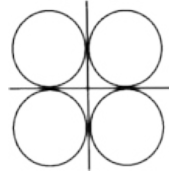


ST. PAUL'S CHURCH



783 Hard Road, Webster, New York

April 7, 2024 Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy)

Mission Statement

St Paul's Parish Family exists for the purpose of witnessing and proclaiming the message of Jesus Christ, that message proclaimed in word, worship, service: love God, love your neighbor as yourself.



2ND SUNDAY OF
EASTER (SUNDAY OF
DIVINE MERCY)

"Put your finger here
and see my hands,
and bring your hand
and put it into my side,
and do not be unbelieving,
but believe." - Jn 20: 27

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Mass Times

Saturday at 4:00 p.m.
Sunday at 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Daily Masses

No daily Mass
April 1 through April 12

Confession

Saturday at 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

No Adoration
April 1 through April 12

Live Stream Mass via YouTube

Saturday at 4:00 p.m.
Sunday at 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.



Monday, April 8
The Annunciation of the Lord
Solar Eclipse
Parish Office Closed @ Noon
 No Mass

Tuesday, April 9
Easter Weekday
 No Mass
 12:00P Rosary Group

Wednesday, April 10
Easter Weekday
 No Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 7:00P Choir rehearsal
 7:00P Good Sam Outreach mtg.

Thursday, April 11
St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr
 No Mass
 6:30P Eucharistic Revival Speaker Series: Guest Speaker: Fr. Peter Van Lieshout
 "The Eucharist & the Heavenly Banquet"

Friday, April 12
Easter Weekday
 No Mass

Saturday, April 13
Easter Weekday
 2:00P Confession
 4:00P Mass
 5:00P 1st Eucharist mtg.
 5:00P St. Paul's Wine Tasting

Sunday, April 14
3rd Sunday of Easter
 9:00A Mass
 10:00A SOR classes
 10:00A Confirmation Prep class yr. 1
 11:00A Mass-Baptism during Mass



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8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday
 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Friday
 (closed for the lunch hour from 12:00-1:00 p.m.)

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Financial Snapshot

	February 2024	July-February 2024
Collections	\$44,798	\$354,912
Donations/ other revenue	\$5,144	\$43,881
Expenses	\$36,889	\$352,632
Operating surplus/deficit	\$13,053	\$46,162

**Let Us Pray
 for Those in the Military**

Jason Aman	Josh Bartlett
Bryan Gross	Cydney Blong
Tom Weisenreder	Michael J. Desiato
Mason Serrano	Daniel Thomas
Andrew Zani	Robert Wright
Jay Riesenberger	



*This week the
 Sanctuary Lamp burns for
 Rosemary Sommers
 From
 Husband & family*

Seeds for the Journey

Divine Mercy is when God's love meets us and helps us in the midst of our suffering and sin. God's love for us always takes the form of mercy. Saint Mary Faustina Kowalska, Secretary of Jesus' Mercy, records in her diary occasions that Jesus revealed to her his desires concerning Divine Mercy.

Vision:

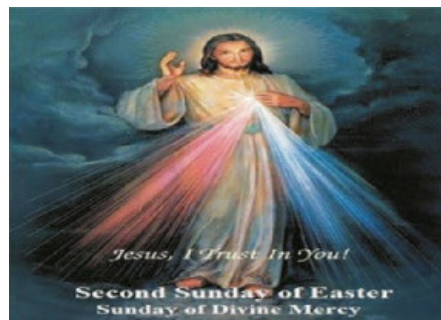
"My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which grace flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come forth from the very depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the First Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy."

Vision: Jesus revealed these instructions:

- That the feast be observed on the Sunday after Easter.
- Come to him in Holy Communion with complete TRUST in His mercy.
- Make a good confession in preparation for this Feast of Mercy.
- Receive Holy Communion on this day, in order to receive the complete renewal of baptismal grace that he wants to pour into our hearts.

Vision: Jesus said: "Paint an image according to the pattern you see with the inscription:
Jesus, I Trust in You!"

Vision: Jesus said: "The pale ray stands for Water which makes souls righteous, the red ray stands for the Blood which is the life of souls."



Faith, Hope & Love,

Helen



St Paul's extends a warm welcome this weekend to our visiting priest, Fr. David Tedesche. Thank you for joining us!



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

On April 11th at 6:30 we welcome Fr. Peter Van Lieshout to St. Paul's Church as he presents on the "The Eucharist and the Heavenly Banquet." Fr. Van Lieshout is a professor at St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry, the Rector at Sacred Heart Cathedral, and the Co-Director of Priestly Vocation Awareness for the Diocese of Rochester. He is currently teaching Liturgical and Sacramental Theology at St. Bernard's which has a strong focus on Church history. All are welcome.

Mother's Day Flowers



We invite you to make a donation towards the purchase of plants and flowers to decorate the church, in memory or honor of your loved ones, for Mother's Day.

Please make your check payable to "St. Paul's Church" and mark your donation "Mother's Day Flowers" and include **who the donation is in memory of**; we will list them in the bulletin on Mother's Day. Please have your requests to the parish office **by Monday, May 6th**.

Please contact Jodie or Kasey with questions at 671-2100 or email at jodie.hickey@dor.org or Kasey.baker@dor.org.



Together, we changes lives this Lent through CRS Rice Bowl. **THANK YOU** for bring a part of this effort. If you haven't already, please return your Rice Bowl to the parish office or if you wish to donate via check, please make checks payable to St. Paul's Church adding Rice Bowl on the memo line. Thank you for your support.

WINE Tasting

Hosted by Parkway Wine & Liquor

Saturday, April 13 at 5:00 p.m.



Join us in the parish hall for a fun **FREE** night of adult fellowship with snacks and appetizers (water and coffee will also be provided) Parkway Wine will be presenting a variety of wines with an option to order anything that you liked.

This 21+ event is FREE but registration is REQUIRED (We are limiting this event to 100 people). Please sign up on the bulletin board outside the office or call the office @671-2100.



Everyday Stewardship

What do you own and what owns you? You can find this question asked many times in several different contexts. Are you looking to find some kind of financial freedom? How about trying to live simply in a complex world? Has a mountain of stuff invaded your home garage to the point where parking a car inside is only a dream?

The early Church practiced a radical form of fellowship called koinonia, which literally means "sharing in common." Those who had homes and other major possessions would sell them and then place the proceeds in the care of the Apostles to be shared with the entire community. People focus mostly on the fact that people sold all their possessions for the benefit of the community. However the real point is the action that occurred after every selling: the proceeds were given to Church authority, in essence, to God first. I wasn't just selling my house and then giving the money to random people. My offering was to God and it was for the Apostles (those who personally encountered Jesus and now represented him on earth) to decide how to divide up the wealth.

Why do such a thing? One could say it was so that no one wanted for anything. If we push that thinking too far, as some in history have done, we can create a system that takes from some to give to others. Nothing was taken from anyone in that first Christian community. It was freely given. And perhaps the reason why people were moved to do so lies at the heart of stewardship: because all we have already belongs to God anyway.

~Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS @ LPI

Rupp, Joyce and Macrina Wiederkehr The Circle of Life

The seasons of the heart are mirrored in the seasons of the earth, and each of those seasons can be a teacher. We have all tasted joy, hope, and rebirth (spring). We have enjoyed accomplishment, creativity, and maturity (summer). We have relished the fruits of our labor (autumn). We have grieved through loss and darkness (winter), knowing even then that our circle of life will take us once again into the season of rebirth. Using poetry, meditation, ritual, and prayer, the authors invite us to listen carefully to the wisdom of each season; to embrace the transformation of each season as reflective of our own journey. (Call No. 204.32-RUP)



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Ministry Schedule for April 13 & 14, 2024

If **TBD or Volunteer Needed** is listed, please contact the ministry coordinator to see if that position still needs to be filled. Thank you for all you do for St. Paul's!

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM	11:00 AM
Acolytes	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed	Maggie Milner Volunteer Needed	Lucy Rynkiewicz Volunteer Needed
Cantors	TBD	TBD	TBD
EMHC	TBD TBD	TBD TBD	Cindy Ottina TBD
Greeters	Julie Shick Forest Shick	Jack Black Barb Rehberg	Anne LaClair Jean Van Apeldoorn
Lectors	Dan Bower	Scott Rutan	Jann Armantrout
Linens	No linen pick up this week		
Sacristans	Christine Grant	DA Hutnick	Laure Barr
Stream Team	TBD	TBD	TBD
Ushers	Kevin Nuwer Alice Bower	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed



Food Collection


Webster Hope April Wish List

Ground coffee, cooking oil, applesauce (jar or can), cooking oil, ketchup, pasta (please no whole wheat), all toiletries especially shampoo, conditioner, body wash, laundry detergent, dish soap, diapers size 5/6 and baby wipes

Please place your donations in the collection box in the Narthex. The Good Sam Outreach Committee will deliver our donations on a regular basis.



Jesus, I trust in You



Most Merciful Jesus,
whose very nature it is
to have compassion on us
and to forgive us,
do not look upon our sins
but upon our trust which we place
in Your infinite goodness.
Receive us all into the abode
of Your Most compassionate Heart
and never let us escape from it.
We beg this of You by Your love
which unites You to the Father and the Holy Spirit.
Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze
Upon all mankind and especially upon poor sinners,
All enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus.
For the sake of His sorrowful Passion,
Show us Your mercy, That we may praise the
omnipotence of Your mercy
Forever and ever.
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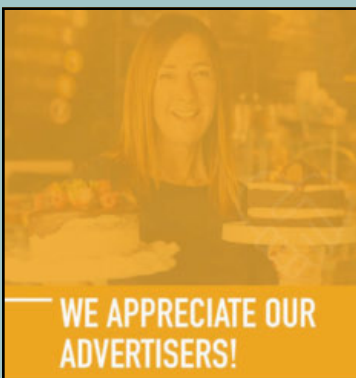
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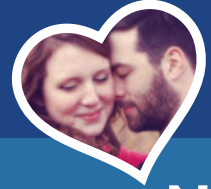
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