

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

St. Paul

2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday & Sunday - FEBRUARY 27 & 28

4:30 pm—Gloria Mc Neelan
by Ralph & Sally Flanigan

8:00 am—Francis, Tom & Bill Goetz
by the Hartzell Family

5:00 pm—Spanish Mass

Monday - March 1-

8:30 am - Mass for Parishioners

Tuesday - March 2

No Mass

Wednesday - March 3

8:30 am - Dr. Peter Gallo
by Family

12:15 pm—Stations of the Cross

Thursday - March 4-

6:30 pm - Tom Ehrhart
by Wife, Joyce

Friday - March 5-

8:30 am - Joseph Ieropoli
by Daughter, Rosemarie

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday & Sunday - March 6 & 7

4:30 pm—Stryzinski Family
by Ray & Dee

8:00 am—Mass for Parishioners

5:00 pm—Spanish Mass

The Sanctuary Candle
Burns This Week
For St. Paul Parishioners



LCBA Committee will have its first meeting of 2021 on Thursday, March 4th at 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory Meeting Room. Bring your ideas and we will be discussing our plans for the coming year. Refreshments will be served by Barb Dumovic and Rose Bedell. Come and join us. If there are any questions please call Rose at 330-337-8353.

ROSARY

The Knights of Columbus will lead the rosary the first Saturday of each month at 9:00 am. Everyone is welcome.

St. Patrick

2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

Sunday - FEBRUARY 28

11:00 am—Mass for Parishioners

Tuesday—March 2

5:30 pm—To be Announced

Friday—March 5

7:00 pm—Stations of the Cross

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Sunday - March 7

11:00 am—Joe Billet by Theresa Kulifay

St. Patrick Lectors

Tues.& Sun. March 2 & 7

6:30 pm Volunteer
11:00 am Carol Ryan

ST. PAUL CHURCH MINISTRIES:

Sat. & Sun. March 6 & 7

Lectors: Ministers of Holy Communion:

4:30 pm	B. Frank	R. Stryzinski
8:00 am	F. Schlueter	M. C. Bixler

Ushers:

4:30 pm	J. Staudt, T. Englert, T. Briceland, L. DiMuzio
8:00 am	J. Briceland, B. Cody, M. Belaney, B. Brothers

St. Patrick

Knights of Columbus—Youth Activities

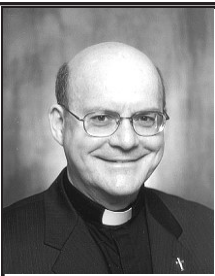
You have supported and “can” continue to support youth projects. Keep dropping your “aluminum” cans in the K of C designated hopper located under the pavilion by St. Patrick School in Leetonia.

Mission Society

St. Pat’s Mission Society would like to Thank everyone for supporting our fund raiser. Thank you to all the members who helped make and sold the soup. All proceeds go to Fr. Paulino Mondo of Uganda, Africa, Christian Concerns, Leetonia, and Parents Resources surrounding community.

Available at St. Patrick and St. Paul are Lighthouse CD’s to help you in your Lenten Journey. \$4.00 each and is used to purchase more CDs

Salem & Leetonia, OH – February 28, 2021



Dear Friends,

Blessings for Lent!

Precious in the eyes of the Lord
is the death of his faithful ones.

-- Psalm 116:115

For God, the death of his faithful ones is a sacrificial offering that is especially acceptable. God is grieved by the faithful ones' death, but the sacrifice is dear to God. That is explained in the note on the psalm on the usccb website:

<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/psalms/116>. Our Lenten practices, our little deaths, are pleasing to God when they are offered as sacrifices of love.

Thank you, Deacon Larry, for preaching this weekend in which the gospel refers to the Transfiguration of Jesus. God bless you, Deacon Larry.

Please, prayerfully consider your response to this year's Bishop's Appeal. Envelopes are available in the church. You may mail your contribution to the diocese or place it in the collection basket. Please make checks payable to

Bishop's Appeal. Our goal at St. Paul is \$49,000; at St. Patrick it is \$11,500.

St. Paul Parishioners love the pictures that St. Paul School Children have drawn and placed in the pews at church. Thank You, Students, for your prayers and your works of art. We love you and hope to see you soon in church.

Thank You, to all who patronized our St. Paul School Fish Fry and those who worked on the project. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Our diocesan newspaper, the Catholic Exponent, through its reporting on the world's events and its commentary, Scripture reflection, and adult faith formation, helps us better appreciate the commandments God has revealed and how to live them out. Your support of the Exponent nurtures not only you but also your fellow Catholics, offering them growth in their own understanding and practice of our faith.

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Jenna McClish and Kent Paulini, of St. Paul Parish, attended the Rite of Election at St. Columba Cathedral this past Sunday. Please remember them in your prayers and all who are preparing to enter the church. May this Lent be a time for all of us to cherish and grow in our faith.

Confirmation Students may celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation this Sunday, from 12:00 Noon until 2:00 pm in St. Paul Church.

Please take time to read Bishop Bonnar's Pastoral Letter: **Testify to the Light**. It appears on pages 10-12, of the February 19 issue of **The Catholic Exponent**. It can also be accessed at dox.org. Scroll down the page to "Pastoral Letter by The Most Reverend David J. Bonnar." A couple of clicks later and you may read the letter online. Printing it was somewhat difficult.

You may access our parish subscription to formed by going to formed.org, click on "sign up", then "Sign Up as a Parishioner". At "Create a New Account" type in Saint Paul's zip code, even if you are a member of Saint Patrick Parish.

Enter your name and e-mail address and explore and enjoy. If you have an existing personal account with FORMED and want to switch over to the parish account, please see me.

Remember to **abstain** from meat (for those aged 14 and older) on all the Fridays of Lent. I pray that we have a Lent in which we grow closer to Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Please remember to keep each other in your prayers – especially the ill, those who are homebound, in nursing homes and hospitals. Thank you.

St. Joseph, pray for us.

With love, prayers, and gratitude,

Father Bob Edwards

...Every now and then, miraculously, a kind person appears and is willing to set everything else aside in order to show interest, to give the gift of a smile, to speak a word of encouragement, to listen amid general indifference. If we make a daily effort to do exactly this, we can create a healthy social atmosphere in which misunderstandings can be overcome and conflict forestalled. Kindness ought to be cultivated..." Pope Francis, *Fratelli Tutti*, para. 224

Remember in Your Prayers

Joey Moyer Who died February 22, 2021