

Welcome to

St. Paul's Catholic Church (St. Rita's Oratory)

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Deacon Candidates: **DAN LEROY and NOEL VOOS**

October 4, 2020

OFFICE HOURS

SP's: Monday & Friday, 12:30 – 4:00 PM

SM's: Monday & Friday, 8:30 AM – noon

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Sunday @ 10:30 AM

Also by Appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact the Pastor.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Contact the Pastor.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Your mailed in offerings are appreciated.

Envelopes: \$705.00: Plate: \$26.00

21st Century: \$35.00 - Fuel: \$5.00



WEEKLY MEMORIALS (this week)

St. Paul's: The **SANCTUARY LAMP** will burn in loving memory of **MARY ALINE DECKER**.

Requested by Lucille & Jerry. .

THE BISHOP'S FUND APPEAL: Seven families in our parish have made a gift or pledge to the 2020 Bishop's Fund Appeal. Our parish goal is to have 59 or more families participate in this important Appeal. Please prayerfully consider supporting the 2020 Bishop's Fund Appeal with a pledge or one-time gift. Convenient four payment plans are available. You can make your gift online as well by visiting <https://www.rcdony.org/bfa.html#donate>. The Bishop's Fund Appeal supports ministries, activities and programs that serve people throughout the Diocese in ways that we as an individual parish could never do alone. Any gifts received after the Appeal reaches its goal will be used to further supplement the Bishop's Good Samaritan Fund which assists families in need in our community and throughout the Diocese.

Ushers for this week (10/4/2020) are:

- Thomas Murphy
- Francis Dunbar
- Sheila Blankenbush
- Ken Blankenbush

Lector – Patricia Newell



Ushers for next week 10/11/2020) are:

- Thomas Murphy
- Francis Dunbar
- Charles (Andy) Rumschlag
- William Flynn

Lector – Ken Blankenbush

PLEASE wear your masks, practice social distancing and don't linger in groups in the parking lot. Protect yourselves and others. Please leave the kneelers down in the pew you occupied when you leave so that we may know to clean it. Thank you.

You are encouraged to check the Diocesan website for updates on Covid-19.

<https://www.rcdony.org/covid-19>

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Saturday, 4:00 PM (SM) Intention of Phyllis Dobson
October 3 on Her 90th Birthday By James Decker

Sunday, 9:00 AM (SM) Ben Sosa
October 4 By The Perkin's Family

11:00 AM (SP) The People of the Parishes

Liturgical Schedule:

Monday, 8:00 AM (SM) James Cleary
October 5 By Phyllis Dobson

Tuesday, 8:00 AM (SP) Gisele Rainville
October 6 By David Rainville

(Followed by recitation of the Rosary)

Wednesday, 8:00 AM (SM) Andy Kilcer
October 7 By His Friends

Thursday, 8:00 AM (SP) Carmaline Arquitt
October 9 By Pat & Ed Hoppell

(Followed by recitation of the Rosary)

Friday, 8:00 AM (SM) Engracio Samala
October 9 By Hermilo & Lydia Jazmines

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Saturday, 4:00 PM (SM) The People of the Parishes
October 10

Sunday, 9:00 AM (SM) Robert McKeever
October 11 By Phyllis Dobson

11:00 AM (SP) Lynn Patrick Sr.
By Virginia Martin

IN OUR PRAYERS: For all our parents and teachers who teach the ways of faith to our children; for the success of the BISHOP'S FUND APPEAL; for our soldiers serving in overseas missions; for all the sick; and for all our departed



TAKING COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS

Father is now encouraging those who take communion to shut-ins to check in with them and if they are comfortable with you coming to their home, please do so. Only those parishioners in their own homes can be visited, none in assisted living or nursing homes.

Also, if you have a family member that is unable to attend Mass and wishes to have you bring the Body of Christ to them, bring a pyx to Mass and request a consecrated host from Father.

OCTOBER – MONTH OF THE ROSARY:

During the month of October the ROSARY will be recited at **St. Paul's** on Tuesday and Thursday after the 8:00 AM Mass.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: STARTING OCTOBER 18, complete schedule will be forth coming. PARENTS can still enroll their children. There are NO FEES to attend Church School at St. Paul's.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY, October 4, 2020. Gospel Reading: Matthew 33-43. Jesus tells the parable about the wicked tenants.

(Family Connection) In an ideal household, family members know the rules and follow them consistently. Even the most conscientious among us, however, sometimes needs to be reminded of the rules and their importance. How we respond to such correction reveals our true character. In today's Gospel Jesus exposes the religious leaders for their failure to heed God's messengers. It is an opportunity for us to consider how we respond to those who are God's messengers today, calling us to correct our ways and return to the way of the Lord. As you gather as a family, talk about some of the most important rules of your household. Consider how consistently family members follow these rules. How are family members reminded when rules are not being followed? How do they respond? In today's Gospel Jesus corrects the religious leaders through a parable telling them that they have not heeded God's messengers. Read Matthew 21:33-43. What are some of God's rules that we must follow? How do we respond to God's messengers today? Pray together as a family that you will heed God's messengers and follow God's ways. Pray together the **Act of Contrition** for the times when your family has not heeded God's word. My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with your help, to do penance, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In his name, my God, have mercy.

PRAYER LINE: If you wish to be a person who prays for the people on the Prayer Line, please call Virginia Martin at 315-773-5182; or to add someone to the Prayer Line, call Virginia and give the name and reason why the person should be on the Prayer Line (if permitted by the person). Also, if the petition has been granted, or if the person is deceased, or if you would like to give thanks for petitions received, please call Virginia.



OCTOBER-MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY: In the Rosary, with its sequence of prayers and mysteries, we contemplate the Gospel in company with Mary. As St. Pope John Paul II wrote in 2002, "the Rosary...is a prayer loved by countless Saints and encouraged by the Magisterium. Simple yet profound, it still remains, at the dawn of this third Millennium, a prayer of great significance, destined to bring forth a harvest of holiness. With the Rosary, the Christian people sits at the school of Mary and is led to contemplate the beauty on the face of Christ and to experience the depths of his love. Through the Rosary the faithful receive abundant grace, as though from the very hands of the Mother of the Redeemer". (Rosarium Virginis Mariae, 1)

PROMISE TO
PROTECT



PLEDGE TO
HEAL

SAFE ENVIRONMENT CORNER: Did you know? Did you know...here are five ways you can help keep children safe. 1. Develop appropriate and loving relationships with your children; 2. Teach your children safety and healthy boundaries; 3. Know who has access to your children; 4. Learn the warning signs of abuse; 5. Report abuse to appropriate authorities.

OCTOBER 4 - TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: Readings: Is 5:1-7/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

Isn't it wonderful to see how God never gives up on us? He continually provides us with the time and space to come to conversion, to recognize where we have fallen short of God's call to us. God continually reaches out to us, through scripture, through Christ and through the gift of the Sacraments. Cardinal Dolan spoke at the Synod of the New Evangelization in 2012 and suggested that the "primary sacrament of the New Evangelization is the sacrament of penance.... The sacrament of reconciliation evangelizes the evangelizers as it brings us sacramentally into contact with Jesus who calls us to conversion of heart and inspires (us) to answer his invitation to repentance." In today's reading, the tenants are being called to conversion and to bear good fruit. We are being called to conversion. We have been given all we need to follow God's call ... are we listening?

SCRIPTURE & REFLECTION: "'God is faithful, and by him you were called to fellowship with his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord." (1Cor 1:9) God never wearies of calling us back to Himself. His patient love for us exceeds all our willfulness and wandering, all our stubbornness and stupidity!

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time -- If today you hear God's voice harden not your hearts. Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest or religious. Talk to Fr. Vicente or Fr. Christopher Carrara at (315) 393-2920, ext. 1340/ ccarrara@rcdony.org or Cathy Russell, the Diocesan Vocation Coordinator at (315)393-2920, ext. 1450/crussell@rcdony.org. See us at www.myvocation.net.

