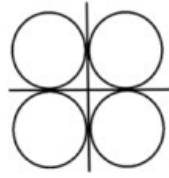


# ST. PAUL'S CHURCH



783 Hard Road, Webster, New York

**January 14, 2023 Second 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.



## 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus.  
- Jn 1:35-36

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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 January 10 through  
February 2

### Confession

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

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

No Adoration January 10 through  
February 2

### Live Stream Mass via YouTube

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

# JANUARY

## Monday, January 15

### *Weekday*

*Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.*

### *Holiday*

**Parish Office Closed**

No Mass

## Tuesday, January 16

### *Weekday*

No Mass

12:00P Rosary Group

6:00P Parish Pastoral Council mtg.

## Wednesday, January 17

### *St. Anthony, Abbot*

No Mass

No Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00P Choir rehearsal

## Thursday, January 18

### *Weekday*

No Mass

11:00A Together in Grief

4:00-8:00P St. Paul's Night at Panera Bread on Holt Rd.

## Friday, January 19

### *Weekday*

No Mass

## Saturday, January 20

### *Weekday*

10:00A Prayer Shawl

2:00P Confession

4:00P Mass-choir sings

## Sunday, January 21

### *3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00A Mass

10:00A SOR classes

10:00A Confirmation Prep yr. 1

11:00A Mass

12:00P Confirmation Prep yr. 2



## Parish Staff

**Pastor:** Fr. Paul Gitau

**Deacon:** Mark Robbins

**Administrative Asst.:** Jodie Hickey x21

**Adult Faith Formation Coordinator:**

**Business Manager:** Kasey Baker x30

**Director of Faith Formation:** Anselm Mesue x27

**Coordinator of Music:** John Gaspar

**Faith Formation & Liturgy Assistant:** Helen Stirpe x26

**Facilities Manager:** Ben O'Brien x28

**Multi Parish Finance Director:** Joan Sullivan: 671-1100 x107

**Finance Council Chair:** Tom Napoli

**Parish Council Chair:** Linda D'Antonio

**Parish Trustees:** Forest Shick & George Hanley

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## Office Hours

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.)

**Phone:** 671- 2100

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## Financial Snapshot

	December 2023	July-December 2023
Collections	\$50,158	\$243,731
Donations/ other revenue	\$5,020	\$32,285
Expenses	\$31,644	\$255,071
Operating surplus/deficit	\$23,534	\$20,945

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Sanctuary Lamp burns for  
all the parishioners  
of St. Paul's*

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# **PASTA DINNER**

**Tickets available in parish office or after Masses  
on the weekends of January 20 -21, 27 - 28 &  
February 3 -4**

**Date: SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10th**

**MASS: 4pm DINNER: 5pm**

**Join us for raffle baskets, music, family meals and  
community bonding!**

**TICKETS: \$12 for adults, \$6 for kids 10 and under  
Takeout option available!**





This weekend we extend a warm  
St. Paul's welcome to:  
Fr. Richard Kajiru and  
Fr. Al Delmonte

### St. Paul's Pasta Dinner

Dear parishioners,

The Confirmation Program in collaboration with the Parish Pastoral Council is organizing a Pasta Dinner on Saturday February 10 at 5pm following the 4pm Mass. This Pasta dinner is geared towards community building, inviting our family members friends to celebrate with us here at St Paul's and also towards getting those preparing for Confirmation and some of our teens more involved in parish life. It is also one of our big fundraising events here at St Paul's this year. To this effect, we wish to invite you all to join us for the dinner. It is our hope that you come as a family. Let that Saturday evening dinner be eaten here at St Paul's. If you want to help us in one way or another, you can either contact Dave Galeazzo or me. Tickets will be sold after the Masses on Saturday January 20-21, 27-28 and February 3 & 4 **Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for kids 10 and under.**

For teens and other young adults who are not part of the Confirmation program but want to help, kindly contact me. During the dinner we shall have a raffle draw. We are grateful to the various ministries and school of religion classes that have prepared the raffle baskets you can win on that day. We shall also have light music; it'll be an evening of great camaraderie. If you also want to advertise a business, we are doing placemats at \$10 per slot. Kindly contact me or Kasey the business manager by February 1. Please, we greatly depend on you for it to be successful. Reserve that time for St Paul's. The Confirmation candidates are ready to serve you dinner on February 10. We look forward to seeing you.

Thank you in advance,  
Anselm Mesue

### Eucharistic Revival Speaker Series



Mark your calendar and join us on Thursday, February 1st at 6:30 p.m. as we welcome Dr. Matthew Kuhner to present "*Confession and Repentance - Our Misery Healed by God's Mercy.*" Dr. Kuhner is the Vice President and Academic Dean at St. Bernard's School, as well as an Assistant Professor of Systematic Theology. Registration is not necessary. Those who attend will also receive a copy of the book "*Beautiful Eucharist*" by Matthew Kelly.

### St. Paul's Memorials

Did you know that St. Paul's offers a few different ways to honor/remember your loved ones?

**Votive Candles:** As you say a prayer to our Mother Mary, you may light one of our votive candles that twinkle in the corner of the worship area. Candles can be lit at any time. Once a candle is lit it will automatically stay luminated for five days. Envelopes for your free will donation are located on the tower shelf close to the kneeler.

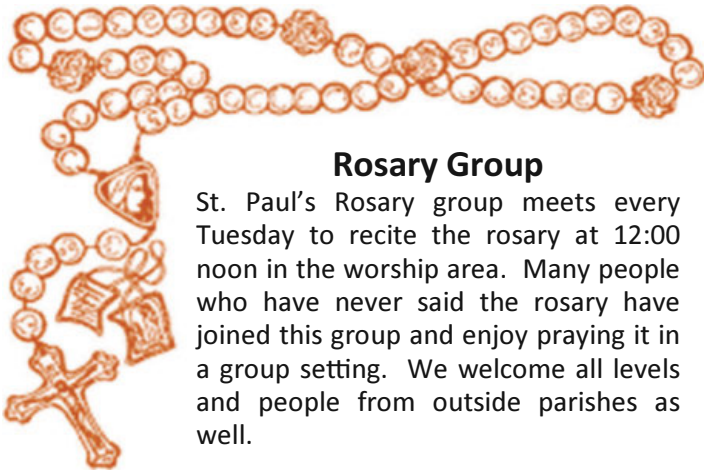
**Sanctuary Lamp:** Our sanctuary lamp in the worship area can be booked in honor/memory of your loved one a week at a time. The lamp is currently being booked for 2024 and there are quite a few weeks available. The donation for the lamp is \$15 and the name of your loved one is published in the bulletin. .

**Sanctuary Flowers:** We are currently booking Sanctuary Flowers for 2024. Flowers are on display in the sanctuary on any available weekend of your choice. The minimum donation for flowers is \$50. Your loved ones name will also be published in the bulletin.

**Memorial Bricks:** Honor a loved one, memorialize the special people in your life by adding their name to a brick in our memorial walk. Brick donations are \$100 each. Forms are located on the bulletin board across from the parish office.

**Memorial Donations:** You may make a Memorial Donation in honor/memory of someone at any time throughout the year. If you would like an acknowledgment to be sent please include the name and address of the next kin.

To reserve flowers and lamps, or for more information regarding the memorial options, please contact Jodie in the parish office at 671-2100 x21 or via email [Jodie.hickey@dor.org](mailto:Jodie.hickey@dor.org)



### Rosary Group

St. Paul's Rosary group meets every Tuesday to recite the rosary at 12:00 noon in the worship area. Many people who have never said the rosary have joined this group and enjoy praying it in a group setting. We welcome all levels and people from outside parishes as well.

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## From the John Walsh Library



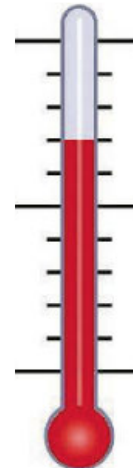
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### In Search of Belief

As the author states, "This book is written to look again at the Apostle's Creed in a world in turmoil and a world in pain. If we really believed the Apostles Creed when we recited it, that world would change." Although written a few years ago, those words are sadly still true today. The world once again is in turmoil and in pain. Sister Joan examines the true meaning of the Creed phrase by phrase, breathing new life into those familiar words. Being Christian involves more than how often we say, "Merry Christmas" or how we stand on a few hot button issues. There is an urgent need for us to really think about what we mean when we say the Creed, to fully understand its tenets, to fully live it, not just recite (or mumble) it at Mass. (Call No. 238.1-CHI)

2023-2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

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**Pledged**  
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## Ministry Schedule for January 20 & 21, 2023

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
<b>Acolytes</b>	<b>Volunteer Needed</b> <b>Volunteer Needed</b>	Maggie Milner <b>Volunteer Needed</b>	Lucy Rynkiewicz <b>Volunteer Needed</b>
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<b>Lectors</b>	<b>TBD</b>	<b>TBD</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>Linens</b>	No linen pick up this week		
<b>Sacristans</b>	Irene Dragt	Turner Family	Sandy Happ
<b>Stream Team</b>	John Kosel	Lou Rotundo	George Hanley
<b>Ushers</b>	Sue Dettman Alice Bower	<b>Volunteer Needed</b> <b>Volunteer Needed</b>	<b>Volunteer Needed</b> <b>Volunteer Needed</b>

### Adult Faith Formation Coordinator Needed

St. Paul's is looking for a part time Adult Faith Formation Coordinator (about 15 hours a week). This person will collaborate in implementing the mission of the parish, by developing opportunities for spiritual development for parishioners such as Advent and Lenten retreats, recollections, Scripture study, and funeral planning. The AFF Coordinator will also coordinate the parish outreach to the homebound.

#### Qualifications

- Masters or Undergraduate degree in Theology or Religious Studies or appropriate certification/experience.
- Active membership in a faith community of the Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese of Rochester.
- Willingness to work occasional weekends and evenings, or to be available as needed.
- Organizational skills, including time management, delegation, planning and budgeting.

Please contact Kasey Baker for more information at [kasey.baker@dor.org](mailto:kasey.baker@dor.org) or 671-2100.

### Visit St. Paul's Website



Wondering what time Mass is? Looking for info on our next program, or how we are doing on the CMA? That and much more can be found on our website:

**[stpaulsrcc.org](http://stpaulsrcc.org)**

The most current events stream across the front page and below that are Mass times, office hours and streaming links. There are permanent tabs with links for Faith Formation, Sacraments, Ministries, Social Justice, & Giving. Also our calendar so you can see at a glance when that next event or meeting will be. Check it out!





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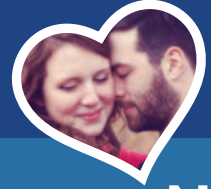
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