# Saint Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

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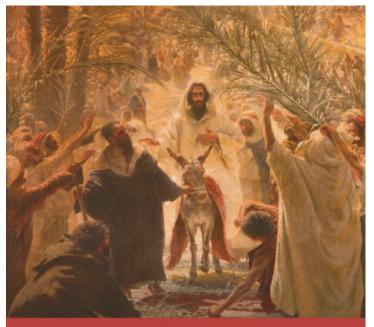
## Pastoral Staff

Rev. Bernie Sehr	Pastor
For Spiritual Emergencies Only	(815)-570-2340
William H. Vincent	Acolyte
Marilyn Ellerby	Business Manager
Krystin Helin	D.R.E.
Sara Franco (331)234-4877	Hispanic Ministry
Sandra Sanchez	Hispanic Ministry

## Support Staff

Edwina Vincent ...... Parish Secretary Scott Helin.....Custodian

Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson.. Dennis Miller Parish Finance Council Chairperson. David DeCraene March 24, 2024



## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

So they brought the colt to Jesus and put their cloaks over it. And he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. - Mk 11:7-8

#### Mass Times

Weekend: Saturday . . .5 pm Sunday . . . .8 am & 10 am, 12 pm (Spanish)

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

Tuesdays: 5:10 p.m.-5:25 p.m. Saturdays: 4:30 p.m.-4:50 p.m. Confessions may also be heard by appointment.

#### **BAPTISMS:**

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

#### **HOLY MATRIMONY:**

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

**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.

## **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."



Some parishioners think they need to spend an hour when coming to Adoration. We encourage you to drop in for whatever time you can spare, even if it's only 10 minutes. It may serve as a wonderful and happy blessing to help your day.

At. St. Paul the Apostle we believe in the power of community support during difficult times. If you have a family member in Hospice Care, we want to extend our love & assistance to you. Our Reach Out program is here to lend a helping hand, offer prayers, and provide comfort during this journey. Please call us at 815-786-9266 and let us know about your loved one. Together we can create a network of care, love & support.



Volunteers are needed for the month of April, to deliver meals to shut-ins. Meals are picked up at Fox Valley Community Center, Monday through Friday at 10:30 a.m. and delivered around the community. Please call Marcia Tennant at 815-498-3281 for the days you are available to deliver. Thank you!



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.

St. Paul the Apostle Parish Fest Date Change Due to an unforeseen schedule conflict, the date of Parish Fest has been changed to Saturday, June 29, 2024

#### **Christian Women News**

Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday, immediately following all of the Sunday Masses.

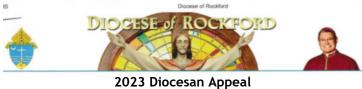
Next Christian Women Meeting is Tuesday, April 2, 2024 at 6:30 pm.

Readings for the week of March 24, 2024 Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/ls 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/ Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1–15:47 or 15:1-39 Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11 Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/H and 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-Wednesday: 34/Mt 26:14-25 Thursday: Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21 Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18 (see 1 Cor 10:16)/1 Cor 11:23-26/ Jn 13:1-15 Friday: Is 52: 16, 17, 25 (Lk 23:46)/ Is 52:13-53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1–19:42 *Easter Vigil:* Gn 1:1–2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 (30) or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 (5b)/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 45 18/02 465 8, 0 10, 141 (1)/5: Saturday: (5D)/Gfi 22:1-18 of 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Ex 14:15–15:1/ Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 (1b)/ls 54:5-14/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a)/ls 55:1-11/ls 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/ Bar 3:9-15, 32-4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 (42:2)/Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7 Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17 Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn Next Sunday: 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7

#### Observances for the week of March 24, 2024

Sunday:	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, Holy Week begins
Thursday:	Holy Thursday
Friday:	Good Friday
Saturday:	Holy Saturday
Next Sunday:	Easter Sunday

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2023 Diocesan Appea KNOW HIM SEE HIM Have Faith in Me

Each year, the Diocesan Appeal raises critical funds that make our ministries and programs possible in our parish and in the our entire diocese. These programs include support for Catholic Charities, seminarian formation, Catholic schools, and so much more. Please prayerfully consider making a gift to this year's Diocesan Appeal. We are still in great need of gifts to obtain our goal. Any deficit of our assessment must be paid by June 30, 2024. Thank you very much to those who have already given to this Appeal!

INVITATION TO OUR HISPANIC COMMUNITY It is with great joy and open hearts that we extend a warm invitation to all members of the Hispanic Community to join us in our Eucharistic Adoration. This special moment of encounter and reflection provides us with the opportunity to come together as brothers and sisters in faith, sharing the loving presence of our Lord Jesus Christ. There is no language barrier, we all are in quiet reflection. Your presence will enrich our community. Please come, you are family.

Friday, April 5, 2024 1-4 pm

Con gran alegria y nuestros corazones abiertos les hacemos una calida invitacion a todos los miembros de nuestra comunidad hispana a unirse a nuestra Adoracion Eucaristica. Es un momento especial de union y reflexion, y nos da la oportunidad a unirnos como Hermanos y hermanas de fe, compartiendo el amor de la precencia de nuestro Senor Jesucristo. No hay barrera de lenguaje, estamos en completa reflexion. Tu precencia enriquecera nuestra comunidad. Acompananos porfavor, tu eres familia.

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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DNass Intentions

#### SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2024

5:00 p.m. **P**Allen Kaufman (Janet Naylon) <u>SUNDAY, MARCH 24</u>

8:00 a.m. **Pro Populo** (People of the Parish) 12:00 p.m. Intention to be Announced at Mass <u>MONDAY, MARCH 25</u> NO MONDAY SERVICES

 TUESDAY, MARCH 26

 5:30 p.m. PMary Alyce DeCraene

(Homebound Ministers) <u>WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27</u> 9:00 a.m. Karen Murillo (Pete & Char Robinson) <u>THURSDAY, MARCH 28– Holy Thursday</u>

7:00 p.m. **T**homas Michels (John & Terre Michels) <u>FRIDAY, MARCH 29– Good Friday</u> 12:00 p.m. Good Friday Service (Spanish)

3:00p.m. Good Friday Service (English) SATURDAY, MARCH 30—Easter Vigil Mass

7:30 p.m. RCIA Candidates <u>SUNDAY, MARCH 31</u> 8:00 a.m. Sharen Novak (Pete & Char Robinson) 10:00 a.m. *Pro Populo* (People of the Parish)

12:00 p.m. Intention to be Announced at Mass

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   	Isac Solis Margie Chrencik	Diane Kreinbrink Rogers Harold Gavin	Leticia Stefanski Madison Vincent Tony Crumpton
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