

St. George & St. Paul Parishes

October 18, 2026

A parish bulletin for worship, community, and service



St. George in Lisbon and St. Paul in Salem are parishes of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Youngstown, Ohio. We are called by baptism to continue Christ's mission through education, example and service as we celebrate Jesus' presence in our lives. We are nourished by Word, Worship, and Sacrament. In the Spirit of Jesus, we dedicate ourselves to minister through the sharing of our time, talent and treasure.

St. George
Parish

271 West
Chestnut St.
Lisbon, OH
44432
Established 1820

St. Paul
Parish

935 East
State St.
Salem, OH
44460
Established 1881



Our Parish's purpose is to share our knowledge, experience, gifts and talents to revive and continue to build a Christ centered community that serves and teaches for the glory of God.

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St. Paul



St. George



Phone Number for both parishes: (330) 332-0336

St. Paul School Phone: (330) 337-3451

School website: www.stpaul.k12.oh.us

St. Paul School email: stpaulementsalem@youngstowndiocese.org

St. George Parish email: parish307@youngstowndiocese.org

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St. Paul Parish Website: www.stpaulsalem.org

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October 18, 2026-Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedules and Intentions

Saturday, October 17, Vigil for Sunday

4:30pm Mass at St. Paul

Cathy Markovich by Lou Markovich

Sunday, October 18

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Mass at St. George

James & Clara Snowberger

by Daughters- Patty, Kathy, Kaye & Sandy

11:00am Mass at St. Paul

Brittney Dermotta by Marcus Julian

Thanksgiving by Pat McNicol

5:00pm Spanish Mass at St. Paul

Monday, October 19,

Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues

9:00am Mass at St. Paul

Helen Prokupec

by Denny, Alice and Joyce

Tuesday, October 20, Weekday

St Paul of the Cross

9:00am Mass at St. Paul

Edward Toot

by Dalbert and Maureen Zimmerman

Wednesday, October 21, Weekday

9:00am Mass at St. Paul

Thursday, October 22, Weekday

St John Paul II

9:00am Mass at St. Paul

Gary Rigby

by Father Joe Ruggieri

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 4:00pm

Friday, October 23, Weekday

Saint John of Capistrano

9:00am Liturgy with Communion at St. Paul

Saturday, October 24, Vigil for Sunday

4:30pm Mass at St. Paul

Sr. Shirley Warner

by Father Joe Ruggieri

Sunday, October 25

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Mass at St. George

Harry Fowler by Patty Smith Family

11:00am Mass at St. Paul

Mary and Lester Cosgrove

by brothers and sisters

5:00pm Spanish Mass at St. Paul

Salome Gil by Family

Confession Schedule

At St. George Parish,

1st Saturday of each month at 1.00pm

At St. Paul Parish, Saturday at 3:30pm

[Also available by appointment. Call the office]

Parish Ministers

Saturday, October 24

4:30 pm St Paul

Lectors: Linda McKim, Ginger Grilli

Ministers of the Eucharist: Karen Sebo, Dee Stryzinski,
Denise Patton, Dee Tkatch, John Magyaros

Servers: Trenton Clunen, Rudy Markovich, Patti Schaff

Ushers: Ed Tkatch, Gary Schaefer, Tom Englert,
Rob Clunen

Sunday, October 25

8:30 am St George

Lector: Jo Barto

Ministers of the Eucharist: Matt Guy

Offertory: DeCaria Family

Greeters: Dave Bernet, Sam Decaria

Servers: Nikiolai Baker, Ariel Edwards

11:00am at St Paul

Lectors: Danny Fire, Frank Leslie

Ministers of the Eucharist: Dave Bedell, Rose Bedell,
Michele Thompson, Roger Converse, Rose Converse

Servers: Don Shoaff, Bobby Kotel, Noah Kotel

Ushers: Jerry Briceland, Bob Kotel, Kevin Stratton,
Joe Moran

5:00pm at St Paul

Lectore: Juan Baten

Ministros de Comuni3n: Lupita Rizo, Isabel Leon

Sacristanes: Felix Baten, Juan Baten

M3sicos: Julio Gomez, Rosalina Mateo

Monaguillos: America, Luis, Kain

Pray with the Scriptures • Daily Readings •

Sunday, October 18:

Isaiah 45:1, 4-6; Psalm 96; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b;

Matthew 22:15-21

Monday, October 19:

Ephesians 2:1-10; Psalm 100; Luke 12:13-21

Tuesday, October 20:

Ephesians 2:12-22; Psalm 85; Luke 12:35-38

Wednesday, October 21:

Ephesians 3:2-12; (Psalm) Isaiah 12; Luke 12:39-48

Thursday, October 22:

Ephesians 3:14-21; Psalm 33; Luke 12:49-53

Friday, October 23:

Ephesians 4:1-6; Psalm 24; Luke 12:54-59

Saturday, October 24:

Ephesians 4:7-16; Psalm 122; Luke 13:1-9

Sunday, October 25

Exodus 22:20-26; Psalm 18; 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10;

Matthew 22:34-40

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LITURGICAL MINISTER TRAINING TRAINING & REFRESHER SESSIONS

Training and refresher sessions will be held for Liturgical Ministers in the Church at both parishes. Please plan to attend one of the sessions. If you know someone who may be interested in serving as a Liturgical Minister, please consider inviting them to attend with you!

ST. PAUL PARISH

Wednesday, November 4 — 6:30 PM

Saturday, November 7 & Sunday, November 8

After the Masses

ST. GEORGE PARISH

Thursday, November 12 — 6:30 PM

Sunday, November 15- After Mass

Thank you for your continued service
and dedication to our parishes!

"Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." (Matthew 22:21)

While we make choices in our daily lives, our ultimate allegiance belongs to God. Every vocation, priesthood, consecrated life, or holy matrimony, invites us to surrender our will to His, offering our lives in loving service. Consider where God is calling you to place His will above your own. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (330) 744-8451 or via email at vocations@youngstowndiocese.org.

Everything we are and everything we have belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given each of us. All God is asking is that we give back a portion of what He gave us. This is the essence of Stewardship. God should be our first priority in everything. All else comes second, especially our money.



The Sanctuary Candle Burns this Week
at St. Paul

for Nick Albertson
By Family



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Due by Noon 10 days before the bulletin date,
after that it will be considered for a future
bulletin Must be sent in the original format.
Email: churchoffice@stpaulsalem.org

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

October 10-11

St. Paul Regular... \$11,010.00
Online Giving \$1,086.34
Improvement & Development
..... \$495.00
Education Angel \$80.00

St. George Regular .. \$1,906.50
Online Giving \$0
Repair & Maintenance.. \$235.00

Saturday 4:30 - 160

Sunday 8:30 - 129

11:00 - 224

5:00 - 69



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**BIDS NOW BEING
ACCEPTED**

St. Paul Parish is currently accepting bids for:

**SNOW & ICE
REMOVAL**
*For the upcoming
winter season*

**HVAC MAINTENANCE
& REPAIR**
*Heating and air conditioning
systems*

Interested contractors or service providers
are invited to submit their bids to the
St. Paul Parish Office.

For more information or to submit a bid,
please contact the Parish Office at
330-332-0336.

**PART-TIME
Parish Office
HELP NEEDED**

St. Paul Parish is seeking a dependable individual
to assist in the Parish Office on
Mondays and Wednesdays
during regular office hours:
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

REQUIREMENTS:

- ✓ Strong computer skills
- ✓ Ability to work independently
as well as part of a team
- ✓ Friendly and professional manner
- ✓ Dependable and able to maintain
confidentiality
- ✓ Previous administrative experience
is preferred

Please contact
Stefanie at the Parish Office
330-332-0336

**ST. PAUL PARISH
CHOIR**

The St. Paul Parish Choir
will begin singing on

**Sunday
Rehearsal:**
9:45 AM – 11:00 AM Mass

Anyone who is interested
in singing is more than
welcome to join us!

Come share your voice and help make
our Sunday Mass celebrations beautiful!

**OCTOBER
ROSARY**

for *Respect Life Month*

The Rosary will be prayed
each day in October at
6:00 pm
St. Paul Parish
by the Statue of Mary
in the courtyard.

*Inclement weather location is
the Chapel in Parish Office.*

PLEASE JOIN US!
*We need all the prayers
we can get.*

October is Harriet's Cupboard Month

Totes and lists will be at the doors until October 31st.

Household and personal hygiene products
are always needed. They do Not need any egg
cartons at this time.

Monetary donations are always welcome.

Mass Intentions

Now accepting Mass intentions for
the 2027 calendar year.

2027 forms are available in the church and office.

Please complete and return the Mass Intention
form along with the payment.

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Join us for the annual **TURKEY DINNER**

OCTOBER 18, 2026 11:30AM - 4PM

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

16017 SMITH RD

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St. Paul Parish Ministry Fair

**PRIZES
FOOD &
FUN FOR
ALL AGES**



Use your interests
and find your fit!
ALL ministries
will be featured
with details
explained and
displayed.

After 4:30 p.m. Mass on
Saturday, Oct. 17, 2026

and

After 11:00 a.m. Mass on
Sunday, Oct. 18, 2026

**Did you know there are 40 Groups?
Come find out what they all are!
Something for everyone!**

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† Youth Ministry **FALL FUN**

High school students are invited to an
evening of fun fall activities

Saturday, October 24.



If weather conditions are conducive
for outdoor activities the gathering
will be at the home of Roger and
Rose Converse beginning at 5 PM.



In the case of inclement weather,
the get-together will be indoors
at St. Paul Parish.

Contact Peggy Fitch at the Parish Office
330.332.0336

to register or for more information.





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Upcoming Parish Events

RECURRING WEEKLY EVENTS



- Sundays
- Religious Education Sessions

🕒 9:50–10:50am

📍 St. Paul School



- Mondays
- Legion of Mary

🕒 12:30pm

📍 St. Paul Rectory Meeting Room



- Mondays
- Kid's O.C.I.A.

🕒 4:30pm

📍 St. Paul Parish Center Living Room



- Tuesdays
- O.C.I.A.

🕒 6:30pm

📍 St. Paul Parish Center Living Room



- Wednesdays
- Ladies Bible Study

🕒 6:30pm

📍 St. Paul Parish Center Living Room



- Thursdays
- Praise the Lord Prayer Group

🕒 9:30am

📍 St. George



- 1st & 3rd Mondays
- Knights of Columbus #1818 Meeting

🕒 7:00pm

📍 St. Paul Rectory Meeting Room



- 1st & 3rd Fridays
- Men's Bible Study

🕒 10:30 am

📍 St. George Hall



- 1st Saturday of each month
- Rosary

🕒 9:00am

📍 St. Paul Church



- Daily in October
- Rosary

🕒 6:00pm

📍 St. Paul Parish Courtyard

UPCOMING DATED MEETINGS



- October 17 & 18
- St. Paul Parish Ministry Fair

🕒 after Masses

📍 St. Paul School Cafeteria



- October 21
- St. Paul Security Council Meeting

🕒 6:00pm

📍 St. Paul Rectory Meeting Room



- October 24
- St. Paul Youth Ministry Fall Fun

🕒 5:00pm–9:00pm

📍 Converse Home

Together in Faith. United in Christ





Parish Staff

Pastor

Rev. Joseph Ruggieri

Pastors Emeriti

Rev. Robert Edwards (St. Paul)

Rev. Stephen Wassie (St. Philip Neri and St. George)

Rev. James Lang (St. Philip Neri)

St. Paul School Principal

Troy Radinsky

330-337-3451

stpaulementsalem@youngstowndiocese.org

Coordinator of Religious Education Safe Environment Compliance Officer

Peggy Fitch

Pastoral Minister to the Sick and Shut-Ins O.C.I.A. Coordinator

Patti Schaff

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Isabel Leon

234-564-9609

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Stefanie Moran

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Bulletin Submissions –email: churchoffice@stpaulsalem.org



St. Paul Prayer Chain: MaryAnn Sugar (330) 718-7444

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Ros Hardgrove (234) 567-1863



St. George Men's Bible Study: Mike Nestor (234) 567-7678



Confessions:

- At St. Paul: Saturdays at 3:30 pm or by appointment
- At St. George: First Saturday of the month at 1:00 pm



Contact the Parish Office at (330) 332-0336:

- Communion to Shut-Ins
- Baptisms
- Marriages: 6 months+ before desired date



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

At St. Paul: Thursdays after 9:00am Mass – 4:00pm
(Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00pm)



Holiday & Weekday Masses: Consult Bulletin



Office Hours

Monday through Thursday 9:00am – 3:00pm



The Midweek Pause a prayer and reflection podcast by Jo Barto can be found @columbianahub.org



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St. Paul Salem



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