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# ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 21, 2024

## WELCOME

to 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

## Parish Office

PO Box 95 Hwy. D & 83  
Genesee Depot, WI 53127  
PH: 262-968-3865

## Office Hours:

Monday-Closed

Tues-Thurs-8:30am to 4:00pm

Friday: 8:30am to 12:30pm

## Religious Education Offices:

262-968-2276

## Website:

[www.stpaulgenesee.net](http://www.stpaulgenesee.net)

## Email:

[office@stpaulgenesee.net](mailto:office@stpaulgenesee.net)

## Eucharistic Celebrations:

Tue & Fri 8:00am Mass

Saturday 5:30pm Mass

Sunday 9:00am Mass

## Reconciliation

2nd & 4th

Saturday at 10:00am  
or by Appointment

Contact the parish office if you would like access to the Adoration Chapel.



B E L O N G . B E L I E V E . B E C O M E .



## Readings for the Week

Readings for the week of July 21, 2024

More detail can be found at: <http://bible.usccb.org/>

**Monday:** Song of Songs 3:1-4b / John 20:1-2, 11-18

**Tuesday:** Micah 7:14-15, 18-20 / Matthew 12:46-50

**Wednesday:** Jeremiah 1:1, 4-10 / Matthew 13:1-9

**Thursday:** 2 Corinthians 4:7-15 / Matthew 20:20-28

**Friday:** Jeremiah 3:14-17 / Matthew 13:18-23

**Saturday:** Jeremiah 7:1-11 / Matthew 13:24-30

## Next Sunday:

2 Kings 4:42-44 / Ephesians 4:1-6 / John 6:1-15

LIVING OUR FAITH

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

22 Monday

Parish Office Closed on Mondays  
6:30pm Social Committee

23 Tuesday

8am Mass / Rosary After Mass

24 Wednesday

6pm Men's Basketball

25 Thursday

7:30am St. Ben's Meal Prep  
9:30am Faith & Life

St. Vincent De Paul School Supply Drive thru 8/4/2024



See something interesting? Check out our website for more information.

## WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Welcome to St. Paul!

We hope you're blessed today as we worship together. Please feel free to stop by the welcome table in the Gathering Space for more information or to connect with us!

If you have any questions about our parish, please contact our parish office or visit our website. We're so glad you're here and we hope to see you again!

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## WEEKLY GOSPEL MEDITATION

Burnout. Recent studies suggest that roughly two-thirds of doctors and nurses have signs of it. You probably know what burnout is: long-term stress leading to emotional exhaustion and a lack of a sense of personal accomplishment. Burnout can threaten anyone who tries to seriously serve and love others. How does our faith inform this challenging experience, and how do we find refreshment?

The apostles face something like burnout this week in Mark 6. They are run down from their missionary work, and Jesus says, **"Come away by yourselves to a lonely place, and rest a while."** For them, and for us, it takes humility to intentionally rest. It means the world can go on without us. It stings our pride to admit God is necessary and we are not. Choosing to leave our good work to be with him — whatever the cost — is an act of humble faith. And that trust in God begins to revive us.

But there's more to it. Hilariously, Mark tells us that throngs of needy people find out where the apostles are going and arrive ahead of them. Imagine the exasperation of the burnt-out apostles. "Can we *please* get a minute to ourselves? This is not healthy!" And Jesus seems to *encourage* the boundary violation by telling his frayed followers to feed the crowd. Look: once we move into humble rest, he calls us to *more* work, because we are made for love, not for rest. But Jesus does the vast bulk of the labor. He himself is the one who multiplies the small offering until everyone is satisfied.

What finally gives our heart rest isn't more vacation time. It's experiencing the super abundant generosity of God for us and those whom we serve. — *Father John Muir* ©LPI



## TRUSTEE TREASURER

Please know Peter Pugal, our current Trustee Treasurer, fully intends to serve another term which I consider a Blessing for our parish. Pete has been an instrumental person in providing leadership for our parish on the Finance Council as well as the Pastoral Council. I look forward to Pete serving another term as Trustee as we continue to grow stronger in our faith here at St. Paul. Fr. Dan

**The ex-officio position of Trustee-Treasurer is up for election.**

**Nominations begin July 14, 2024**

Our trustee position is open and nominations are being accepted. This is a two-year term and nominations will close August 11, 2024. Directives regarding election of Trustees are contained in the Parish Corporate By-Laws. Parishioners who are considering accepting a nomination for the position of Trustee must be educated about the position. The following is a summary of the corporate By-Laws regarding election of Parish Trustees:

- Candidates must be practicing members and at least 25 years old.
- The pastor may nominate one candidate for each position open. Additional candidates must be nominated in writing by ten or more parish members. (Forms in Parish Office)
- Nominations must be completed and announced at the weekend masses prior to the election. If there is only one nominee for the position, nominations are closed and the nominee is declared elected.
- Elections are held every two years by written ballot before and after designated weekend masses.
- The person who receives the highest number of votes will become the Ttee subject to the approval of the Archbishop.

If you have the basic qualifications to serve in the role as parish trustee-treasurer, please consider nominating yourself. All nominees must submit a form, found in the Gathering Space or at the Parish Office with 10 signatures, a biography and a picture to be used in the bulletin.

**Please submit forms to Father Dan, [pastor@stpaulgenesee.net](mailto:pastor@stpaulgenesee.net), by August 11, 2024.**

May the Holy Spirit Move you. *Fr. Dan*

## FINANCIAL CORNER

**Parish Support: June 22, 2024—June 28, 2024**

Regular Parish Support (envelopes/electronic, etc.):	\$5,932.00
Offertory:	\$388.85
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$6,320.85</b>

\*Excludes any form of extraordinary income for both years.

	<u>Fiscal Year to Date</u> 7/1/2023 - 06/28/2024	<u>Last Fiscal Year to Date</u> 7/1/2022 - 06/30/2023
Regular Parish Support*:	\$587,263.37	\$664,621.03
Offertory:	\$28,507.95	\$24,315.19
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$615,771.32</b>	<b>\$688,936.22</b>



# THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

26 Friday

8am Mass / Rosary After Mass

27 Saturday

8am Men's Basketball  
10am Confession  
5:30pm Mass



28 Sunday

9am Mass



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OUR PARISH FAMILY

## Loaves & Fishes Sunday

Loaves & Fishes Sunday is **This Weekend!**

Money collected will go towards our Human Concerns projects.

Thank you.



CHILD & YOUTH MINISTRIES INVITE YOU TO

## Register for FAITH FORMATION!

We are excited to announce the 2024-25 Faith Formation season enrollment begins on July 1st.

- To make things easier, we're offering an early bird discount!
- If you register your child between July 1 and August 1, you'll get a \$15 tuition discount.

Register on the parish website!

Contact the Parish Office for more information!  
262-968-3865

## Bereavement Ministry

The Bereavement Ministry is looking for additional members to help ensure that no member of our St. Paul community grieves alone. Our ministry offers funeral and grief support, along with coordinating the annual Mass of Remembrance. Please consider joining this very important ministry. For more information, please contact Kris Kelm at [kkelm1005@aol.com](mailto:kkelm1005@aol.com) or 262-225-9414.

### Heavenly Babies:

Donations are always welcome for this ministry! They can be dropped off at the Parish Office or in the bassinet in the coat room off of the Gathering Space (next to the Family Room).

Baby items most needed: sleepers, onesies, blanket sleepers, outfits, for boys and girls, sizes 0-3, 3-6 months. Bibs, burp cloths, socks, receiving blankets, pants and tops



### St. Paul Catholic Church Statement of Receipts and Expenses for Budget Overview 2024-2025 as Presented to the Archdiocese As Approved by Finance Council on 05/20/2024

#### Receipts

Weekly Envelopes and Offertory Collection	788,474
Donations	2,000
Registration	24,095
Votive Lights	1,300
Ministry Income	2,970
Interest/Investment Income	36,533
Activity Fees	3,600
Fund Raising (Net of Expense)	3,000

**Total Receipts: 861,972**

#### Expenses:

Salaries	305,575
Salary Related Benefits	77,994
<b>Total Salaries and Benefits</b>	<b>383,569</b>
Supplies & Purchased Services	116,951
Buildings & Grounds Expenses	223,741
Assessments	57,143
Activity Expense	13,570
Other Expenses	34,722

**Total Expenses: 829,696**

**Net Operating Gain/(Loss) 32,276**

"Remember that you are never alone. Christ is with you on your journey every day of your lives!"

Pope St. John Paul II

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## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ ST. BRUNO SCHOOL



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### Seeking School Staff!

St. Bruno Parish School has open positions for the 2024-2025 school year. Are YOU interested or do you know someone to send our way?

- Kitchen Assistant (PT, 5 days/week)
- Adult leader(s) for our Extended Care Program up to five days a week. The After Care position runs from 3:15 to 5:30 PM.
- Assistant for our After Care program daily from 3:30 until approximately 5:30 pm. High school students may apply for this position.

Check out Indeed.com for details. Thanks for thinking of St. Bruno Parish School!



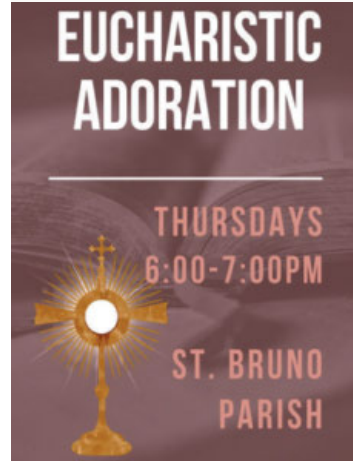
Join us at Kids Fest at Fowler Park in Oconomowoc on Tuesday, August 6, from 9AM - 1PM. This is a fun event for families with bounce houses, rock walls, a petting zoo, inflatables, face painting, games and so much fun planned! Come on down and be sure to stop by our tent and say Hi!

### Help Us At Dousman Derby Days!

We are in need of donations of candy and small bottles of water to hand out at the Dousman Derby Days Parade. Please check the [Sign Up Genius](#) for details and drop off your donation in the Coat Room of the Gathering Place (in the bin labeled Derby Days) by July 21.



## WHAT'S HAPPENING @ ST. BRUNO



**St. Bruno Book Club:** Reading a good book is often better if you can discuss with others. St. Bruno's Book Club welcomes anyone interested in sharing their thoughts on a variety of books. The Book Club meets on the **2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 10:30 am** in the Parish Family Room and sometimes at member's homes.

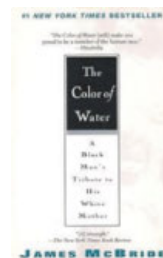
You can come whenever you choose.

### Upcoming Books:

**August 13:** The Color of Water: A Black Man's Tribute to His White Mother by James McBride

**September 10:** The Rent Collector by Cameron Wright

Please call Nancy Klemp at 414-861-4204 for more info.



## GREATER CATHOLIC COMMUNITY



**AUGUST 7-11, 2024**  
**SCHOENSTATT RETREAT CENTER, WAUKESHA**

More Info & Registration at:

[https://archmil.regfox.com/healing-the-whole-person-into-the-deep-august-2024?utm\\_campaign=website&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=sendgrid](https://archmil.regfox.com/healing-the-whole-person-into-the-deep-august-2024?utm_campaign=website&utm_medium=email&utm_source=sendgrid)

**Healing the Whole Person: Into the Deep**  
**5-Day Retreat**

Wednesday, August 7-Sunday, August 11  
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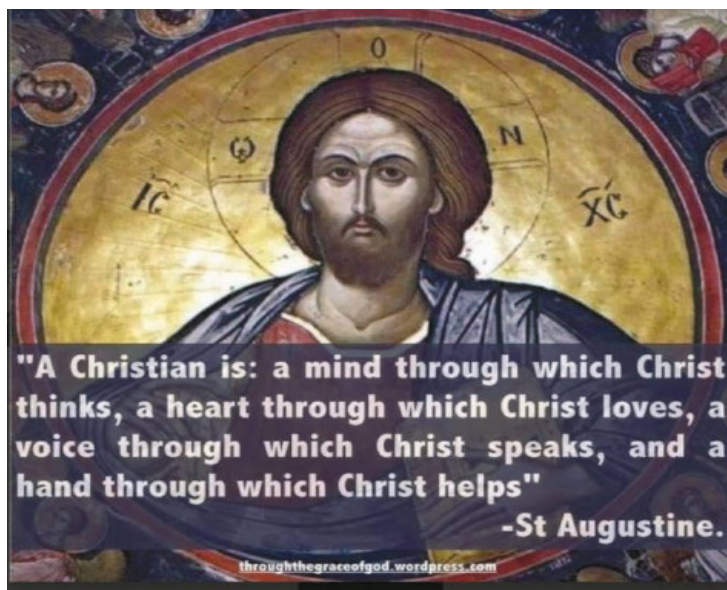
### Rosary For Life and Life's Connection

Please join us in praying the Rosary for Life's Connection, an end to abortion, and respect for life from conception to natural death. On the first and third Saturdays of each month, we pray on the sidewalk in front of Planned Parenthood, just up the street from Life's Connection at 10:00 am. We pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet.  
When: **Every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month at 10:00 am**  
Where: **Planned Parenthood, 426 W. Main St, Waukesha, WI**  
*"The threat of abortion remains our preeminent priority because it directly attacks life itself because it takes place within the sanctuary of the family, and because of the number of lives destroyed." (The USCCB)*




Questions? Contact Bill Bridge at [bill.bridge8@gmail.com](mailto:bill.bridge8@gmail.com)

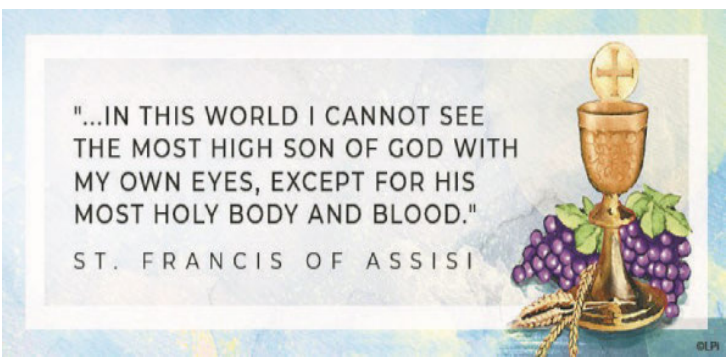




**WORD OF LIFE**  
 "Married love differs from any other love in the world. By its nature, the love of husband and wife is so complete, so ordered to a lifetime of communion with God and each other, that it is open to creating a new human being they will love and care for together."  
 United States Conference of Catholic Bishops  
 "Married Love and the Gift of Life"

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**  
 In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples to "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." Vincent de Paul, a great man of action was also a contemplative. His contemplation of God's love overflowed into practical love for the poor. **Please say a special prayer for the poor and forgotten, as you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul poor box.**

ST PAUL'S LITURGICAL WEEK: MASS INTENTIONS: JULY 22 — JULY 28		
Mon	8:00 AM	(Mass at St. Bruno)
Tues	8:00 AM	† Jean Timm by Kathy Wolf
Wed	8:00 AM	(Mass at St. Bruno)
Fri	8:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Paul & St. Bruno
Sat	4:00 PM	(Mass at St. Bruno)
	5:30 PM	† Barb Campbell by Friends of Brian & Debbie Campbell
Sun	9:00 AM	Parishioners of St. Paul & St. Bruno
	10:30 AM	(Mass at St. Bruno)



**MASS INTENTIONS**  
 If you are interested in signing up for a Mass intention for 2024 our books have many dates available, especially weekdays!  
 There is a stipend of \$20 per mass scheduled.  
 Please contact the Parish 262.968-3865 for information.

PARISH STAFF		
<b>Shared Pastor</b>	Father Dan Volkert	262-968-3865, Ext. 201 ..... pastor@stpaulgeneseenet
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* Shared Staff also works with St. Bruno Parish in Dousman, WI		

PARISH OFFICE HOURS	Prayer Network:
<b>Closed Monday</b> ~ Tuesday-Thursday 8:30am- 4:00pm ~ Friday 8:30am-12:30pm	For our Parish families, those facing surgery, those undergoing treatment for cancer and other chronic illnesses.
<b>Bulletin articles</b> are due before 3pm on Thursday of the week prior to publication (at least 10 days before article appears in bulletin). Please <u>E-MAIL</u> content and artwork to cwick@stpaulgeneseenet	Email <u><a href="mailto:prayernetwork@stpaulgeneseenet">prayernetwork@stpaulgeneseenet</a></u> to add someone to our prayer list.
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