

Father's DAY

Defend, O most watchful guardian
of the Holy Family, the chosen children
of Jesus Christ. —Pope Leo XIII

SUNDAY, JUNE 16, 2024

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(All Religious Instruction programs meet in our parish school)

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4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

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First Penance and First Eucharist are celebrated in Grade 2, providing the child has previously completed the Grade 1 program.

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday evening Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

in the Rectory Chapel (except Holy Days and during Lent)

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:00-4:45 p.m. or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

2nd Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. in the Church, by appointment only. **Instructions** are held every month on Thursday evenings. Dates will be given when registering. Sponsor certificates are required for godparents. Please call the rectory to register.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

We would like to help engaged couples to prepare for their Marriage well in advance. Please call the rectory to make an appointment at least six months before the proposed date.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK:

Please notify the rectory of hospitalization or serious illness, or of someone who is unable to get to church but would like to receive Communion.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

New Families (including newly married) should register by calling the rectory. Also, please notify us of any change of address.

SPONSORSHIP:

Certificates of sponsorship for godparents and confirmation sponsors are required by most parishes. These will be issued only to those who are confirmed Catholics, registered in the parish, weekly participants at Mass, validly married in the Church (if applicable) and providing for the religious education of their own children (if applicable).

SAINT JOHN & PAUL CHURCH



WEEK OF JUNE 16, 2024

Saturday	June 15	5:00 PM	Barbara & Robert Fitzpatrick / In Loving Memory / Hugh & Susan
Sunday	June 16	7:30 AM	Thomas Lawrence / In Loving Memory / Wife & Family
		9:30 AM	Reggie Oliver / 2nd Anniversary / Wife Donna & Family
		11:30 AM	Arleene Bowen / In Loving Memory / Renée & Ray Johnson
Monday	June 17	9:00 AM	
Tuesday	June 18	9:00 AM	Jason & Edward Gremour / Birthday Remembrance / Michaela
Wednesday	June 19	9:00 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Thursday	June 20	9:00 AM	
Friday	June 21	9:00 AM	
Saturday	June 22	5:00 PM	Maurice Hainse, Mr. & Mrs. Matthew Castriatta, Jessica Robitaille / In Loving Memory / Family
Sunday	June 23	7:30 AM	Arline Lemek / In Loving Memory / Msgr. Blessing Council Knights of Columbus
		9:30 AM	Blessings to All 2024 High School & College Graduates / A Parishioner
		11:30 AM	Erica Shea / Anniversary / Love, Mom, Dad, Cade & Ella

Adoration every Thursday from 9:30AM to 3:00PM in the CHURCH.



2024 Budget Collection Week of 6/2/24

Envelopes	\$10,614.00
E-Giving	<u>\$ 3,874.00</u>
	\$14,488.00

2023 Budget Collection Week of 6/4/23

Envelopes	\$11,631.93
E-Giving	<u>\$ 2,811.00</u>
	\$14,442.93

Thank you for your support of our Parish!



For the week of June 16, 2024
the Altar Candles burn
In Loving Memory of
Joseph N. Godin
Birthday Remembrance

For the week of June 16, 2024
the Sanctuary Lamps burn
In Loving Memory of
Walter I. Henry
Father's Day Remembrance



Wednesday, June 19th
is Juneteenth Day.

In celebration of this holiday, the
office will be closed.



DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Beginning Monday June 17 until school is back in session, the 9AM Daily Mass Monday to Friday as well as the Thursday Adoration be held in the Rectory Chapel.

There will be a meeting to talk about our 67th Annual Snowflake Bazaar on Saturday, June 22nd at 10 a.m. in the rectory basement.

Readings for the Week of June 16, 2024

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16/
2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7/
Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16/
Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24/Mt 6:1-6,
16-18

Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14,
17-18/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34/
Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29,
30-31 (1b)/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

Summer Food Drive

Donations to the Coventry Food Bank are at the lowest level in years! Certainly, we would all prefer to be optimistic about the health and wellness of our families. During the school year many of our children have received breakfasts and lunches at reduced cost. We are concerned that this source of nourishing meals is not available during the summer months... a long time to go hungry!



The Outreach Committee is launching a Summer Food Drive, the weekend of June 15 + 16, 2024 ~ before and after all Masses. Join forces with us in a determined effort to make this food drive memorable! We are asking *Y-O-U* to help us stock the shelves at the Food Bank – let's make them overflow!!

Heading the list of "most wanted" items:

tuna, cereal, juice, peanut butter, canned meat, pasta sauce, canned fruit, evaporated or powdered milk, baked beans, breakfast bars.

*We will also accept cash, check,
Stop & Shop or Walmart gift certificates.*

**... remember ... look for the FOOD BANK BINS
located in all entrances of the Church.**

6/22-6/23/24	Priest
5:00 PM	Fr. Kieton
7:30 AM	Fr. Woolley
9:30 AM	Fr. Woolley
11:30 AM	Fr. Kieton

ATTENTION CRAFTERS!

ANGELS WORKSHOP crafters meet in the rectory basement on Tuesdays. Here are upcoming dates and times:

June 18, 2:00-4:00PM July 2, 2:00-4:00PM

*Come join us for 'Fun and Friendship'.
Everyone welcome! No experience required...*



Our next **baptismal prep class** will be Thursday, June 20th at 7:00PM in the rectory conference room. Please call the office (821-5764) for more information.

The Monsignor Peter E. Blessing Knights of Columbus Council #5273 will be conducting a Membership drive at all Masses **THIS WEEKEND**.

There will also be an Information night on June 18th Tuesday night at 7 pm at Sts John & Paul church hall for men ages 18 and older who are interested in learning more about the Blessing Council.

For more information please contact Brian Lawlor
Membership Director at 401-249-0215
or brianlawlor84@gmail.com.



Prayer Fellowship



Prayer Fellowship meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd **TUESDAYS** of each month. The next meeting is **THIS Tuesday**, from **10:00-11:30AM** in the Rectory Conference Room.

All are welcome to attend!

Our Daily Bread

Thank you for your continued support of the **Our Daily Bread** program. Your support helps to feed the less fortunate of our community. Donations from the poor boxes go to fund this ministry. Last week, we collected \$130.00.



*A special **THANK YOU** to Stop & Shop for having us as the recipient of April's Bloomin' 4 Good bouquet program. Thanks to those who purchased these special bouquets, we received a donation \$144.00 for our ministry.*

Introducing the Ss. John and Paul Young Adult Group!

Ages 21–35

7pm Mondays in June and July

in the Parish Hall

The Ss. John and Paul Young Adult Group is open to all young adult Catholics, as well as those interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Faith, ages 21 to 35. Our group will meet each Monday in June and July at 7:00 p.m. starting in the Parish Hall, for a time of prayer, study, and/or socializing. Refreshments will be served!



SSJP Parishioners helping to build a new home for a needy family with Habitat for Humanity on June 8, 2024



Saints John and Paul

Ss. John and Paul Feast Celebration

Tuesday, June 25, 2024

Solemn Mass 5:30pm followed by

Multi Ethnic Pot Luck Dinner in Parish Hall

Admission to dinner \$15 adults, children 18 and under free

Tickets to Dinner on sale after June 15/16 and 22/23 Sunday Masses, or at the Rectory

****NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR!!****

****DEADLINE TO PURCHASE IS SUNDAY, JUNE 23****

SS. John and Paul 50/50 Raffle Tickets on sale as well starting June 15!

\$5 each or 3 for \$10

Winner will be drawn at the dinner on the 25th and need not be present

PARISHIONERS NEEDED to make entrees, apps, salads or desserts for the feast day, please fill out the form below and bring it to the Rectory or drop in collection basket before Sunday, June 18

Name: _____ Phone: _____ (Email: _____)

I will make the following: _____

Type of ethnic food*: _____

(*e.g. Italian, Mexican, Vietnamese, Polish, French, American, Portuguese, etc.)

Help Request for Our Homeless!

Our homeless are in need of socks, baby wipes, deodorant, dry shampoo and bug spray. Donations may be left in the “Help the Homeless” blue bin located in the Welcome Area of the church. If you able to help with this request, please contact Sr. Anne Eden at 401-269-9891. Thank you for your kind generosity!!

Please note: *there is ALWAYS a need to help our homeless. Whether or not there is an announcement in the bulletin, donations are always welcome!*



Together we can help pass on the faith by making a generous gift to the 2024 Catholic Charity Appeal Dioceseofprovidence.org/CCA.



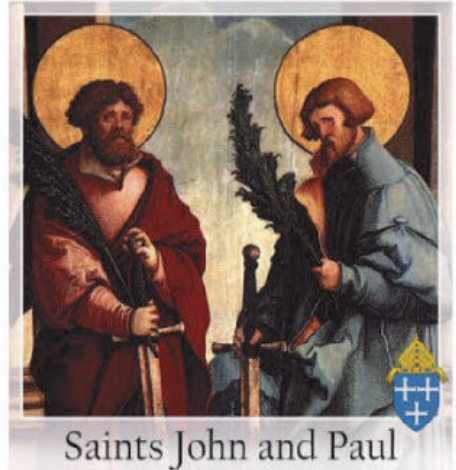
For those students receiving Confirmation this fall, we have received the date for this celebration. Confirmation will be on Saturday, November 2, 2024 at 10:00AM officiated by Bishop Henning. More details to follow.

Novenas to Ss. John and Paul and Our Mother of Perpetual Help, 2024

Novena to Ss. John and Paul

(Pray each day from June 17 and ending June 25, in preparation for the Feast Day of Ss. John and Paul, June 26.)

O Holy Martyrs, Saints John and Paul, brothers by birth, and brothers in Christ, through your intercession, and under your protection, our parish has flourished in so many ways, and has grown to become the largest parish in the Diocese of Providence. Continue to watch over Ss. John and Paul Church and Fr. John V. Doyle School; Bless the families, clergy and religious of our parish, grant healing and comfort to the sick and sorrowful, bring back the lost sheep who have fallen away from the sacraments, bless and protect our youth, and answer the following petitions: *(mention your intentions)*. Obtain for us that same burning love for Christ and his Church, that led both of you to suffer martyrdom, rather than renounce your Catholic Faith.



Saints John and Paul

Saints John and Paul, Patrons of our Parish, Pray for us!

Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

(Pray each day from June 18 to June 26, Feast Day is June 27)



O Mother of Perpetual Help, whose name inspires confidence, **Come to my aid, O loving Mother.** *(Repeat after every petition)*
That I may love God with all my heart . . .
That I may conform my will to that of thy Divine Son . . .
That I may always shun sin . . .
That I may often and devoutly receive the Sacraments . . .
That I may never neglect prayer . . .
That I may ever remember to invoke thee,
especially in time of temptation . . .
That I may generously pardon my enemies . . .
That I may arise quickly, should I have the misfortune
of falling into mortal sin . . .
That I may ever love to serve thee . . .
That I may lead others to love and serve thee . . .
In all my necessities of body and soul . . .
In sickness and pain . . .
In poverty and distress . . .
In persecution and abandonment . . .
When assailed by the evil spirits . . .
When tempted by the allurements of a deceitful world . . .
When struggling against the inclinations of my fallen nature . . .
When tempted against the holy virtue of purity . . .
When the loss of my senses shall warn me that my
earthly career is at an end . . .
Come to my aid, O loving Mother.

Let us pray. O God, Who willed that the Mother of your only-begotten Son should be the perpetual help of Christians on earth, grant us grace to call on her with confidence in all our necessities of soul and body, so that, saved through her protection and assistance, we may be brought to the everlasting vision of your glory in Heaven, through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.

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