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Saint Paul & Saint Patrick Catholic Parishes
Mass Intentions, Prayer Opportunities & Stewardship

St. Paul Mass Intentions

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday - December 23

4:30 pm - Parishioners

6:00 pm - Spanish Mass

Sunday - December 24

8:00 am - Parishioners

NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Sunday - December 24

4:00 pm - Parishioners

6:00 pm - Spanish Mass Parishioners

10:00 pm - Parishioners

Monday - December 25

9:00 am - Parishioners

Tuesday - December 26

9:00 am - No Mass at St. Patrick

Wednesday - December 27

9:00 am - Bill Delfavero

by Family

Thursday - December 28

9:00 am - Carolyn Oberle

by Dave & Rose Bedell

9:30 am to 4 pm - Adoration

Friday - December 29

9:00 am - Liturgy with Communion

THE HOLY FAMILY OF

JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

Saturday - December 30

4:30 pm - Johnny Shivers

by Shivers Family

Sunday - December 31

8:00 am - Parishioners

5:00 pm - Spanish Mass

ST. PAUL CHURCH MINISTRIES

Saturday, December 30 – 4:30 pm

Lectors: G. Arcuri, G. Grilli

Ministers of the Eucharist: D. Stryzinski, H. Young,
J. Magyaros

Ushers: J. Staudt, T. Englert, T. Briceland, T. Yuhaniak

Server: Caden Arcuri

Sunday, December 31- 8:00 am

Lectors: B. Shilling, Linda Cosgrove

Ministers of the Eucharist: M. Doyle, G. Toot, H. Huprich

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

Servers: Annika & Chaya Murray

Sunday, December 31– 5:00 pm

Lectores: Maria León, Lupita Rizo

Ministros de Comuni3n: Lupita Rizo, Roberto Ixcoy

Músicos: Julio Gomez, Rosalina Mateo

Sacristanes: Isabel León, Roberto Ixcoy

Monaguillos: Anthony León, Esteban Gutierrez

St. Patrick Mass Intentions

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sunday - December 24

10:00 am - Joe Billet

by Andy Billet Family

NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Sunday - December 24

4:00 pm - Deceased Members of the Duko Family

by The Bell Kids

Monday - December 25

11:00 am - Parishioners

Tuesday - December 26

9:00 am - No Mass

THE HOLY FAMILY OF

JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

Sunday - December 31

11:00 am - Annie Duko

by Mary Catherine Tortora

ST. PATRICK CHURCH MINISTRIES

Sunday - December 31- 11:00 am

Lectors: Danny Fire, Terry George

Ministers of the Eucharist: Sue DeJane, Mary Ann Greier

Greeters: Volunteers



*The Sanctuary Candle Burns this
Week,....*

*At St. Paul for
Armeni & Ieropoli Family
By Family*

“Do not be afraid, for you have found favor with God.”
Consider following Christ more closely as a priest
or in consecrated life.

Talk to your priest or contact Fr. Chad Johnson
at (330) 744-8451 or cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org.



The Parish office will be closed on
Monday, December 25, 2023 and
Tuesday, December 26, 2023
in celebration of Christmas

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

DECEMBER 16-17

Will be reflected in December 31st bulletin

December 24, 2023

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. Patrick

- ◆ December 24, 2023-Fourth Sunday of Advent 10 am.
- ◆ December 31, 2023-Feast of Holy Family 11am.
- ◆ 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.

The Catholic Echo Podcast

The NEW Catholic Echo Podcast will inform and entertain the faithful of the Diocese of Youngstown by discussing various topics that are relevant in the church today.

Bishop David J. Bonnar begins the podcast with your host Fr. Jim Korda on the topic of the day. Various guests will continue to inform us on the same topic.

You can listen to the Catholic Echo Podcast at any time on the Catholic Echo website by going to <https://www.catholicecho.org/podcast/> or on Youngstown radio stations WHOT-FM 101, WYFM-FM 102.9, WQXK-FM 105.1 Sundays at 6:30 a.m. The Catholic Echo Podcast is produced by the Communications Department of the Diocese of Youngstown.

The Catholic Echo Podcast, Upcoming Topics

Christmas and Music as part of the Season
December 24, 2023

Your host Fr. Jim Korda discusses Christmas and music as part of the season with Bishop David J. Bonnar, Diocesan Director of the Office of Worship Fr. Michael Balash and Diocesan Director of Music Ralph Holtzhauser.

New Year/New Beginnings
December 31, 2023

Your host Fr. Jim Korda discusses A New Year and new beginnings for 2024 with Bishop David J. Bonnar, and Catholic Echo Editor-in-Chief and Associate Director of Communications Katie Wagner.

Wineskins

Wineskins is now available as a podcast! Subscribe to Wineskins on Spotify, Apple Podcasts, Google Podcasts or any major podcasting platform. Listen to Wineskins on the new Catholic Echo website at <https://catholicecho.org/podcast/>

Wineskins airs on the following local radio stations every Sunday:

7:30 a.m. on WKBN 570 AM in Youngstown

7:30 a.m. on WRQX 600 AM in Salem

9:30 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. on WILB AM 1060 Canton, WILB FM 89.5 Youngstown, WILB FM 94.5 Canton

NEW!: 6:00 a.m. on WHOT-FM 101, WYFM-FM 102.9, WQXK-FM 105.1 Youngstown

Wineskins Schedule

December 24, 2023

Current Issue: Fr. Jim Korda talks with Angela Wells from Catholic Charities.

Saint: Br. Dominic Calabro, SSP will tell us about St. Stephen.

Interview: Fr. Jim Korda will continue his interview with Joseph Torma from Walsh University.

Music: From the CD "A Cradle in Bethlehem Our Savior is Born" by the Kellenberg High School Choir.

Scripture: Msgr. Jay Clark gives us a reflection for the Fourth Sunday of Advent.

Diocesan Communications Collection – January 6 & 7

You may ask yourself, "Why should I give to the Communications Collection?"

And the answer is simple: Because the Communications Department exists to serve you.

Their various programs—Wineskins and The Catholic Echo podcast, televised Masses, the Catholic Echo magazine and website, diocesan social media and even many of the announcements you see in this bulletin—are geared toward

entertaining, informing and engaging you. If you'd like to support these initiatives (or future ones), give to the

Communications Collection on January 6 & 7. Visit www.doy.org/Communications-collection/ for more information or to give.

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 24 & 31, 2023
 - NO Religious Education Sessions
 - January 2, 2024 @7pm St Paul Rectory Meeting Room
 - Knights of Columbus #1818 Meeting
 - January 4, 2024 @6:30pm Salem Senior Housing Clubhouse
 - LCBA #654 Meeting
 - January 6, 2024 @9am St Paul Church
 - K of C #1818 Rosary
 - January 6, 2024 after 4:30pm Mass St Paul School Gym
 - Fellowship & Food
 - January 7, 2024 after 8am Mass St Paul Gym
 - Donut Sunday
 - January 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2024 9:15-10:40 am St Paul School
 - Religious Education Sessions
 - January 7, 2024 after 11am Mass St Patrick
 - Donut Social
 - January 16, 2024 @7pm St Paul Rectory Meeting Room
 - Knights of Columbus #1818 Meeting
 - January 17, 2024 @7pm St Paul Rectory Meeting Room
 - Security Council Meeting
- Visit <https://catholicecho.org/upcoming-events/> for more events in the Diocese of Youngstown

4th Sunday of Advent

"Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you!"

– Luke 1:28

After Jesus, we look to Mary

as an ideal steward.

Her entire life was lived in

obedience to God's call.

Mary teaches us to live with joy

for all we have been given.

Just as the moon reflects the light of the

sun, Mary reflects the light of Christ.

Like Mary, we are called to reflect

Christ's light to the world through

our gratitude and generosity.

2023-2024

Schedule for Advent, Confessions and Christmas & New Year's Day Masses

Individual Confessions:

By appointment & as announced in bulletin for St. Patrick & St. Paul Churches

Fourth Sunday of Advent at St. Paul

December 23, Saturday – 4:30 PM

December 23, Saturday Spanish Mass – 6:00 PM

December 24, Sunday – 8:00 AM

Fourth Sunday of Advent at St. Patrick

December 24, Sunday – 10:00 AM

Christmas Masses – St. Paul

December 24, Sunday – 4:00 PM

December 24, Sunday Spanish Mass - 6:00 PM

December 24, Sunday – 10:00 PM

December 25, Monday – 9:00 AM

Christmas Masses – St. Patrick

December 24, Sunday – 4:00 PM

December 25, Monday – 11:00 AM

Feast of the Holy Family - St. Paul

December 30, Saturday – 4:30 PM

December 31, Sunday – 8:00 AM

December 31, Spanish Mass – 5:00 PM

Feast of the Holy Family – St. Patrick

December 31, Sunday – 11:00 AM

New Year's Mass – St. Paul

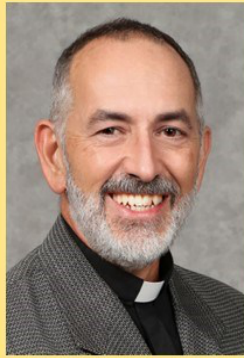
January 1, Monday – 10:00 AM

May God bless you this
Christmas season and always.

May you be comforted by
His presence in your life, and
always follow His guiding light.

Wishing you a very Merry Christmas
and a wonderful year to come!

Father Joe Ruggieri
& the Staff at St. Paul & St. Patrick



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
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- Peggy Fitch** 330-332-0336
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- Patti Schaff** 330-332-0336
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- Rev. Joe Ruggieri
- Dee Stryzinski
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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. Paul Church FAX: 330-332-7982 **St. Paul Church Website:** www.stpaulsalem.org

St. Paul Church Email: churchoffice@stpaulsalem.org **St. Patrick Church Email:** churchoffice@stpaulsalem.org

School website: 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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