contact **Deb Harrison** at dharrisonpvd@gmail.com or **845-361-5735.**

NEW TO ST. PAUL’S?

New Parishioners are always welcome and are encouraged to join the Parish. Why Register?

- To facilitate communication with you
- So we can more accurately plan for parish needs
- Sacramental record keeping
- Active membership allows a person to be a godparent at Baptism or sponsor a child at Confirmation.

Young Adults should register whether they live with their parents or on their own. This makes it possible for you to demonstrate that you, your-self, are a registered active and participating individual member of St. Paul’s Church, apart from your parents. We hope that you will find our church community a place where your life of faith will be nourished. Your prayers, your presence, and your talents are most welcome here.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

If you are in need of a contribution statement for the calendar year 2016 please contact Anna in the church office at 361-3107.

PARISH PAY

If you would like to make your contributions online, please go to www.parishpay.com, or call **866-727-4741** for more information or to sign up. With Parish Pay you can make online donations (one-time, weekly, monthly or annually) with the payment method of your choice.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

BENEDICT MEMORIALS	
Monuments · Markers · Mausoleums Cemetery Lettering · Monument Cleaning	
845-343-5117	
50 MULBERRY STREET · MIDDLETOWN, NY	
benedictmemorials@hotmail.com · www.benedictmemorials.com	

Please patronize our sponsors!

To place an Ad: Call (800) 364-0684

