

“DO YOU NOT YET HAVE FAITH?” —MK 4:40

12<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**Saint Paul**  
the Apostle

**JUNE 23, 2024**



# Dear SPA Family,

*What do you think is the cause of the various problems you experience in your life in relationships with others? Where is the problem?*



The word of today's Gospel begins with the following statement: On that day, when evening drew on... On that day means the same day. For Jews, the day began in the evening. Therefore, when reading such a text, we must bear in mind that we are no longer in a Jewish culture, but a Greek one. For the Greeks, the day began at midnight, and for the Jews, after sunset. **So, we enter a different space of understanding the reality around us, a different culture.**

Jesus requests his disciples to cross to the other side of the lake in a boat. Previously, he sat and taught from a boat (Mk 4:1). They took Him away - they thought they had every right to do so. After all, they were mostly fishermen. And they knew how to navigate the lake. They took the initiative into their own hands. The sea or any larger body of water in the Bible represents the chaos that was at the beginning of creation. Such a body of water was also considered a place of residence of disobedient angels and unclean spirits.

This trip really tells us about our approach to life. The other shore that Jesus invites us to reach means the reality of God. We notice later that this is a reality that awaits the presence of the Savior. **The boat in which they are located is an image of culture and community.** For us, it is also an image of the Church. There are also other boats with them, that is, other communities. Then, when the disciples took Jesus, that is, took the initiative into their own hands, a wind arose - an image of the adversities encountered in life.

A storm broke out, i.e. a clash of different views, opinions, and cultures. However, **the Apostles stand their ground, because they 'know best' how to navigate the lake and how to go through life.** The storm is growing, they are starting to sink. And only then do they remember that they have Jesus in the boat with them, who was sleeping. He slept because they didn't need him earlier. They held everything in their hands. Now, when they encounter difficulties, they call Jesus - Teacher. Because truly, only He can teach them something, especially how to go through life and reach the place of their mission, the destination of their journey.

And something very important is happening here. Jesus calms the storm with his words. **Jesus is able to solve the problem with his words.** Only He can teach us how to go through life and reach the other shore.

Today, let us become even more aware that we are disciples of Jesus. **Let us make a resolution to listen to Him more.** Let us seek His advice on how to live. Let's listen to the word of God. Whatever specialists we may be in various fields, let us know that only He can show us the true path through life. Let us not forget that with us there are also other boats, i.e. other views, cultures, communities, husbands, wives, children, friends, colleagues, colleagues at work, at school, religious and social groups, etc. To avoid conflicts, that is, a storm, we need Him and His word.

Faith is born from the word of God. At this point, the disciples did not feel the need for Jesus' words. *Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?* In the Gospel fragment we are considering, the disciples asked themselves the question: *Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey? And who is He for you?*

I will return to the question I asked earlier: *What do you think is the cause of the various problems you experience in life in relationships with others? Where is the problem?* **Maybe you took the initiative to go through life into your own hands and you think you can handle everything on your own?** Let us turn to Jesus to calm all the storms in our lives.

## Have a Blessed Week, Fr. Chris

To Read Mary Penich's **Something to Think About...**

please visit our website, click "Media" on the homepage, then click "Mary's Reflection"

# YOUR SUNDAY WORSHIP AID

## 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### GOSPEL MEDITATION



Right now, you and I are only worried about one of only two things: wind or water. Bear with me. This week we hear the account of the terrified disciples waking Jesus in a sea-storm. He chastises them for their lack of faith, and then, “**rebuking the wind, he said to the sea, ‘Quiet, be still!’**” He rebukes the wind and stills the water. In the Bible wind and water represent the two most fundamental poles of our experience of creation. Wind means heaven, spirit, that which gives identity, unity, order, light. Water stands for earth, variation, potential, that which can be drawn into identity, darkness, chaos.

Too much “wind” is when things get way too rigid, abstract and ideological — when we face oppressive leaders and tyrants, when we get addicted to our own way of doing things, when our attention is too narrowly focused on one thing. Too much “water” is excessive novelty, passivity, indifference, and chaos — when our attention is too broadly diffused on many things, when things seem to be crumbling without direction into the dark abyss. We know both terrifying experiences all too well.

The point of the miracle is that God in Christ is the One who brings final cosmic harmony between these two vital but threatening forces. He ultimately does so from the wood of the cross, when he breathes forth the wind of his spirit and pours forth the water from his side to establish a new creation, filled with harmonious peace. When the wind and water are out of control, trust him.

— Father John Muir ©LPi

### MASS HYMNS

*Opening Song:* **O Come to the Altar** by Mack Brock, Wade Joye, Christopher Brown, and Steven Furtick

*Gloria:* **MASS OF RESTORATION** by Josh Blakesley and Grae McCullough

*Responsorial Psalm:* **Give Thanks to the Lord** by Steve Angrisano

*Gospel Acclamation:* **MASS OF SAINT KILIAN** by Curtis Stephan

*Preparation of the Gifts:* **Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)** by Matt Crocker, Joel Houston, and Salomon Ligthelm

*At Sunday 5:00pm:* **Spirit & Song #356 The Breastplate of Saint Patrick** by Sarah Hart and Bob Halligan, Jr.

*Eucharistic Acclamations/Agnus Dei:* **MASS OF RESTORATION** by Josh Blakesley and Grae McCullough

*Communion Song:* **Spirit & Song #356 The Breastplate of Saint Patrick** by Sarah Hart and Bob Halligan, Jr.

*At Sunday 5:00pm:* **Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)** by Matt Crocker, Joel Houston, and Salomon Ligthelm

*Closing Song:* **God Is with Us** by Dana Catherine, Sarah Hart, Chris Muglia, and Mary Kate Westrich

*At Sunday 5:00pm:* **Spirit & Song #294 Healing Waters** by Trevor Thomson

## READING I

JB 38:1, 8-11

The Lord addressed Job out of the storm and said:  
Who shut within doors the sea,  
when it burst forth from the womb;  
when I made the clouds its garment  
and thick darkness its swaddling bands?  
When I set limits for it  
and fastened the bar of its door,  
and said: Thus far shall you come but no farther,  
and here shall your proud waves be stilled!

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31

Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

## READING II

2 COR 5:14-17

Brothers and sisters:  
The love of Christ impels us,  
once we have come to the conviction that one died  
for all;  
therefore, all have died.  
He indeed died for all,  
so that those who live might no longer live for  
themselves  
but for him who for their sake died and was raised.

Consequently, from now on we regard no one  
according to the flesh;  
even if we once knew Christ according to the flesh,  
yet now we know him so no longer.  
So whoever is in Christ is a new creation:  
the old things have passed away;  
behold, new things have come.

## GOSPEL

MK 4:35-41

On that day, as evening drew on, Jesus said to his disciples:  
“Let us cross to the other side.”  
Leaving the crowd, they took Jesus with them in the boat just as he was.  
And other boats were with him.  
A violent squall came up and waves were breaking over the boat,  
so that it was already filling up.  
Jesus was in the stern, asleep on a cushion.  
They woke him and said to him,  
“Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?”  
He woke up,  
rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, “Quiet! Be still!”  
The wind ceased and there was great calm.  
Then he asked them, “Why are you terrified?  
Do you not yet have faith?”  
They were filled with great awe and said to one another,  
“Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?”



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“Quiet! Be still!” The wind ceased and there was great  
calm. Then he asked them, “Why are you terrified?  
Do you not yet have faith?” — MK 4:39-40

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## GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise you, we bless you,  
we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
have mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit, in the Glory of God the Father.  
Amen.

## APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God,  
the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
*who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,*  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God,  
the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge  
the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting.  
Amen.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday:** Jb 38:1, 8-11/Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 (1b)/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

**Monday:** Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

**Tuesday:** 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11/Mt 7:6, 12-14

**Wednesday:** 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40/Mt 7:15-20

**Thursday:** 2 Kgs 24:8-17/Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Mt 7:21-29

**Friday:** 2 Kgs 25:1-12/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Mt 8:1-4

**Saturday:** Acts 12:1-11/34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

## WEEKDAY PSALMS

**Monday: 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15**  
I praise you, for I am wonderfully made.

**Tuesday: PS 48:2-3AB, 3CD-4, 10-11**  
God upholds his city for ever.

**Wednesday: Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40**  
Teach me the way of your decrees, O Lord.

**Thursday: Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9**  
For the glory of your name, O Lord, deliver us.

**Friday: PS 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6**  
Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

**Saturday: 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9**  
The angel of the Lord will rescue those who fear him.

## OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday:** 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday:** The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

**Thursday:** St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

**Friday:** Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr

**Saturday:** Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles

**Next Sunday:** 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2024

5:00pm: Gerry & Chuck Suhling | Gerena Olaya Monis | John Carter Bennett | Nilo Arceo | Armando Arceo | Filomena Mroz

### SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2024

7:30am: Victor Peccioli | Ben Serrano | Lisa Nicole Frescas | Jerome Donahue

9:30am: Dennis & Nancy Vaseloff | Vikki Larson Yeatts | Bernabe Lim | Victoria Lasso | Rafael Lim Gonzalez

11:30am: Bienvenida Mayo | Ed Hilo | Aurora Galicia | Erwin Ongos | Tomasita Lim & Lim/Tan Families | Raymond Nackoney

5:00pm: Lisa Nicole Frescas

### MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2024

7:30am: Scott Kohler

### TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2024

7:30am: Lisa Nicole Frescas

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2024

7:30am: Katheryn, John & Jill Gorman | Nilo Arceo

### THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2024

7:30am: Sylvia & Carl Willaby | Remigio Payawal | Fely Mall | Ben Benesa

### FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2024

7:30am: Our Parish Family

### SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2024

5:00pm: Gerry & Chuck Suhling | Gerena Olaya Monis | Clara Myers | John Carter Bennett | Anne Adolphe

### SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2024

7:30am: Michael Kinahan | Ben Serrano | Lisa Nicole Frescas

9:30am: Millie Mengarelli | Marilyn Maricle | Winston Casis | Nevette Darden | Lisa Nicole Frescas

11:30am: Joseph Richardt | Joan Johnson | Jose Rull, Jr. | Lisa Nicole Frescas

5:00pm: Lisa Nicole Frescas

## DONATIONS SUMMARY

### Week of 6/17/2024

Sunday- \$12,966

Online Sunday- \$9,600

Sharing- \$506

Online Sharing- n/a

SVdP- \$1,848

Online SVdP- n/a

Let There Be Light- \$390

Fr. Maciej- Congo Mission - \$1,201

Fund for Retired Priests - \$616

### Month to Date - June

Sunday- \$42,041

Online Sunday- \$23,065

Sharing- \$746

Online Sharing- \$899

SVdP- \$2,478

Online SVdP- \$477

Catholic Charities - \$150

Let There Be Light- \$1,228

Fr. Maciej- Congo Mission - \$6,386

Fund for Retired Priests - \$2,958



## PRAY FOR THE SICK

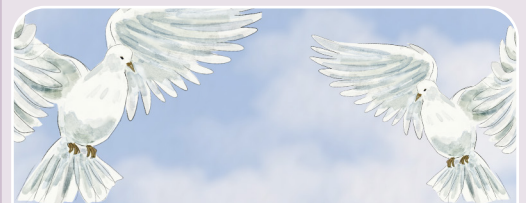
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Rod Reyes  
Betty Falotico  
Carmen Torres

Please know that we pray for all of the sick at every Mass. However, if you would like your name or that of a sick loved one to be included in the list above, please email or call

Catherine in the Parish Office:

[info@spa.church](mailto:info@spa.church) or 847-918-0600



*In loving memory of our recently deceased parishioners. May God's perpetual light shine upon them.*

*Barbara Mikalitis,*

*Thelma Moeller*

*Frank Rodriguez*

*Bryon Patterson*

*Roy Declara*



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2024

8:30AM BCBP MEETING  
 11:00AM RECONCILIATION  
 12:00PM BCBP - TEACHINGS  
 12:30PM BAPTISM - SALDANA  
 1:30PM BAPTISM - SWEENEY  
 3:00PM MEMORIAL MASS- FULLONE  
 5:00PM MASS

### SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2024

7:30AM MASS  
 9:30AM MASS  
 11:30AM MASS  
 4:00PM TEEN CHOIR REHEARSAL  
 5:00PM MASS

### MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2024

7:30AM MASS

### TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2024

7:30AM MASS  
 8:00AM HOLY HOUR

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2024

7:30AM MASS

### THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2024

7:30AM MASS  
 8:00AM HOLY HOUR  
 7:00PM GOLF MEETING

### FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2024

7:30AM MASS  
 1:00PM WEDDING - LAGMAN

### SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2024

11:00AM RECONCILIATION  
 12:00PM BAPTISM - LEWIS  
 1:00PM WEDDING - PIGATI/WHITE  
 3:00PM QUINCEAÑERA - AGUILAR  
 5:00PM MASS

### SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2024

7:30AM MASS  
 9:30AM MASS  
 11:30AM MASS  
 1:30PM BAPTISM - ALFARO  
 4:00PM TEEN CHOIR REHEARSAL  
 5:00PM MASS

## JUNE 29/30 | LITURGY SCHEDULE

	LECTORS	COMMUNION MINISTERS		GREETERS	PRESIDER
SATURDAY 5:00PM	Mike Biarnesen Bruce Marchioni	P. Balmes J. Bena D. Wells G. Johnson	J. O'Brien D. Wells T. Zdenanlik	Joe Limas Christine Limas	Dn. Bob
SUNDAY 7:30AM	Jeff Bautista Keith Kouba	L. Chandy E. Nelsen D. Nieman J. O'Brien	T. Rafael -Azcueta B. Toomey C. Wicinski	Teo Rafael-Azcueta Ramon Azcueta	Dn. Ivan
SUNDAY 9:30AM	Greg Soulje Mike Kana	S. Estorque Aeron Ignacio R. Ignacio C. Latza	P. Moriarty N. O'Keefe C. Pettingill	George & Renee Pratscher	Dn. Mike
SUNDAY 11:30AM	Manny Bautista Anna Richardt	N. Hortelano M. Fernandes T. Mozny M. Parreno	A. Richardt A. Stahl M. Urquhart		Dn. Brent
SUNDAY 5:00PM	Nancy Fink Teen or Lector 1	C. Bertke L. Holland T. Marchioni G. Murawski	M. Murawski T. Robb A. Wattlelet		Dn. Andy

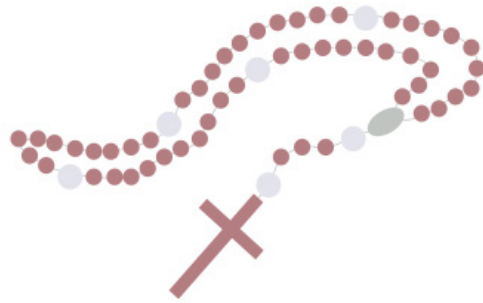
## Recycle Your Religious items from home!

A Religious Recycle Group will be stopping by to collect Religious items that need a new home. Items they take are anything Catholic such as Statues, Rosaries (Broken rosaries OK), Crucifixes, Holy Medals, Holy Cards, Framed Pictures, Prayer Books and Bibles as well as used musical instruments.

Items they do not take- Religious Books, Pamphlets, Wax Candles, Angel Figurines (Saint Angels are fine).

**Please bring your items in no later than Monday June 24th.**

Questions? Contact Kimberly Walters at 717-381-5816



*Let there be*  
**LIGHT**



**30th Anniversary  
Memorial  
Garden**

We started replacing the lighting system on the upper level of the church. The lighting in a church is very complicated and requires replacing and installing many components, panels, cables, and new lamps. Thank you for your continued donations.

**Now, bricks can be ordered for up to 4 or 8 lines and up to 20 characters per line. You can permanently remember a loved one or honor your family, friends, or anniversary by purchasing a commemorative brick.**

donate to the lighting project or order a brick at [www.saintpaultheapostle.church](http://www.saintpaultheapostle.church)






# FAITH FORMATION

Now Enrolling **2024-2025**

K-6  
7-8  
HIGH SCHOOL  
CONFIRMATION



# TOTUS TUUS



7th - HIGH SCHOOL  
JULY 14th -18th

1st - 6th GRADE  
JULY 15th - 19th



## CATECHISTS NEEDED!



Share Your Faith and Make a Difference  
Catechists Desperately needed for the  
2024-2025 Classes  
Lesson Plans Provided  
Contact Faith Formation Office at  
847-816-8677  
or email Mary Jo Urquhart at  
murquhart@spa.church with questions  
or an interest in teaching

**Sunday (9am-10am weekly)**  
Kindergarten  
3rd Grade  
2-4th Grade  
2-5th Grade  
6th Grade



**Confirmation Program Sundays  
(3:30-6pm 3x/month Includes  
5pm Mass)**  
2- YR2 Confirmation

We also need teen helpers for Sundays  
(9-10am and every other Wednesday  
(5:30-7pm) and Subs for all days.  
We need YOU!



We are looking for host families to house the women missionaries and men missionaries the week of July 13th through the morning of July 19th. If they're interested, please contact Amy Russell  
arussell@spa.church

**REGISTRATION is OPEN on our WEBSITE!**

The Peter's Pence 2nd collection is a gesture of solidarity through which every member of the faithful can participate in the activity of Pope Francis.

It is a tangible sign of communion with Him, as Peter's Successor, and also of attention to the needs of the most disadvantaged, for whom the Pope always cares.



## A Tax-Savvy Way to Support SPA!

Please help us cover our increased operating costs by considering a direct gift of securities or mutual funds that have appreciated in value and have been held for more than one year.

When you donate appreciated securities or mutual funds to our parish, you can reduce or even eliminate federal capital gains taxes on the transfer. You may also be entitled to a federal income tax charitable deduction based on the fair market value of the securities at the time of the transfer. For more information about donating stock or securities, please contact your financial advisor.

To make a stock donation to SPA, please visit [archchicago.org/stockgiftform](http://archchicago.org/stockgiftform) and complete the electronic Letter of Intention form.

Once you have submitted the form, you will receive a confirmation email with detailed instructions for you to complete your gift.

If you have additional questions, please contact Karen Whitehead, Archdiocese of Chicago at 312.534.7461 or [kwhitehead@archchicago.org](mailto:kwhitehead@archchicago.org).



## KNIGHTS CORNER

Divine Mercy Council received a Bronze Award at our state convention last month for our Faith in Action service this past year. We are humble to receive this award, but we especially want to thank Fr Chris, Fr Joe and our entire St Paul the Apostle parish community for your support this past year. Without you, we would not be able to have the success to achieve that award. Thank you!

This month we assisted Fr Chris in the (first of many) Corpus Christi Procession, hosted a Tootsie Roll (ID) Drive with our SPRED friends, and held our Pete Albamonte Golf Outing at Heather Ridge Golf Club. We thank everyone who participated in one or all these events.

We welcome those men 18 years or older to join our council. Can you imagine what more our council could achieve if we had another brother or two in our council? Please contact a member of our council or scan the QR code.

Vivat Jesus,  
Greg Johnson  
Grand Knight  
Divine Mercy Council #11112

Divine Mercy Council 11112



St Paul the Apostle Gurnee

A vibrant poster for a 'Simbang Gabi Luau' event. The background is a gradient of pink and yellow, framed by a border of tropical flowers including pink and white hibiscus and plumeria, along with green monstera and palm leaves. On the left side, there is a traditional Filipino 'Simbang Gabi' crown (kris) with a yellow star in the center and blue and red tassels. The text is centered and reads: 'Simbang Gabi Luau' in large blue font, 'HAWAIIAN & FILIPINO FOOD & DANCES' in grey font, 'SATURDAY, JULY 13TH' in red font, and 'AT 6:00 PM - LOWER LEVEL' in red font. At the bottom, it says 'register in the Gathering Space' in blue font.

Simbang Gabi  
Luau

HAWAIIAN & FILIPINO FOOD & DANCES

SATURDAY, JULY 13TH  
AT 6:00 PM - LOWER LEVEL

register in the Gathering Space



- ⇒ Are you age 55+?
- ⇒ Are you active and single?
- ⇒ Are you looking for a new way to meet friends or partners, share interests and laughter?



If you answered **YES** to these questions, then this is the social club for you! Join us:

**Independence Grove, Libertyville  
Concert in the Plaza  
featuring Brooklyn Charmers  
a Steely Dan tribute band**

**Tuesday, June 25th — 7:00—8:30pm**

Registration **OPENS** June 10; Registration **ENDS** June 24  
saintpaultheapostle.church; select **Single Senior Social Club**;

**Independence Grove Concert**

\$10 vehicle charge at gate; Gate opens @ 4:30p  
Parking is limited, arrive early

**Questions? Please call or email:**

Linda Gzehoviak 847.477.1504 l.gzehoviak@gmail.com

Mary Ross 847.912.0033 mary\_ross@comcast.net

# St. Paul the Apostle Craft Show & Sale 2024

**Saturday, Nov. 9th 9 a.m.–3 p.m.**

**6401 Gages Lake Rd., Gurnee, IL**

**(lower level Gathering Space)**

**Application available  
on the St. Paul Website**

**RaiseRight.com/enroll**

**Enrollment code: QTIWZD8GRBUK**

## Gifts for Graduates, Moms, & Dads

**Choose from different gift card types: eGift cards, physical gift cards and reloadable gift cards.**

**We will also have order sheets available at the Information Desk.**

**We accept cash, checks, credit card or charge to your St. Paul payment account.**



St. Paul the Apostle's Society of the St. Vincent de Paul ministry would like to thank everyone who made donations to our Trailer Donation Event two weeks ago! By noon on the final day, the trailer was at capacity! Also, a big thank you to the St. Vincent de Paul members who volunteered to make this event a **huge success**.

*"Helping one person might not change the world, however it could change the world for one person."*

*Saint Vincent de Paul Website*

# SPA Golf Classic IV

Sunday, August 18, 2024

Day starts at 11am, Dinner at 6:30pm

## Currently looking for Sponsorships!

- Tee or Green sponsorship for a contribution of \$150
- Hole sponsorship for a contribution of \$275
- Lunch sponsorship for a contribution of \$500
- Beverage Cart sponsorship for a contribution of \$700
- Dinner sponsorship for a contribution of \$900
- Silver sponsorship for a contribution of \$1000
- Gold sponsorship for a contribution of \$1500
- Platinum sponsorship for a contribution of \$2000

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"Let There Be Light Campaign"

YOUR NAME  
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## PCM BIO- SUE LUCAS



My name is Sue Lucas. I have been a member of SPA for 18 years. I serve as President of our Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVdP) conference and a member of the leadership team of Circle of Women. I have been involved in different ministries and functions throughout the years.

I am married to Charlie and am blessed with two

families of stepchildren, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

After a career in accounting, I retired and started on a new path. I was a member of the Ignatian Volunteer Core (IVC) and then went on to complete a 2-year spiritual direction program at Siena Retreat Center in Racine. I recently attended a seminar to direct the spiritual exercises of St Ignatius of Loyola and hope to bring Ignatian spirituality programs to SPA.

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Hello!

My name is Lauren D'Souza and I am a graduated senior from Warren Township High School, Gurnee IL. My family and I have been active parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle Church for the last 15 years and have enjoyed the numerous opportunities that St. Paul has provided us towards our spiritual journey. Growing up participating in my brother's scouting activities, scouting has become an important part of my life. Scouting has taught me valuable life skills, and ways to give back to my community. I am currently a Life Scout and one of the founding members of Troop 1996 (sister troop of Troop 96). As I advanced through the ranks of Scouting, currently on my journey to Eagle, I began searching for benefactors for my Eagle project. Given my involvement in St. Paul, as well as the profound impact it has



had on me, I chose St. Paul to be the recipient of my Eagle project. My brother, who is also an Eagle Scout, constructed a vestment closet for St. Paul back in 2020 that is currently in use in the sacristy. After discussing numerous proposals with Fr. Chris, we agreed that a few outdoor benches would be a good addition to the recently constructed *Stations of the Cross* Memorial Garden. This would give parishioners a place to sit down while praying the Stations of the Cross or meditating in the prayer area. My project has been approved by Fr. Chris and the Eagle Scout Committee, and I am currently in the process of fundraising to help me acquire the materials necessary to construct these benches. My plan has an estimated cost of \$800 to construct 4 outdoor park benches for this project.

Please consider helping me raise the needed funds for this project that will enable me to attain my Eagle rank, while also benefiting St. Paul the Apostle parishioners for generations to come. I will be in the gathering space following all masses on June 8th and 9th to help answer any questions and receive any donations you may be willing to make. Surplus funds, after the project funding goal has been met, will be donated back to the parish. Donations can be made in cash or check in the gathering space or electronically via Zelle to (847)-445-8989 or Venmo to [marilynstash1@gmail.com](mailto:marilynstash1@gmail.com).



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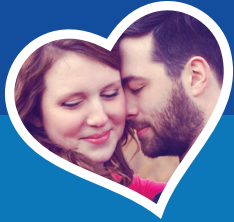


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