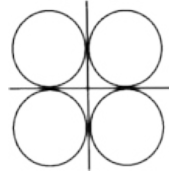


# ST. PAUL'S CHURCH



783 Hard Road, Webster, New York 14580

**October 20, 2024 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.



## 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all."  
- Mk 10:43-44

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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.



**Monday, October 21**

**Weekday**  
8:30A Mass

**Tuesday, October 22**

**Weekday**  
8:30A Mass with Anointing  
11:00A Staff mtg.  
12:00P Rosary Group

**Wednesday, October 23**

**Weekday**  
8:30A Mass  
9:00A Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
7:00P Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, October 24**

**Weekday**  
8:30A Mass  
11:00A Together in Grief

**Friday, October 25**

**Weekday**  
No Mass

**Saturday, October 26**

**Weekday**  
2:00P Confession  
4:00P Mass  
5:00P Confirmation prep yr. 2

**Sunday, October 27**

**30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
9:00A Mass-choir sings  
10:00A SOR classes  
11:00A Mass-Knights of Columbus Deceased Members Remembered



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<b>Parish Trustees:</b> Forest Shick & George Hanley	

**New Parish Office Hours**

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

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**Financial Snapshot**

	September 2024	July-September 2024
Collections	\$35,800	\$123,700
Donations/ other revenue	\$4,500	\$11,200
Expenses	\$32,200	\$116,900
Operating surplus/deficit	\$8,200	\$18,000

*The flowers in the Sanctuary this weekend are in memory of Chuck Dettman from Sue, Luca & Gia Dettman*



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

# Seeds for the Journey

Sunday October 20th  
World Mission  
Sunday 2024

**GO AND INVITE  
EVERYONE**  
*to the banquet*  
(MT 22:9)



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 Francis to support the missions in prayer, participation the Eucharist and donating to this special collection. The collection helps support the most vulnerable communities in mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe.

This year's theme is "Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet." Pope Francis' theme is inspired by the parable of the wedding banquet in Matthew 22:9. This theme encourages us to reach out and welcome everyone to the feast of God's love. 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 to the banquet is more than just a call; it is a spiritual journey to embrace and share God's love.

Here are examples of how St. Paul's can "Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet" on this World Mission Sunday:



## Pray for Missions

Pray for the success of the Church's missionary efforts, missionary priests, religious brothers and sisters, 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:

- \* Training future priests & religious
- \* Supporting religious sisters
- \* Empowering catechists teaching the faith
- \* Funding clinics for the sick and dying
- \* Providing homes for orphaned children

As you can see by the examples above, the second collection this weekend, for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith directly aids priests, religious, and lay leaders in the Pope's missions, allowing them to minister to and uplift communities in dire need. Let's light up the world with our prayers and generosity. Thank you for your heartfelt contribution and support in the missions!

*Jodie*



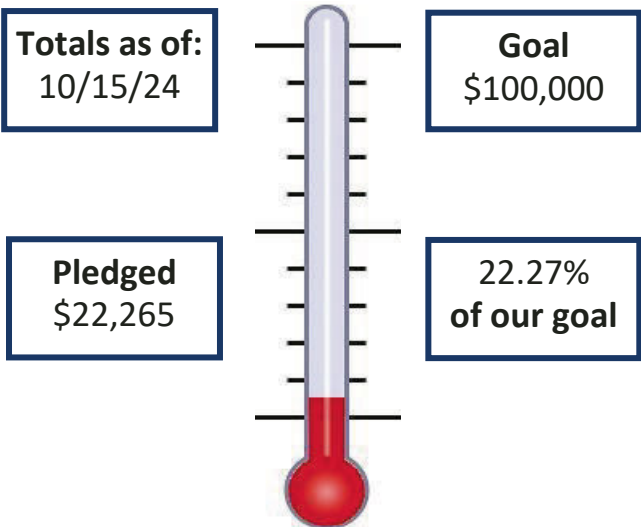
### 2024-2025 Diocesan Budget Allocations

The Catholic Ministries Appeal goal will increase this year to \$6,925 million. This is the first increase in the overall goal since 2018-2019. The CMA funds more than one-half of the diocesan budget covering seven key areas:

1. Serving people in need through Catholic Charities
2. Providing diocesan-wide services o our parishes & institutions
3. Education youth in the Catholic Faith
4. Supporting Seminarians, Deacons & Pastoral Leaders
5. Funding the Ministries of our Pope & Bishop
6. Funding Operations & Support Services
7. Supporting the CMA Campaign

For more details about the 2024-2025 CMA Allocations, please go to [dor.org/cma](http://dor.org/cma).

All monies raised in the CMA are only used for the programs, services, and ministries for which they are designated. No gifts to the CMA are used to satisfy settlement costs associated with abuse.



Your CMA gift supports ministries that affect every Catholic in our Diocese. Thank you for supporting St. Paul's in this year's campaign.

### Mass of Remembrance



All are welcome to attend our annual Mass of Remembrance on All Souls' Day, Saturday, November 2nd at 10:00 a.m. We especially remember all whose funeral liturgies were celebrated at St. Paul's during the past year.

### Youth LEAD Weekend

The Diocese of Rochester is organizing a Youth LEAD Weekend at Camp Stella Maris on November 8-11, 2024. LEAD is an acronym for Leadership, Evangelization and Discipleship. This retreat will be an immersive experience designed to empower high school students to follow the call of the Church to be the Body of Christ within their community, school, and parish. Through a blend of workshops, discussions, prayer and reflection, participants will explore the practical strategies for servant leadership and how they can make a positive impact in the world around them. Moreover, the retreat will provide a supportive environment for retreatants to forge meaningful connections with other Catholic young people who share their passion for service and faith. Registration is due October 29. There is a scholarship application available for anyone who is interested but may not be able to meet up with the registration fee. Anyone who is interested should contact Anselm, the Direction of Faith Formation by email at [anselm.mesue@dor.org](mailto:anselm.mesue@dor.org)

# ALL SAINTS DAY

CLP

## Friday, November 1

**Mass Schedule:**  
**8:30 a.m.**  
**6:30 p.m.**

## Recognize God in Your Ordinary Moments



### What's in it for me?

I think we've all been guilty of looking at a situation and wondering what's in it for us. It doesn't matter if it's a particular work assignment, someone at the parish asking for help with the mission trip bake sale, or your spouse asking if you'll take over the grocery shopping this week. Often, our first reaction to one of these requests is a heavy sigh and the thought: "If I do this, what will I get?"

Sometimes it surprises us to realize that the Apostles were no different. We tend to idolize these contemporaries of Christ as giants who walked with the Savior. But in reality, these individuals were merely human beings struggling to commit to the task of everyday stewardship.

In the Gospels, we see glimpses of them longing for praise and affirmation. We see them jockeying for positions of power within the group of twelve. We see them expect earthly rewards like honor and admiration. We see them acting a lot like us.

But in the end, we see them transformed by the grace of God. Like all the saints, their holiness stems from their commitment to their call. They stumble through, and as they stumble, they keep trusting God. They keep turning to Him. They keep asking for help. They don't give up just because they keep failing at it.

We are defined by what we give when we have no hope of being reimbursed, rewarded, or recognized. The Apostles understood this, eventually, and they gave accordingly. Most of them gave their very lives.

Remember, they're just like us. If they can do it, we can too.

~Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## From the John Walsh Library

### McCracken, Anne and Mary Semel A Broken Heart Still Beats (After Your Child Dies)

This extensive collection of poetry, fiction, and essays was compiled by a journalist and a social worker who each have lost a child. At first, they wandered the "trails of sadness," feeling lost and alone. But they began to find some comfort in the words of others who had felt the same pain and loss. Words from Winston Churchill who lost a daughter at age 2, from William Shakespeare whose son died at 11, from Mark Twain, whose son died as an infant, and from many others. Darkness still enveloped them but now they had company. If those voices could make it through the night, so could they. They were comforted by voices from people who know that while the whole world says hurry up and finish grieving, "it still hurts on rainy afternoons when the absent sun gives no sign that it will ever come back." The authors eventually could feel that within them there lay an invincible summer even in the depths of winter. (Call No. 155-BRO)

### A Prayer for Peace

Lord Jesus Christ,  
You are the true King of peace.  
In You alone is found freedom.  
Please free our world from conflict.  
Bring unity to troubled nations.  
Let Your glorious peace reign in every heart.  
Dispel all darkness and evil.  
Protect the dignity of every human life.  
Replace hatred with Your love.  
Give wisdom to world leaders.  
Free them from selfish ambition.  
Eliminate all violence and war.  
Glorious Virgin Mary,  
Saint Michael the Archangel,  
Every angel and saint:  
Please pray for peace.  
Pray for unity amongst nations.  
Pray for unity amongst all people.  
Pray for the most vulnerable.  
Pray for those suffering.  
Pray for the fearful.  
Pray for those most in need.  
Pray for us all.  
Amen.

## Ministry Schedule for October 26 & 27, 2024

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>	<b>Volunteer Needed</b> <b>Volunteer Needed</b>	Lucy Rynkiewicz <b>Volunteer Needed</b>
<b>Cantors</b>	Cindy Rutan	Bob Slon	Elizabeth Randisi
<b>EMHC</b>	<b>TBD</b> <b>TBD</b>	<b>TBD</b> <b>TBD</b>	<b>TBD</b> <b>TBD</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Bill Galbraith Theresa Augsburg	Corey Volo Lucille Friscano	Ellen Santora Nancy Willard
<b>Lectors</b>	Linda Pratt	Josephine Cozzo	Jann Armantrout
<b>Linens</b>	No linen pick up this week		
<b>Sacristans</b>	Olbrich family	Eileen Turner	Sharyn LiPari
<b>Stream Team</b>	John Kosel	Jerry Healey	Tom Napoli
<b>Ushers</b>	Sue Dettman Alice Bower	<b>Volunteer Needed</b> <b>Volunteer Needed</b>	Charlie & Nancy Carson Fred Compertore

### St. Paul's Parish Census

Thank you to everyone who has participated in the Parish Census!

For those who missed the in-pew census last weekend, don't worry, you still have an opportunity to be included. There are three options available:

1. In-pew census cards are available on the tables near all the exits. Please put completed the card and put it in the offering boxes or donation slot.
2. Visit the homepage of St. Paul's website for the parish census link to complete on line.
3. Submit your details digitally by scanning the QR code below.

We truly appreciate your cooperation and assistance. Your participation is critical to its success. If you have an inquires, please feel free to reach out to Kasey via email at [kasey.baker@dor.org](mailto:kasey.baker@dor.org).



### Webster Hope October Wish List



Canned corn & peas	Hand soap
Flour & sugar	Deodorant
Coffee	Lotion
Cooking oil	Diapers sizes 5, 6 & 7 open packages accepted
Pasta, NOT whole wheat	Baby wipes
Jarred spaghetti sauce	New socks & underwear all sizes
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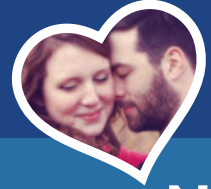
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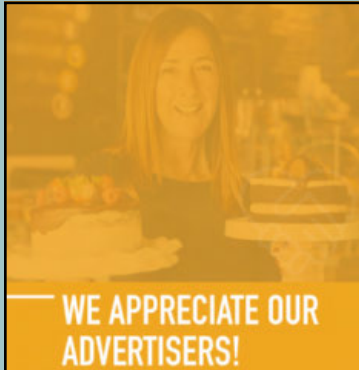


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