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# Saint Paul Parish

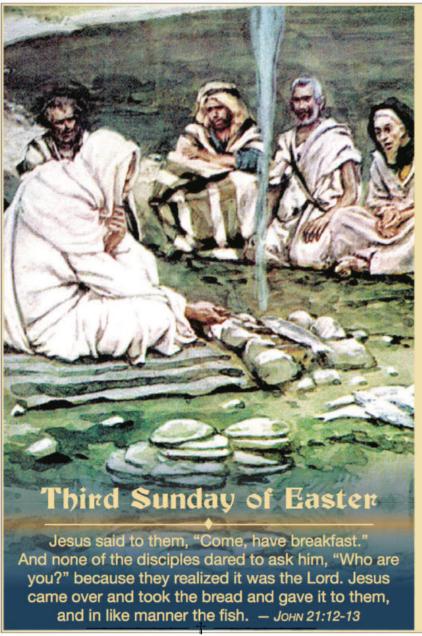
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#### - † Weekly Liturgies † Third Sunday of Easter

Saturday, April 30 - Saint Pius V, Pope Saint Patrick, 4:30 p.m.

+ Ray Goodwin by Dale Coughlin Family

#### Sunday, May 1

Saint Paul, 8:00 a.m.

+ Pro Populo (for the People of the Parishes)

Saint Patrick, 10:30 a.m. + Cyndi Claggett

by the Family

Monday, May 2 - Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

Saint Paul, 5:00 p.m.

+ John Gschwendtner

by Don & Sandra Siegel

Tuesday, May 3 - Saints Philip and James, Apostles

No Mass Scheduled

#### Wednesday, May 4

Saint Paul, 8:00 a.m.

+ Ron Fogarty

by Don & Marjo Stadel

#### Thursday, May 5

Saint Patrick, 8:00 a.m.

+ Dorothy Leskanich

by Jane Whitman

#### Friday, May 6

Saint Paul, 8:30 a.m.

+ Mr. & Mrs. Leo Masching by Ron & Cathy Masching

#### Fourth Sunday of Easter

#### Saturday, May 7

Saint Patrick, 4:30 p.m.

+ *Pro Populo* (for the People of the Parishes)

#### Sunday, May 8

Saint Paul, 8:00 a.m.

+ JoAnn Lannon

by John & Kathy Mackinson

Saint Patrick, 10:30 a.m.

+ Special Intention

by the Connor Family

SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

# Scripture Reading

"Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing."— REVELATION 5:12

#### <u>Distribution of Holy Communion following Mass</u>

Only for those still dispensed from attending Mass for both Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation: notify Father or the office.

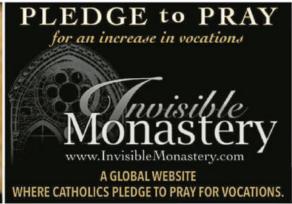
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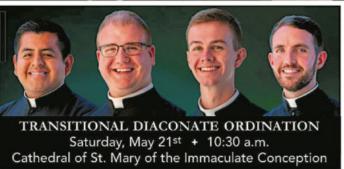


# YOU ARE INVITED TO CELEBRATE! 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination of Deacon George

Saturday, May 14, 2022 • Mass 4:30 p.m. in Saint Patrick Church RSVP on or before May 7<sup>th</sup> • Mary Carpenter - 815-228-6742 (Call or Text) Buffet Dinner in Saint Patrick Parish Hall following Mass.







World Day of Prayer for Vocations will be observed on Sunday, May 8, 2022, also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday." The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (MATTHEW 9:38; LUKE 10:2). Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes.

#### PEORIA VOCATIONS UPDATES

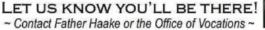
- 21 Current Seminarians
- Men will be ordained to Transitional Diaconate
- New men have said "Yes" to begin formation in 2022

#### DIOCESAN HOLY HOURS FOR VOCATIONS

Join Father Chase Hilgenbrinck and Peoria Vocations for an evening of intercession and petitions through Eucharist Adoration.

- May 104th, 6:30 p.m., Saint Vincent dePaul, Peoria
- June 14th, 6:30 p.m., Saint Thomas the Apostle, Peoria Heights





"Fathers (Fatherly figures) and sons, you are invited to contact Father Haake to make arrangements to participate in Emmaus Knights: an opportunity for dads to engage other dads and boys/young men - 7th through 12th graders — to engage with others, including priests, about discerning God's calling for them: their vocation. The event includes prayer, fun, food, discussion."



Sessions 1 and 2 will be held at St. John's Catholic Newman Center in Champaign, Illinois. Participants deepen their faith and focus on discerning God's will through prayer and the sacraments. By listening to and spending time with priests and seminarians, participants get a glimpse into their lives. Session 1 is for those who are in college, as well as single men in their 20s and 30s who are discerning their vocation. Session II is for high school juniors and seniors. Online registration opened April 1, 2022.

Session 1: June 10-12, 2022 and Session 2: June 24-26, 2022 St. John's Catholic Newman Center Champaign, IL

Sessions 3 and 4 will be held at Peoria Notre Dame High School. Led by seminarians, participants hear God's call to become real Christian men. The experience includes prayer, talks and activities like basketball, soccer, ultimate frisbee and card games.

Session 3: July 17-20, 2022

High School Freshmen & Sophomores, Peoria Notre Dame High School

Session 4: July 20-22, 2022

Seventh & Eighth Graders, Peoria Notre Dame High School

#### . Third Sunday of Easter .

"Were not our hearts burning within us, ..." Do you feel a calling of the Holy Spirit to serve the Lord as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact Father Chase Hilgenbrinck, Director of Vocations for Recruitment, via telephone at (309) 671-1550 or via email at fr\_hilgenbrinck@cdop.org; or Father Haake. To serve as a permanent Deacon, contact the Office of the Diaconate at the number above or Father Haake. To serve in Holy Matrimony, contact Father Haake.



#### THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep. — JOHN 21:17

How often do you actually say the words "I love you" to Jesus, to family members, or to friends? We are made to be in relationship with God and each other. Sincerely telling someone that you love them is the best gift you can give them because it comes from your heart. You are giving them the gift of yourself. We all crave love. Tell someone you love them every day.

#### **Saint Patrick Parish Council Nominations**

Saint Patrick Parish Council is seeking nominations to fill three positions for 3-year terms. Lou Zabel, Christina Pugh and Mary Carpenter will end their terms on the council. Council members should be practicing Catholics who are registered members of the parish and at least 18 years old. Nominations will be taken the weekends of April 30-May 1 and May 7-8. Election of new members will be held May 21-22.

The Sacramental Life Committee is planning a celebration to recognize the graduates of our parishes at a Baccalaureate Mass and Reception. All Eighth Grade, High School, College, Trade School, Master & Doctorate Graduates will be honored, as well as our Newly Confirmed in Junior High.

Please contact the parishes office with the names and addresses of those graduating from higher education, i.e., college or trade schools, so we may invite them.

#### SAINT PAUL SCHOOL NEWS

# 300 S. West Street, Odell www.stpaulodell.com

Ms we enter into the final month of school, the seventh and eighth graders are busy with projects and activities. We end April with a Civics Club fundraiser for a previous student. We will start May with Ribbon Mass, honoring the eighth graders, and May Crowning, honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary. In Literature, the students are studying the book, Bud, Not Buddy; in History, they are doing a research project on the major events after World War II; in Religion, they are studying the history of the Rosary and apparitions of Mary. The fifth/sixth graders are beginning their book review project, and in Social Studies, they are ending their study of Europe. "

— Mrs. Lovell

All things work together for good for those who love God." —-ROMANS 8:28

#### HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS

Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life in the Diocese of Peoria.

Online every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 7pm at: Facebook.com/FollowMePeoria.

To follow along with the prayers and songs, links for a prayer book for digital use, or a printable version, are found at comeandfollowme.org/ resources/Holy Hours for Vocations.





#### St. Nicholas Charity on Wheels

**Thank you for your generosity to this project!** Parish donation for the month of May is toothpaste. Containers are located in the church entry and parish hall for contributions.

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Second Thursday each month
Saint Paul, 2 p.m. (school parking lot)
and Saint Patrick, 3 p.m. (church parking lot).
Fill out an application every month as needed at http://cdop.org/catholic-charities/
Scroll down to "mobile pantry tab"

# Please remember to turn in your Rice Bowls!

You may place them in the collection baskets at church or bring to the parishes office. **Thank you!** 

#### **HELP WANTED**

- Office Coordinator/Administrative Professional for the Parishes of Saint Patrick and Saint Paul.
- Custodian for the Saint Patrick Parish Hall. Please contact Father Haake at Saint Patrick Rectory, 815-584-5178.

# **Hope Pregnancy Center**

**BABY BOTTLE PROJECT** 

Ministering to many in our community who need the hope of Christ in their lives, pregnancies, and homes.

Please join in this vital ministry and make a difference in the lives of those who need help and hope with the Baby Bottle Project. Beginning Mother's Day, May 15<sup>th</sup>, through Father's Day, June 12<sup>th</sup>, fill a baby bottle

with coins, cash, or checks.

"We have been privileged to make a real difference in the lives of area families and the lives of many unborn children that have been saved. We believe that God will provide and that he does so through you."

Hope Pregnancy Center





#### Collections from April 23/24

SAINT PATRICK	
Sunday Collection	\$2090
Building Fund	\$80
Candles	\$24
Bukoba	\$20
Food Pantry	\$200
Palm Sunday	
Holy Thursday	\$84
Good Friday	\$45
Easter Sunday	
Chapel of Ease-Maintenance	
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SAINT PAUL	
Sunday Collection	\$1400
Saint Paul School Stewardship	
School Support	
Palm Sunday	
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# Easter Sunday ......\$95 ~ THANK YOU ~

Rice Bowl ......\$20

for your continued support of our parishes.

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember the sick and suffering of Saint Patrick, Saint Paul, our relatives, friends, and our communities, especially: Shannon Badder, Robert Bash, Barb Basham, Jonathan Becker, Darlene Bellis, Brad Bossert, Rick Bower, Mark Buettner, Molly Cull, Darlene DeSutter, Austin Eggleston, Bill Ehman, Barb Foley, Steve Francisco, Chuck Gliwa, Doris Gliwa, Susie Goodwin, Christine Gravesen, Marsha Haake, Mike Haake, Jordan Patrick Haigh, Carol Hartley, Frank Hemker, Karen Jahn, Bianca Kelly, Bill Legner, David Louis, Doug Masching, Ray Masching, Darlene McCarthy, Cosette Miles, Leona Myers, Brian Naretto, Phyllis Neumann, Tony Noonan, Livy Noles, Maria Ortiz, Father Mike Pakula, Amy Petrovich, Michelle Petrovich, Lesley Seabert, Kristi Spandet, Martha Spandet, Clark Stewart, Max Sulzberger, Mike Thiege, Phyllis Tjelle, Ann Tovar, Lenny Tryner III, Marion Verdun, Arlene Wright, Laura Wright, Jalene Woolford, and all with COVID-19 and other illnesses.

Please inform Father Haake or the Parishes Office of Saint Patrick and Saint Paul (they will forward to Father) of the names of those for whom you would like us all to pray.

Please pray for all those that are homebound, in nursing homes, in hospitals, in hospice; those with COVID-19. Of course, remember in prayer deceased loved ones and those not remembered. Especially remember those serving our country and that those who are in foreign lands will return home safely to their families. Pray for an end of all crimes against humanity: war, terrorism, murder/abortion, euthanasia, slave trafficking, bigotry, racism...

**GUIDELINES DURING the PANDEMIC:** Please contact Father Haake (Rectory phone number) as he may be able to administer the sacraments during the pandemic even if not an emergency. Individual Hospital protocols determine whether or not Father may visit parishioners and / or offer the sacraments.

Please update your parish membership with emergency contact information ASAP by contacting the parishes office.

#### PHONE PRAYER CHAIN COMMITTEE

Gerry Salzburg 584-2830 or Peg Watters 252-5393

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. 05/01 First Communion, Saint Paul, 8 a.m. Mass and Saint Patrick, 10:30 a.m. Mass

Mon. 05/02 Men's Prayer Group, Saint Patrick Hall, 6:30 p.m.
Tue. 05/03 Saint Patrick Parish Council meeting, Saint Patrick Hall,

Wed. 05/04 CCD classes, Saint Patrick Hall, 5 p.m.— final class

Thu. 05/05 Odell Knights of Columbus meeting, K of C Hall, 7 p.m. Fri. 05/06 May Crowning and recognition of SPS Eighth Grade

Students during 8:30 a.m. Mass
Mon. 05/09 Men's Prayer Group, Saint Patrick Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Wed. 05/11 Saint Patrick Altar & Rosary meeting, Saint Patrick Hall,

Thu. 05/12 St. Nicholas on Wheels, see box on third page Saint Paul Education meeting, Saint Paul School, 5:15 p.m.

May 8th bulletin items are due no later than noon on Monday, May 2nd

#### RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

- Tuesday: 5:00-5:40 p.m., Saint Patrick, Dwight
- Wednesday: following 8:00 a.m. Mass, Saint Paul, Odell
- Saturday: 8:00 a.m., Saint Patrick, Dwight
  - Note: No Reconciliation on Tuesday, May 3rd. —

"We must come to God together ...
What would God say to us if some of us were to return

#### **2021 Annual Diocesan Appeal**

without the others? — CHARLES PEGUY

Saint Patrick ParishGOALPLEDGESPLEDGED\$28,77463\$25,685Saint Paul ParishGOALPLEDGESPLEDGED\$14,46333\$9,952

If you have not yet donated, please consider doing so as soon as possible. **If you are unable to give this year, please let us know by returning the card, either in** 

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the collection basket or to the parishes office, and write \$0 in the amount. Even the smallest pledges help us meet our goals, and anything over our Pledge Goal our parishes may keep.

**NOTE:** The mailing address for all correspondence to the **Parishes Office** is **114** W. Mazon Avenue, Dwight, IL 60420.

### PARISH STAFF PERSONNEL

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9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Thu.

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You Are Invited to Join
Father Chris G. Haake
in a

Mass of Thanksgiving on the Occasion of his

25th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ

Mass.

Tuesday, May 24th • 5:30 p.m.

Dinner

in Saint Patrick Parish Hall following Mass

PLEASE RSVP FOR MASS AND / OR DINNER ON OR BEFORE MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> CALL BARBARA DE WAARD - 815-584-1881





The Litany of the Blessed Virgin — also called the Litany of Loreto — is one of the many Marian litanies, or praises of Mary, composed during the Middle Ages. The place of honor it now holds in the life of the Church, is due to its faithful use at the shrine of the Holy House at Loreto, Italy, which, according to tradition, was the small cottage-like home where the Holy Family had lived and which was miraculously transported by angels in 1291 from the Holy Land to its present location in Loreto. It was definitely recommended by Pope Clement VII and approved by Sixtus V in 1587, and all other Marian litanies were suppressed, at least for public use.

Sixtus V, who had entertained a singular devotion for Loreto, by the Bull "Reddituri" of 11 July, 1587, gave formal approval to it, as to the litany of the Holy Name of Jesus, and recommended preachers everywhere to propagate its use among the faithful. — Excepted from The History of the Litany of Our Lady Join us as we pray the Litany of Loreto before every Mass during the month of May.

# Easter Vigil, April 16, 2022

Jane Hotelling and Myron McCaskey, parishioners of Saint Paul Church, are pictured in the center with Father Haake and Deacon George following Easter Vigil in Saint Patrick Church. Jane was Confirmed - Maria Faustina Kowalsk - and Myron was Baptized and Confirmed - Patrick - and also received First Eucharist. From left to right, below left: Patti Drechsel, Lenny Trenor, Jane , Father Haake, Deacon George, Myron, Ron Masching, Chrisie McCaskey and Casey McCaskey.





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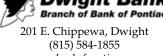
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