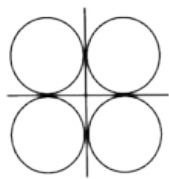


ST. PAUL'S CHURCH



783 Hard Road, Webster, New York 14580

June 1, 2025 Seventh Sunday of Easter

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.



7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I have given them the
glory you gave me."
- Jn 17:22

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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.

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, June 2****Easter Weekday**

8:30A Mass

Tuesday, June 3**St. Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs**

8:30A Mass with anointing

12:00P Rosary Group

Wednesday, June 4**Easter Weekday**

8:30A Mass

9:00A Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, June 5**St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr**

8:30A Mass

6:00P Adult Faith Formation

Talk: St. Paul & Hope

Friday, June 6**Easter Weekday**

No Mass

Saturday, June 7**Easter Weekday****2nd Collection: Catholic Communications Campaign**

10:00A Prayer Shawl

2:00P Confession

4:00P Mass

Sunday, May June 8**Pentecost Sunday (Wear Red)****2nd Collection: Catholic Communications Campaign**

9:00A Mass-Baptism

10:00A Confirmation Prep class yr. 1

11:00A Mass

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	April 2025	July 2024-April 2025
Collections	\$50,651	\$442,423
Donations/ other revenue	\$14,166	\$49,750
Expenses	\$58,697	\$461,011
Operating surplus/deficit	\$6,120	\$31,162

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

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Josh Bartlett

Bryan Gross

Cydney Blong

Tom Weisenreder

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Daniel Thomas

Andrew Zani

Robert Wright

Jay Riesenberger



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

Seeds for the Journey



Last Sunday's Gospel reading from John included one of my favorite Scripture passages.

"My children, I will be with you only a little while longer, I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

Those words seemed to take on a new life Sunday afternoon as I watched the news reports of Pope Leo XIV's Inaugural Mass. Just prior to delivering his homily, Pope Leo reached out his hand and as the Fisherman's Ring was placed on his finger, appeared to be emotional, almost holding back tears. He looked down at the ring on his finger and I remember wondering what he must have been thinking at that moment. Then folding his hands in prayer, he looked upwards before addressing the crowd of thousands gathered to pray.

The following snippet of his homily is a highlight of hope for us all.

"Brothers and sisters, this is the hour for love! The heart of the gospel is the love of God that makes us brothers and sisters. With my predecessor Leo XIII, we can ask ourselves today: If this criterion "were to prevail in the world, would not every conflict cease and peace return? (Rerum Novarum, 21).

With the light and the strength of the Holy Spirit, let us build a Church founded on God's love, a sign of unity, a missionary Church that opens its arms to the world, proclaims the word, allows itself to be made "restless" by history, and becomes a leaven of harmony for humanity. Together, as one people, as brothers and sisters, let us walk towards God and love one another." (Homily of Inaugural Mass, May 18, 2025)

Pope Leo's vision for his papacy is to bring peace and unity to the world. Let our prayers and lives as Catholic Christians support his dream. May our American born Pope with the guidance and protection of the Holy Spirit have the strength and wisdom to achieve the weight of that vision and the responsibility of leading our 1.4 billion strong Catholic Church.

*Lord, source of eternal life and truth,
give to your shepherd a spirit
of courage and right judgment, a spirit
of knowledge and love. By governing
with fidelity those entrusted to his care,
may he, as successor to the Apostle
Peter and vicar of Christ, build your
Church into a sacrament of unity, love,
and peace for all the world.
Amen!*

Bonnie

Father'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 Father's Day.

Please make your check payable to "St. Paul's Church" and mark your donation "Father's Day Flowers" and include **who the donation is in memory of**; we will list them in the bulletin on Father's Day. Please have your requests to the office **by Monday, June 9th**.

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

Mark Your Calendars for St. Paul's Annual Picnic

Sunday, July 27, 2025

12:00 PM – 3:00 PM

rain or shine

Tickets go on sale July 12 & 13
(exact cash or check accepted)



There will be two opportunities for you to showcase and share your God given talents with your fellow parishioners. All ages welcome!

New for 2025 – Open Mic.

Perform one or two songs. The format is flexible but with easy setup in mind. A sound system will be provided.

- ◆ Sing a favorite song to a backing track or your own accompaniment.
- ◆ Perform an instrumental.
- ◆ Perform as a soloist or with a friend or two.



Back After a Year Off

The Artisan Appreciation Table



The Artisan table is returning this year providing a chance for you to display your Artistic accomplishments such as painting, quilting, word working, pottery and more. Anything you would like to share about your talents and show to our parishioners.

Sign up sheets for both opportunities will be on the bulletin boards starting **June 14th**.

This is a great chance to showcase your talents in a fun and friendly environment!



Adult Faith Formation St. Paul & Hope



As part of our parish's celebration of the Jubilee Year of Hope, we shall have a special presentation on "St. Paul and Hope" on **Thursday June 5 at 6:00 p.m.**

Our guest speaker is Dr Chris Zoccali. Dr. Zoccali holds a Ph.D. in New Testament Studies from the University of Wales, Trinity St. David. Dr. Zoccali is currently the Editor in-Chief of the Canadian American Theological Review and has taught Biblical and Religious Studies at several institutions, including Roberts Wesleyan, Nazareth, and Empire State Colleges. He is the author of two books, including *Reading Philippians After Supersessionism: Jews, Gentiles, and Covenant Identity* (2017), as well as a number of other publications on the New Testament. We look forward to seeing you all at the Presentation.



Registration for School of Religion classes here at St Paul's is currently going on for grades K to 7. Registration is also currently going on for First Communion and Penance preparation. The registration fee for School of Religion is \$70 per child, \$140 for 2 children and \$175 for three or more children in the program. The registration fee for the sacraments prep is \$65 per child, and this includes two books. Kindly spread the word. For more information, kindly contact Helen at helen.stirpe@dor.org or Anselm at anselm.mesue@dor.org



St Paul's Kids' Fun Night

For those in Grades K-8

There'll be games, snacks, craft, movie, pizza & drinks

Date: Thursday June 26th

Time: 5:30pm - 8:00pm

Fee: \$10 per child. Cash or make check payable to St Paul's with Kids' Fun Night in Memo Line. Those interested should kindly contact Helen Stirpe at helen.stirpe@dor.org **by June 19th.**



Rosary Group

St. Paul's Rosary Group will continue to meet this summer every Tuesday at noon in the worship area. We encourage everyone to join us for this prayerful meditation, no experience required. Many of our participants have learned how to recite the Rosary from this group.

Friends and family, men and women, parishioners and non-parishioners are all invited. The summer is a great time for school employees and students to join us for prayer as well. It only takes about 30 minutes of your time for this peaceful meditation.

Thinking about joining Parish Council?

One of the missions of Parish Council is to keep the spirit of St. Paul's alive. Since Covid we have worked with the parish staff and other ministries to hold both fundraising and friend-raising activities for our parishioners. This fiscal year we have hosted an activity almost every month, including: Trunk or Treat, Rose to Remember, Pasta Dinner, Lenten Soup Suppers, Panera Nights, Wine Tasting, Chicken BBQ, and the Parish Picnic. Plus, the PPC has worked very hard in improving the safety of all parishioners while on the parish campus, including: posting diagrams locating all fire extinguishers and emergency exits, highlighting location of AED and first aid kits, identifying lockable classrooms, and supplying classroom door window coverings should a lockdown situation occur.

What commitment am I making? Attend monthly meetings (September – June), volunteer to work at parish events, and bring ideas to improve the community at St. Paul's.

If you have questions, contact:

Patrice DeAngelis (chair) at pdeangelis1105@gmail.com

Sue Muto (secretary) at smuto1@rochester.rr.com



Webster Hope June Wish List

Shampoo	Mayo, ketchup & BBQ sauce
Canned beets & pineapple	Salad dressing
Jarred pasta sauce & Pasta (not whole wheat)	Depends: all sizes
Cooking oil	Diapers: size 6 & 7
Coffee & tea	Baby wipes

Please place your donations in the collection box in the Narthex before or after Mass. The Good Sam Outreach Committee will deliver our donations on a regular basis. Thank you for your generosity.

Ministry Schedule for June 7 & 8, 2025

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	TBD TBD	TBD TBD	TBD TBD
Cantors	TBD	TBD	TBD
EMHC	Sue Dettman Bob Frank	Maggie Milner Volunteer Needed	Ruth Prinzivalli Nancy Willard
Greeters	Forest Shick Julie Shick	Lucille Frisicano Pat Amedeo	Anne Hauber Ellen Santora
Lectors	TBD	TBD	TBD
Linens	No linen pick up this week		
Sacristans	Sue Dettman	Eileen Turner	Laure Barr
Stream Team	John Kosel	Lou Rotundo	George Hanley
Ushers	Sue Dettman Alice Bower	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed

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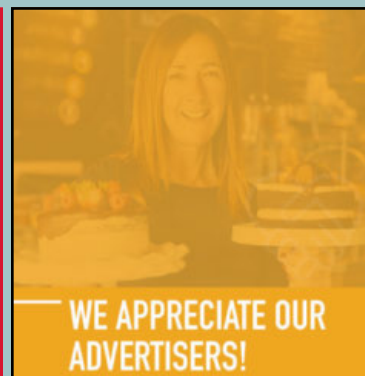
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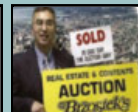


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