# DAILY MASS INTENTIONS: June 28, 2025 - July 6, 2025

Saints Peter and Paul: Apostles

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Sunday 06/29 10:30 am: † Paul King and † John & † Evarista

Friday 07/04 11:00 am: † Therese & † Joseph Sirois

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 07/06 10:30 am: † Deceased Parishioners of St. James

#### ST. EDWARD THE CONFESSOR

Sunday 06/29 8:30 am: † Richard Del Favero and † Lionel Sicotte

Monday 06/30 5:30 pm: † Bernadette Nadeau

Friday 07/04 5:30 pm: **NO MASS** 

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 07/06 8:30 am: † Richard Del Favero, † Bob Charland and for the Intentions of the Maillet

Family

#### ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA

Saturday 06/28 4:00 pm: † Hilda & † Elphege Messier and † Carol Proteau Fish

Sunday 06/29 9:30 am: † Anna Sanville & † Charles Sanville, Sr., † Valerie Griffin and

† Martha Darlington

11:00 am: † Nancy Corriveau & † Deceased Members of the K of C

Monday 06/30 9:00 am: Healing of those on our Prayer List

4:00 pm: For a Special Intention

<u>Tuesday</u> 07/01 9:00 am: † Judy Foy

4:00 pm: Homebound and Nursing Home Residents

Wednesday 07/02 9:00 am: † Deceased Parishioners of St. Mary's

4:00 pm: Intentions of Pope Leo and Bishop John

Thursday 07/03 9:00 am: For a Successful PCL Renewal Summit

4:00 pm: † Daniel Brasseur

Friday 07/04 9:00 am: God's Blessings on our Country

4:00 pm: **NO MASS** 

Saturday 07/05 9:00 am: † Forgotten Souls in Purgatory

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 07/05 4:00 pm: † Margo Maarawi

Sunday 07/06 9:30 am: † Oscar & † Emma Kimball, † Theresa McAvinney and † Martha Darlington

11:00 am: † Lucie Metras & for the Intentions of Brenda Isabelle

## Prayer for the Sick

Heavenly Father, we place our sick in Your loving care and humbly ask that You bring healing to Your servants and restore them to health. May they experience Your loving care during this difficult time. Above all, grant us all the grace to accept and acknowledge Your will. Amen.

## Prayer to Saints Peter & Paul

Lord, You founded Your Church on Peter the Rock and named Paul the Apostle to the Gentiles. Help me to recognize and appreciate my role in Your Church. By Your grace may I be a fruitful member of the Church and attain my place in Your Heavenly Kingdom. Peter and Paul, pray for us.

### 2025 Prayer List



Art Aulis Darrel Ayles Tracy Ashman Kristin & Billie Austin Kris & Betty Barrett Rod Barrup Jayne Bidwell **Betty Blair** Jackie Bowen Raymond Bowen, Sr. **Darlene Butler** Kevin Charboneau Nancy Clark Ann Collins Steve Comeau Bill Cook Linda Curtis Mark Daignault Tony & Margo Daniels **Delana Daniels** Denis Deatte Brenda Deslandes Marion Deslandes Victoria Devost Jean Diette Katie Dirth Peggy Fedele May Fortin **Brian Fournier** Cindy Fournier Maci Fournier Shirley Fournier Julie Fortin Garland Fr. Charles Gilman OBS **Danny Gratton** Dan Griffin Shirley Hand Ed Hartman Mary Ann Hauver **Beverly Hebert** Jeff Hensley

Arthur Jenne Elaine Langevin Mary Lou Lantagne Gary Lebarron Rose Lebeau David LeBlanc Rita Desrochers Leblanc Alister Lepine Roger Lessard Sr. Henrietta Lessard Alicia Letourneau Dolores Letourneau Frank McCarthy **Anthony Moccia Brent Monahan family** Leah Monahan James Morley Margaret Morrill Tom & Helen Mullen Joshua Noble Parishioner with health need Janice Parry Paul Poginy Alicia Pritchard **Gary Prive** Joe Punk Jennifer Roberge Roger Roberge, Jr. Fr. Shawn Roberson **Brad & Emily Root** Asher Sawyer **David Schmidt** Doug Swanson Denise Taylor Jan Tepe & family Thomas & Laura Dave & Leslie Turner Cheryl Vederber John & Brenda Voyer Cindy Wescom

Wendy Wooden

#### Teachers of our Faith

As the Church moves past the halfway point in the liturgical calendar, God has already sent us His Son at Christmas, Jesus has died for our sins and was raised from the dead at Easter, and the Holy Spirit has descended upon us at Pentecost. This weekend we celebrate the lives of Saints Peter and Paul, early apostles of the Church, fearless teachers and defenders of the faith, and martyrs for that faith and their unwavering belief in Christ.

St. Peter, also known as Simon and Cephas, was a native of rural Galilee like Jesus. He was a poor, uneducated fisherman who spoke spontaneously, often before thinking and measuring his words. As recounted in today's Gospel, Peter was the rock Jesus built His Church on, the first to acknowledge Jesus as the Christ, the first man to affirm the Resurrection and the first to proclaim the Gospel after Pentecost. As we learn in today's first reading from the Acts of the Apostles, Peter was rescued and liberated from prison by an angel of God. At first Peter thought it was a dream until he realized that he had been truly rescued. "Now I am sure that the Lord has sent his angel and rescued me from the hand of Herod." Peter was eventually crucified for his faith - upside down because he did not consider himself worthy to die the same way as Christ did.

St. Paul, also known as Saul, was a tentmaker by trade and a Roman citizen. He was smart, refined, a student of the Talmud - the primary source of Jewish law and theology, and gifted with words. He was also a Pharisee, believing and acting on what he thought was the truth. This led Saul to be present at St. Stephen's stoning and responsible for the persecution of many Christians. His life was changed forever on the road to Damascus, and he became a fearless preacher of the faith, a teacher of the Gentiles, and a writer of letters that are still alive today in the Bible. He dedicated the rest of his life preaching to men and women, rich and poor alike, slaves and free men, Jews and Gentiles about the presence of God in the world through the death of Jesus. Paul also ended his life as a martyr, beheaded for his fervent faith, preaching and writings about Christ.

Although Saints Peter and Paul were polar opposites in personality and temperament, their message about faith is the same. This feast, though, is not just about the early Church of Rome; it is not just about Peter and Paul. Nothing could stop Peter and Paul from proclaiming Jesus Christ and nothing should stop us. The Feast of Saints Peter and Paul is about recognizing our own gifts and sharing them with others. Like Peter and Paul, we are also called to be disciples of Christ and to use our own talents to proclaim the Gospel to our world. The cost of discipleship is nothing compared to the joy of Eternal Life. Let us sing the praises of the Lord with Peter and Paul.