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June 29, 2025 Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul

Today we celebrate the two principal apostles of the early church. Saints Peter and Paul took two completely routes to their vocation. Peter was called personally by Jesus, traveled with him during his entire ministry, and became preeminent disciple among the Twelve. Paul, on the other hand, persecuted the early church until he was called and converted by the Risen Lord on his way to arrest Christians in Damascus. May these two saints remind us that God calls us all at different times in our lives and in different ways.



Saturday, June 28 (5:00 pm)

Marjory Schindler by David, Sharon & John Wankel

Sunday, June 29 (8:30 am)

Ralph Grimmer by Theresa Tabolt

Monday, June 30 (5:00 pm)

Mass at St. Peter's Church in New Bremen

People of the Parish

Tuesday, July 1 (8:15 am)

Elmer Golden by Marie Campeau

Wednesday, July 2 (8:15 am)

Scripture/Communion Service

Thursday, July 3 (8:15 am)

Scripture/Communion Service

Friday, July 4 (6:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration)



Saturday, July 5 (5:00 pm)

Gary Simser by Cindy Bush & Family

Sunday, July 6 (8:30 am)

Betty Kuhl by Kevin & Vicki Meyer

Pray for the Sick

Steve Brownell, Bill & Dorothy Gracey, Caitlin Taylor, Corbin Pominville, Sue Peters-Bush, Susan Schwendy, Priscilla Boliver, Kristi Lehman Marques, Deb Hartshorn, Barb Monnat, Alice Moore, Julie Fuller, Venetha Houppert, Tom Pate, Duane Schwendy, Amy Edick, Casey Kloster, John Lashbrooks, and all ill at home, in the hospital, or nursing homes.

Your Support for The Parish

Envelopes: \$ 2,560.00 Plate: \$ 815.00

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration with Praise and Prayer, Friday, July 4, 6:30 pm. Let us join together to pray for our country, for peace, and for vocations to the priesthood. Time with the Lord in Adoration is time well spent. Jesus is calling.

Welcome Monsignor Aucoin Next Weekend

Monsignor Aucoin will be here for weekend Masses next weekend as Father Don will be attending his annual family gathering and on vacation from July 2 to July 9th. Thank you, Monsignor Aucoin.

World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests

World Day for the Sanctification of Priests takes place every year on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. We pray for our parish priests and all the priests in the Diocese of Ogdensburg.

Prayer for Priests

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments.

Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people.

Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.

Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry.

Help them to become instruments of your divine grace.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest.

Amen.

Courtesy of <u>USCCB.org</u>

Mass St. Peter's Church in New Bremen Monday, June 30



Each year we celebrate the Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul at St. Peter's Church in New Bremen. Mass will be held at 5 pm and all are invited to attend.

Masses at Our Lady of the Lake Chapel



Masses at Our Lady of the Lake Chapel will be held on Sunday, July 13th at 2 pm and Sunday, August 17th at 2 pm.

PRAYER FOR OUR NATION



God our Father, giver of life, we entrust the United States of America to your loving care. You are the rock on which this nation was founded. You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for your glory and dwell among your people.

Send your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders. Open their minds to the great worth of human life and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom. Remind your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing your will.

Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, patroness of our land, grant us the courage to reject the "culture of death." Lead us into a new millennium of life.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord.
Amen.

Source: *BostonCatholic.org*

DIOCESAN YOUTH VOLUNTEER'S APPRECIATION PICNIC

Calling all Youth Parish Volunteers! Join us for a special day celebrating and honoring our Diocesan Youth Parish Volunteers! Parents and siblings, youth volunteers, altar servers, music ministers, faith formation helpers, lectors, etc., are invited to Camp Guggenheim, Saranac Lake, on August 11, 2025, from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. for a joyful gathering filled with faith. fellowship, and fun. A delicious cookout of hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided. The day will culminate in a beautiful Mass celebrated by Bishop Terry R. LaValley. Don't miss out on this special occasion! The registration deadline is August 4. Register now at https://www.rcdony.org/ya We look forward to celebrating with you!

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