

Saint Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

Sunday, April 7, 2019

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Office Hours..... Monday thru Thursday 9a.m.- 4p.m.

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340 W. Arnold Rd.
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Religious Education Office
Phone.....815-786-2004
E-mailstpaulre@comcast.net
Classes are on Wednesdays
Grades K-8 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Youth Ministry
Confirmation Wed. 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
(as scheduled)

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Jose & Sara Franco.....Hispanic Ministry

Support Staff

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Bulletin Articles

Deadline is Monday noon of week to be published.



Mass Times

Weekend: Saturday . . . 5 pm
Sunday . . . 8 am, 10 am
Spanish: 12 Noon

Weekdays: Monday.....8:30 am Communion Service
Tuesday & Thursday.....5:30 pm
Wednesday & Friday.....8:30 am

CONFESSION:

Tuesdays: 5:10 p.m.
Saturdays 4:00-4:30 p.m.

BAPTISMS:

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

HOLY MATRIMONY:

Preparations are to be made at least six months prior to the desired date with Father.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: (Anytime) Please notify your pastor promptly whenever anyone in the parish is sick or injured.

Please note: If you are in a hospital or health care facility located outside of Sandwich, you are to call the nearest parish for a priestly visit.

CONFIRMATION :

See Religious Education schedule

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday at 7:00 am

FIRST FRIDAY:

9:30 am Communion at Sandwich Rehabilitation (Thursday)
10:00 am Mass at Willowcrest

Mission Statement

“We, the family of St. Paul Parish, live the gospel message of Jesus Christ through worship, education and outreach to all ages. We strengthen our parish and community, respecting our rural traditions, while welcoming the growth and cultural diversity that awaits.”

Vocation Corner by Fr. John McNamara

Today's Gospel story for the 5th Sunday of Lent is a beautiful lesson on the power of God's mercy. As the story goes, a woman is caught in the very act of adultery, then, verbally condemned by the scribes and Pharisees - who eventually walk away realizing they are sinners as well. The story concludes with Jesus lifting her up and forgiving the woman of her sin.

We can often dwell on the past or be reminded by others of our mistakes. Jesus' loving concern shows us that His mercy frees us from the burden of having to worry about what others think of us, and frees us from having to carry around the burden that I think I'm unforgivable. Yes, we all sin, but God's mercy is so much greater than our sins. Let's experience His mercy, get back up, and pursue our vocation in holiness.

Illinois Right to Life's 51st Annual Banquet

Please join us on Friday, May 17, 2019, at the Carlisle in Lombard, IL. Cocktail hour begins at 6 pm followed by dinner and a program at 7 pm. Our keynote speaker will be Trey Gowdy, former Congressman and outspoken pro-life advocate. This is our largest fundraiser of the year. It will determine just how many hearts and minds we can change and lives we can save, as we work to restore a culture that respects and protects human life in Illinois. To purchase tickets, go to www.IllinoisRightToLife.org/Banquet or call 312-422-9300.

Readings for the week of April 7, 2019

Sunday: Is 43:16-21/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [4ab]/Jn 8:12-20

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21 [2]/Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7 [cf. 7]/Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13 [cf. 10d]/Jn 11:45-56

Next Sunday: Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 [2a]/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14-23:56 or 23:1-49



Happenings

April 10- "Be Reconciled Day"

April 23- Fellowship Feast-Somonauk Baptist



Lord, hold our troops in your loving hand. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. I ask this in the name of thy Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Volunteers put their HEARTS into everything!
You and the members of your organization are invited to:

Voluntary Action Center's Annual Volunteer Celebration

Thursday, April 18, 2019

2:00-4:00 PM

The Regale Center

(located behind MVPs)
124 1/2 California Street,
Sycamore, IL

Refreshments will be served at 2:00 PM
Followed by a short program at 3:00 PM



Please RSVP by Friday, April 5th
Call 815-758-3932 or email cbredson@vaccdk.org

This event is made possible by our generous sponsors and volunteers like you!

DAILY CHRONICLE

For those who do Meals on Wheels

If you are unable to fulfill your obligation please find a sub or contact the Parish Office at 786-9266. We need at least 4 people to make things run smoothly.



Bingo Doors open at 4:30 p.m.

Cards go on sale at 5:30 p.m.

Kitchen opens at 5:30 p.m.

Bingo games starts at 7:00 p.m.

CREW 1

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

COMMITTEE: Mike Botts, Larry Zoglman, Raul Quinones, Brian Elder

REFRESHMENTS: Jackie Pyka, Sonia Brown, Concepcion Rodriguez

BAKERS: Geri Henry, Mary Foley, Pat Voga, Dina Gipe, Rosemary Wrede

ADVANCED NOTICE FOR APRIL 14

COMMITTEE: Pete Sprosty, Luis Baez

REFRESHMENTS Sarah Kuester, Rosalinda & Vanessa Sanchez, Sylvia Carrol, Estela Arreola, Carmen Fraire, Leticia Rivera, Lydia Duran

BAKERS: Denise Curran, Marcia Tennant, Sharon Chropkowski, Dolly Huhn, Connie Wiley

Sacramental Life

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

DEVOTIONS Wednesday mornings at 9:15 a.m. at the Church.

OUTREACH:

Anyone experiencing unforeseen circumstances contact Donna Botts at 815-786-8959.

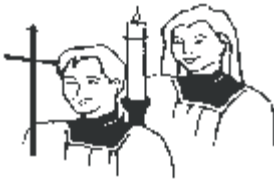
HOMEBOUND EUCHARIST:

Please call David DeCraene at (815) 786-8412.

PRAYER BASKET: The basket is by the candle stand for your intentions

We need Altar Servers!!

If you are in 4th grade or older and would like to serve your parish as an Altar Server—Please contact the Parish Office at 815-786-9266. Training is free.



Be Reconciled Day

April 10, 2019

Father Sehr will be hearing Confessions from 9–10:30 a.m. and 1–8 p.m. for students and adults.

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Fr. Darwin will be hearing confessions in Spanish on **Wednesday, April 17, from 5–9 pm.** for adults and students.

A BIG Thank you to those who helped prepare, serve, and clean-up for Fellowship Feast on March 26th. Would not have done it without you! We served approximately 175 people meatloaf and dishes supplied by other churches.



Stations of the Cross are held every Friday evening during Lent at 7:00pm

PRAYER HOT LINE:

Contact Marilyn Childress at 815-695-5319, to have intentions remembered.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN:

We meet the 1st Tuesday of the month with a few exceptions at the Parish Center at 6:30 pm. Call Nancy L-Cuny-815-919-0452, if there are questions.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

We meet second Tuesday-7:15 pm at St. John Catholic Parish Center in Somonauk. Call the Parish Office 786-9266 for more information.

FIRST FRIDAY: 7 am Adoration, Rosary: 8 am; Mass: 8:30 am; Devotion to the Sacred Heart before Mass.

Good Friday “Way of the Cross” At Planned Parenthood Aurora Through His Holy Passion, Our Lord united Himself with all the victims of suffering in this life. None suffer more innocently than children in the womb whose lives are taken by abortion. None suffer more deeply than their mothers, who carry such a burden of guilt and shame.

This year’s service will be officiated by His Excellency Bishop Daniel Conlon of the Diocese of Joliet!

On Good Friday we remember all the victims of abortion—the children lost, the mothers wounded, the communities blighted—in a solemn, ecumenical prayer service.

- **Event:** Way of the Cross for Victims of Abortion
- **When:** Fri., April 19 at 10 am
- **Where:** Planned Parenthood, 3051 E. New York St., Aurora
- **More Info:** Contact Matt Yonke at 630-896-1200 or matt@prolifeaction.org

Join us as we pray for healing for the victims of abortion and for a final end to this injustice in our land.

Parish Pastoral Council

Dennis Miller.....Chairperson

Parish Finance Council

David DeCraene.....Chairperson



All Classes K thru 8th meet 6:30-7:30 pm

April 10- “Be Reconciled”
April 17- Reg. Scheduled Classes
April 24- Last Class- Awards Night



CONNOR PATRICK MORRISON
Son of Trevor & Kaylee Morrison was Baptized on Sunday, March 31 at St Paul the Apostle Catholic Church by Rev. Bernie Sehr.

The family of Edith Miller would like to thank the parishioners of St. Paul for all the prayers offered on Edith’s behalf, food made and served at the funeral luncheon and especially Fr. Bernie Sehr for his spiritual support.



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Liturgical Ministries

5:00 PM – Saturday, April 13

Eucharist Chris Kroll, Mary Weinhold, John Michels
Lector Hal Ament, Mark Weinhold
Servers Elisabeth Key
Usher G. Miller, D. Miller, B. Miller, Bri Miller

8:00 AM – Sunday, April 14

Eucharist D. Danko, Y. Quintanilla, E. Coppens
Lector Dan Wilson, Ken Smith
Servers Nathan Scherer
Usher S. Szafranski, D. Wargo, L. Schultz, L. Lappe

10:00 AM – Sunday, April 14

Eucharist Nancy L- Cuny, Mark Oropeza, Jeanne Glass
Lector Geri Henry, Candace Allen
Servers Casey Delphey
Usher J. Beyke, B. Knepper, T. Helin, D. Beyke

If you cannot serve in your ministry please get a replacement.

Our Giving

DATE: MARCH 30/31

LOOSE: \$ 574.20

ENVELOPES: \$ 4,073.00

TOTAL : \$ 4,647.20

No. of Registered Families: 395

No. of Envelopes issued: 177

No. of Envelopes used: 109



Please help the money counters by noting the amount of your gift on your envelope. Thank you for mailing your Sunday envelope when you are out of town.

Welcome: Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our parish family, whether long time resident or newly arrived in the parish. If you are interested in registering in our parish please fill out form. You may leave this form in the collection basket or mail to the church office.

Name (Mr., Mrs., Ms., M/M) _____

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 Remove from list Corrections
 Moving

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

5:00 p.m. † John Striegel
(Paddy Schwemlein & Family)

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

8:00 a.m. † Holy Souls in Purgatory
10:00 a.m. † MaryAnn Schweiger (Christian Women)
SPANISH MASS
12:00 p.m. Intention to be Announced at Mass

MONDAY, APRIL 8

8:30 a.m. COMMUNION SERVICE

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

5:30 p.m. † Holy Souls in Purgatory

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

8:30 a.m. † Sandy Adams (Christian Women)

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

5:30 p.m. † George Marcot († Elizabeth Marcot)

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

8:30 a.m. Daniel Sehr (Rev. Bernie Sehr)

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

5:00 p.m. † Donald Weinhold
(Mark & Mary Weinhold)



SUNDAY, APRIL 14

8:00 a.m. † Eugene & Kim Paris (Bernadine Paris)
10:00 a.m. † Victor & Berenice Posanka
(Dave & MaryAlyce DeCraene)
SPANISH MASS
12:00 p.m. *Pro Populo* (People of the Parish)

Please Note: If you pay your donation for a Mass intention by check, we can now include it on your year-end tax statement.

Please Pray For



Norm L-Cuny	Joanne Chapin	Tony Crumpton
Bob Minnick	Reyna Estrada	Joanna Sondgeroth
Samantha Paris	Ron Ciboroski	Sharon Ciboroski
Jo Fahrlander	Cecile Ernest	MaryLou Kreinbrink
Michael Karns	Mary Soave	Caroll Ohligschlager
Keith Burton	Francia Wilson	Catherine Nowacki
Kathy Holdeman	Lee Legner	Michael McGee
Don Henry	Lexie & Sadie	Gladys Hanson
Pat Sapp	Frieders	Virginia Rossok
Dave DeCraene	Dova Olson	Alyssa Mihalka
Joe Vullo	Jeff Pruski	Rita M. Vincent
Theresa Talley	Jim Andrisen	Charlene Birmann
Don Wallis	Mike Page	Ray Nell Celiberti

And for all special intentions
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