

December 3, 2023

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**Mass Intentions, Prayer Opportunities & Stewardship**

**St. Paul Mass Intentions**

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**Saturday - December 2**

4:30 pm - Christopher Farmer  
 by Mom, Rita Farmer

**Sunday - December 3**

8:00 am - Gerri Huprich  
 by Husband, Homer

5:00 pm - Spanish Mass Parishioners

**Monday - December 4**

9:00 am - Liturgy with Communion

**Tuesday - December 5**

9:00 am - Liturgy at St. Patrick

**Wednesday - December 6**

9:00 am - Liturgy with Communion

**Thursday - December 7**

9:00 am - Liturgy with Communion

9:30 am to 4 pm - Adoration

7:00 pm - Vigil at St. Patrick

**Friday - December 8—**

**Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

9:00 am - Karl Rickman  
 by Wife, Rose Ann

5:30 pm - Parishioners

**SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**Saturday - December 9**

4:30 pm - Tillie Tolson  
 by Dorothy Stahl & John Paul Tolson

**Sunday - December 10**

8:00 am - Parishioners  
 5:00 pm - Spanish Mass

**ST. PAUL CHURCH MINISTRIES**

**Saturday, December 9 – 4:30 pm**

**Lectors:** J. Staudt, P. Schaff

**Ministers of the Eucharist:** R. Markovich, D. Dermotta,  
 P. McGrath

**Ushers:** R. Clunen, T. Englert, T. Briceland, T. Yuhaniak

**Server:** Tessa Clunen

**Sunday, December 10- 8:00 am**

**Lectors:** L. Cosgrove, B. Shilling

**Ministers of the Eucharist:** H, Huprich, M. Kaiser, M. Doyle

**Ushers:** J. Briceland, B. Cody, J. Cappuzzello, J. Moran

**Servers:** Alex & Aaron Rea

**Sunday, December 10– 5:00 pm**

**Lectores:** Lupita Rizo, Juan Baten

**Ministros de Comuni3n:** Maria Le3n, Isabel Le3n

**M3sicos:** Julio Gomez, Rosalina Mateo

**Sacristanes:** Isabel Le3n, Roberto Ixcoy

**Monaguillos:** Marthita & Anthony Mu3oz

**St. Patrick Mass Intentions**

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**Sunday - December 3**

11:00 am - Betty Baum  
 by Clorinda Rutzky

**Tuesday - December 5**

9:00 am - Liturgy with Communion

**Thursday - December 7**

**Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

7:00 pm - Mike Little  
 By Lorraine Pavek

**SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**Sunday - December 10**

11:00 am - Margaret & Gene Greier  
 by Deacon Larry Pasko

**ST. PATRICK CHURCH MINISTRIES**

**Sunday - December 10- 11:00 am**

**Lectors:** Pat Ross, Carol Ryan

**Ministers of the Eucharist:** Mary Ann Greier, Danny Fire

**Greeters:** Brad/ Mary Lou Smith

**Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary—**

**Mass Schedule**

Thursday, December 7, 2023

Vigil– 7:00pm—St. Patrick Church

Friday, December 8, 2023

9:00am—St. Paul Church

5:30pm—St. Paul Church

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

**NOVEMBER 18-19**

**St. Paul**

**Needed weekly \$10,137**

Regular.....\$4945.00

Online Giving..\$460.36

Improvement &

Development....\$51.00

Education Angel.....

.....\$805.00

**St. Patrick**

**Needed weekly \$2642**

Regular.....\$2437.62

Restoration.....\$35.00

**Mass Attendance**

4:30-145    11:00-134

8:00-180    5:00-68

**NOVEMBER 25-26**

**St. Paul**

**Needed weekly \$10,137**

Regular.....\$5610.10

Online Giving..\$540.06

Improvement &

Development....\$82.00

Education Angel.....

.....\$245.00

**St. Patrick**

**Needed weekly \$2642**

Regular.....\$1670.30

Restoration.....\$40.00

**Mass Attendance**

4:30-150    11:00-126

8:00-182    5:00-72

## St. Paul

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursdays at St. Paul Church 9:30 am to 4:00 pm.  
Divine Mercy Chaplet with Rosary at 3:00 pm.

## St. Paul School

### 10 WEEK RAFFLE WINNERS

Week Four Prize \$50 .....  
Teresa Santee.....Mallory Borrelli  
Week Four Prize \$50 .....  
James Frank.....Sue Rickard

### **The St. Paul Donut Committee invites all for fellowship and food:**



**Saturday, December 9, 2023  
after 4:30pm Mass—  
Wine, Juice, Cheese and Crackers  
in St. Paul School Gym**



**Sunday, December 10, 2023  
after 8am Mass –  
Coffee & Donuts  
in St. Paul School Gym**

### LCBA 654 Meeting

Thursday December 7th at 6:30 PM  
Salem Senior Housing Club House, 996 W. Perry.  
It's our Christmas Party and members are asked to bring a \$5.00 wrapped, useful gift, and gas cards for Sophia Women's Center.  
Refreshment Committee:  
Ruth Huggins, Kris Egli, Mary Caye Bixler, and Dee Tkatch.  
New members are invited.

There are Light House CD's for Advent and Christmas in the Kiosks at St. Paul and St. Patrick. They are \$4.00 each to cover the cost of new CDs. Take advantage of this resource for putting Christ in your Christmas preparations.

### St. Paul Giving Tree

**Please return  
unwrapped gift by  
Monday, December 11  
Please be sure gift ID ticket is  
securely attached.  
Thank you for supporting  
local families and children  
this Christmas.**



## St. Patrick

- ◆ During the School Year Mass will be at 11 am.
- ◆ The Rosary Prayer Group meets at 7:00 pm on the first Monday of each month at St. Patrick School followed by the Mission Society meeting.



### **St. Patrick's Church Coffee and Donut Social Sunday, December 3, 2023 after 11am Mass.**

**All are welcome.  
Donations appreciated but not required.**

### 46 Rosaries in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe

¿Por qué 46 rosarios? Es un número simbólico para representar el número de estrellas impresas en el manto de la imagen de Guadalupe. La devoción se conserva hasta el día de hoy; como todo encuentro de fe, es una práctica agradable a Dios y por su medio consta que se han alcanzado muchos favores.

Familias puede marcar su nombre en la fecha en que su familia rezará el rosario en honor a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

The 46 rosaries represents the 46 stars printed on the mantle of the image of Guadalupe. Traditionally, families will pray a rosary for the intentions of the parish through the intercession of Our Lady of Guadalupe, leading up to her feast on December 12th.

Families who would like to pray a rosary during this 46 day period should sign up after the Spanish Mass on Sundays at 5:00 PM. Let us see the mercy of God at work through the prayers of the faithful!

### Christmas Poinsettias

It is that time of year to place an offering for Christmas flowers in memory or in honor of your loved ones! They will be displayed in the church for all of the Christmas Masses and then donated back to the faithful after the Feast of the Epiphany on January 7th. Please fill out the envelope in your packet and return it to the church by December 17th.

### Calling all sopranos, alto, tenor and bass voices

Christmas choir for the Christmas Mass.  
Two hymns will be practiced for that evening.  
The first practices will be  
Wednesday, November 29th at 7PM in the church.  
Please call or text Dave Bedell at 234-320-8159.  
Come together to sing the beauty of Christmas.

If you are interested in bringing up the gifts in the offertory procession, please see the ushers before Mass begins.

### Upcoming Parish Events

- Mondays @ 12:30pm St Paul Rectory Meeting Room
    - Legion of Mary
  - Tuesdays @ 6pm St Paul Parish Living Room
    - O.C.I.A. Sessions
  - Wednesdays @6:30pm St Paul Parish Center Living Room
    - Women's Bible Study
  - December 2, 2023 @9am St Paul Church
    - K of C #1818 Rosary
  - December 3, 10, 17, 2023 9:15-10:40 am St Paul School
    - Religious Education Sessions
  - December 3, 2023 after 11am Mass St Patrick
    - Donut Social
  - December 4, 2023 @7pm St Paul Rectory Meeting Room
    - Knights of Columbus #1818 Meeting
  - December 7, 2023 @6:30pm Salem Senior Housing Clubhouse
    - LCBA #654 Meeting
  - December 9, 2023 after 4:30pm Mass St Paul School Gym
    - Fellowship & Food
  - December 10, 2023 after 8am Mass St Paul Gym
    - Donut Sunday
  - December 10, 2023 5pm Mass St Paul
    - Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe
  - December 17, 2023 @2pm St Paul
    - Advent Communal Reconciliation
  - December 18, 2023 @7pm St Paul Rectory Meeting Room
    - Knights of Columbus #1818 Meeting
  - December 20, 2023 @7pm St Paul Rectory Meeting Room
    - Security Council Meeting
  - December 24 & 31, 2023
    - NO Religious Education Sessions
- Visit <https://catholicecho.org/upcoming-events/> for more events in the Diocese of Youngstown

First Sunday of Advent

"Be watchful! Be alert!

You do not know when the time will come."

- Mark 13:33

We all take things for granted.

In particular, we take time for granted.

We make our lives too busy.

We plan our days, weeks, months,  
even years in advance.

Remember, our time on earth is a gift.

None of us knows how long we will be here.

Start today and begin thanking God  
for each and every day.

Take time in silence, every day,  
and listen to how God is calling you right now  
to help build His kingdom on earth

**Advent Communal  
Reconciliation Service  
at St. Paul Church  
Sunday, December 17  
@ 2pm**



**ST. PAUL PARISH  
WILL HONOR  
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE  
ON DECEMBER 10, 2023  
DURING THE 5PM MASS-  
REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW  
IN PARISH RECTORY MEETING ROOM**



**CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF YOUNGSTOWN  
SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY  
FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS**

**EDUCATION & SCREENING**

All clergy, religious, seminarians/persons in formation, and employees, as well as any volunteers who work with children, young people, or vulnerable adults, are required to complete a background check and safe environment training. For more information about our safe environment compliance requirements visit: [doy.org/safe-environment/](http://doy.org/safe-environment/).

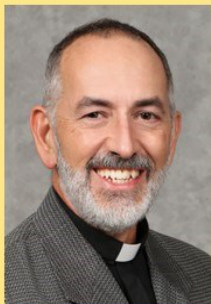
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If you or someone you know has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, the Diocese encourages you to come forward and speak out by contacting Civil Authorities and Mr. Dominic Colucy, Victim Assistance Coordinator. Mr. Colucy is available to help. He will listen to your needs and support you. He will help you make a formal complaint.

**Contact Information**

**Confidential Response Line:** 330-718-1388 **Email:** [dcolucy@youngstowndioocese.org](mailto:dcolucy@youngstowndioocese.org)  
**By Mail:** Catholic Diocese of Youngstown, Attn: Dominic Colucy 144 W. Wood St., Youngstown, OH 44503

Contact information for Civil Authorities can be found at: [doy.org/safe-environment/](http://doy.org/safe-environment/).



**Rev. Joe Ruggieri, Pastor**

## St. Paul Church

Established 1881

### Mission Statement

St. Paul Parish in Salem, Ohio is a Roman Catholic community in the Youngstown Diocese. We are called by baptism to continue Christ's mission through education, example and service. We are nourished by Word, Worship, and Sacrament. We dedicate ourselves to minister through the sharing of time, talent and treasure.

### Pastoral Ministry Staff

**Patrick Morrissey** 330-332-0336  
*Business Manager*

**Peggy Fitch** 330-332-0336  
*Coordinator of Religious Education*

**Patti Schaff** 330-332-0336  
*Pastoral Minister to the Sick and Shut-Ins*

**Dr. Jacqueline Mumford** 330-337-3451  
*School Principal*

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**Isabel Leon** 330-332-0336  
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**Ginny Toot** 330-332-0336  
*Administrative Assistant/Receptionist*

**Stefanie Moran** 330-332-0336  
*Administrative Assistant/Secretary*

#### St. Paul Pastoral Council

Rev. Joe Ruggieri  
Dee Stryzinski  
Patti Schaff  
Ana Hutson  
Bernice Clark

#### St. Paul Finance Council

Rev. Joe Ruggieri  
Dr. Jacqueline Mumford  
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Eric Murray  
Brooke Pidgeon  
Sid Ravelli

#### St. Paul Building and Grounds Committee

Rev. Joe Ruggieri David Bedell Carl Pozeynot  
Anthony Tenzek Roger Converse Brian Egli  
Robert Yuhanic Frank Zamarelli

## St. Patrick Church

Established 1861

### Mission Statement

St. Patrick Parish in Leetonia in collaboration with St. Paul Parish in Salem is part of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Youngstown, Ohio. We are called by baptism to live the Word of God as we celebrate Jesus' presence in our lives. In the Spirit of Jesus, we serve our neighbors in the Church community and world using our time, talent and treasure.

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### St. Patrick Pastoral Council

Rev. Joe Ruggieri	Suzanne Tobuck
Deacon Lawrence Pasko	Judy Altomare
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Donna Birmingham	Candy Steele, Secretary
Terry George	

### St. Patrick Finance Council

Rev. Joe Ruggieri	Mary Selway
Deacon Lawrence Pasko	Candy Steele

**St. Paul Church Office Telephone:** 330-332-0336 **St. Paul School Telephone** 330-337-3451 **St. Patrick Church Telephone:** 330-332-0336

**St. Paul Church FAX:** 330-332-7982

**St. Paul Church Website:** [www.stpaulsalem.org](http://www.stpaulsalem.org)

**St. Paul Church Email:** [churchoffice@stpaulsalem.org](mailto:churchoffice@stpaulsalem.org)

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**School website:** [www.stpaul.k12.oh.us](http://www.stpaul.k12.oh.us)


**St. Paul: Prayer Chain** - Mary Ann Sugar 330-718-7444.....**Divine Mercy Chaplet** - Rosalyn Hardgrove 234-567-1863

**St. Patrick: Prayer Warriors**.....Mary Ross 330-427-2091

**Holiday & Weekday Masses:** Consult Bulletin.....**Confessions:** At St. Paul: Saturdays 3:30 pm or by appointment  
At St. Patrick: by appointment

**Communion to Shut-Ins and for Baptisms:** Call the Parish Office.....**Marriages:** Call the Parish Office 6 months+ before desired date.

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