

## SAINT PAUL PARISH

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**Confessions:** ½ hour before each Mass for twenty minutes or by appointment.

For the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, Confirmation, and Marriage, please see the parish website.

St. Paul Parish Cemetery Information: Contact Scott Hudson at (302) 656-3323 or email at [shudson@cathcemde.org](mailto:shudson@cathcemde.org)

Please visit and LIKE our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/698842276869943/>

Please consider an offering online at: <http://www.stpaulsrcchurch.org/donate.php> to assist in the support of our Parish. Thank you for your continued generosity.

## Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Offertory

\$ 1,608

**This week** – there will be No second collection.

**Food Closet** –Any monetary donations to assist with the purchasing of Bread/Milk/Eggs vouchers from the Sunset Market downtown will be deposited and remitted through our parish. Please make checks payable to: St Paul Parish. There are Special Offering Envelopes on the windowsills.

**HELP NEEDED**– Come and join the Bazaar Committee on Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 7PM in St Paul's Hall, 409 Adams Street. This will be our 10<sup>th</sup> bazaar and we need some new people to help support our parish. Please consider joining us for this important meeting and share some ideas with us. This is the biggest fundraiser for our parish. Refreshments will be served.

**The Society of St Vincent de Paul** thanks our parishioners for their continued support. One way we help the poor is by handing out small bags of food items to the homeless - we are asking for donations during August to support that effort. Especially during summer, we would like to include a protein shake in each bag that we hand out. We find the best prices for those shakes at Walmart, Dollar Tree, or Aldi, but many other stores sell them. One other item we could use is a small tube of suntan lotion and we find the best price for that at Dollar Tree (just \$1.25). Please leave any donations under the statue of Saint Joseph and we will pick them up. We appreciate and thank you for your donations.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	July 29	5:00 PM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Sunday	July 30	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Monday	July 31	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Tuesday	August 1	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Saturday	August 5	5:00 PM (RIP) Helen Dudlek by the Dudlek Family
Sunday	August 6	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Monday	August 7	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Tuesday	August 8	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

**The Sanctuary Candle** is lit from 7/30 – 8/12 in memory of Dennis Cogdell by Katherine Skinner

### Message from Fr. Dave

*It is hard to believe I have been here at St. Paul Parish for over a month. Time has gone by very fast. Things are coming along well and I'm thankful for the words of welcome from all of you.*

*It is now time for me to start finding more people to help at Sunday Mass. If you would be willing to help at Mass as a reader, cantor, or altar server, I would like to speak with you. Please feel free to see me after Mass or email me at [fd@stpauldc.org](mailto:fd@stpauldc.org).*

*Have a blessed week!*

**Healing Service with Fr. Rafal Walczyk August 25, 2023, at 7PM at Holy Angels Church** - Join us for Praise & Worship, Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament, Healing Prayer Service, and Individual Prayer. This is a special opportunity to encounter Jesus and invite the Holy Spirit to touch you deeply and heal those places that need God's healing graces. This is a **FREE** event. All are welcome! Fr. Rafal Walczyk, OSPPE (Pauline Fathers) is from the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown, PA and is the Director of Encounter School of Ministry – Doylestown Campus. For questions about the event, contact [aRise@holyanimals.net](mailto:aRise@holyanimals.net) or 1-630-999-8481.

