



# ST. PAUL HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNAE NEWSLETTER



July 2006

## REMEMBER THE MAGIC!

The annual Alumnae Fundraiser culminated in a lovely reception on April 23, 2006, with a delightful Disney-inspired theme. Through your generosity, we grossed over the goal of \$35,000 from sponsors, donations, and raffle tickets. **Linda Van Hagen Nuti '62** and her workers did a great job! We are SO GRATEFUL that the Alumnae can continue awarding tuition assistance, assisting with BVM Sisters' retirement, contributing to a women's shelter, and publishing the Newsletter three times a year.



*Above:* Katy Picon '77, Rosette Rael '06 St Paul's grad to go to Mercy HS (receiving Alumnae tuition assistance); Kathy's mom Helen Picon and younger daughter, Jasmine Rael.

*Below:* Daughters of Eileen (lower left) Linda Brewka, Julia Brewka (10<sup>th</sup> at Mitty HS), Jessica Brewka (now at USF) both of whom have received tuition assistance from the Alumnae; cousin Josephine Kraft Territo '62; (front) Eileen Boffy Shipp '62, aunt Aine O'Brennan '38.



*Above:* Members of the Class of 1959 who helped plan and serve the Golden Belle Luncheon last November: Nancy Borgia Singleton, Anne Anderson Zarate, Nydia Ruiz Newman, Angela Barberini Johnson, at the June Thank You Luncheon.



*Above:* Sandy McCaffrey Lockwood '70 and Angela Hurley Wilkinson '68 at the Fundraiser.

## PRESIDENT'S PODIUM

Dear Alumnae:

It is with a truly grateful heart that I say "Thank You" to all of you who made our recent Fundraiser such an HUGE success. We not only reached our goal of \$35,000 — we surpassed it! Because of your prayers and overwhelming generosity, the Alumnae is able to give Tuition Assistance to 11 students attending Catholic high schools, make a donation to a Women's Shelter, and send a monetary gift to Mt. Carmel for BVM retirement needs. We are truly blessed by your continued love and support of our Alumnae and its goals — and "for all that you have done for us we never can repay!"

Have a happy, healthy and safe summer.

Sincerely,  
**Marilyn Highlander-Pool '63**  
**President**

### ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FUNDRAISER

(received after the program was printed)

#### SLEEPING BEAUTIES (\$100 - \$150)

Barbara Dindia Firpo  
 Barbara O'Malley  
 Audrey Villyard

#### LITTLE MERMAIDS (\$50 )

Margaret Hodgdon  
 Karen Howard  
 Margaret Anne Kerns  
 Xiomara Perez Neary

#### OTHER CONTRIBUTORS

Winifred Anderson  
 Cathleen Braun  
 Ellen Burke  
 Mary Jane Cunningham  
 Marilyn Devlin  
 Victoria Dimitroff  
 Barbara Larson  
 Barbara C. McGill  
 Miriam L. Robinson

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### GRAND RAFFLE WINNERS

**\$1,000** Aine O'Brennan '38  
**\$500** Karen Nichols Greeney '68  
**\$250** Carmel Barella '54  
**\$250** Jeannie Wallace Kays '71  
**\$100** Genevieve Mullen Gareis '50

## SISTER CARLITA SCHOLARSHIP

On June 1st, the Sister Mary Carlita, BVM Scholarship for 2006 was awarded to **Olivia Warren**. This scholarship is given annually to a female graduate of St. Paul School in recognition of good character, service, and generosity, which were the hallmarks of the life of Sister Mary Carlita. Sister Carlita gave over 50 years of service to the three St. Paul's schools and acted as Moderator of the Alumnae Association for many years. This scholarship, totaling \$4,000 over four years, will assist Olivia as she begins her Catholic secondary education at Mercy High School, San Francisco, in the fall. Best wishes, Olivia!



(above) At the Fundraise Reception, Audrey Konkle Villyard '84 (left) brought in the contribution that put us over the \$35,000 goal. She is joined by Eileen Hayes Steiner '60.

(below) Aine O'Brennan '38 gives two fists up in glee as she gets the word of winning the \$1,000 Grand Prize! The others here are glad a winner was present and celebrate with Aine.



## UPDATE ON BVM MOTHERHOUSE RENOVATION and BVM DEVELOPMENT NEEDS

Since 1892, the Mount Carmel Motherhouse in Dubuque, Iowa, a majestic presence on the bluffs overlooking the Mississippi River, has been home to 4,200 BVMs. The grand old building is a congregation legacy and treasured by BVMs. But a recent comprehensive study of the Mt. Carmel complex identified issues that must be addressed within the Motherhouse for the safety and well-being for the Sisters who currently live there: an old, inefficient boiler; lack of air conditioning; lack of an automated fire suppression system; and too few bathrooms, to name just a few.

For the past several years, the entire BVM Congregation has been involved in an extensive process planning to meet the imminent needs of our Sisters. The goals for the renovation are basic: to provide safe, simple and comfortable living space for the nearly 100 Sisters who live in the Motherhouse, to be wise stewards of financial resources and to preserve the existing beauty, heritage and legacy of the Motherhouse.

Major renovation and upgrade of the BVM Motherhouse (using geothermal energy to heat and cool the entire building) and deconstruction of two smaller parts of the building which will not be needed in the future is taking place as this is written. The Sisters who had been living in the beautifully maintained Motherhouse are residing in various places throughout Dubuque and environs during this process. Some moved to the BVM Center on the Mount Carmel grounds; others are sharing life with the Presentation Sisters in Dubuque or across the Mississippi River with the Sinsinawa Dominican Sisters at "The Mound"; others are in a renovated former convent in a Dubuque parish; and others are in suites at the Julien Inn Hotel in downtown Dubuque. It took months of planning and careful execution to make the move happen smoothly, and the Sisters stay connected to Mt. Carmel with meals and Mass and a fully caring staff involved in their daily lives. St. Paul's own **Sr. Eileen Healy, BVM '52** skillfully and graciously coordinated the entire moving plan, with its literally thousands of details.

Deconstruction is a means of carefully taking down the wings of the building, while salvaging all usable materials for resale. You can imagine the market for things like wooden shutters, gorgeous wooden doors, antique radiators, wooden wainscoting and baseboards, and newel posts. There is even a market for things like bathroom fixtures and medicine cabinets, carpeting, bricks, stone and windows. A percentage of the sales will come back to the Sisters. This whole process is in keeping with our BVM spirit of stewardship of resources and the earth, with financial and ecological reasons making this a win-win project.

Which brings us to the ever-present reality of the need for support for the retirement costs (including this major project) and the vibrant on-going ministries of the BVM Sisters. Think about it. Were you touched by the care of the BVM Sisters? Are you grateful for the BVM education and what it brought to your life? Are you looking for a way to say "thank you"? Your gift to the Motherhouse Renovation Project will provide comfort, care, protection and continued spiritual growth for the retired BVMs who call the Motherhouse "home." Any amount, large or small, can be sent to Development Office, 1100 Carmel Drive, Dubuque, IA 52003. You can designate it for the Motherhouse project or for retirement or ministry needs. You might also consider naming the Sisters of Charity, BVM in your will. For information, contact Diane Brondyke, Development Director at the BVM Center (563) 588-2351 Ext 570 or at [dbrondyke@bvmcong.org](mailto:dbrondyke@bvmcong.org) Your BVM teachers and friends are ever grateful and hold each of our benefactors in prayer!

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### PRAYER REQUESTS

**Jill Wilk Valladares '71** is undergoing treatment for thyroid cancer (4/06). The treatment with radioactive iodine following the thyroid's removal is exhausting, but her sister Louise says she's fighting well.

**Ann Hurley '44** suffered a slight stroke in March 2006, and a second one in April. She is still in a care facility (6/06).

**Elena Montes Vera '94** suffered a stroke (10/19/05) three weeks after the birth of her second child, Devanie Rose, which affected her right side. She has regained some movement in the right side but still has some difficulty with her speech. Husband Hector wrote that baby and mother are good, but prayers for recovery from the stroke would be appreciated.

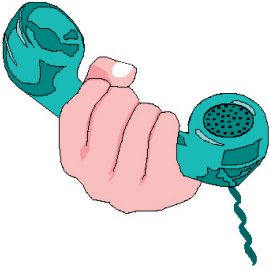
**Mary Theresa Guzman Pardo '67** asks prayers (6/20/06) for her husband Joe who has advanced throat cancer and facing radiation and chemotherapy, and for her dad who is now in a care facility due to dementia.

**Gwen Fikes '86** requests prayers for her husband La-Mar who was thrown from his motorcycle when hit by a car, shattering his lower left leg (6/23/06). Many surgeries will follow.

**Cathy Ortelte Gazzano '63** had two surgeries earlier this year for stones and pancreatitis, and had a stroke (7/3/06).



## THE PARTY LINE



*[Ed. Note: Interesting news and tidbits about alums, their families, endeavors, moves, work, etc. will appear here. Births and deaths will continue to be gathered into the traditional "ALUMNAE NEWS." Contact the Alumnae with items for publication.]*

**Frances Carroll '32** will celebrate her 93<sup>rd</sup> birthday in September and lives in a retirement residence in Cupertino, CA.

**Sr. Elizabeth Marie Mee, RSM '39** wrote: "Thank you to the Sisters of the Blessed Virgin Mary for a splendid education for twelve years."

**Dolores Schoenstein Petty '45** told about how she and seven other women in her class have been good friends as far back as the first grade at St. Paul's: **Sr. Francilla (Jackie) Kirby, BVM, Dolores O'Leary Mangan (dec), Delia Reid Zink, Bev Hogan (dec), Pat Gilliece Young, Marie Kelleher Burke (dec), Peggy Sloan Andres.** By 7<sup>th</sup> grade they became "The Club" and met once a week. She and Jackie Kirby have known each other since they were 4 years old, looking at each other out their windows!

**Sister Elizabeth Murray, SHF '50** was surprised to find **Sr. Maureen O'Brien, BVM '54** and **Sr. Karen Conover, BVM, Faculty**, among those Sisters on retreat at St. Clare's Retreat, Soquel, CA, June 14-21. She was seen regularly in bright Hawaiian dresses (she lives in Kamuela, HI) and always had a lovely bright smile. "In the middle of the Pacific, I joyfully and avidly read [the Newsletter] looking for news of those I know."

**Dianna McNeal Martin '56** wrote from Orlando, FL: "I am so sorry that I couldn't get out to San Francisco last November for the annual Mass and luncheon. The pictures in the newsletter have been fun going through trying to identify everyone from the Class of '56."

**Doris Weber Dieterle '60** says she is sorry to have missed the class reunion but promises to attend the 50th. She now lives in Tucson, Arizona and will be married 40 years this July. She has a daughter Chrisa married to Tom who live near Chicago with their three children: Alex 15, Timmy 11, and Dianna 10. Her son Michael and wife Lynn live in the Seattle area. She is still active in sports and plays golf about 3 times a week. She'd like classmates to e-mail her and let her know how things are going. [Dieterle@wbhsi.net](mailto:Dieterle@wbhsi.net)

**Sharon Abrams Matthews '62** passed away in May 2006. Sharon wanted to be sure that all her generous classmates who sent cards, e-mails, Mass prayers, etc., while she was ill, be thanked for their kindness. Hearing from so many '62 classmates reinforced for her the wonderful friendships she made while at St. Paul's.

**Blanca Trigueros Esthela-Lytle, member '65** presented a one-woman show called "Night Women," her own artistic creation of six comedy and drama stories told "from the heart" in 5/06 at Performance Works Northwest in Portland, OR.

**Frances Farmer Musgrave '67** and husband Gary (her high school sweetheart) celebrated their 8<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on 5/23/06.

**Dana Michelle Wood Cayce '68** competed in the Auburn Sprint Triathlon on 5/20/06, a first time event for her. Four of her class mates (**Adrienne Borgia, Mary Ellen O'Connor, Mary Santos Henry, and Mary Stock Greppi**) as well as her family, including her mother who is well in her 80s, cheered her on at the finish line. Writing before the event, Dana said, "I'm estimating I'll take between 3 and 4 hours to complete the event from swim to bike to run. You're invited to show up and scream as I grind by beet red, spitting, and cursing, or to meet me at the finish line in the same condition." She took first in the swimming segment and came in second over all for her age group, with a total time of 2 hours, 38 minutes!

**Patricia Mahoric '75** was among the 100+ voice Winifred Baker Chorale and Orchestra from Dominican University who filled the sanctuary of St. Paul Church for a glorious sacred concert on 4/7/06, while mom **Vicki Coster Mahoric '43** took tickets.

**Caroline Helena '77** began a course leading to the LSAT exam on April 23 (her birthday and the day of our fundraiser).

**Yvonne De Luze Sabolboro '81** wrote: "I am finally graduating with my Bachelor of Science degree this summer from the University of Phoenix. My major is Human Services. I graduated from St. Paul's 25 years ago... so I guess I was on the 25-year plan! My next goal is to earn my Masters in Counseling so I can be a Marriage and Family Therapist. It's never too late to go back to school!"

**Michelle Oliver Griego '86** has been married for 17 years and has two sons: Matthew (16) and Darrel (8).

**Christine Diaz Espinoza '86** has been married 10 years this September and has two boys: Matthew (13) and Gabriel Jake (6).

## CLASS NEWS & REUNIONS

**Class of 1941** According to Bernice Christal McCabe, about 12-15 members of the class get together in San Francisco every other month. The out-of-town members come to this gathering every five years. What a great tribute to friendship spanning many decades!

**Class of 1946** gathered on June 15, 2006 at the United Irish Cultural Center to mark their 60<sup>th</sup> reunion. Maureen Collins said they finally reached a member after 10 unsuccessful years, thanks to the notice in the *SF Catholic*.

**Class of 1947** will mark its 60<sup>th</sup> year of graduation this coming year, and the Alumnae has current addresses for 43 of them. We'd like to extend a special invitation for members of this class to attend the November 11, 2006 Mass and luncheon.

**Class of 1956 Golden Belles** will gather for a luncheon at 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. on September 16, 2006 at the Doubletree Hotel at San Francisco Airport in Burlingame. Joyce Winters Boulwood is getting it all going. A mailing to class members went out in May. For more information, contact Joyce at [boulwoodprops@aol.com](mailto:boulwoodprops@aol.com).

**Class of 1957**, this year's Golden Belle Class, will be the special honorees at the annual Mass and Luncheon, November 11, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. You'll be hearing from the committee! Please plan to attend.

**Class of 1960** A reminder to the members of our class that we will act as hostesses for the Annual Mass and Luncheon to honor the Golden Belles of 1957 (our "big sisters"). This event will be on Saturday, November 11. Help is needed with planning, table decorations, set-up, etc. If you would like to be on the committee, please contact Lily Carter at (415) 584-3938 or Jann Ortega Phillips at (415)647-6589. The first meeting will be on Sat, Jul 29, at 1:00 p.m. at Lily's home. Call for directions.

**Class of 1961** will hold their 45<sup>th</sup> reunion luncheon on October 7, 2006, at the Basque Cultural Center, South San Francisco. Pat Murphy Ormsby is one of the committee members. You can contact her at 510-490-6605.

**Class of 1966** will have their 40<sup>th</sup> reunion at Embassy Suites, San Rafael, CA, Saturday, October 7, 2006, from 11:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Class members should have received a mailing with details. For more information contact organizers Gladys Montes at [gladysmontes@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gladysmontes@sbcglobal.net) or Sheila Hurley Birmingham at [smbconst@sbcglobal.net](mailto:smbconst@sbcglobal.net)

**Class of 1971** is planning a 35<sup>th</sup> reunion on Saturday, September 23, 2006, in the St. Paul Parish Center, from 5:30 -10:00 p.m. There is 4:30 p.m. Mass at the church (optional) and a buffet dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. Contact Grace Guerra Cortes at [gracecortes@comcast.net](mailto:gracecortes@comcast.net) or 415-643-0461 for more information. Joining Grace on the committee are Miriam Valencia Hibbert, Yvonne Santos, Jill Wilk Valladares, and Liz Torres Werner. There is also a possible potluck picnic on the next day.

**Class of 1982** will mark their 25<sup>th</sup> of graduation this coming year. We'd like to extend a special invitation for members of this class to attend the November 11, 2006 Mass and luncheon.

**Class of 1987** Bea Castillo is still hoping some class members will step forward to help plan a 20<sup>th</sup> Class Reunion Celebration. Contact her at 650-784-3178 or [<brcbusybea@hotmail.com>](mailto:brcbusybea@hotmail.com)

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## TUITION ASSISTANCE AWARDED

Eleven young women and men were the recipients of the St. Paul High School Alumnae Tuition Assistance grants of \$2,000 each made possible from the proceeds of the annual fundraiser. These students are children and grandchildren of alumnae who are attending a Catholic high school this coming year. The grant was increased due to the generosity of our wonderful Alumnae and in consideration of the ever-rising cost of tuition. A tuition bill of at least \$10,000 a year is what faces hard-working parents. We are pleased to help make Catholic secondary school a bit more possible.

The following are the recipients for 2006-07: **Julia Brewka**, granddaughter of Eileen Boffy Shipp '62, great-granddaughter of Marguerite McMahon Boffy '32 (10<sup>th</sup> grade, Archbishop Mitty, San Jose); **Carmine DiDonato**, son of Maria Pignataro DiDonato '79 (9<sup>th</sup> grade, Archbishop Riordan); **Annie Lawton**, daughter of Louellen Haack Lawton '73 (10<sup>th</sup> grade, Moreau Catholic, Hayward); **Justina Melendez**, daughter of Gail Garvey Melendez '80 (11<sup>th</sup> grade, Immaculate Conception Academy); **Rosette Rael**, daughter of Katheren Picon Liao '77 (9<sup>th</sup> grade, Mercy, San Francisco); **Katherine Scolari**, granddaughter of Joan Cummings Knutson '54 (12<sup>th</sup> grade, St. Ignatius College Preparatory); **Connor Evan Toomey**, grandson of Carol Kennedy Toomey '57 (11<sup>th</sup> grade, Junipero Serra, San Mateo); **Farah Wahhab**, son of Maritsa Khuri Wahhab '81 (12<sup>th</sup> grade, Archbishop Riordan); **Rami Wahhab**, son of Maritsa Khuri Wahhab '81 (9<sup>th</sup> grade, Archbishop Riordan); **Matthew "Spencer" Williams**, grandson of Barbara Johnson Williams '56 (10<sup>th</sup> grade, St. Pius X, Atlanta, GA); **Anthony Zimmerman**, son of Michele Kip Zimmerman '74 (10<sup>th</sup> grade, St. Patrick-St. Vincent, Vallejo).

## MARION O'BRIEN TANDY OLDEST LIVING ALUMNAE PRESIDENT

With bright, twinkling eyes, a ready smile, and a hearty laugh, 90-year-old **Marion O'Brien Tandy '33** enjoys having visitors to her one-bedroom apartment in a senior complex in Millbrae. On a sunny, but chilly, July day, Alumnae President **Marilyn Highlander-Pool '63, Sr. Maureen O'Brien, BVM '54** and **Sr Karen Conover, BVM (Faculty)** paid her a visit. (She teases that she and Sister Maureen are cousins; it's not true, but fun to say, nevertheless.) She entertained with tales of the Sisters, her classmates, and some fun in those early days of the high school building on 29<sup>th</sup> Street, as well as how she became active in the Alumnae Association.

A graduate of St. Charles in the heart of the Irish enclave of the Mission, Marion's classmates were headed to Notre Dame, but she thought it was a "dreadful old building." Impressed by St. Paul's building (recently opened in 1925), she enrolled, and found herself making life-long friends. Sister M. Agatha was a tough but good principal, who brought dramatists and Ada K. Gannon, famed parliamentarian, among others, to provide broadening experiences. This obviously "took," as Marion described how she later "went through the chairs" in various organizations, a reference to starting in lower offices and working steadily up to the presidency.

Sister Mary Immaculee Walsh, BVM (dec), sent to St. Paul's in 1928 as her first assignment, was told to equip and open the home economics lab. When asked what the best thing about high school was, Marion replied, "Staying in Sister Immaculee's good graces!" Not a cook, Sister stayed just one step ahead of the students, often testing the recipes the night before presenting a lesson. This explains the scolding Marion received when she stayed in during lunch to finish decorating the petit fours to be served at a reception that afternoon. Sister has horrified, as the decorating task was her lesson for the afternoon's class, and now she had nothing. "She ignored me for a while," but they remained close friends until Sister's death in 2002. "In those high school years, we grew together; SM Immaculee grew with our class!"

She was proud to be in "The Centennial Class," marking 100 years from the foundation of the BVMs. Their class photo has only this title; everyone should know it was 1933! She sorely misses her best friend of 77 years, classmate Grace (Bobbie) Barry Hogan, who died last year. "We lived each other's lives." She still stays in frequent phone contact with classmate Bernadine Sage Washburn and mentioned with fondness several others in classes around her time.

Sister Mary Veritas (Sadie Brown, Commercial Class of '20) had an older sister, Mary, who got Marion involved

with the Alumnae as a young woman. By 1941, she was elected President of the Alumnae Association, which was then a 1 year term. "Oh, each year we had a lunch and a fashion show, and a formal dance at the CCC (California Country Club in Millbrae) attended by more than 300!" The offer of a ride to the up-coming Alumnae Mass and Luncheon on November 11<sup>th</sup> pleased her. She is a true Paulite who treasures the bonds forged beginning in 1929.



Past Alumnae President Marion O'Brien Tandy '33 and Current President Marilyn Highlander-Pool '63 ...exactly 30 classes separate them!

MASSES for ALUMNAE and BENEFACTORS	Aug 26	Sat	4:30 p.m.
	Sep 28	Thu	8:30 a.m.
	Oct 29	Sun	5:00 p.m.

### ANNUAL DUES -- A SMALL PRICE TO BE CONNECTED!

It's that time of year again! Annual dues, a mere \$15 per year, help defray the cost of printing and mailing the Newsletter. Each edition costs about \$2,600 (\$1,200 in stamps and \$1,400 for printing). Last year, the Alumnae Board decided to move the **reminder of payment of dues to the Summer Newsletter**, in order to separate it from the Annual Luncheon which is in November.

From June 2005-June 2006, a total of 454 alumnae have paid dues. While this is good, it must be remembered that the Newsletter is sent first class mail to over 3,200 alumnae. So, this represents only about 13 % of all who receive the Newsletter.

Please know that each person's contribution is valuable in keeping the Spirit of St. Paul's alive!

**2006-2007 Annual Alumnae Dues of \$15.00  
are payable now.**

**Please make checks payable to  
St. Paul HS Alumnae Association.**





*New Arrivals:* ... Devanie Rose, second child born to **Elena Montes Vera '94** and husband Hector on 9/26/05; ... Julian Antonio, born to **Carla Chavez-Mejia '91**, on 2/18/06

*Congratulations:* ... **Claudia Lama '81** married James Parakka at St. Paul's on 4/22/06; ... **Yvonne De Luze Sabolboro '81** will complete her studies this summer and earn her BS in Human Services from the University of Phoenix, on 9/16/06; ... **Donna Plante (Faculty)** defended her ME (Masters in Engineering) thesis at Cooper Union in NY, on 5/2/06. Her emphasis is civil engineering with concentration in geotechnical engineering;

*May They Rest in Peace:*

*Alumnae Members:* ... **Sr. Lorraine Williams, SHF '42**, sister of Bernadette Williams Fuhrman '40 (dec), in 3/06; ... **Grace Cea '63**, sister of Glory Cea '63 and Mary Alice Cea Danker '73; ... **Sr. Alexis (June) Smith, CSJO '41**, on 3/29/06; ... **Nancy Sullivan Oeschger '31**, sister of Teresa Sullivan Burke '34, on 3/28/06; ... **Aileen Donohue Armstrong '32**, on 4/3/06; ... **Vivian Feng Larios '86**, sister of Vicki Feng Berjes, member '87, on 4/2/06; ... **Beverly Keohane O'Leary '47**, on 4/6/06; ... **Patricia Ray Westlund '47**, sister of Barbara Ray Mansfield '46, on 5/19/06; ... Sharon Abrams Matthews '62, sister of Nancy Abrams Forkes, member '66, on 5/23/06; ... **Janice Colombo Moudry, member '67**, on 6/15/06

*Extended Family:* ... **Fidelina Guzman**, mother of Mary Theresa Guzman Pardo '67, Thelma Guzman Shea '71, and Glroia Guzman Taylor '73; aunt of Sylvia Macay Bramante '68, Magda Macay Uriarte '71, Vilma Macay Velarde '73 and Alicia Macay Wagner '77 (dec), on 1/5/06; ... **Kathleen Galvin**, sister-in-law of Nancy Borgia Singleton '59, on 2/15/06; ... **Walter Jebe**, husband of Vivian Ferrera Jebe '42, on 2/25/06; ... **Felix Morales**, father of Adriana Morales Garbelman '68, Beatriz Morales Lopez '69, Marcela Morales Salaiz '71, and Laura Morales Glazer '75, on 3/28/06; ... **Sharon Scott**, niece of Gwen Fikes '86, on 4/11/06; ... Maria Pignataro, mother of Maria Pignataro DiDonato '79, on 4/14/06; ... **Matthew Williams**, son of Barbara Johnson Williams '56, on 4/26/06; ... **Anthony Stellini**, husband of Theresa Barbara Stellini '57, on 4/28/06; ... **Maria de Jesus Thumas**, mother of Lucia Thumas Morgin '78, on 4/30/06; ... **Robert Edward Kennedy**, husband of Virginia Duveneck Kennedy '42, on 4/28/06; ... **Denis Casabonne**, son of June Stihl Casabonne '37, nephew of Claire Stihl Anderson '36 (dec), on 5/10/06; ... **Thomas "TJ" Duigan**, son of Betty Hilsendager Duigan-Berry '62, on 5/16/06

*EDITOR'S NOTE:* Please send information about birth of children, degrees earned, and death of fellow alums and immediate family members of alumnae so that we may pray for one another. It is also very helpful to indicate all immediate family members of the deceased who are alumnae of St. Paul High School (and year of graduation, if possible). This information and these connections are not always known unless we are informed. Send information to: SPHS Alumnae, 221 Valley St., San Francisco, CA 94131 or via email to <SPHSALUMNAE@aol.com> Thank you.

## TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS

The St. Paul High School academic records are maintained at St. Paul Rectory, according to Archdiocesan regulations. To request an official transcript for an educational institution, agency, or other official use, put this request in writing. Indicate your full name, including name in school, year of graduation or years of attendance. Clearly note the address to which this official transcript is to be sent. Fee is \$5.00, payable to St. Paul Church. Unofficial transcripts (so designated) can also be requested in the same manner for your personal records. Send to: St. Paul Church, 221 Valley St, San Francisco, CA 94131 and mark it clearly High School Transcript Request.

First of all, many thanks for the Newsletter! I love the info and also love that it's ON-LINE! Woo-hoo! What an accomplishment!

Many thanks for the continued communications, the sound education I received from St. Paul's and the lovely-and-lifelong connections I made during high school to great women! In the past two months, I've talked at length with both of my high school best friends... and with both, it is as if we were still seeing each other every day in school. Those kinds of connections are unique and so very important.

**Marian T. (Chick) Hannan '73**

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Deadline for submission of articles or information is  
March 10, July 10, and October 10.

Editor: Sr. Karen Conover, BVM

**NOTE CHANGE OF DAY / DATE FOR  
ANNUAL ALUMNAE MASS  
and LUNCHEON**



Because of recurring Sunday conflicts (Mass, parking, football games, etc.), the Alumnae Board has set the date for the 2006 Annual Mass and Luncheon honoring the Golden Belle Class of 1957 for SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2006. Mass will be at 11:00 a.m. with luncheon following in the parish center. It is hoped that this will allow more people to attend, and minimize conflicts.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Thursday, Sept. 14, 7:00 p.m. Alumnae Board

Thursday, Oct.. 5, 7:00 p.m. Alumnae Board

Thursday, Nov. 9, 7:00 p.m. Alumnae Board

**Saturday, November 11, 11:00 a.m.  
Annual Mass and Luncheon**

Tuesday, Dec. 12, 7:00 p.m.  
Candlelighting

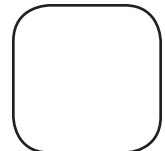
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**ST. PAUL'S ELEMENTARY  
SCHOOL  
TO MARK 90 YEARS**

The 90th Anniversary Celebration of St. Paul's Grammar School will be held on Sunday, October 22, 2006. There will be a Concelebrated Mass at 12:15 pm in St. Paul's Church with Archbishop George Neiderhauer as the main presider. A Reception and Open House will follow in our Parish Center. Please save the date and contact your friends!

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SATURDAY,  
NOVEMBER 11, 2006

ANNUAL MASS AND  
LUNCHEON  
11:00 a.m.

HONORING THE GOLDEN BELLE  
CLASS OF 1957

