

LITURGY SCHEDULE		
MON	MAY 31	
12:15 PM	IT	MASS (longer Mass) <i>Mass intention is for the souls of US military</i>
TUES	JUNE 1	
6:00 PM	IT	MARIAN CONSECRATION
WED	JUNE 2	
5:30-5:55 PM	IT	CONFESSION
6:00 PM	IT	MASS <i>Mass intention is pro populo</i>
THURS	JUNE 3	
10 AM – 8 PM	IT	ADORATION
FRI	JUNE 4	
9:00 AM	PE	FIRST FRIDAY MASS <i>Mass intention is pro populo</i>
SAT	JUNE 5	
10:30 AM	IT	FIRST SATURDAY MASS
4:30 – 5:50 PM	IT	CONFESSION
6:00 PM	IT	MASS Rite of Christian Initiation <i>Mass intention is for +Howard Charles Adams</i>
SUN	JUNE 6	CORPUS CHRISTI
9:00 AM	PE	MASS 1 st Communion <i>Mass intention is pro populo</i>
11:00 AM	IT	MASS 1 st Communion <i>Mass intention is for Marilyn Lemeraud</i>

ST PAUL'S ASSIGNMENTS

SATURDAY, JUNE 5	SUNDAY, JUNE 6
LECTORS	
Mary Zamarron	Courtney Patrick Dora Gaitan
ALTAR SERVERS	
USHERS	
John Franich Maureen Murphy	Al Ramereiz Rich Ramereiz Mark Barrows Chuck Wieferich

ST MARTIN'S ASSIGNMENTS

LECTORS	Sara Waldron
ALTAR SERVERS	
USHERS	Terry and JoAnn Donohue

Scripture Readings for the Week (5/31-6/6/2021)			
M	Zephaniah 3:14-18a	Isaiah 12:2-6	Luke 1:39-56
TU	Tobit 2:9-14	Ps 112:1,2,7-9	Mark 12:13-17
W	Tobit 3:1-11a, 16-17a	Ps 25:2-9	Mark 12:18-27
TH	Tobit 6:10,11;7:1,9-17;8:4-9	Ps 128:1-5	Mark 12:28-34
FR	Tobit 11:5-17	Ps 146:1,2,6,7,8-10	Mark 12:35-37
ST	Tobit 12:1,5-15,20	Tobit 13:2,6-8	Mark 12:38-44
SN	Exodus 24:3-8 Hebrews 9:11-15	Ps 116:12,13,15-18	Mark 14:12-16,22-26

READ TODAY'S DAILY READING HERE

Dear People of St. Paul Parish,

I have truly enjoyed the opportunity to spend two weeks among you. In the Rule of St. Benedict it says, "all guests who present themselves are to be welcomed as Christ." I have felt that deep Christian hospitality from your parish family. So many of you have taken the time to introduce yourselves, engage me in a conversation, and wish me well. Some have taken me to dinner, while others have brought food to the rectory. Hospitality has even been extended to my dog. She got sick, and members of your community helped me nurse her back to health. All I can say is thanks. You have really shown us kindness.

Those of you who attended the parish mission and contributed to Saint Meinrad through the collection have supported the work of Saint Meinrad Archabbey, Seminary and School of Theology. Saint Meinrad Archabbey is a community of Benedictine monks, dedicated to the praise and glory of God. Our guesthouse and retreat center welcome thousands of guests each year and exist to facilitate an encounter with Jesus through silence and liturgy in a beautiful environment. Sometimes our guests come as tourists, but they almost always leave as pilgrims. At Saint Meinrad Seminary (just next door to the archabbey), we have about 120 seminarians. Ten of these students are Benedictine monks but the remainder are studying to be diocesan priests, mostly in rural dioceses in the American Midwest and South. Additionally, we offer degrees for lay people who are pursuing careers in lay ministry or who simply want to learn more about their faith. We have a permanent deacon formation program that serves dozens of dioceses, and an institute for the continuing education of priests. For twenty-five years we have run a highly successful summer youth program, and this fall we are inaugurating a center for the evangelization of youth and young adults.

Among the reasons for my coming here this month was a desire on my own part to have a deeper awareness of what is happening in parish life in the wake of the coronavirus. This awareness is important to my work as a seminary professor and formator. Being here among you, even for a short time, has helped me better understand and appreciate the context in which our seminarians are preparing to serve. Among the things this trip has reinforced for me is the central importance of our sacramental and liturgical life and the need for in-person community life at the parish level. Thank you for giving me this opportunity.

God bless,

Fr. Christian Raab, OSB

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

ST PAUL PARISH: 5/16/2021: \$3,712.00

CMA 2020-21 launched October 24, 2020	
Contribution total through April 2021:	Target: \$34,517.00
\$24,518.88	
Our parish needs: \$9,998.12	
DEADLINE: 6/30/2021	

ONLINE GIVING FOR CHRIST'S MISSION APPEAL: <https://saginaw.org/donate>

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

Melvin Wieber | Walter Donohue | Shirley Czape | Mary Zamarron

... 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

2021 GRADUATING SENIORS MASS

The Mass for the class of 2021 seniors has been scheduled for June 13th. There is still time to sign up for this special Mass. Please call the office if your senior would like to be involved.

SACRED HEART CONSECRATION OF HOMES

In the bulletin on 5/9/2021, Father Dwyer explained that he is dedicating time in the month of June for consecrating homes to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. If you are interested in having Father come to your home for this special rite, please call or email the office and we will get you scheduled in. Thank you!

LIVING ROSARY

Please remember that next weekend, June 5/6, is the first weekend of the month and we pray the rosary 30 minutes before all Masses. The First Saturday is also 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.

CMA GOALS

We are under \$10,000 owed!! Thank you!!

We still have a long way to go, but we are so grateful for this milestone!

June marks the last month of the fiscal year and will wrap up our Christ Mission Appeal's goals. Please consider giving to this worthy cause and help the parish decrease the debt that is owed to the diocese.

PETITION TO PROTECT NO TAXPAYER ABORTION

The Hyde Amendment prohibits federal funding of elective abortions and has been a provision in the federal government's annual appropriations legislation for the last 45 years. Despite longstanding, bipartisan support for the amendment, and overwhelming public support as well, the amendment is in great danger of being repealed. It is critical that we send a strong message to Congress: our taxpayer dollars should NOT pay for abortion. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) encourages all Catholics to participate in this important, nationwide effort. Sign the petition online at NoTaxpayerAbortion.com today. For more information, contact Lori Becker, Respect Life Coordinator at lbecker@dioceseofsaginaw.org or 989.797.6652.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST COMMUNION

First Eucharist Retreat Our First Eucharist Retreat will be this Friday, June 4, at 6pm at St. Paul the Apostle Church. We'll wrap up our *You Are Loved* program, rehearse for First Holy Communion, and have some fun together as we prepare for the big day. Please pray for our students preparing for First Reconciliation, that this beautiful gift of forgiveness and mercy will be one they cherish always. First Eucharist will take place next weekend for all candidates at both St. Paul and St. Martin. Pray for us!

Mark Your Calendars!

Fri, June 4 - Sacrament Retreat & First Reconciliation 6pm

June 5 and 6 - Sacrament of First Holy Communion

HIGH SCHOOL FAITH FORMATION

This class will take place via Zoom weekly on **Tuesday evenings at 6:15 p.m.** Please join us!!