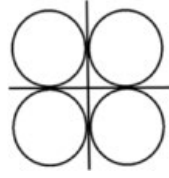


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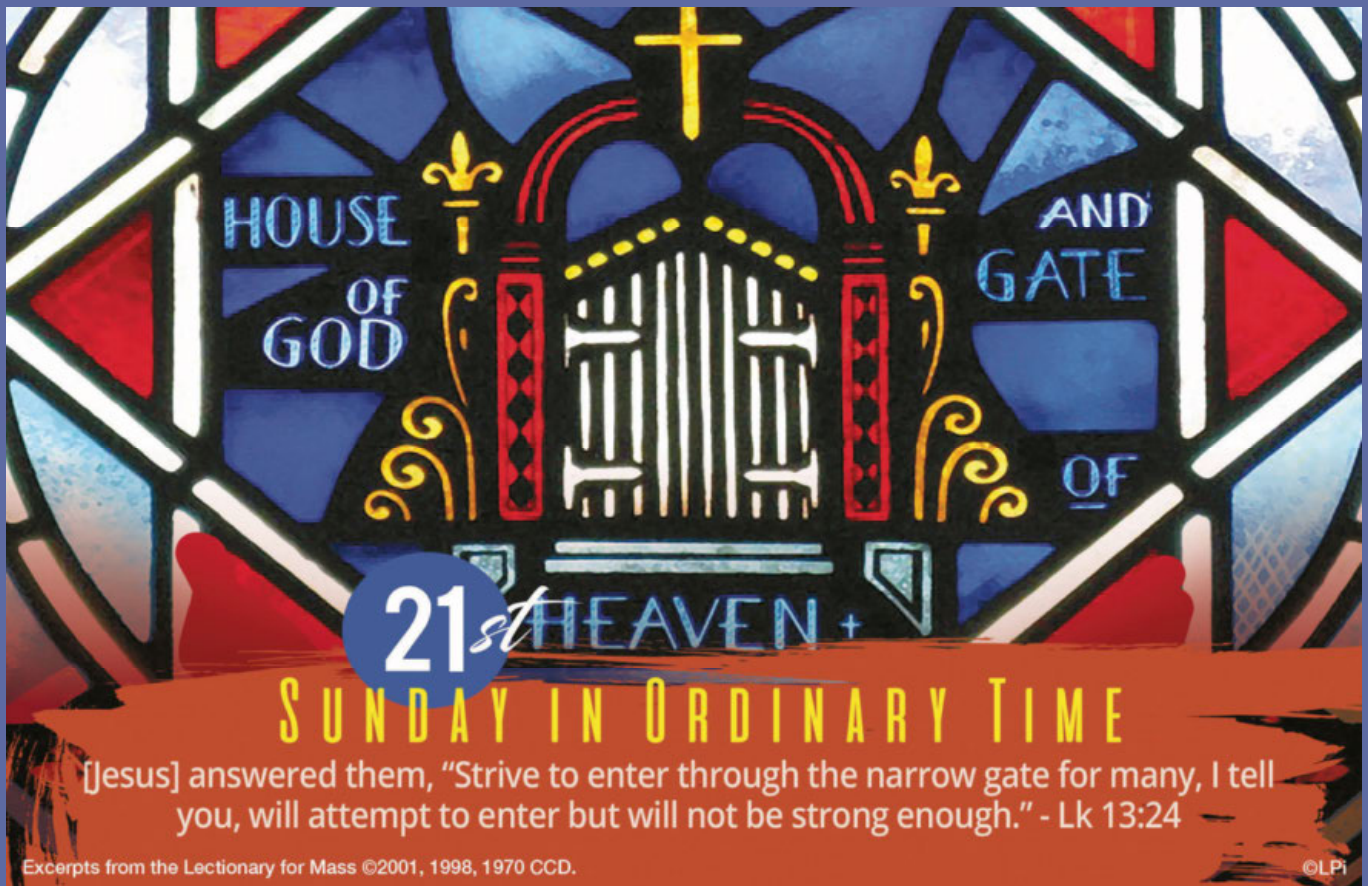


783 Hard Road, Webster, New York

**August 21, 2022 Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## 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.



### Mass Times

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

### Daily Masses

Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday & Thursday at 8:30 a.m.

### Confession

Saturday at 2:00-3:00 p.m.  
or by appointment

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.

### Live Stream Mass via YouTube

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



**Monday, August 22**  
*The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
 8:30A Mass

**Tuesday, August 23**  
*Weekday*  
 8:30A Mass  
 10:00A Library Committee Mtg.  
 12:00P Rosary Group

**Wednesday, August 24**  
*St. Bartholomew, Apostle*  
 8:30A Mass  
 9:00A Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**Thursday, August 25**  
*Weekday*  
 8:30A Mass

**Friday, August 26**  
*Weekday*  
 Parish Officed Closed @ Noon  
 No Mass

**Saturday, August 27**  
*St. Monica*  
 2:00P Individual Confession  
 4:00P Mass

**Sunday, August 28**  
*22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 9:00A Mass  
 11:00A Mass



**Parish Staff**

**Pastor:** Fr. Paul Gitau fr.paul.gitau@dor.org  
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**Coordinator of SOR & Facilities Cleaning:**  
 Helen Stirpe x25 or 671-2110 helen.stirpe@dor.org  
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**Finance Council Chair:** Tom Napoli  
**Parish Council Chair:** Scott Rutan  
**Parish Trustees:** Forest Shick & George Hanley

**Summer Office Hours**

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday (closed for the lunch hour from 12:00-12:45 p.m.) Friday 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Phone: 671- 2100  
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**Financial Snapshot**

	July 2022	July 2022-July 2022
Collections	\$42,361	\$42,361
Donations/ other revenue	\$2,637	\$2,637
Expenses	\$58,312	\$58,312
Operating surplus/deficit	\$(13,314)	\$(13,314)

Expenses include quarterly invoices paid.

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

Jason Aman	Josh Bartlett
Zach Bartlett	Andrew O'Brien
Bryan Gross	Cydney Blong
Tom Weisenreder	Michael J. Desiato
Mason Serrano	Daniel Thomas
Andrew Zani	
Jay Riesenberger	



*This week the  
 Sanctuary Lamp  
 burns for  
 Mary Alice Rieger  
 From  
 Joseph Rieger*

## Seeds for the Journey

September 7, 2022, will mark my one year anniversary of working at St. Paul's Church. This year has been one of great joy. I truly love working here and having the opportunity to meet so many wonderful, beautiful souls. You have made me a better Christian by your example, devotion, dedication, and dynamic love for Christ. Thank you.

One reality I've experienced here at St. Paul's is, this is a parish built on love, friendship, caring, and compassion for one another. This isn't just a place where people come to worship. It is a dwelling that people come to be with their friends, to share their dreams and worries. It is where you come to laugh, to cry, to listen, to find God, and to raise your families. This is a place of comfort. It is home.

We are all called to come to Christ's table. To be part of His family, and the Eucharistic Revival is a reminder of this call. Look around St. Paul's. Is someone you care for missing from weekly celebrations? Reach out to them. Let them know how much their parish family misses them. Welcome them back home with loving arms.

As we begin the two-year Eucharistic Revival, we are called to look at the importance of the Eucharist within our Parish community. Communion not only means Eucharist; it also means "our fellowship and union with Jesus and other baptized Christians in the Church, which as its source and summit is the celebration of the Eucharist" as defined by the Catholic Catechism. It is the Eucharist that unites us to Christ and to one another, building this beautiful community.

Throughout history Christ has revealed Himself to His faithful through the Eucharist. In rare instances, He has revealed Himself through Eucharistic Miracles. One of the most famous Eucharistic Miracle occurred in Lanciano, Italy when the Body and Blood of Christ turned into actual flesh and blood. A Basilian Monk was having doubts about the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. As he finished saying the words of consecration, the host, which was still in his hands, and the wine which sat before him, turned into the actual flesh and blood of Christ. Many scientific studies have been performed on this Eucharist to confirm its authenticity. A 1971 study found that the flesh was that of the heart from a man with AB blood type who was living and under extreme distress and suffering. This miracle was not meant to be hidden, but to be shared for the world, just as Christ came to save the world. (The photos below are of the miracle which is on display at Church of San Francesco in Lanciano, Italy.)

Christ calls each of us into communion with Him and His Church. It is the Eucharist that sets our Church apart. Christ is present in the Eucharist, and He is present in each of you. Continue to let Him shine in, and through you.



Katie



### Rosary Group

St. Paul's Rosary Group will continue to meet for prayer and fellowship. On August 23<sup>rd</sup> we invite all in our parish community to join us as we recite the Rosary at 12:00 noon in the worship space. You do not need to know how to pray the rosary to be part of this group. We remember all in our Parish Prayer log and additional intentions are always welcome. If you have any questions about this group please contact Katie Van Damme in the parish office 671-2100 x24.

### School of Religion SOR 2022-2023 REGISTRATION IS OPEN

It's time to register your child/children in grades K-7 for SOR and Grade 2 for the Sacraments of 1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation (Confession/Penance) and 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharist (Communion) by September 1<sup>st</sup> for material preparation.

Information, registration and payment is on our website under the Faith Formation and Sacraments tabs.

Contact Helen at [helen.stirpe@dor.org](mailto:helen.stirpe@dor.org) or call 671-2110 with questions.

We look forward to seeing your children in the classroom in September.



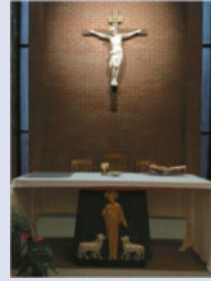
### SOR Catechist Needed

Have you been looking for a ministry that would allow you to share your faith and help guide children in their faith formation? St. Paul's SOR is in need of 1st and 3rd grade Catechists for Sunday classes from 10:00-11:00 a.m. starting September 25, 2022 until May 7, 2023.

No experience required. Full support provided with materials and teaching guides.

Prayerfully consider joining this ministry to help continue the desire of children to learn about the Father, Son and the Holy Spirit. Please feel free to email Helen:

[helen.stirpe@dor.org](mailto:helen.stirpe@dor.org)



### Men's Retreat

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**September 23-25, 2022**

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**For more information or to register call/email  
Dan Milner: 208-6631 [milnerair@aol.com](mailto:milnerair@aol.com)**

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### Youth & Confirmation Minister, part time (15 -20 hours/week)

We are seeking a Youth & Confirmation Minister to coordinate and implement the Diocesan/Parish Confirmation Prep program as well as provide leadership in ministry to our parish youth.

Applicant should (minimally) be certified as a Catechetical Leader (or be enrolled in the Diocesan Certification program), but preferably have a Bachelor's or Master's Degree in Theology, Pastoral Ministry, and/or Religious Education.

For a detailed job description please visit our web site or the diocesan web site. Interested candidates please send resumes to: [robin.martz@dor.org](mailto:robin.martz@dor.org)



### Coffee & Donuts

We are planning to begin Coffee and Donuts again soon! Yum! To make this happen, we need a volunteer coordinator to oversee the setup, weekend crew, and cleanup. Can you help? Please contact Robin at 671-2100 or [robin.martz@dor.org](mailto:robin.martz@dor.org) to get the details of what is involved.

### Webster Hope Wish List

Please place your donations in the collection box in the Narthex.

- Pencil box or pouch
- Scissors
- Sanford Magic Rub white erasers
- Durable plastic 2 pocket folders
- Highlighters
- Pencils
- Black or blue pens
- Basic colored pencils and markers
- Expo low odor dry erase markers
- Fine tip black Sharpie markers
- Crayola crayons, 12-24 crayons, please no larger
- Index cards
- Post-it notes, sticky notes
- Wired headphones or earbuds
- Small size rulers
- Glue sticks
- Ziplock gallon bags
- Spiral notebooks
- Composition notebooks, both wide and college ruled
- Loose leaf paper, both wide and college ruled
- Bookbags and string bags
- Socks (all ages all sizes)
- Underwear (all ages all sizes)

### Job Opportunities at St. Rita School

#### Part-Time Kindergarten Teaching Aide:

- Provides support to teacher
- Set up tasks and implement instructional processes
- Prepare activities for the day under the instruction of the teacher
- Supervising children under their care
- Ensuring the classroom stays organized

#### After School Program Assistant:

- Seeking a child care provider for after school program. Monday-Friday from 2:00-4:30 p.m.

If interested email: [Nancy.Ferrarone@dor.org](mailto:Nancy.Ferrarone@dor.org)

## From the John Walsh Library



**Unsworth, Tim**

### Here Comes Everybody! (Stories of Church)

When the Irish writer James Joyce was asked to describe the Catholic Church, he answered, "Here comes everybody." Indeed, the church is a melting pot of ethnicities and cultures. It is filled with saints and sinners because it is filled with people. Tim Unsworth, who was a long-time columnist for *National Catholic Reporter*, tells many of their stories in this book. Some of the stories are funny; others are serious. This is a Church that buried so many members of the Mafia that the author wondered if the local seminary taught how to anoint a guy in the trunk of a car. It is a Church that once forgot to bury one of its bishops until he was finally discovered in the basement 44 years later. It is a Church filled with human frailties, but also with the courageous Brother Bill who places himself between warring gangs in the Chicago projects. (Call No. 282.73-UNS)

### National Eucharistic Revival



Have you signed up to receive the Eucharistic Revival newsletter? Don't miss a moment of this exciting journey! Visit St. Paul's website to walk with the Eucharistic Revival every step of the way and get inspiration and encouragement to ignite your own Eucharistic Faith.

### Bishop Sheen's Fun Facts

The library committee at St. Paul's hopes you are enjoying "The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen". He was an interesting person! From time to time we will include a fact or two about him.

Did you know that Fulton Sheen was the oldest of four sons, and his baptismal name was Peter John Sheen? His mother's maiden name was Fulton and that's what his family called him!

## Ministry Schedule for August 27 & 28, 2022

If you are not available to serve in your ministry, please find a substitute.  
Thank you for all you do for St. Paul's!

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM	11:00 AM
<b>Acolytes</b>	T.J. Swinson Mary Ann Brodt	Maggie Milner <b>Volunteer Needed</b>	Lucy Rynkiewicz <b>Volunteer Needed</b>
<b>Cantors</b>	Cindy Rutan	Bob Slon	Elizabeth Randisi
<b>EMHC</b>	Dennis Olbrich Kathy Olbrich	Jack Black Margaret Milner	Karen Napoli Fred Compertore
<b>Greeters</b>	Forest Shick Julie Shick	Linda D'Antonio Jerry Healey	Jean Van Apeldoorn Nancy Willard
<b>Lectors</b>	Toni Lynn Swinson	Crissy Picca	Tim Thomas
<b>Linens</b>	Mary Fitch (no specific time for pick up)		
<b>Sacristans</b>	Olbrich family	D.A. Hutnick	Sharyn LiPari
<b>Stream Team</b>	John Kosel	Tom Napoli	George Hanley
<b>Ushers</b>	Sue Dettman Alice Bower	Don Black Jack Black	<b>Volunteer Needed</b> <b>Volunteer Needed</b>

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Drop your offering in the donation box or slot as you leave church.

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Webster, NY 14580



Questions?  
Call Robin in the office  
at 671-2100 X30

# Thank you!





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