

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH



783 Hard Road, Webster, New York

July 3, 2022 Fourteenth 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.



14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God is at hand for you.'"
- Lk 10:8-9

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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.

Upcoming Events



Monday, July 4
Weekday
Independence Day
Parish Office Closed
No Mass



Tuesday, July 5
Weekday
8:30A Mass
12:00P Rosary Group

Wednesday, July 6
Weekday
8:30A Mass
9:00A Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, July 7
Weekday
8:30A Mass

Friday, July 8
Weekday
Parish Office Closed @ Noon
No Mass

Saturday, July 9
Weekday
Special Collection: Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe
2:00P Individual Confession
4:00P Mass: Baptism after Mass

Sunday, July 10
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Special Collection: Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe
9:00A Mass
11:00A Mass

Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Paul Gitau
Deacon: Mark Robbins
Administrative Asst.: Jodie Hickey x21
Adult Faith Formation Coordinator: Katie Van Damme x24
Assistant 9:00 a.m. Organist: TBD
Business Manager: Robin Martz x30
Youth & Confirmation Minister: TBD
Coordinator of Music: Alessio Giacobone
Coordinator of SOR & Facilities Cleaning: Helen Stirpe x25 or 671-2110
Maintenance Coordinator: Ben O'Brien x28
Multi Parish Finance Director: Joan Sullivan: 671-1100 x21
Finance Council Chair: Tom Napoli
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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.
Open for visitors daily 8:00 a.m. to Noon

Phone: 671- 2100
Emergency Number: 369-9687
Website: www.stpaulsrcc.org
Diocese of Rochester: www.dor.org



Financial Snapshot

	May 2022	July 2021-May 2022
Collections	\$34,953	\$494,654
Donations/ other revenue	\$2,284	\$44,287
Expenses	\$35,322	\$541,148
Operating surplus/deficit	\$1,915	\$(2,207)

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



Seeds for the Journey

The History of the Chicken BBQ Fundraiser

As we have just completed our seventh BBQ, here's a little history of the event.

Back in 2014 while investigating possible fundraisers we decided to try a Chicken BBQ. Other local churches did them and it seemed to be a fun way to raise money. (Little did we know.)

Our first was in 2015. We hired a caterer from Buffalo who cooked on a charcoal grill in the grass. It was on a Saturday to get the after-Mass crowd. Many lessons were learned that year, such as don't have the servers and food in the parking lot (or folks will drive around the barriers and right up to them). Also while Saturday was good for getting sales, it was a bit distracting for Mass (which is the real reason we are here).

The second year we changed caterers to Ace Automatics who use a charcoal rotisserie for more even results. We also changed locations and travelled to the Village to pair the BBQ with Webster's "Free Friday Night Concert at the Gazebo." It was a great idea, only to be stifled by rain, the rotisserie breaking down, a competing BBQ, and a misunderstanding about the advertising.

Next year: 2017 and back at church. We chose our date, the Friday of Father's Day weekend, which we have been using ever since. It's the weekend of an annual large local soccer tournament (think hungry families) and no competing BBQs. We added the option of inside seating to promote the BBQ as a social event as well as a fundraiser: a "funraiser!" Lesson learned: we need a lot of volunteers to do inside as well as outside sales.

Over the next two years the BBQ Committee fine-tuned the event. Still no sell-outs but more folks were coming inside so that was a positive. We sold water, soda, and ice cream sandwiches inside as well. Nobody bought the ice cream, so the volunteers got an extra bonus! We were looking forward to continuing this event and then the pandemic hit. So 2020 had no BBQ.

We came back last year as a drive thru only. We moved the rotisserie to the back and the servers to the garage. As much as we missed seeing the inside diners, it was much easier. Last year was noteworthy due to the person who paid for the person behind them, and then this act of kindness kept repeating for a good while.

This year continued with drive thru only in the same manner. There were requests to have an outside space for eating, but with the traffic in the parking lot we had safety concerns about setting this up. This year's customers were very generous, and many said "keep the change" – even when buying a \$12 dinner with a \$20 bill.

And...this year we sold out! Hooray! (Thanks to the parishioner who bought the last 9 dinners at 6:00PM.) Many thanks to all who volunteer; it is fun but also a lot of work. Thanks also to everyone who comes and buys a dinner to support us.

We'll see you next year for our 8th Annual Chicken BBQ "Funraiser!"

Robin



This weekend we extend
a warm St. Paul's welcome to
Fr. Norm Tanck, CSB

Rosary Group

This summer St. Paul's Rosary Group will continue to meet for prayer and fellowship. July 5, July 19, August 9, and August 23rd 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. Currently we have almost 15 members and the beauty of joining our hearts and prayers as one is extremely peaceful and meaningful. 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.

Help Wanted:

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



Growing with God in the Spirit of the Synod



SAVE THE DATE!!!

Sunday, July 31, 2022

12:00 PM – 3:00 PM

*Rain Date: August 7th

St. Paul's Church

Reserve your tickets by signing up on
the bulletin board across
from the parish office.

Please join us for some old-fashioned fun in the sun
to celebrate family, friendship and fellowship!



Live music
by:
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Games for Everyone!
Join the fun and.....

Dance to music
**Visit our sunflower
center**

Get your face painted
**Three-legged obstacle
course**

Egg walk race
Water balloon toss
Play BINGO for FUN



Picnic Menu

Hamburgers & Hot Dogs
Sides
Desserts
Ice cream sandwiches
And more!

Be sure to sign up on the
bulletin board for a dish to
pass! This year's assigned
categories are:

A-K Desserts
L-Q Salads
R-Z Snacks



National Eucharistic Revival "A Real Symbol"

We believe that the Holy Eucharist is both real AND a symbol. Of course we believe that Jesus Christ – God's own Son – is really and truly present in the consecrated bread and wine. But this is also a symbol, pointing beyond our earthly experience towards a union with Christ that is impossible to explain this side of heaven. All sacraments are outward signs of an invisible grace, the working of God in our lives. This real symbol is an effective sign. This holy meal is truly a Communion with God.

Special Collection

Next weekend is the collection to help support the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports the Church in over 25 countries that are still struggling to recover in the aftermath of communist rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation.

If you wish to support this collection, please make your check payable to St. Paul's, adding "Church in Central and Eastern Europe" in the memo. Please drop your check in the collection box or slot with your regular offertory donation. Thank you for your support.



Are You Thinking About the Catholic Faith?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process that consists of learning about the Catholic Faith/Church through instruction and group faith sharing, participation in rites/blessings and reception of the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. Here at St Paul's, we usually meet once per week from Oct-May.

Are you:

- ◆ A person who has not been baptized and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith with the possibility of becoming Catholic?
- ◆ A baptized Christian of another denomination who would like to learn more about and possibly join the Catholic Church?
- ◆ A baptized Roman Catholic who has never received Eucharist or Confirmation and would like to become a full participant in the life of the Church?

The Christian Initiation process offers an environment of support and guidance as you discover how God is working in your life. Is this process for you? Do you have a friend or neighbor who may be interested? For more information, contact Katie in the parish office call the office @ 671-2100 x24 or katie.vandamme@dor.org.

From the John Walsh Library

Doyle, Brian A Book of Uncommon Prayer

(100 Celebrations of the Miracle & Muddle of the Ordinary)

Doyle believes we can pray for anything or anyone, no matter how serious or insignificant our focus may appear to be. We can pray for the cashier who endures the "cold swirls of winter from the sliding doors that are opening and closing every 40 seconds"; for the politician with "excellent suits and shoes and meticulous hair and gobs of television makeup"; for our high school history teacher; for Sunday mornings; for shorter sermons; for nuns; for the child dying from cancer. These are prayers from the heart offered by Mr. Doyle for the people, animals, birds, and things (Decent shoes! Hot showers!) that touch his life in ways both profound and small. They are prayers of thanks, prayers of requests (for patience or good weather), prayers of affection. (Call No. 242.8-DOY)

Generosity is Life-Giving



Plant a tree. Give this gift to the children of today and tomorrow. The air we breathe provides the oxygen we need to live. It also rids the body of waste and toxins. So, breathe deep, plant a tree, and give the gift of fresh air to the people of tomorrow. Being generous with the environment is a way of being generous with future generations.

~ The Generosity Habit by Matthew Kelly

Bethany House July Wish List

Paper towel's	Baby wipes
Toilet paper	Office supplies (manila folders, jumbo paper clips, plain notebooks)
Clorox wipes & Lysol	Snack items (Gold Fish, etc.)
Floor cleaner	Non-leaking sippy cups

Please place your donations (in a paper bag) in the collection box in the Narthex during Mass. The Good Sam Outreach Committee will deliver our donations on a regular basis.

Ministry Schedule for July 9 & 10, 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
Acolytes	Annika Van Damme J.P. Bernier	Maggie Milner Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed
Cantors	Jessamyn Slon	Tom Napoli	Elizabeth Randisi
EMHC	Christine Grant Volunteer Needed	Joann Fisher Don Fisher	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed
Greeters	Forest Shick Julie Shick	Barb Rehberg Jack Black	Anne LaClair Jean Van Apeldoorn
Lectors	Margie Richardson	Josephine Cozzo	Kay Vargo
Linens	No linen pick up this week		
Sacristans	Christine Grant	Jane Adams	Laure Barr
Stream Team	Rod Campbell	Sue Muto	Chris Yuskiw
Ushers	Alice Bower Sue Dettman	Don Black Jack Black	Fred Compertore Charlie Carson

Giving Options

Drop your offering in the
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church.

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Go to our website
(stpaulsrcc.org) and click
on the GIVING tab

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Questions?
Call Robin in the office
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Thank you!



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