



A People Called

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC

CHURCH AND SCHOOL

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JULY 8, 2018

WELCOME

to the congregation of
St. Paul Catholic Church.
We are glad you joined us.

St. Paul Mission Statement

As a welcoming faith
community centered in the
Eucharist and guided by the
Holy Spirit, our mission is to
give glory to our Lord Jesus
Christ through:

Inspirational Worship
Faithful Discipleship
Service to Others

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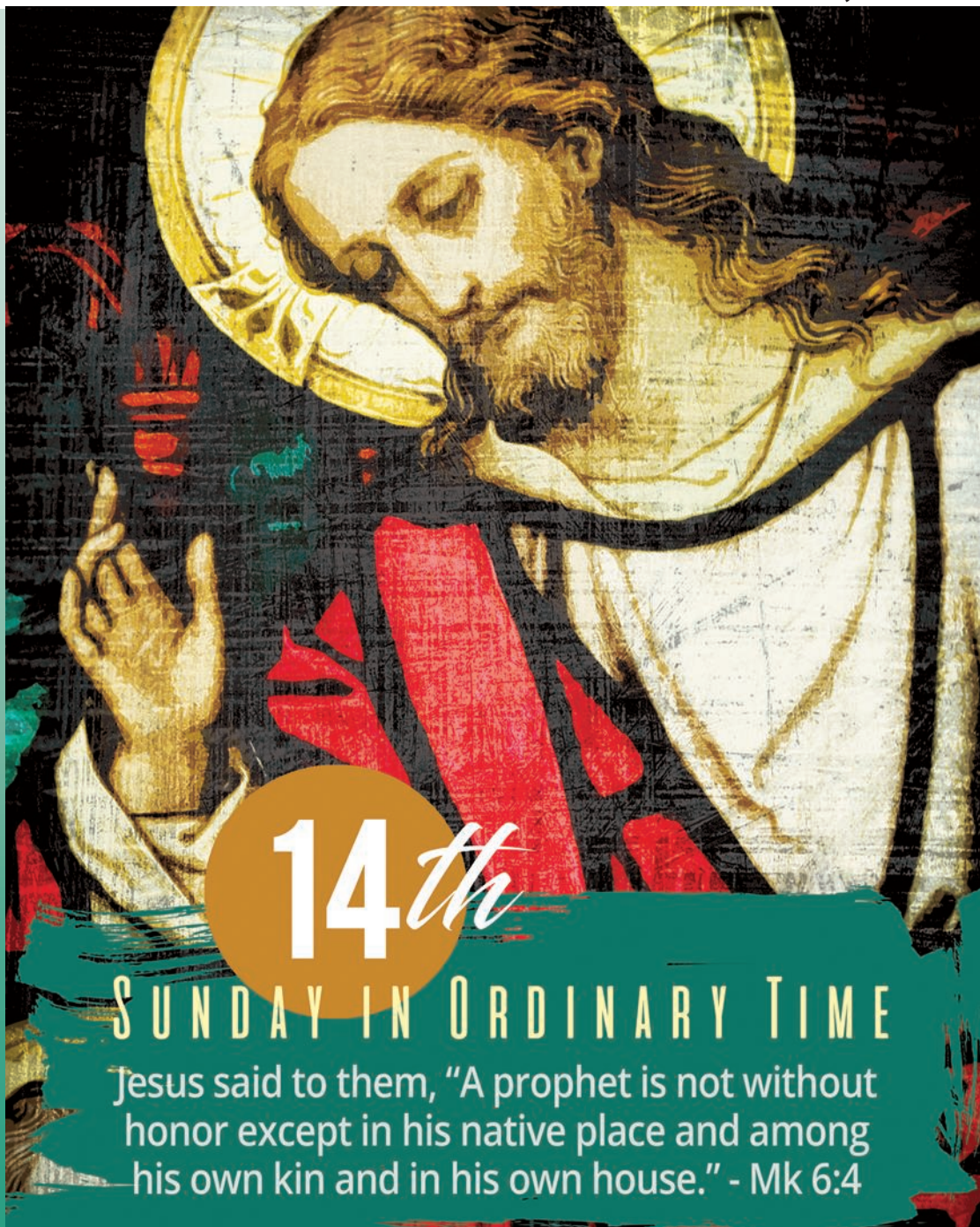
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ST. PAUL EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Tuesday 8:00am Mass
Friday 8:00am Mass
Saturday 5:30pm Mass
Sunday 9:00am Mass

Reconciliation 2nd & 4th

Saturday 10:00am
or by Appointment



Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without
honor except in his native place and among
his own kin and in his own house." - Mk 6:4

Celebrating Parish Life

Born to Eternal Life: Mark Miller, son of Duane & Lillian Miller



GOSPEL MEDITATION

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

If you have been closely following the Sunday readings, today's Gospel could sound a bit like a broken record. Four weeks ago, the Gospel told of Jesus visiting his home of Nazareth and being poorly received by his family members. Jesus had attracted a large crowd as he preached, and his concerned relatives came to bring him home. Jesus, they thought, was out of his league.

Today Jesus takes things further. He returns to Nazareth. Rather than preaching from his house, he enters the synagogue. He speaks eloquently. The listeners acknowledge that "wisdom has been given him" and recognize the "mighty deeds wrought by his hands," but it is too much for them to bear. "Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary?" The listeners know his whole clan, his male and female relatives. Jesus as carpenter was acceptable. Even Jesus as fringe preacher was interesting enough to draw a crowd. But Jesus as authoritative teacher is too much. "They took offense at him."

As Christians, we have known the truth of Jesus' identity since we were first introduced to him. He is fully human and fully divine. He is the second person of the Trinity. It could be easy to look down on these 1st century listeners for their lack of faith. But where do we expect to learn our own lessons? The more we age, the easier it is to believe we understand the world and how it works. We have experience with people, with the Church, with politics, and with the affairs of daily living. We have developed criteria for first impressions. We categorize. Today we remember that the Christian life requires humility. Jesus' listeners have an expectation of how things should be, and their lack of faith causes doubt in others. "He was not able to perform any mighty deeds there." Do your assumptions limit your perspective? Who can you learn from that you did not expect?

Pray for our youth who are participating in the "Alive in You" Mission trip to St. Louis, MO from July 17-22. May the Holy Spirit be revealed to all who humble themselves!

Faith Formation **Change the World! Workers Needed**

I talk often of the dreams I have. I cannot help it. I am incurably full of hope. Having faith in and knowing the LOVE of the God of the universe kinda does that to you!

Anyway, I dream of the day the world is different because of your children!

Watching the news (or, if like me, you prefer to listen to the radio to get your news) reveals a world with a lot of problems. **And I can honestly say the foremost answer to all of our problems is found in Jesus.**

And this is a very, very high calling for us who call ourselves Christian.

We are called to **be** Christ in the world. **It is what we are baptized and confirmed to do.**

And, I **believe in a God who is powerful enough to transform the world.** But He chooses to use us to do it. Which means we need to

WELCOME TO ST. PAUL PARISH

What's Happening This Week!

July 12 Divine Mercy Chaplet in Chapel, 3:00pm.

July 14 Confessions, 10am.

July 21/22 Reverse giving starts, pick from basket.

Welcome! Maybe you have been away from the Church for a little while or for quite some time, but now you feel a tug at your heart calling you back to the Catholic Church. Listen to that tug. It's your Heavenly Father reaching His arms out to you, the Holy Spirit whispering in your ear, hoping to draw you home.

We hope you accept this as your invitation to rediscover the truth, wonder and mystery of the Catholic faith. As your brothers and sisters in our worldwide Catholic family, we want you back.

If you are a practicing Catholic and have decided to make St. Paul your church home, simply call 262-968-3865, come by or visit www.stpaulgenesee.net to get registered.

Human Concerns

Our **Annual Reverse Giving Collection** for the Kettle Moraine food Pantry will be coming soon. Please look for more information in the coming bulletins. There is a great need to provide food during the summer time as fewer donations are made at this time of the year.

CATHOLIC QUOTES - WORDS TO INSPIRE THE FAITHFUL

Christ has illumined you with wisdom and the fires of His presence ... let it blaze! -Caryll Houselander

Online Giving is Now Available at St Paul Parish!

(Detailed instruction sheet located in Gathering Space)



1. Visit stpaulgenesee.net and click Give Online
2. Select your donation amount and frequency.
3. Enter your account and payment information.

Endowment and Matching Funds: Did you know that St. Paul Parish has an Endowment fund established for the future of this parish? It is such a blessing to give to those generations after us and also receive the blessings from those who cared for this parish before us. Please keep St. Paul Parish in mind for your Estate planning. Also, if your company has a matching funds program, your gift of stewardship can be matched! Contact Sherri Meyer in the business office for more details on either opportunity.

step up and help out. **God likes to use us because He knows it's the best thing for us...**

Would you be willing to help lead children closer to Jesus?

Classes are from **6-7:30 pm on Tuesday** and **10-11 am on Sunday morning**.

I also have middle school on **Sunday night from 6:30-8 pm** and **10-11 am on Sunday morning**.

If our parish was alive with the love of Jesus in our hearts... and we went out and lived this in our everyday life... what would our world look like?

I'm sure it's even beyond my greatest imaginings.... and I'd sure like to find out!

Email Karen Farrell, kfarrell@stpaulgenesee.net if you can help.

Faith Formation

High School Faith Formation Program Registration:

Now open for the 2018-19 **John 10 Youth Ministry** program. Go to: <https://online.factsmgmt.com/signin/4LNSG>
Thank you to all who have signed up so far. Just a reminder to enter all of your payment information in order to have the registration process completed for 2018-

WHY DO WE DO THAT?-CATHOLIC TRADITION EXPLAINED

Question: We are considering homeschooling our children. Does this present a problem when it is time for them to receive the sacraments? What must we do?

Answer: Homeschooling is legal in all 50 states, and like other types of education, has its advantages and its drawbacks. There are many factors to consider, and each family has to decide what the best way to educate its children is. With religious education, many dioceses have a formal policy that outlines procedures and expectations, some of which include more than just academic information. Call the religious education office to find out what they are for your area. In general, though, an appointment with your parish priest to discuss your situation is the best first step. An opportunity to discuss what is available, what the expectations are for each sacrament, and how you can best prepare your child helps make your time of preparation more effective. The priest can direct you to good catechetical materials, parent information classes, and other choices and possibilities for your child. All parents need to be part of their child's religious education, taking a lead in instilling the values and beliefs of their faith. Communication and information helps us all to teach and preach the Gospel as Jesus did.



St. Paul Gardening and Grounds Ministry

Do you have a green thumb or just love to spend time outdoors? We are looking for people to help with keeping the flower beds of St. Paul's looking beautiful all year. For more information, contact Sherri in the office at 262-968-3865. Thank you!

FOR THE KIDS

Sharing the Gospel

Have you ever felt left out? Jesus did. In today's Gospel, Jesus visited his relatives and old friends. These were the people he grew up with, the people who knew him the best. All of a sudden Jesus was not acting like he used to. They heard that Jesus was healing people, raising people from the dead, and telling evil spirits to leave. Jesus was even teaching about God's kingdom, like he really knew what he was talking about! Well, Jesus' old friends and neighbors did not like it one bit. How sad for them. God's own Son wanted to help them, but they didn't want it.

Prayer

Dear God, help me to listen to you and to accept the help that you want to give me. Amen



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ST PAUL SCHOOL NEWS

www.stpaulgeneseesee.net
262-968-3175

Get connected to our POWER!

Register Now for St. Paul School - 2018-19 Registration is in full swing for all grades - K3, K4, and Kindergarten through Grade 8. We are signing children up for the 2018-19 school year. Visit our Catholic-based program and see the value of smaller class sizes embedded with a 21st century learning environment and a strong curriculum with standards and exit expectations guided by the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and the Wisconsin Model Early Learning Standards. Call the school at 262-968-3175 to have a tour and get a spot for 2018-19. Spread the word to everyone you know. We appreciate your help! All emails and voicemail messages will be answered throughout the summer.

Join our Family,
Angela Gunderson, Principal St. Paul School



Save the Date!

St. Paul School
It's "FORE" the Kids
Golf Outing
Monday July 23, 2018
The Legend of Merrill Hills

Your invitation should have arrived. Stop at table in Gathering space for registration, donations, sponsoring, or volunteering.

For questions, contact Gina Rhodes;
ccrhodes@aol.com

Would you like to learn more about your Catholic faith?



Check out Relevant Radio, the
Catholic talk radio station, at
100.1FM or 1640 AM.

ST BRUNO Events and Invites

ST. BRUNO Eucharistic Celebrations

Weekends: Saturday at 4:00 p.m. & Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Weekdays: Monday at 8:00 a.m. & Wednesday at 8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation: 1st & 3rd Saturday, 3:00pm & By appointment

St. Bruno Parish Office Hours from June 11-Aug. 24

8:30a.m. to 3:00p.m. Mon - Thurs

8:30a.m. to Noon on Friday

Wednesday Morning Summer Masses

Starting Wednesday, June 14th—August 24th

Mass time will be 8:00 a.m.

St. Bruno's **Circle of Life Bereavement Ministry** will offer Bereavement Support Sessions on Tuesdays, June 5 through July 24, from 6:30 to 8:30PM. St. Bruno Gathering Place. If you want more information, call the Parish Office, 262-965-2332

Parish Events this Week

Monday, Jul 9

6:00-8:00PM Men's Basketball (**closed after 8:30pm)

Tuesday, Jul 10

9-10:30AM Cleaning Church/CH

Wednesday, Jul 11

6:00-8:00PM Men's Basketball (closed after 8:30PM)

Thursday, Jul 12

9:30-10:30AM Bible Study/FamRm

1-2:30PM MS Girls Youth Group

3:00PM Divine Mercy Chaplet/CH

6:00PM Boy Scouts/Galleria

Saturday, Jul 14

7:30-9:00AM Men's Basketball (**closed after 9:30am)

10:00AM Confessions/CH

Sunday, July 15

8:45AM Kid Zone/Gym

Other Upcoming Events

Fridays—Prayer for Reconciliation and Healing from Racism

Join us at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 812 N. Jackson St., Milwaukee, every Friday at 12:15 p.m. for a 30-minute communal contemplative prayer service with the intention of reconciling and healing racism in our city. If you are not able to join in person, feel free to pray privately wherever you are in solidarity with those gathered at the cathedral. For more info, please contact Anne Haines, Respect Life Director for Urban Ministry, hainesa@archmil.org.

Jul 12-15 Bastille Days at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist

Visit the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 812 N. Jackson St., Milw during Bastille Days for tours, a special evening of prayer for peace on Friday, 7-9 p.m., the annual French Mass on Saturday at 5:15 p.m., and of course, specialty coffees served in the Cathedral Garden, Saturday and Sunday, to benefit the Open Door Café as well as an opportunity to shop upcycled plastic from Cathedral Squared Enterprises artisans. For more information, visit www.stjohnncathedral.org.

FORMED.org

Free Resources

Through our parish, we all have access to movies, Catholic study programs, audio presentations, and access to eBooks. Go to FORMED.org and enter the parish code 274255. Great Catholic content all in one place.



BIRTHDAY WISHES

Happy Birthday to Agnes Katzer on July 12 and
Tad Wegmann on July 13.

Best Wishes to all who are celebrating this week!!



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St. Paul's Liturgical Week

Readings for the Week of July 8, 2018

Monday: Hosea 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22, Matthew 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hosea 8:4-7, 11-13, Matthew 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hosea 10:1-3, 7-8, 12, Matthew 10:1-7

Thursday: Hosea 11:1-4, 8e-9, Matthew 10:7-15

Friday: Hosea 14:2-10, Matthew 10:16-23

Saturday: Isaiah 6:1-8, Matthew 10:24-33

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JULY 15

Amos 7:12-15 Ephesians 1:3-14 or 1:3-10

Mark 6:7-13

July Altar Care – Judy Reichow

Home Communion Minister – Karen Grande

MASS INTENTIONS JULY 9-15

Mon

(Mass at St. Bruno)

Tues

8:00AM † Donna Wilde by Bereavement Comm.

Wed

(Mass at St. Bruno)

Fri

8:00AM † Pat Roche by Family

Sat

2:00PM Drout/LeBlanc Wedding

5:30PM † Heidi Etzel by Etzel Family

Sun

Lectors Hannah Starr, Lucille Contorno

Servers

9:00AM † For Parishioners of St. Paul & St. Bruno

Lectors Beth McFadden, Roger Varner

Servers Charlotte Memmel, Jack O'Reilly

Greeters: 5:30PM Amy & Andrew LaRoche & Family

9:00AM Gerald & Shari Sorano

Ushers: 5:30PM Tim & Mary Alters, Chet & Ruth Brown

9:00AM Bud Pogantsch, Larry Presta, Joe Varick,
Mary Ellen Bowers, Joel Bowers

HOSPITAL VISITS If a member of your family is in the hospital, please let us know so we can send someone to visit them. The hospital does not always let us know. Parish Office 262-968-3865.

Sacramental Information

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults: Prepare for the sacraments of initiation with a small group to join the Catholic church. Call Mary Kral.

Infant Baptism: Parent sessions are required for registered parishioners who would like their child baptized. Call Mary Kral, at least one month in advance, to schedule a class time & make arrangements to pick a date for your child's baptism.

Confirmation: Youth at least 16 years of age or adults seeking to be confirmed, call Parish Office.

First Eucharist: Parent and child preparation required. Contact Karen Farrell.

Reconciliation: 2nd & 4th Saturday at 10:00am or by appointment.

Marriage: Arrangements should be made six months in advance. One of the parties must be a registered parish member and a practicing Catholic.

Care of Sick: Sacramental care of the sick, call the Parish Office.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the Parish office with request.

St. Paul Cemetery: Hwy DE & Snowdon Rd. Call Parish Office for information.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

June 11-August 24 8:30-3:00 Mon-Thurs
8:30-Noon -Fri

NOTICE: Bulletin articles are due 9am on Friday.
(8 days before article appears in bulletin.)
Please submit to ldurler@stpaulgenesee.net



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS WHO ARE SICK:

Ali Amini, Albert Cutler, Krisy Ruethling, Rick Hanke,
Rosemary McCarthy, Maria Mauermann
and Shala Peterson.

All those undergoing treatment for cancer and other illnesses.
(Please call the Parish office to add someone to this prayer list.)



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