ST. PAUL'S CHURCH



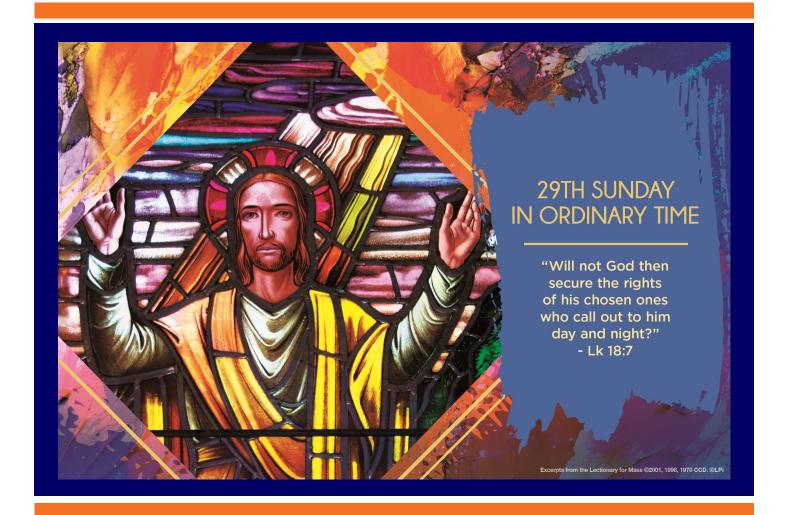


783 Hard Road, Webster, New York 14580

October 19, 2025 Twenty-Ninth 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.

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, October 20 Weekday

8:30A Mass

3:00P Finance Council mtg.

Tuesday, October 21 Weekday

8:30A Mass with anointing 12:00P Rosary Group

Wednesday, October 22 Weekday

8:30A Mass

9:00A Adoration of the Blessed

Sacrament

7:00P Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 23 Weekday

8:30A Mass

6:00P Adult Faith Formation Talk: *Peter's Confession of Faith* presented by Fr. Hamilton Awuh

Friday, October 24 Weekday

10:00A Memorial Mass

Saturday, October 25 Weekday

Jubilee Prayer recited during Mass

2:00P Confession 4:00P Mass

Sunday, October 26 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Jubilee Prayer recited during Masses

9:00A Mass 10:00A SOR classes 10:00A Trunk or Treat 10:00A Confirmation Prep class yrs. 1 & 2 10:30A SOR Christian Community Lessons: Parents 11:00A Mass: Knights of Columbus deceased members remembered & choir sings

Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Paul Gitau Deacon: Mark Robbins

Administrative Asst.: Jodie Hickey x21 **Adult Faith Formation Coordinator:**

Director of Faith Formation: Anselm Mesue x27

Coordinator of Music: John Gaspar

Faith Formation & Liturgy Assistant: Helen Stirpe x26

Funeral Planning: Bonnie Serio Facilities Manager: Ben O'Brien x28

Finance Office:

Finance Council Chair: Jack Black
Parish Council Chair: Patrice DeAngelis

Parish Trustees: Forest Shick & George Hanley

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Parish Office Hours

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Monday-Friday

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Financial Snapshot

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	September 2025	July-September 2025		
Collections	\$54,934	\$122,425		
Donations/ other revenue	\$2,600	\$7,400		
Expenses	\$28,200	\$124,315		
Operating surplus/deficit	\$29,334	\$5,510		



The flowers in the
Sanctuary this weekend are
in memory of:
Chuck Dettman
from
Sue



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



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This weekend we celebrate World Mission Sunday, which is an annual global celebration with the Catholic Church, observed on the second to last Sunday of October. This special day is dedicated to the support of Missionary work of the Church through prayer and sacrifices. On this day we join with Pope Leo XIV to support the missions in prayer, participation in the Eucharist and donating to this special collection. Why does World Mission Sunday Matter and what does the collection support? World Mission Sunday is a visible sign of Catholic communion and solidarity. It is our opportunity to respond to Christ's Great Commission: "Go therefore, and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19).

This year's theme is "Missionaries of Hope Among the Peoples" was chosen by the late Pope Francis. He wanted to inspire us to reflect on the meaning of **hope** in Christian life. As St. Paul reminds us, "Hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us" (Romans 5:50). Our Mission is to replicate this divine hospitality, creating joy, compassion and hope to everyone we encounter especially in areas of the world where the Gospel has not been received. This invitation is more than just a call; it is a spiritual journey to embrace and share God's love.

Here are examples of how we at St. Paul's can live out our call to be "Missionaries of Hope Among the Peoples" on this World Mission Sunday:



Pray for Missions

Pray for the success of the Church's missionary efforts, missionary priests, religious brothers and siters, and lay people. And also pray for the people served by them in Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Pacific Island, and some regions of Europe.

Donations: Your financial support helps fund missionary activities around the world, such as:

- * The **formation of seminarians** and future religious sisters and brothers
- * The **education of children** in Catholic schools
- * Healthcare and pastoral care in remote and underserved regions
- * The **training of catechists** and lay leaders
- * The construction of churches, chapels, schools and mission centers

As you can see from the examples above, the second collection this weekend for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, directly aids the Pope's mission, allowing missionaries to minister and uplift communities in dire need. Let us be inspirations of **Hope** with our prayers and generosity. Fr. Paul and I thank you deeply for your heartfelt contributions and support in our passion with the missions!

Jodie



12 Months of Flowers Fundraiser

supporting St. Paul's in this year's campaign.

St. Paul's and Kittelberger Florist are teaming up to sell "12 Months of Flowers". The cost of each gift card is \$50 (exact cash or check only). A portion of the proceeds will come back to St. Paul's. These gift cards make great Christmas, birthday anniversary, or anytime gifts. A \$50 gift card gets you \$180 worth of flowers over the course of one year once activated. Wow what a fantastic deal!

Gift cards will be sold after all Masses on the weekends of November 8/9, 15/16 and 22/23.





School is already back in session and Good Sam Outreach would like to help restore the backpack donation shelves. This terrific organization distributes bags of food to the Webster elementary schools providing food and snacks to hundreds of children.

St. Paul's will collect donations the weekend of **November 1 & 2.**



Suggested Donations Include:

Peanut butter & jelly (plastic jars)
Canned fruit, soups, pastas (ravioli)
Spaghetti sauce & pasta
Granola bars

Small snack bags (Goldfish, pretzels, crackers)
Instant oatmeal & small cereal boxes
Mac & cheese

Please place your donation in the labeled bin in the hall-way outside the music room!. Thanks for any help you are able to give!!

A Rose to Remember Presentation



The pre-purchased rose(s) to remember your loved one will be offered during the Masses on the weekend of November 1 & 2 with the special Mass of Remembrance on November 2nd at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. During the Mass of Remembrance we will remember all those whose funeral liturgies were celebrated at St. Paul's during the past year.

As you arrive for Mass that weekend, please check in with our volunteer in the Narthex. The rose(s) you purchased will be set aside for during Mass. As the offertory gifts are brought forward each person will be invited to collect their rose(s) and process to the sanctuary where you will add them to one of the designated vases in remembrance of loved ones who have passed. At the conclusion of Mass, you are welcome to take your rose(s) home with you or you may leave them at St. Paul's. The names of your loved ones will be printed in the bulletin on the weekend of November 1 & 2.



Parish Life Coordinator Needed at St. Paul's

Parish Life Coordinator: Performs a wide range of parish life activities and collaborates with the pastor and other staff in implementing the mission of the parish.

LIST OF POSSIBLE JOB DUTIES:

- Coordinates opportunities for spiritual development for the parish.
- Coordinates the parish's outreach to persons who are homebound, disabled, and/or ill.
- Work with Grief Group Volunteers as staff liaison.
- Coordinates CASE training and record keeping for the parish.
- Maintain Parish Website.
- Backup and assist with Funeral Planning.
- Attend Parish Pastoral Council meetings as staff liaison.
- Collaborate with the pastor and other staff in implementing Advent and Lenten Programs.

Classification: Part-Time Non-Exempt, 10-15 hours per week

Compensation: \$17-\$19 per hour

Requirements:

- Active member of a Roman Catholic parish faith community.
- Undergraduate degree in Religious Studies or equivalent work experience, preferred.
- Demonstrated ability to articulate one's personal faith journey and as appropriate, enable others to do the same.
- Background and expertise in Catholic liturgical practice.
- Able to provide own transportation for jobrelated responsibilities.
- Able to honor and maintain confidentiality.
- Be proficient in Microsoft Office computer programs and applications.

From the John Walsh Library

Schroeder, Gerald L. The Science of God

Doctor Schroeder, a physicist, believes the Bible and science can be seen as different perspectives of a single whole. In addition to physics, he has pursued a study of Biblical interpretation with a focus on the Book of Genesis in the original Hebrew. In this book, he discusses such topics as free will, the development of the universe, the origin of life, and the origin of man, arguing that the latest science and a close reading of the Bible are not just compatible but interdependent. In science, we search for the "how" of the universe. We study the world and hope to learn the laws by which it functions. We also have questions about the "why" of the universe. Is there meaning to our lives that transcends the splendor that we see all about us? Using scientific knowledge and ancient Biblical interpretation, Doctor Schroeder discusses the duality, not the dichotomy, of science and the Bible. (Call No. 261.5-Sch)







Sunday, October 26 St. Paul's Parking Lot 10:00-10:30 a.m.

Help Needed!

Would you like to be a part of this great event? Let us borrow your trunk or donate some candy! Sign up sheets are on the bulletin board.

Webster Hope October Wish List

Coffee, tea, crackers, tuna (albacore), canned chicken, mac & cheese (boxed), pasta (no spaghetti), canned beets, canned pineapple, applesauce, oatmeal, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, dish soap, hand soap, toothpaste & 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 October 25 & 26, 2025

Due to the bulletin being sent to press early, some ministry schedules have not been completed yet. If **TBD** or **Volunteer Needed** is listed, please contact the ministry coordinator to let them know your availability.

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM	11:00 AM
Acolytes	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed	Luca Picca Volunteer Needed	Chris Yuskiw Lucy Rynkiewicz
Cantors	Tom Napoli	Bob Slon	Bonnie Serio
ЕМНС	Bob Frank Don Oinen	DA Hutnick Trisha DeBacco	Karen Napoli Ellen Santora
Greeters	Ellen Oinen Don Oinen	Linda D'Antonio Jerry Healey	Jean Van Apeldoorn Anne Hauber
Lectors	Scott Rutan	Laure Barr	Jann Armantrout
Linens	No linen pick up this week		
Sacristans	Olbrich family	Eileen Turner	Sharyn LiPari
Stream Team	John Kosel	Lou Rotundo	Chris Yuskiw
Ushers	Sue Dettman Alice Bower	Jack Black Paul Fetter	Nancy & Charlie Carson Volunteer Needed

With All Saints' Day being on Saturday this year, Fr. Paul invites you to an additional Mass at **8:30 a.m.** on **November 1st** in commemoration of All Saints'. Please note that this is an additional Mass and our regular weekend Mass schedule will still be offered on Saturday at 4:00 p.m. and Sunday at 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. for All Souls.



St. Paul's Church Webster Speaker Series

Peter's Confession of Faith: Mark 8:27-30

LOCATION

783 Hard Road, Webster, NY 14580

Presenter

Fr. Hamilton Awuh of St. Joseph Catholic Church Coatesville, PA



Thursday October 23, 2025 AT 6PM