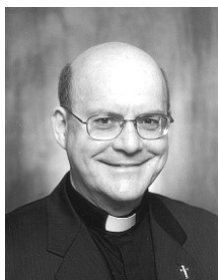


## St. Paul, Salem, OH & St. Patrick, Leetonia, OH

Sunday - May 17, 2020

6th Sunday of Easter



### Father Bob's Corner .

Dear Friends,

Beloved: Sanctify Christ as Lord in your hearts.

-1Peter 3:15

The above quote from our Second Reading would seem to infer that if someone seems to be persecuted or is suffering for doing something good, that person should stand more firmly with Christ, and rely on Christ for defense in the face of the suffering. "For it is better to suffer for doing good ... than for doing evil (verse 17)." Jesus Christ can strengthen us for everything we face in life, but it often takes us a lifetime of living our faith for us to be convinced of this this is true.

This year the annual diocesan **Night to Honor the Blessed Virgin Mary** Prayer Service will take place on Friday, May 15, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. in St. Columba Cathedral. The event will be **live-streamed on the Diocese of Youngstown website: [www.doy.org](http://www.doy.org)** and CTNY will rebroadcast this service on Friday, May 22 and May 29, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Check local listings (Spectrum – channel 13). All are invited to view and participate in this yearly prayer service to honor the Blessed Mother. The service will include scripture readings, a homily, hymns and recitation of the rosary.

St. Patrick and St. Paul Parishioners may view live stream **Sunday Mass** [on Facebook](#) at **ST PAUL SALEM OH, Saturdays at 4:30 pm**. Spectrum viewers cans see us on channel 1021: Sunday – 8 am & 10 pm, Mon. – 1 pm, Tues. – 4 pm, Wed. – 1 pm, Thurs. – 2 pm, Fri. – 10 am, Sat. – none.

**St. Paul Church, is open daily from 9 am to 3 pm** for prayer. Outdoor **Rosary** is prayed at 6:00 pm at the statue of Mary near the Parish Center.



Thank you to all our parishioners who continue your faith and prayers during these trying times. Information on how **we will resume Masses beginning on May 25, and especially for Pentecost on May 30 & 31** will be announced soon. Please realize that the dispensation from the Sunday obligation is extended indefinitely during this time of the virus even while we will be returning to Mass. In other words, if you are not quite ready to come back because of fear, illness, age, or any other reason, you may be prudent in your return to joining the assembly for Mass. God bless you.

Let us continue to pray for one another.

With love, prayers, and gratitude,

*Father Bob Edwards*



### Bishop's Appeal

Please pray, donate & volunteer for the success of the Bishop's appeal. Thank you for your consideration in helping us to help others in need.

For **electronic giving** please access our website at [stpaulsalem.org](http://stpaulsalem.org) and click on the link .

*The Sanctuary Candle  
Burns This Week  
For Special Intentions of Parishioners*



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# Salem & Leetonia, OH – May 17, 2020

## St. Paul Church

Established 1881

### Mission Statement

St. Paul Parish in Salem, OH 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.

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## St. Patrick Church

Established 1861

### Mission Statement

St. Patrick Parish in Leetonia in collaboration with St. Paul Church 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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### Communion to Shut-Ins:

Please inform Sr. Barbara Rapp at Leetonia about the Sick or Aged who are unable to come to Church.

**Holy Day & Weekday Masses:** Consult Bulletin

**Confessions: St. Paul:** Saturdays, 3:30 – 4:00 pm, or by appointment

**Baptisms:** Make arrangements with Parish Office during pregnancy:

**Marriages:** Make arrangements with Parish Priest, as soon as engaged, at least six months before desired wedding date

**Communion to Shut-Ins:** Please inform Parish Office about the Sick or Aged who are unable to come to Church.

**Prayer Chain:** Chris Huffman: 330-429-4231

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

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

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