



In loving memory of those who remain forever present in our hearts.....

In loving memory of JOHN HARUSKA & HARUSKA FAMILY MEMBERS

In memory of ANTON & ANNA SMOLKA, daughters FRANCES & HELEN; sons ANDREW, JOHN, JOSEPH, and TONY

In memory of JOSEPH & ROSE STEHLIK & DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE STEHLIK & BARTA FAMILIES

In loving memory of LOUIS, BERTHA, & DONOVAN DZIURKA, BALWINSKI & NETZLEY FAMILIES & FRIENDS

In loving memory of LAMEY, WAGNER & DAMASKO FAMILIES

In loving memory of RAYNOLD & RITA MILLER & BETTIE HILLABRANDT

In loving memory of BURTIS BLAIR, LOUIS & MARY KUPRES

In loving memory of the members of THE BOWEN, DIONISE, FORTINO & TOWN FAMILIES

In loving memory of EDWIN R OLSZEWSKI & GRANDSON MARK GREENING

In loving memory of GAVENDA, CASNOVSKY & SPIECE FAMILIES

In loving memory of JOHN, JOHANNA, & JAMES RADUCHA

In loving memory of THOMAS, ANGELA, & JEROME SAGER and DONNA & JERRY HICKEY

In loving memory of TOM ZAMARRON AND SONS, TOM & LARRY, ARTHUR & CLARA ST PIERRE,

AMELIA & TRINIDAD ZAMARRON & SZYBOWICZ FAMILY

In loving memory of STUART & MARY SNIDER & SON AUGUST

In loving memory of GEORGE & MARTHAJEAN FRANICH, RONALD & MARY LOCKE

In loving memory of JOSEPH & PHYLLIS TREFIL, DEANNA AND DJ TREFIL

In loving memory of LOUISE (LOU) GOOSEN, LOUIS & ROSE GOOSEN, ART & BETTY KLEIN

In loving memory of ROBERT A KRISTIN

In loving memory of BILL & MILLIE LAFRENIERE

In loving memory of BETTY FINCH

In loving memory of GEORGE & KATHY VOJTAS

Feast of Epiphany

January 3, 2021

ST PAUL THE APOSTLE PARISH

Parish Priest: Fr. Edwin C. Dwyer, JCL | Rev.Dwyer@yahoo.com – best method of contact | Rectory: (989) 875-3654



St Paul the Apostle Mission Statement

We the Parish of St Paul the Apostle, including the churches of St Martin de Porres and St Paul the Apostle as Disciples of Jesus Christ, accept the call of our Savior, to proclaim God's Word, through worship, prayers, and actions in our respective communities.

We take seriously the responsibility of God's call to serve others, live out His word and support His church here on earth.

St. Paul the Apostle Church (Ithaca)	St Martin de Porres Church (Perrinton)
121 N Union St Ithaca, MI 48847	4101 W Cleveland Rd Perrinton, MI 48871
Mass Schedule: Monday: 12:15 - 40 p.m. Wednesday: 6 p.m. (5:30pm Confession) Thursday: Lay-Led Adoration 10 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Saturday: 6 p.m. (5 p.m. Confession) Sunday: 11 a.m.	Mass Schedule: Friday: 9 a.m. Sunday: 9 a.m.
Office Hours: Monday 1 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Tuesday 9 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Wednesday 1 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. * Friday 9 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Contact Us: Phone (989) 875-2852 Fax (989) 875-7027 E-mail stpaultheapostle.secretary@gmail.com Website https://stpaulparishmi.org/
* Please submit announcements by 3:00 pm on Wednesday. Thank you!	

LITURGY SCHEDULE		
MON	JAN 4	
12:15 PM	IT	MASS
<i>Mass intention is for +Edwin C. Dwyer</i>		
WED	JAN 6	
6:00 PM	IT	MASS
<i>Mass intention is pro populo</i>		
THURS	JAN 7	
10:00 AM – 8 PM.	IT	ADORATION
FRI	JAN 8	
9:00 AM	PE	MASS
<i>Mass intention is for +Melvin Wieber</i>		
SAT	JAN 9	
6:00 PM	IT	MASS
<i>Mass intention is pro populo</i>		
SUN	JAN 10	BAPTISM OF THE LORD
9:00 AM	PE	
<i>Mass intention is for +Melvin Wieber</i>		
11:00 am	IT	BAPTISM OF THE LORD
<i>Mass intention is pro populo</i>		

ST PAUL'S ASSIGNMENTS

SATURDAY, JAN 9	SUNDAY, JAN 10
LECTORS	
Mares Vanderploeg	Chuck Wieferich John Raducha
ALTAR SERVERS	
USHERS	
Pat Lamey Mary Bowen	Zachary Mikulka Al Ramereiz Dane Longanbach Mark Barrows

ST MARTIN'S ASSIGNMENTS

LECTORS	Sara Waldron
ALTAR SERVERS	
USHERS	Terry and Joanne Donahue

Ephiphany Blessing of a Home

On entering the home,

Leader (Priest, if present, or father of the family) :
Peace be to this house.

All: And to all who dwell herein.

All: From the east came the Magi to Bethlehem to adore the Lord; and opening their treasures they offered precious gifts: gold for the great King, incense for the true God, and myrrh in symbol of His burial.

All Pray:

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
my spirit rejoices in God my Savior
for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.
From this day all generations will call me blessed:
the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his Name.

He has mercy on those who fear him
in every generation.
He has shown the strength of his arm,
he has scattered the proud in their conceit.

He has cast down the mighty from their thrones,
and has lifted up the lowly.
He has filled the hungry with good things,
and the rich he has sent away empty.

He has come to the help of his servant Israel
for he remembered his promise of mercy,
the promise he made to our fathers,
to Abraham and his children forever.
All: From the east came the Magi to Bethlehem to adore
the Lord; and opening their treasures they offered
precious gifts: gold for the great King, incense for the
true God, and myrrh in symbol of His burial.

Leader: Our Father. . .
Leader: All they from Saba shall come
All: Bringing gold and frankincense.
Leader: O Lord, hear my prayer.
All: And let my cry come to You.
Leader: Let us pray. O God, who by the guidance of a
star didst on this day manifest Thine only-begotten Son
to the Gentiles, mercifully grant that we who know Thee
by faith may also attain the vision of Thy glorious
majesty. Through Christ our Lord.
All: Amen.
Leader: Be enlightened, be enlightened, O Jerusalem,
for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen
upon thee—Jesus Christ born of the Virgin Mary.
All: And the Gentiles shall walk in thy light and kings in
the splendor of thy rising, and the glory of the Lord has
risen upon thee.

Leader: Let us pray.
Bless, O Lord God almighty, this home, that in it there
may be health, purity, the strength of victory, humility,
goodness and mercy, the fulfillment of Thy law, the
thanksgiving to God the Father and to the Son and to the
Holy Spirit. And may this blessing remain upon this
home and upon all who dwell herein. Through Christ our
Lord.
All: Amen.
*After the prayers of the blessing are recited, each room
of the home is sprinkled with Epiphany water and
incensed. The initials of the Magi are inscribed upon the
doors with the blessed chalk. (The initials, C, M, B, can
also be interpreted as the Latin phrase "Christus
mansionem benedicat" which means "Christ bless this
house".)*

Example: 20 + C + M + B + 20

**NO GIFT IS TOO SMALL OR TOO GREAT
WHEN GIVEN FROM THE HEART**

ST PAUL PARISH 12/27/20: \$6,642.50
(Christmas offering is included in this total)

CMA 2020-21 launched October 24, 2020	
Contribution total through	Target: \$34,517.00
November 2020: \$12,800.00	
Our parish needs: \$21,717.00	

Thank you all for your tithes, pledges, and payments!

LET US PRAY FOR ... THE SICK

David Sager | Keith Peters | Stephen Zamarron | Theresa Olszewski

... THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Ron Coe | Roxanne Anderson | Julius Remenar | Ruth Diebold
Mary Gabrion | Eileen Proko | Melvin Wieber

... THE MILITARY :

Major Matthew Cary | Tony Bellinger | Lt. Col. Tom Sager

Remember those who have no one to pray for them.

Please contact the office with any names that you would like
to add to a Prayer List.



Scripture Readings for the Week (1/4-1/10)			
M	1John 3:22-4:6	Ps 2:7-9, 10-12	Matthew 4:12-17, 24, 25
TU	1 John 4:7-10	Ps 72:1-4;7-8	Mark 4:34-44
W	1John 4:11-18	Ps 72:1-2;10;12-13	Mark 6:45-52
TH	1 John 4:19-5:4	Ps 72:1-2;14;15;17	Luke 4:14-22
FR	1 John 5:5-13	Ps 147:5-15,19 20	Luke 5:12-16
ST	1 John 5:14-21	Ps 149:1-6a, 9b	John 3:22-30
SN	Isiah 42:1-4,6-7 Acts 10:34-38	Ps 24:1-4,9-10	Mark 1:7-11

READ TODAY'S DAILY READING HERE

COFFEE FUNDRAISER

St. Paul has partnered with Hard Tack Coffee Company from Shepherd, Michigan. We will be selling coffee that is locally roasted and packaged by this Catholic owned business. The cost is \$8.00 per 8 oz bag, and St. Paul makes a profit off each bag sold. It is available in a variety of flavors, and will be available after Masses and at the office during regular hours.

WEDNESDAY ROSARY

Knights of Columbus will be offering the Rosary at 5:30 p.m. prior to the Wednesday night Mass on January 13th.

LIVING ROSARY

Please remember that this Saturday, January 2, is the First Saturday of the month. The First Saturday is the time when we change to pray the next mystery of the Living Rosary. If you have any questions, please check the chart in the vestibule.

PLEASE JOIN US

The Knights of Columbus will serve Coffee and Rolls after the 11:00 am Mass at St. Pauls on Sunday, January 10th.

SPECIAL BLESSING OF WATER, SALT & CHALK!

Fr. Eddie will celebrate the special blessings associated with Epiphany Masses. Please bring your own water, salt, and chalk to Mass.

This is a traditional time for blessing homes in the Church, and each of these items can play a role in that blessing. The prayers and blessing guide is on the left in this bulletin. Bring water in a sealed container (i.e., water bottle or reusable milk-jug). Salt can be any kind (i.e., kosher, table, or pink Himalayan) Chalk can be any color.