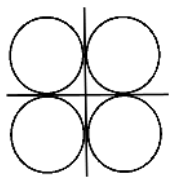


ST. PAUL'S CHURCH



783 Hard Road, Webster, New York 14580

October 5, 2025 Twenty-Seventh 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.

upcoming events

Monday, October 6

Weekday

8:30A Mass

Tuesday, October 7

Our Lady of the Rosary

8:30A Mass with anointing

12:00P Rosary Group

Wednesday, October 8

Weekday

8:30A Mass

9:00A Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00P Choir Rehearsal

7:00P Good Sam Outreach mtg.

Thursday, October 9

Weekday

8:30A Mass

6:00P Faith Formation Team mtg.

Friday, October 10

Weekday

No Mass

Saturday, October 11

Weekday

Rose to Remember Sale after Mass

10:00A Memorial Mass

12:00P America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally

2:00P Confession

4:00P Mass

Sunday, October 12

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

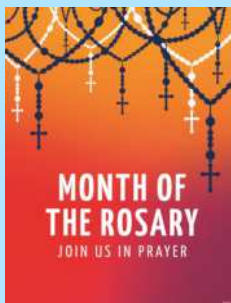
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No SOR classes

9:00A Mass

10:00A Confirmation Prep class yrs. 1 & 2

11:00A Mass



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Financial Snapshot

	August 2025	July-August 2025
Collections	\$32,880	\$67,490
Donations/ other revenue	\$2,000	\$4,500
Expenses	\$44,700	\$96,000
Operating surplus/deficit	\$(9,800)	\$(24,100)

*The flowers in the
Sanctuary this weekend are in
memory of:
Henry & Carmella Majka,
Frank & Rose LaManna &
Francine Majka
from
Frank & Barbara
LaManna & family*



*This week the
Sanctuary Lamp burns for
Tammy Serio-Miller
From
Parents & Zoey*

Seeds for the Journey



This month of October, we are celebrating many things. Every October the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates **Respect Life** month with the first Sunday of October designated as Respect Life Sunday. As Catholics we are called to respect and protect human life in all stages from conception to natural death. Respect Life month gives us a chance to highlight this precious and sacred gift through prayer, reflection, advocacy and service. The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops asks us to build a culture of life through selfless and sacrificial Christ-like love and care.

October is **World Mission** month, culminating on World Mission Sunday on October 19th. This year's theme is "Missionary of Hope Among the Peoples." World Mission month is meant to help the Universal Church think about the missions, to pray for missionaries and sacrifice in order to support them and the people they serve.

October is also the month of Our Lady of the **Holy Rosary**. We are called to pray the rosary as an individual, family or groups. We are welcome to come and pray group Rosary on Tuesdays at Noon at the Mary's corner in St. Paul's Church. On Saturday, October 11th, we will pray a group rosary at St. Paul's sign near Hard Road. The world Missionary Rosary designed and promoted by Archbishop Fulton Sheen, former National Director of the Pontifical Mission Societies (TPMS), can be used to pray and seek the intercession of mama Mary for the fruits of the Church's missionary work.

In order to support the mission of the church at a diocesan level, this weekend is designated as St. Paul's **CMA** kick-off. This year's theme: "Together we Bring Hope...and Hope Does Not Disappoint." Our parish 2025-2026 Catholic Ministries Appeal goal is \$108,000. We are all called to be generous in our gifts. Please contribute so that we can help our diocese continue with her mission. This year we need to target more donors in order to reach our goal.

Thank you for your continued support.

Fr. Paul



A Prayer for our CMA Campaign

O God, our loving Creator and giver of all good gifts, bless our parishes, strengthen our faith and grant us the spirit of Christian Stewardship so that we may give generously of our time, talent and treasure to the building of Your Kingdom here in our church and throughout the world.

We pray for your help in achieving success in this campaign, so that we can help others throughout our Diocese.

*This we ask through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, now and forever.
Amen!*



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.



A Rose to Remember



St. Paul's is offering "A Rose to Remember" again this year, giving parishioners the opportunity to purchase white roses for loved ones who have passed. After all weekend Masses visit the table in the hallway by the office to receive an envelope labeled "A Rose to Remember." Simply fill out the envelope, include \$5 exact cash or check, for each rose.

Rose(s) can be purchased on the weekends of October 18 & 19.

The names of your loved ones will be printed in the bulletin on the weekend of November 1st and 2nd. We invite you to join us at a special Mass of Remembrance on All Souls Day, November 2nd during our 11:00 a.m. A Rose to Remember will also be offered during our regularly scheduled weekend Masses on Saturday at 4:00 p.m. and Sunday at 9:00 a.m. As you arrive for Mass your reserved rose will be in the Narthex. Once you check in with our volunteer the rose(s) you purchased will be set aside for during Mass. As the offertory gifts are brought forward each person that purchased a rose (s) will be invited to collect their rose(s) and process to the sanctuary where you will add your flower to one of the designated vases in remembrance of your loved ones. At the conclusion of Mass you are welcome to take your rose home with you or leave them at St. Paul's.

Save the Date!!

12 Months of Flowers Fundraiser

St. Paul's and Kittleberger 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.

More details to follow in future bulletins.

St. Paul's 2nd Annual America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally

WHEN: Saturday, October 11th

TIME: 12 Noon

WHERE: Entrance by Church sign

WHY: To pray for the conversion of our great nation, asking God to save America through the rosary of His Most Holy Mother. Also, to honor the apparition of Our Lady and the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima in October of 1917 and her request to say the Rosary.

WHAT TO BRING: Jacket, lawn chair and rosary. We will provide a rosary for you if you do not have one.

Youth are also invited.



Monday, October 13, 2025
Weekday Mass at 8:30 a.m.
Parish Office Closed



**Saturday,
October 18
5:00 p.m.
(in the Parish Hall)**

JOIN THE FUN:

- Subs, wraps, veggie tray, snacks, soft drinks, tea, coffee and desserts
- Casual Euchre Tournament
- Bring your favorite game: Chess, Hearts, Uno etc.
- Or just come for fellowship with friends

Cost: \$10 per adult or \$30 per family
(exact cash or check only)

**Tickets will be sold this weekend and
October 11/12 after all Masses.**
Limited tickets at the door.

From the John Walsh Library

Frechette, Richard Haiti (The God of tough Places, the Lord of Burnt Men)

As both a priest and a physician, Father Frechette has carried out his double ministry for many years in settings of extreme poverty, violence, social upheaval, and natural disasters. He ministers to both the spiritual health and the physical health of orphaned children and the needy. He is amazed how the human spirit finds light and hope in the most despairing darkness. Haiti is a land of 80% unemployment where the great majority of people subsist on between \$0.25 and \$2.00 a day. But through all of the heartbreak, there is somehow joy. In this collection of essays, Father Frechette reflects on his experiences in Haiti and the remarkable people he has met there. He has strived to make them feel secure and that life is predictable, to feel important and that life is purposeful, to feel worthy and that life is welcoming, (Call No. 277.294-FRE).

St. Paul's Church is Turning 60!



St. Paul's 60th Anniversary 2027 Organizing Committee needs your help! Margie Richardson and Kevin Olifiers are the co-chairs. We are looking for committee members to join them in planning a 60th anniversary that we will never forget!

If you are interested and have some important ideas and information that you would like to share, please contact Margie and Kevin via email at:

margierichardson10@gmail.com or
kevinolifiers5@gmail.com.

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 11 & 12, 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	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed
Cantors	Cindy Rutan	Elizabeth Randisi	Bonnie Serio
EMHC	Christine Grant Ellen Oinen	Margaret Milner Josephine Cozzo	Cindy Ottina Volunteer Needed
Greeters	Theresa Augsburg Patrice DeAngelis	Pat Amedeo Bill Galbraith	Anne Hauber Ellen Santora
Lectors	TBD	TBD	TBD
Linens	No linen pick up this week		
Sacristans	TBD	TBD	TBD
Stream Team	John Kosel	Sue Muto	George Hanley
Ushers	Bill Green Alice Bower	Paul Fetter Herb Gauch	Charlie & Nancy Carson Volunteer Needed

World Mission Rosary Guide

Theme: Missionaries of Hope Among the Peoples

Biblical Inspiration: "Hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us." (Romans 5:5)

Each October, The Church around the world gathers in prayer and solidarity for the missions. Pope Francis, in his 2025 message for World Mission Sunday, on October 19, summoned us "to set out in the footsteps of the Lord Jesus to become, with Him and in Him, signs and messengers of hope for all, in every place and circumstances that God has granted us to live."

Then he prayed, "May all the baptized, as missionary disciples of Christ, make his hope shine forth in every corner of the earth!"

By praying the World Mission Rosary, we unite ourselves spiritually with missionaries who bring this hope to the ends of the earth, often in places marked by suffering, poverty and persecution.

The World Mission Rosary was first promoted in 1951 by Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen, the National Director of The Pontifical Mission Societies in the United States. He envisioned a rosary that would embrace the whole world in prayer, assigning each decade a color representing a region of the world where the Church continues its mission work.

- ◆ **Green:** for Africa, signifying its lush forests and rich natural resources.
- ◆ **Red:** for the Americas, recalling the fire of faith and the blood of martyrs.
- ◆ **White:** for Europe, symbolizing the seat of the Holy Father and the heart of tradition.
- ◆ **Blue:** for Oceania, representing the vast waters surrounding its many islands.
- ◆ **Yellow:** for Asia, evoking the sunrise and the light of the East.



Praying five decades of the Rosary each day with these regions in mind is a concrete way to respond to Christ's call to go and make disciples of all nations and to be missionaries of hope among the peoples.



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