

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

**St. Paul**

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,  
KING OF THE UNIVERSE**



**Saturday & Sunday - November 24 & 25**

4:30 pm - Stephanie & Ray Stryzinski,  
by Ray & Dee

8:00 am - Rosalie Schlueter, by Dave & Rose Bedell

12:00 noon - Mass for Parishioners

5:00 pm - Spanish Mass

*Last Week in Ordinary Time*

**Monday: November 26 -**

8:00 am - Joyce Boudreau, by Dorothy Kosko

**Tuesday: November 27 -**

8:00 am - Stephanie & Ray Stryzinski, by Ray & Dee

**Wednesday: November 28 -**

8:00 am - Anthony & Mary Centofanti,  
by Catherine Morris

**Thursday: November 29 -**

8:00 am - Barbara Bailey & Martha Jefferies,  
by Diane Miller

3:00 pm - Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

Eucharistic Adoration: 8:30 am until 7:45 am Friday



**Friday: November 30 - St. Andrew, Apostle**

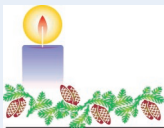
8:00 am - James Raymond Skuhrover,  
by Monica Stowe

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

*Second Collection for Parish Improvements*

**Saturday & Sunday - December 1 & 2**

9:00 am - Adoration & Rosary, by K of C



4:30 pm - Dr. Gary Collins,  
by Barbara & Bernie Collins

8:00 am - Mass for Parishioners

12:00 noon - G. G.,  
by Nikki, Dagny & Fletcher

5:00 pm - Spanish Mass

**St. Patrick**

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**Sun. - November 25**

10:00 am Roy Driscoll Jr.,  
by Dave Ray Family

**Monday, November 26**

9:00 am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion  
Prayer Leader: Sister Joan

**Wednesday, November 28**

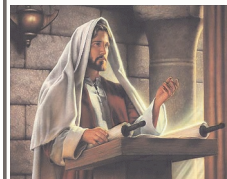
9:00 am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion  
Prayer Leader: Sister Joan

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**Sun. - December 2**

10:00 am Margaret Driscoll,  
by Floyd & Tina Swrtzer

**STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT**



*“Jesus answered, ‘My kingdom does not belong to this world.’ (JOHN 18:36)*

How often do we put all our time and energy into building a kingdom here on earth, forgetting that life here is short? The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time and energy do we invest in working for that eternal kingdom?

**St. Paul Sunday/Holy Day Collections:**

*November 18th collections will be reflected in the December 2nd bulletin.*

**St. Patrick Sunday/Holy Day Collections:**

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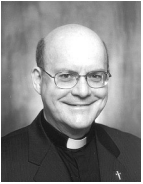
*The Sanctuary Candle  
Burns This Week In Memory of  
William & Audrey Galchick,  
By Family*



**\*\*\*PLEASE REMEMBER** with the Holiday Season at hand, we have a new schedule which requires bulletins to be sent in advance. **12/30th bulletin to submit Dec. 20th & Jan. 6th bulletin to submit on December 27th.**

**PLEASE PLAN IN ADVANCE.**

## Salem & Leetonia, OH – November 25, 2018



### Father Bob's Corner .

Dear Friends,

**"I am the Alpha and the Omega,"\***  
**says the Lord God,**  
**"the one who is and who was**  
**and who is to come, the almighty."**  
– Revelation 1:8

Today's Feast was instituted by Pope Pius XI in 1925. He wanted to focus attention on the Lordship of Jesus in the face of everything else going on the world. This focus is something for us to seek, too. We want to focus on Jesus as Lord, King of the Universe, with faith. Our faith now is being tested as gold (see 1Peter 1:7). We are being refined as Church, as members of the Body of Christ. Our responses to the world should not be determined by the secularism of our world.

Lord Jesus, you whom we name as our King, thank you for the gift of faith. Purify and strengthen the faith we have and allow it to increase in the midst of difficulties. You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit forever. Amen.

Thank you for your contributions to last week's second collection for the **Retirement Fund for Religious**. God bless you for your generosity. Thank you for our Retired Religious who have helped us grow in faith over the years.

Father Bernie Mlapah stopped by the rectory on Friday, November 16. He did not come in and he wasn't driving. He was with two of his cousins and was taking care of various details in town. He requires a walker, but is growing in strength and requires more therapy. He looks great but still can use our prayers.

I hope that you and your families are finishing up the **Thanksgiving Holiday** with love and gratitude for all God's gifts and blessings. God bless us everyone.

We are still looking for volunteers for **Bingo** at St. Paul. If you think you can offer help on one Tuesday night a month we will be grateful. The people there are very nice. Thank you to those who have responded.

Let us continue to rejoice with the Saints and pray for the Souls in Purgatory during these last days of November. Next Sunday we begin the new year of Grace with the celebration of the First Sunday of Advent. Christmas is coming.

Let us pray for healing in the Church and in our Nation.

*With love, prayers, and gratitude,*  
**Father Bob Edwards**

***Congratulations*** - to Joe Moran  
who received the Sacrament  
of Confirmation at St. Columba  
Cathedral on November 18th.

Confirmation

### Remember in Your Prayers

Mary Elizabeth Palovich -

Who Died November 10th



*The Body of Christ has been Enriched by  
Our Newly Baptized Family Members  
During the Month of November:*

**Alfredo Leon Gonzalez**  
*Son of Alfred Leon & Carla Gonzalez*

**Justin Santos Cos Mejia &  
William Jacob Cos Mejia**  
*Sons of Fausto Cos & Paulina Mejia Hernandez*



### Religious Give Thanks

"This money is pure gift," writes a religious sister of the support made possible by the Retirement Fund for Religious. "It enables us to continue providing care for our elderly sisters." Your gift to last week's collection helps hundreds of religious communities meet pressing retirement needs while continuing to serve the People of God. Thank you for your generosity!



**St. Paul's \$3,500+ Bingo Format**

**TUESDAY, November 27th**

**With Purchase of \$10 Master Set - Get 1 Free Early Bird Card  
Free Master Set for your Birthday Week**

## Saint Paul & Saint Patrick Announcements



### Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe

The Spanish-speaking community is preparing to celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

This year we will have a novena in Spanish in preparation for the feast. The novena will be each day from December 1st through December 8th from 5:00 pm to about 5:30 pm. On the two Saturdays the novena will be held at Centro San Pablo. On the other days it will be in the church. All are invited to participate as much as possible.

### Life Ministry

The Life Ministry Committee will meet Wednesday, December 5th at 9:00 am in the Rectory Meeting room. We will be reviewing and finalizing plans for the K of C breakfast on Saturday, Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>. We'll also look at plans for January and February. Please try to attend; we need your input. Everyone is welcome.

Please join us.



### LCBA

Begin the holiday season by attending our yearly LCBA Christmas Party on Thursday, December 6th at 6:30 pm in the Rectory Meeting Room. Refreshments and beverage will be served. There will be an ornament exchange again for those who bring an ornament. \*\*We will be collecting \$5.00 gas cards for Sophia Center. It is suggested that they be purchased at the Marathon Gas station across from Sophia Center. All members and guests are welcome.



*A very special season is here!*

*You can Help our parish*

**Purchase St. Paul's Scrip (Gift) Cards**

**Christmas** is a month away & it's time to start preparing for this major event. Our St. Paul's Gift Card Program can help. Start thinking of individuals that you would like to remember during this season. Giant Eagle, & hundreds of other retailers for purchase at the Giant Eagle store gift card displays.

We always have on hand approximately 10 to 15 retailers available each week in back of the church after the 4:30 pm and 8:00 am Masses. Special orders are gladly accepted, but advanced notice is appreciated, during the holiday season. If you have any questions, please talk with the scrip representative at the back of church or call Beth at 330-332- 8185.



## The Christmas Giving Tree

Please help our local Salvation Army collect Christmas gifts for children in need. Visit the "Giving Tree" this month and select a tag. Remove the tag with the child's information.



**Please return your "Unwrapped" gift & the tag to the church no later than Sunday, December 10th.**

If you have questions, contact the parish office at 330-332-0336.

Thank you for helping children in need on Christmas.

**Knights of Columbus, Life Ministry & St. Paul Friendship Soup Ministry - are having a Breakfast, Bake, Craft & Soup Sale Saturday, December 8<sup>th</sup>.**

upcoming  
**SPECIAL EVENTS**

Breakfast is from 8:00 am to 12 noon - donations accepted. The bake, craft, & soup Sale will be from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm. This will be held in Scullion Hall (gym). Please come and join us for fun and some early Christmas goodies.

Anyone interested in having a craft table for \$10, contact Diane at 330-501-7049.

### December Funeral Buffet Committee:

Coordinator: Ruth Huggins - 330-332-8152  
Dee Tkatch - ...330-423-3645

Committee: Rose Corl - .....330-337-7462

Lillian Anderson - .....330-332-0640

*Many of our contributors have changed to cell phones & we do not have those numbers.*

Please call Ruth at 330-332-8152 or Polly at 330-332-9728 if you have changed your phone number.



## St. Patrick

We are now selling tickets to our next **500 CLUB raffle** which will be held on Saturday, April 27th. There are a total of 15 weekly drawings plus the final drawing. Your ticket includes dinner and a chance to win the \$500 main prize drawing as well as \$25 weekly and other cash prizes. The first drawing is Jan 10th. See or call Jeff Kiliany (427-9874) for tickets or information.





## Diocesan & Local Events – November 25, 2018

### Seasons of our Lives

Father God, you created seasons for a purpose.  
Spring is full of expectation, buds breaking,  
frost abating, and an awakening  
of creation before the first days of summer.  
Now the sun gives warmth and comfort to our lives,  
reviving aching joints, bringing color, new life,  
and crops to fruiting.  
Autumn gives nature space  
to lean back, relax and enjoy the fruits of its labor,  
mellow colors in sky and landscape  
as the earth prepares to rest.  
Then winter, cold and bare as nature takes stock,  
rests, unwinds, sleeps until the time is right.  
An endless cycle and yet a perfect model.  
We need a winter in our lives,  
a time of rest, a time to stand still,  
a time to reacquaint ourselves  
with the faith in which we live.  
It is only then that we can draw strength  
from the one in whom we are rooted,  
take time to grow and rise through the darkness  
into the warm glow of your springtime,  
to blossom and flourish,  
bring color and vitality into this world, your garden.  
Thank you, Father,  
for the seasons of our lives.

*Written by John Burch, 2016.*

### Holiday Concert of Giving



**The Stambaugh Chorus**, conducted by Dr. Hae-Jong Lee and the Youngstown Area Community Concert Band, conducted by Mr. Joseph Pellegrini, will present the 8th annual "Holiday Concert Of Giving" on Sunday, December 16 at 4:00pm, in the Stambaugh Auditorium.

All of the proceeds from this concert will benefit the Second Harvest Food Bank. Cash or check donations, payable to the Second Harvest, will be accepted at the door (no food goods, please). Both groups consist of volunteer musicians from the Youngstown area. The program will feature both sacred and secular holiday music, with a grand finale of both groups performing Bach's Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring and Handel's Hallelujah Chorus. Following the concert there will be a cookie reception, and all are welcome to attend.



### CATHOLIC MAN NIGHT

The Catholic Men's Fellowship (CMF) of Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Uniontown in conjunction with CMF Diocese of Youngstown will sponsor a "Catholic Man Night" on Friday, November 30th from 6:30 - 8:45 pm, and will be held in the social hall at Holy Spirit. All men of the diocese are welcome. Catholic Man Night helps 21st century men develop and use their Catholic faith in their daily lives, presented in a way that makes sense to men. Dr. Peter Schafer, Director of Evangelization, Pastoral Planning, and Lay Ministry Formation Programs, Diocese of Youngstown, will be our featured speaker.

Please RSVP to Ed Herman at 330-354-4911 or Mark Violand at 330-807-2255 or [mvioland2@neo.rr.com](mailto:mvioland2@neo.rr.com), no later than **Monday, November 26th**.

### The American Slovak Cultural Association (ASCA) of the Mahoning Valley annual Vilija Dinner



will be Sunday, Dec. 9th at 4:00 pm in the Father Snock Center at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish (former Saint Matthias School), 2800 Shady Run Rd., Youngstown.

In addition to the traditional Slovak Christmas Eve meal, featuring fish, pirohy, and kolace, there will be musical entertainment and much more. Celebrate your Slovak heritage.

Tickets are \$20/person, with special prices for children. Get tickets soon for the best seating. If you have special seating needs, let Ron know. **TICKETS WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR.** For tickets and information contact: Ron Garchar at 330-533-7077; or Loretta Ekoniak 330-549-3760 or e-mail: [Loretta.ekoniak@gmail.com](mailto:Loretta.ekoniak@gmail.com). Deadline to purchase tickets is Dec. 3.

### OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CELEBRATION

All are invited to the Solemn Mass for Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast on Wednesday December 12th, 2018 at St. Columba Cathedral at 6:00pm. Music for the Mass will be provided by the St. Cecilia Mariachi Band from Painesville, Ohio.



After Mass there will be a reception in St. Columba Hall with Mariachi, piñata, food and prizes for children wearing the best cultural outfits related to this holy day.

# Saint Paul & Saint Patrick Catholic Parishes

## Activities & Church Ministries

### ST. PAUL'S PARISH ACTIVITIES For Week Ahead:



**Saturday: November 24th**  
No Activities Scheduled

**Sunday: November 25th**  
9:00 am Bible Study, Rectory Meeting Room  
No CCD or Jr. High Ministry

**Monday: November 26th**  
11:00 am - 5:00 pm Centro San Pablo Open  
12:30 pm Legion of Mary, Rectory Meeting Room  
6:30 pm R.C.I.A., Parish Living Room

**Tuesday: November 27th**  
11:00 am - 5:00 pm Centro San Pablo Open  
6:30 pm **Bingo**



**Wednesday: November 28th**  
No Activities Scheduled

**Thursday: November 29th**  
Eucharistic Adoration: 8:30 am until 7:45 am Friday  
3:00 pm Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet



**Friday: November 30th**  
No Activities Scheduled

**Saturday: December 1st**  
No Activities Scheduled

**Sunday: December 2nd**  
9:00 am Bible Study, Rectory Meeting Room  
9:15 - 10:45 am CCD - K through 6, school  
6:30 - 8:00 pm Jr. High Ministry, school



*Thanks to our Sponsor of the Week:*  
**RUSSELL T. (RUSTY)KIKO JR.**

### ST. PAUL CHURCH MINISTRIES:

**Sat. - Sun. December 1st & December 2nd**

<i>Lectors:</i>	<i>Ministers of Holy Communion:</i>
4:30 pm Mimi Johnson	<u>D. Dermotta, L. DiMuzio,</u> R. Frank, F. Wolken, R. Hardgrove
8:00 am Dotti Miller	<u>M. Kaiser, F. Schlueter,</u> R. McClish, H. Huprich, Sister Mary Ann
12 Noon Rose Bedell	<u>C. Baronzzi, K. Weikart,</u> Rose & Roger Converse, P. Pinkerton

***Altar Servers: December 1st & December 2nd***

4:30 pm Jillian Pieren, Jacob & Aaliyah Moore  
8:00 am Brock, Jed & Bryan Smith  
12:00 noon - Haley Thompson, Abbey Crawford,  
Benjamin Kuboff

***Ushers: December 1st & December 2nd***

4:30 pm B. Huffman, B. Roelen, T. Yuhaniak,  
B. Brothers  
8:00 am C. Navarra, L. Markovich, B. Cody,  
M. Belaney  
12:00 Noon T. Briceland, J. Staudt, E. Tkatch,  
T. Englert

### ST. PATRICK CHURCH MINISTRIES:

**Sunday, December 2 - 10:00 am**

***Greeters: Brad/Mary Lou Smith; Karen Orr***

***Lectors: Ministers of Holy Communion:***

<b>Shawn Louk</b>	<b>Danny Fire</b>
<b>Kara DiLudovico</b>	<b>Sue DeJane</b>

***Altar Servers: Joseph DiLudovico, Andrew Beck,  
Maddie Holisky***

***Liturgy of the Word with Children:  
Angela DiLudovico***

***St. Patrick:***

**OFFICE HOURS: Monday – Friday, 9:00 – 3:30 pm**

**Sister Joan's Office Hours:**

**Mon & Wed 9:30am – 4:00pm**

**330-427-6577**

**Dial 330-427-2249**

**after 4:00 pm**

**For an Emergency after Hours**

**Dial St. Paul Parish - 330-332-0336**

# Salem & Leetonia, OH – November 25, 2018

## 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.

### Pastoral Ministry Staff

<b>Rev. Robert Edwards, Pastor</b>	330-332-0336
<b>Patrick Morrissey</b> <i>Business Manager</i>	330-332-0336
<b>Sr. Rene Weeks, OP</b> <i>Hispanic Ministry</i>	330-332-0336
<b>Patti Schaff,</b> <i>Lay Minister to the Sick &amp; Shut-Ins</i>	1-216-246-0087
<b>Peggy Fitch,</b> <i>Coordinator of Religious Education, C.C.D.</i>	330-332-0336
<b>David Pancurak,</b> School Principal	330-337-3451
<b>Concetta Yeager,</b> Finance Officer	330-332-0336
<b>Alice Gunning,</b> Office Manager	330-332-0336

### St. Paul Parish Pastoral Council

Rev. Robert Edwards	330-332-0336
Bernice Clark	502-655-0285
Bob Frank	330-271-1520
Rilla Gill	330-271-9200
Homer Huprich	330-537-4432
Ana Hutson	330-337-3385
Tom Patton	234-564-7051
Jeanette Pinter-Farwell	330-286-1930
Donna Szanny	330-337-6262
Tony Tenzek	330-223-1880
Dee Stryzinski	330-332-0437

### St. Paul Parish Finance Council

Rev. Robert Edwards	330-332-0336
Timothy Barry, Esq.	330-337-8761
Mary Caye Bixler	330-332-4558
Betty Brothers	234-567-1223
George Morris, Jr.	330-360-8826
Nancy Morrissey	330-332-5537
Eric Murray	330-337-4883
David Pancurak	330-337-3451
Brooke Pidgeon	330-550-1517
Sid Ravelli	330-332-4591
Dennis Weaver	330-332-1444

## 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.

### Pastoral Ministry Staff – 330-427-6577

<b>Sr. Joan Franklin, OP</b>	Pastoral Administrator
<b>Rev. Robert R. Edwards</b>	Canonical Administrator
<b>Mr. Lawrence Pasko</b>	Deacon
<b>Mrs. Judy Kiliany</b>	Pro-Life Coordinator
<b>Toni Manzetti</b>	CCD Coordinator
<b>Concetta Yeager</b>	Finance Officer

### St. Patrick Parish Pastoral Council

Judy Altomare	330-427-6522
Donna Birmingham	
Angela DiLudovico	
Nancy Feist	
Terry George	330-921-8711
Lori McLaughlin	
Jennifer Russell	
Suzanne Tobuck	330-427-6188
Ex officio Members - Deacon Larry Pasko	
Sister Joan Franklin, OP	
Father Robert Edwards	
Secretary - Candy Steele	330-427-6469

### St. Patrick Parish Finance Council

Mary Selway	330-562-1347
Candy Steele	330-427-6469
Ex officio Members:	
Deacon Larry Pasko	330-427-6134
Sister Joan Franklin, OP	330-427-6577
Rev. Robert Edwards	330-332-0336
Concetta Yeager	330-332-0336

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

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

**Baptisms:** Make arrangements with Parish Office during pregnancy:  
Preference: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month at Masses  
Option: 1:15 pm, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of month

**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:** Mimi Johnson 330-222-2467

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

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

**Fax Number:** 330-332-7982