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MASSES: SAT EVENING 5:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY MORNING 8:00 & 10:30 A.M.  
TU, WED, FRI: 8:00 A.M.  
THURSDAY: 6:00 P.M.  
ADORATION: FRIDAYS, 8:30 A.M.-7:00 P.M.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:  
TUES, WEDS, FRI: 7:30-7:45 A.M.  
THURSDAY: 5:00-5:45 P.M.  
SATURDAY: 3:45-4:45 P.M.

PASTOR: FR. DAVID HUNECK  
OFFICE HOURS: TUES-FRI 8:30-NOON & 1:00-4:00  
CLOSED ON MONDAYS

WELCOME! WE EXTEND OUR HANDS AND HEARTS TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE WITH US, WHETHER  
LONGTIME RESIDENT OR NEWLY ARRIVED IN THE PARISH. WE THANK GOD THAT YOU ARE WITH US.



September 26-27, 2020

Acolytes

5:00 p.m. No servers at this time

8:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

Lectors

5:00 p.m. Tom Andreas

8:00 a.m. Becky Beery

10:30 a.m. Mike McClain

Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 p.m. Anita Kelley

8:00 a.m. Melinda Woll

10:30 a.m. Brandi Duncan

Ministers of Hospitality

5:00 p.m. Vance Reed, Dillon Reed

8:00 a.m. Dave Leininger, Matt Beery

10:30 a.m. Volunteers

We want to thank the ushers and all the volunteers who stay and help wipe down the pews after each Mass.

Sept 20 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 55:6-9 Phil 1:20c-24,27a

Gospel—Mt 20:1-16a

5:00 p.m. Living & Deceased/ Members of the Holy Family Fraternity of Secular Franciscans

8:00 a.m.: Parishioners

10:30 a.m.: Mark Schilling

Sept 21 Monday: Saint Matthew

Eph 4:1-7,11-13 Ps 19:2-5

Gospel—Mt 9:9-13

NO MASSES ON MONDAYS

Sept 22 Tuesday: Weekday

Prv 21:1-6,10-13 Ps 119:1,27,30,34-35,44

Gospel— Lk 8:19-21

Confession:7:30-7:45 a.m.

8:00 a.m. Joann & Carl Baermann

Sept 23 Wednesday: Saint Pius of Pietrelcina

Prv 30:5-9 Ps 9:29,72,89,101,104,163

Gospel—Lk 9:1-6

Confession:7:30-7:45 a.m.

8:00 a.m. Karen Fries

Sept 24 Thursday: Weekday

Eccl 1:2-11 Ps 90:3-6,12-14,17bc

Gospel: Lk 9:7-9

Confession: 5:00-5:45 p.m.

6:00 p.m. Justin Hinen

Sept 25 Friday: Weekday

Eccl 3:1-11 Ps 144:1b,2abc,3-4

Gospel—Lk 9:18-22

Confession: 7:30-7:45 a.m.

8:00 a.m. Matthew Fisher

**Adoration: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.**

Sept 27 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 18:25-28 Phil 2:1-11

Gospel—Mt 21:28-32

5:00 p.m. Jim Brady

8:00 a.m. Jeff Dunlap

10:30 a.m. Parishioners

**Saturday Confessions: 3:45-4:45 p.m.**

Weekend of August September 12-13	
Adult Envelopes	\$ 3,177.00
Loose	279.75
Religious Ed	76.00
Repair	395.00
Candles	34.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,961.75</b>
St. Vincent de Paul	25.00
Disaster Fund	279.00
Communications	160.00
<b>Online Giving 7-13</b>	
Weekly Offering	\$3,163.00
Religious Ed & Fees	318.00
Repair	527.00
Second Collection	197.00
<b>Weekly Total</b>	<b>\$ 4,205.00</b>

*Due to the increase in the COVID-19 cases in our state, the Indiana bishops have decided to extend the dispensation from the obligation of Sunday Mass attendance beyond **August 15** until **November 1, 2020**, unless further developments determine otherwise."*

The passion of Jesus is a sea of sorrows, but it is also an ocean of love. Ask the Lord to teach you to fish in this ocean. Dive into its depths. No matter how deep you go, you will never reach the bottom. ~St. Paul of the Cross~



Dear Friends,

Bishop's Appeal Pledges are beginning to come in! Our goal is \$34,572.56 and we've already pledged \$6,705. We are off to a good start. Every little bit counts, so let's get those pledge cards in!

RCIA classes will begin Tuesday, September 29 at 7PM in the parish council room. I want to invite anyone who is considering becoming Catholic to attend. For more information or questions email me. [frdavid@saintpaulcc.org](mailto:frdavid@saintpaulcc.org)

Some exciting news! Our parish now has a Formed.org subscription. Formed is a streaming service that has excellent resources for teaching the Catholic faith. There are movies about saints, series about the sacraments and children's television shows. To sign up: first go to their website [formed.org](http://formed.org). Then click 'signup'. A box will pop up then click *I Belong to a Parish or Organization*. It will take you to a new page. Search for our parish. Then enter your name and email address. Then you should be able to enjoy all that Formed has to offer.

-Fr David

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Knights of Columbus will sponsor a Pancake breakfast **Oct 4th** from 8:00-11:00. Proceeds will be given to "Boomerang Backpacks" an organization that helps feed children on the weekends. Cost will be 12yr and up \$7; 7 to 12 yr. \$4; 6 and under are FREE

## BISHOPS EMERGENCY DISASTER FUND

A special collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend to support the work of the Church, Catholic Charities USA, and Catholic Relief Services in responding to emergency humanitarian needs, rebuilding and recovery efforts, and pastoral and reconstruction needs of the Church after the devastation caused by Hurricane Laura. Funds collected will also be used for any other disasters that occur during this traditional storm season.

### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR FISCAL YEAR

JUNE 30, 2020

#### INCOME

SUNDAY & HOLY DAY COLLECTIONS	\$301,380.97
DONATIONS	5,864.03
RELIGIOUS ED	7,651.00
YOUTH MINISTRY	10,740.80
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL	807.00
BISHOP'S APPEAL OVERGOAL	4,647.72
TECH GRANT	1,327.00
SOCIALS/COFFEE & DONUTS	417.80
REPAIR FUND/BUILDING FUNDS	44,630.03
MISC. INCOME (flowers, candles, bulletin ads, Rental and cemetery, socials)	11,220.22
INTEREST & DIVIDENDS	672.83
<b><u>TOTAL INCOME</u></b>	<b><u>\$389,359.40</u></b>

#### EXPENSE

PARISH ADMINISTRATION	\$105,180.98
CHURCH OPERATION	104,041.90
PARISH HALL OPERATION	25,111.72
RECTORY OPERATION	24,621.16
CONSOLIDATED INSURANCE	262.80
PARKING LOT	2,120.00
CEMETERY	2,346.72
PASTORAL/LITURGICAL	98,619.34
MUSIC	875.00
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	30,450.47
YOUTH MINISTRY	19,798.23
SOCIALS	4,617.51
<b><u>TOTAL EXPENSE</u></b>	<b><u>\$418,045.83</u></b>
	<b><u>(\$28,686.43)</u></b>

#### **YOUTH GROUP**

**All high school students are invited to attend**

**September 20:** Biblical Bable 6p.m.-8p.m. in the church basement

Snack theme: The Letter "B"

Prayer Challenge: Read your Bible for 5 minutes each day.

**September 27:** Bad Guys & Heroes 6 p.m.-8 p.m.

Snack theme: Mexican

Prayer Challenge: Research a Saint with a less than stellar past

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If you are not comfortable about attending Mass at this time and do not wish to serve, please let me know by way of email [saintpaulchurch@embargmail.com](mailto:saintpaulchurch@embargmail.com) or call and leave a message. Thank you all for your help.

## October 2020 MINISTER SCHEDULE

<u>Lector</u>	<u>Eucharistic Minister</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Min. of Hospitality</u>
<u>Sat Oct 3</u> 5:00 p.m. Melanie Bechtold	Janelle Schmitt		Sam Bechtold Chris Bechtold
<u>Sun Oct 4</u> 8:00 a.m. Chris Morgan	Sara St. Clair		Tony Crowe Bonnie Crowe
<u>Sun. Oct 4</u> 10:30 a.m. Don Neff	Laura Rumschlag		Volunteers
<u>Lector</u>	<u>Eucharistic Minister</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Min. of Hospitality</u>
<u>Sat. Oct 10</u> 5:00 p.m. Kevin Rupp	Riza Crump		Vance Reed Dillon Reed
<u>Sun. Oct 11</u> 8:00 a.m. Rob Muratori	Dick Buchanan		Steve Schmitt Matt Beery
<u>Sun. Oct 11</u> 10:30 a.m. John Gilles	Kristen Zickgraf		Volunteers

<b>Lector</b>	<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	<b>Acolytes</b>	<b>Min. of Hospitality</b>
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**Sat. Oct 17**

**5:00 p.m.**

Tom Andreas

Leanna Andreas

Andrew Herber

Chris Bechtold

**Sun. Oct 18**

**8:00 a.m.**

John Herrmann

Roxy Herrmann

Mike Sands

Bruce VandeZande

**Sun. Oct 18**

10:30 a.m.

Mike McClain

**Ingrid McClain**

Volunteers

<b>Lector</b>	<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	<b>Acolytes</b>	<b>Min. of Hospitality</b>
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**Sat Oct 24**

**5:00 p.m.**

Melanie Bechtold

Anita Kelley

Vance Reed

Dillon Reed

**Sun. Oct 25**

**8:00 a.m.**

Becky Beery

Melinda Woll

Dave Leininger

Matt Beery

**Sun. Oct 25**

10:30 a.m.

Don Neff

Tonia Weigold

Volunteers

Sat Oct 31

5:00 p.m.  
Kevin Rupp

Danielle Smethers

Dillon Reed  
Vance Reed

Sun Nov 1

8:00 a.m.  
Chris Morgan

Jeremy Swonger

Tony Crowe  
Bonnie Crowe

Sun. Nov 1

10:30 a.m.  
Mike McClain

Ingrid McClain

Volunteers