



Saint Paul the Apostle Catholic Church

January 15, 2012
Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Parish Address
 340 W. Arnold Rd.
 Sandwich, IL
 Office Phone 815-786-9266
 Fax..... 815-786-2977
 Office Hours..... Monday thru Friday 9a.m. - 4p.m.
 Website www.saintpaulscc.net
 Fair Stand (Fair time only) 815-786-6946
 Cemetery: Contact the Parish Office
 Parish Center
 340 W. Arnold Rd.
 Kitchen Phone 815-786-8964
 Religious Education Office
 Phone 815-786-2004
 E-mail stpaulre@comcast.net
 Classes are on Wednesdays
 Grades K-3..... 3:45 to 5:00 p.m.
 Grades 4 & 5th..... 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
 Grades 6 & 7th..... 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
 Youth Ministry
 Confirmation Wed. 6:30 - 8 p.m.
 Twice a month (as scheduled)
 Office Hours
 Monday..... 9a.m. to 3 p.m.
 Tuesday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 Wednesday 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
 Summer 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
 June Thompson Custodian

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Andrew C. Hougan Pastor
 Marilyn Ellerby Business Manager
 Mary Foley Music
 Donna Botts D.R.E.
 Camille Hanzlik Bereavement Ministry
 Joan Biebel RCIA Coordinator

Support Staff

Edwina Vincent Parish Secretary
 Marilyn Childress Rel. Ed. Secretary
 Wm. Vincent Altar Servers
 Marie Jewell Sacristan
 Elsie Morrissey Pro-Life



*J*esus turned and saw them following him and said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi"—which translated means Teacher—"where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come, and you will see."

— Jn 1:38-39a

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.”



Happenings

Jan. 15 - Confirmation Retreat

Jan. 18—First Communion Meeting
7-8pm **NO CCD** classes this night

Jan. 23— Pathways 5:30—8 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.

DIOCESE OF ROCKFORD DIOCESAN STEWARDSHIP APPEAL (DSA) St. Paul Church Status

Assessment for 2011 - 2012	\$22,534.00
Pledges as of 1/06/12	(\$12,855.00)
DSA Second Collection 1/8/12	(\$ 1,071.40)
Anticipated Deficit (6/30/12)	\$8,507.60

Thank you very much for your continued generous support! DSA 2010—2011 is fulfilled! The next second collection for the current DSA deficit is **February 4/5.**

KNOW YOUR FAITH. . . .

Why did Jesus change Simon’s name to “**Cephas**” (**translated Peter**), and what did it mean to the apostles and to us?

“Cephas” is the Greek transliteration of the Aramaic word “rock.” In Jewish tradition names were very important and functioned as titles that defined a person’s role in society, or spiritual status and mission.

Peter was not the first person in Scripture to have his name changed in order to take on a new spiritual role.

Abram changed to Abraham meaning “Father of Nations” to be Chieftain of a family tribe **The Spiritual Father of the Jewish Nation.**

Jacob changed to Israel meaning “Who prevails with God”. He was Abraham’s grandson **Founder of the 12 Tribes of Israel.**

Simon changed to Cephas, Peter meaning “Rock” to be Fisher of Men as one of the apostles. **Receiver of the Keys of the Kingdom of Heaven and the authority to bind and loose (doctrine)**

The other apostles looked to Peter as their leader .

Peter says: “Jesus, you are “Christos” (The Messiah). Jesus says: “Simon you are “Cephas” (Rock).

Benedict XVI is now our “Cephas.”

How does a pope hold a billion members of the Catholic Church together as one?

DEKALB COUNTY PATHWAYS

DeKalb County Hospice announces the winter session of the group, Pathways, for those who have experienced the death of a loved one, beginning **January 23** at 6:30 pm at St. Paul’s Parish Center, Sandwich. The group consists of six sessions and meets every other Monday evening. Call 815-756-3000 for questions or to register.

Bulletin Articles

must be in the Parish Office no later than Monday Noon to be published



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.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15

COMMITTEE: Jay & Janey Ciontea, Pete Sprosty, Bill Watgen

REFRESHMENTS: June Thompson, Jerry & Janet Dalton, Dorothy Schorn

BAKERS: Jill Miller, Sue Sprosty, Bridget Chase, Theresa Crothers, Dolly Huhn

ADVANCED NOTICE FOR JANUARY 22

COMMITTEE: Mike Botts, Scott Powell, Pat Sondgeroth, Brian Delphey, Sarah Limon

REFRESHMENTS: Marilyn Ellerby, Libby Ellerby. Mary Rose

BAKERS: Marilyn Childress, Annette Powell, Peggy Lynn, Christ Dente. Kelly Laszewski, Margaret Schilling

Sacramental Life

CONFESSIONS:

Tuesdays: 5:10 p.m.
Saturdays 4:30 p.m.
(and anytime by request.)

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

Tuesday evenings: 4 - 5 pm

FIRST FRIDAY:

10:00 am Mass at Willowcrest
11:00 am Mass at Sandwich
Rehabilitation



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

DEVOTIONS Thursday mornings at 9:15 a.m. at the Church. Contact Virginia Rossok at 786-2323.

OUTREACH:

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

HOMEBOUND EUCHARIST:

If you are unable to get to Mass contact David DeCraene at 786-8412.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

Thursday- 7:30 p.m. at the Parish Center

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

PRAYER HOT LINE:

Contact Ann Lessick at 630-803-8488, or Marilyn Childress at 695-5319, your requests will be remembered.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN:

Open to all women of the parish, they meet the 1st Tuesday of the month with a few exceptions at the Parish Center. Call MaryAlyce DeCraene at 815-786-8412.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Second Tuesday-7:15 pm at St. John Catholic Parish Center in Somonauk. Call the Parish Office 786-9266 for more information.

DAILY READINGS

for the Week of January 15, 2012

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7 Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21 Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10/1 Cor 7:29-31 Mk 1:14-20

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Parish Pastoral Council

Dennis Miller.....Chairperson

Parish Finance Council

Beth Swanson.....Chairperson

This Weekend!

January 14 -15, 2012



A COMBINED APPEAL FOR THE UNIVERSAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

- † Retirement Fund for Religious †
- † Catholic Campaign for Human Development †
- † Catholic Communication Campaign †
- † Catholic University of America †
- † Diocesan Priests' Pension †

Please be generous!



Favor de dar con generosidad!

Por favor considere dar una contribución generosa a la Colecta Nacional para los programas de la Iglesia Católica Universal que operan dentro de los límites de los Estados Unidos. Si usted ha aceptado el diezmo, puede contribuir con el otro 4% de sus ingresos que se van directamente a una digna obra de caridad.



Jan. 18– No Class-Teachers Meet
Jan. 25-Regular Class Schedule

S.W.A.M.P. Activities

Jan. 18– No Activity
Jan. 25-Snowman building

Confirmation

No Class until Feb. 1st.

First Communion

Jan. 18-Parents Meeting-7—8 pm

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel for the Conversion of Abortionists

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Join the prayer campaign!
www.hli.org/st_michael_prayer.html

Human Life International
4 Family Life Lane • Front Royal, VA 22630
800-549-5433 • www.hli.org

Liturgical Ministries

5:00 PM – Saturday, January 21

Eucharist June Thompson, Carl Key, Scott Powell
Lector Annette Powell, Dan Wilson
Servers Jordan Powell, T.J. Powell, Alyce Key
Usher Garry Miller, Tom Dente, Brianna Miller, Dennis Miller

8:00 AM – Sunday, January 22

Eucharist Charlie Sondgeroth, Bill Vincent, Cecile Ernest
Lector Gary Moore, Jackie Pfaff
Servers Tanner Moore, Jacob Pfaff, Brandon Scherer
Usher John & Terre Michels, Bernadine & Andy Paris

10:00 AM – Sunday, January 22

Eucharist Tim Gipe, Dina Gipe, Mark Oropeza
Lector Val Lorusso, Marilyn Childress
Servers Ryan Rettig, Samantha Warpecha, Casey Delphay
Usher Joe Beyke, Donna Beyke, Brad Knepper

Our Giving

DATE: JANUARY 7/8, 2012

LOOSE: \$ 317.71
ENVELOPES: \$ 2858.06
TOTAL : \$ 3175.77

No. of Registered Families: 395
No. of Envelopes issued: 211
No. of Envelopes used: 129



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.

Name (Mr., Mrs., Ms., M/M) _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

- New to Parish
- Remove from list
- Moving
- New Phone
- Corrections

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14

5:00 p.m. Intention of Jim King (Rich Sharpenter)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15

8:00 a.m. † Eugene Paris (Bernadine Paris)
 People of St. Paul

10:00 a.m. † Helen Batorson
 (Dr. & Mrs. Mark Weinhold)

SPANISH MASS

12:00 p.m. Intention to be Announced at Mass

MONDAY, JANUARY 16 NO SCHEDULED MASS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17

5:30 p.m. † Esperanza Quintana (Family)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18

8:30 a.m. † Dennis Voga (Pat Voga)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19

8:30 a.m. † Gene Gary (Burton Callmer)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 20

8:30 a.m. † Lisa Soave (Don & Mary Soave)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21

5:00 p.m. † Louis & Helen Batorson
 (Virgil & Eunice Johns)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 22

8:00 a.m. † Helen Hoffman (Tom Hoffman)

10:00 a.m. People of St. Paul

SPANISH MASS

12:00 p.m. Intention to be Announced at Mass

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

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| Carolyn Duffy | Steve Lynn | Magdalen Randall |
| Jackie Janoski | Norbert Yost | Tony Crumpton |
| Don Henry | Paul Bangert | Sydney VanPoucke |
| Sherry Higgins | Pattie Hinman | Heinie Schwemlein |
| Mark Ready | Jerry Long | Marge Thompson |
| Lawrence | Nancy Clark | Mary Janicky |
| KellyVeronica | Don Chapin | Leah Wells |

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