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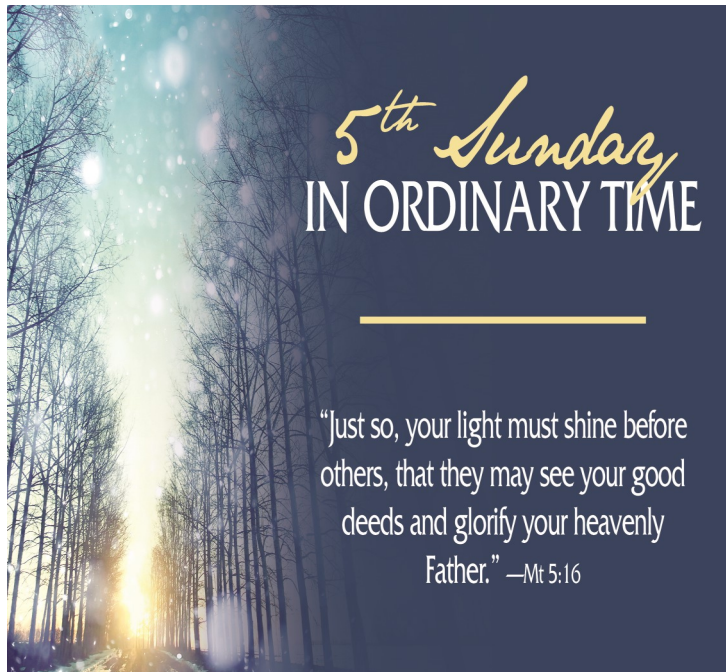
Sunday, February 5, 2017

Parish Address  
340 W. Arnold Rd.  
Sandwich, IL 60548  
Office Phone..... 815-786-9266  
Office Hours..... Monday thru Thursday 9a.m.- 4p.m.

Website.....www.saintpaulscc.net  
Cemetery: Contact the Parish Office  
Parish Center  
340 W. Arnold Rd.  
Kitchen Phone ..... 815-786-2004

Religious Education Office  
Phone..... 815-786-2004  
E-mail.....stpaulre@comcast.net  
Classes are on Wednesdays  
Grades K-4 ..... 3:45 to 5:00 p.m.  
Grades 5th, 6th, & 7th .....7:00 to 8:00 p.m.  
Youth Ministry  
Confirmation ..... Wed. 6:30 - 8 p.m.  
(as scheduled)

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### Mass Times

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

**Weekdays:** Monday.....8:30 am  
Tuesday.....5:30 pm  
Wed./Fri.....8:30 am

## Pastoral Staff

Rev. Louis G. Tosto .....Parochial Vicar  
William H. Vincent .....Acolyte  
Marilyn Ellerby .....Business Manager  
Donna Botts.....D.R.E.  
Camille Hanzlik.....Bereavement Ministry  
Jose & Sara Franco.....Hispanic Ministry

## Support Staff

Edwina Vincent ..... Parish Secretary  
Marie Jewell .....Sacristan  
June Thompson.....Custodian

### Bulletin Articles

Deadline is Monday noon of week to be published.

### **CONFESSION:**

Tuesdays: 5:10 p.m.  
Saturdays 3:30-4:30 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**

1 hour before weekday Masses

### **FIRST FRIDAY:**

10:00 am Mass at Willowcrest

11:00 am Communion at Sandwich Rehabilitation (Thursday)

## 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: Age Range?

Rev. Keith Romke

As the vocation director for the diocese, I am constantly talking to people about answering God's call for their life. The group I talk to most frequently are teenagers, followed by those in their twenties, and a handful in their thirties or forties. I'll admit that I don't give many vocation talks for those who are older than that. But this does not mean that those who are at or past what we would consider middle-age don't have vocations any longer! God calls all of us to fulfill specific purposes *each and every day* whether we are 9, 19, or 99! A child recently asked me how much longer I was planning on being a priest for! When I explained that I would be a priest for the rest of my life, they then asked what I planned on doing after I retire. I explained that I would still be a priest because it is not a job, it is a vocation! The same thing is true of marriage, or parenthood, or whatever vocation God calls you to! Will circumstances change when parents become empty nesters? Yes, of course they do, but they are still called to love and live out their vocation as parents and eventually as grandparents! It is just as important to be pondering God's will for your life at 60 or 70 as it is when you're in high school! So, no matter how old you are, I encourage you to daily begin your day by asking God what his plan is for you that day and then carrying it out with all of your heart!

### Daily Readings

#### Readings for the Week of February 5, 2017

**Sunday:** Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-9/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16  
**Monday:** Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c/Mk 6:53-56  
**Tuesday:** Gn 1:20--2:4a/Ps 8:4-9/Mk 7:1-13  
**Wednesday:** Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30/Mk 7:14-23  
**Thursday:** Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-5/Mk 7:24-30  
**Friday:** Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5-7/Mk 7:31-37  
**Saturday:** Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2-4abc, 5-6, 12-13/Mk 8:1-10  
**Next Sunday:** Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37

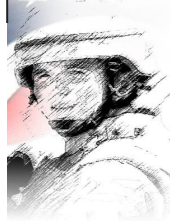


February

## Happenings

**Feb. 7 -** Christian Women Meet in Kane Hall at 6:30  
Catholics Returning Home at 7-8:30 pm

**Feb. 28 -** Fellowship Feast –Somonauk Baptist 4:30 to 6 pm,



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.



### The St. Vincent de Paul Society iPad Mini Raffle

The SVdPS offers you a chance to win a new Apple iPad Mini. Tickets will be sold before and after weekend Masses at a price of **\$1.00 each** or **6 for \$5.00**. Drawing will be held on February 13, 2017.

100% of the proceeds will help those in need in the



Come join a community Mardi Gras celebration on **February 25, 2017** at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church's parish center in Somonauk from 6 to 10 pm. All are welcome. Enjoy great food and cocktails while listening and dancing to the live band Black Tie Jazz Trio. There will also be some raffles and door prizes given. Tickets will be \$20/person or \$120 donation for a table of 8. Please call Beth 815-498-3702 or Julie 815-498-2706 for tickets, or go to the parish rectory.



**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 2

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

**COMMITTEE:** Pete Sprosty, Ken Smith, Luis Baez  
**REFRESHMENTS:** Estela Arreola, Rosalinda & Vanessa Sanchez, Sylvia Carrol, Val Lorruso

**BAKERS:** Denise Curran, Jane Wolf, Marcia Tennant, Sharon Chropkowski,

#### ADVANCED NOTICE FOR FEBRUARY 12

**COMMITTEE:** Rick Pellegrini, Mark Oropeza, John Ciceraro

**REFRESHMENTS:** Sarah Kuester, Maria Oropeza, Candace Allen, Sharlene Kruchten, Leticia Rivera, Mirsa Hernandez,

**BAKERS:** Edwina Vincent, Donna Beyke, Diana Wargo, Karen Verda, Becky Frieders

# Sacramental Life

## OUR LADY OF FATIMA

**DEVOTIONS** Thursday mornings at 9:15 a.m. at the Church.

## OUTREACH:

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

## HOMEBOUND EUCHARIST:

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

## FRIENDS OF THE CROSS PRAYER

**MEETING-** Meet Thursday at 6:30 pm, at Parish Center.

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

## Christian Women

St. Paul's Christian women will meet on **Tuesday, February 7th at 6:30 pm in Kane Hall.** All women of the parish are invited to join us.

Hostesses for the evening are Virginia Rossok, Bernadine Paris, Dolly Huhn and Nancy L-Cuny. Please Join us!

## Forgiven-The Transforming Power of Confession

Produced by Augustine Institute will begin on Feb. 7th at 9am and on Thurs. Feb. 9th at 6:30 pm.

This 5 week study will help you recognize the beauty of the Rite of Penance and the power of the grace God offers in this Sacrament. God seeks us out when we have sinned and calls us back to Himself.

Each session will include prayer, video, discussion and resources for further study.

Session 1-Where are you?

Session 2-An encounter with Mary

Session 3-The rite explained

Session 4 -Biblical Foundation: Sin, Mercy and the Sacrament of Confession.

Session 5- Your questions answered. Call Donna at 815-786-2004 M-W to sign up

## PRAYER HOT LINE:

Contact Ann Lessick at 630-803-8488, or Marilyn Childress at 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 MaryAlyce DeCraene at 815-786-8412.

## 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, Confessions-7:45 am; Rosary: 8 am; Mass: 8:30 am; Devotion to the Sacred Heart following Mass.

## St. Charbel Presentation

The St John the Baptist Women's Society invites everyone to the St. Charbel Presentation given by Simone Romano. Simone is from Lebanon and tells a wonderful history of Lebanese St. Charbel. The Presentation will be **Sunday, February 12th at 4:00 pm** in our Parish Center at 135 W. LaSalle in Somonauk.

## Catholics Returning Home

An Invitation for Non-Practicing Catholics

+Were you raised Catholic but do not come or seldom come to Church?

+Are you a Catholic who now feels separated from the Church?

+Would you like to know more about the Catholic Church as it is today?

+Would you like to feel at home in the Catholic Church again?

Please read the enclosed stuffer for more information concerning this 6 week session.

If you know someone who might be interested please pass the information along.

## Parish Pastoral Council

Dennis Miller.....Chairperson

## Parish Finance Council

David DeCraene.....Chairperson



**Feb. 8 -Reg. Class Schedule**

**Feb. 15 -Reg. Class Schedule**

**S.W.A.M.P. Activities 6:30 pm**

**Feb. 22- Pancake Pigout 6:30**

## Confirmation Class

**8th Grade & Freshman**

**Feb. 15- Reg. class time**

**March 1—Ash Wednesday**

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# Liturgical Ministries

## 5:00 PM – Saturday, February 11

Eucharist Marilyn Ellerby, Patti Hake, Theresa Moris  
 Lector Hal Ament, Denise Curran  
 Servers Shea Reisel  
 Usher D. Miller, M. Haefelin, B. Miller,

## 8:00 AM -Sunday, February 12

Eucharist B. Vincent, Yesenia Quintanilla, M. Tennant  
 Lector Tom Karpus, Ken Smith  
 Servers Brenden Scherer, Nathan Scherer  
 Usher V. Aubart, D. Wargo, J. & C. Andrisen

## 10:00 AM – Sunday, February 12

Eucharist Geri Henry, Tim Gipe, Dina Gipe  
 Lector Marissa Jourdan, Marilyn Childress  
 Servers Casey Delphey, Sofia Hill  
 Usher J. Beyke, B. Watgen, D. Scholtz, T. O'Connell

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

# Our Giving

DATE: JANUARY 28/29

LOOSE: \$ 392.01

ENVELOPES: \$ 3,154.00

TOTAL : \$ 3,546.01

No. of Registered Families: 395

No. of Envelopes issued: 200

No. of Envelopes used: 112



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.

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- New to Parish       New Phone  
 Remove from list       Corrections  
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# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

5:00 p.m. † Ellen Cameron (Greg Silagi)

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

8:00 a.m. † Ed Newkirk

(Charlie & Joanna Sondgeroth)

10:00 a.m. † Don Soave (Family)

## SPANISH MASS

12:00 p.m. *Pro Populo* (People of St. Paul)

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6

8:30 a.m. COMMUNION SERVICE

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

5:30 p.m. † Margaret Tallent (Jack & Kathy Kuppler)

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

8:30 a.m. † Holy Souls in Purgatory

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8:30 a.m. † Therese Tews (Jim & Family)

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

8:30 a.m. † Rosemarie Prokopec (Peggy Kaufman)

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

5:00 p.m. † Donna Paul (John Paul Sr.)

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8:00 a.m. † Eugene & Kim Paris (Bernadine Paris)

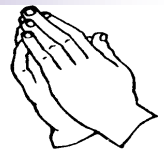
10:00 a.m. † Dorothy Boynton (Family & Friends)

## SPANISH MASS

12:00 p.m. † Hortencia Torres (St. Paul's Staff)

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



Margie Shinnars	Joanne Chapin	Tony Crumpton
Norm L-Cuny	Reyna Estrada	Joanna Sondgeroth
Bob Minnick	Terry Price	Sharon Ciboroski
JoDene Enck	Ron Ciboroski	MaryLou Kreinbrink
Samantha Paris	Sandy Adams	Leonard Bjornson
Annette Hinman	Cecile Ernest	Beth Swanson
Jo Fahrlander	Mary Soave	Ruth Spears
Robert Paulus	Janet Hinman	Jameson Arnold
Bill Wasko	Francia Wilson	Caroll Ohligschlager
Susie Hughes	Bill Watgen	Peyton M. Belline
Michael Karns		Vincent Tometich

And for all special intentions  
 If you know someone who is ill or having surgery,  
 contact the Parish Office at 786-9266.