

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

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.

February 18, 2024
First Sunday of Lent

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Offertory

\$ 1,802

This week – there will be a second collection for Utilities

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. Please notate Food Closet.

The Society of St Vincent de Paul has a new phone number – 302-597-6099.



Reminder: on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays of Lent: Everyone of age 14 and up must abstain from consuming meat. On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday: Everyone of age 18 to 59 must fast, unless exempt due to a medical reason.

**Please take home a complimentary copy of “This Is My Body” by Bishop Barron
Located in the Vestibule.**

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday	February 17	5:00 PM Ngoc Mai by To Hoang
Sunday	February 18	9:00 AM The Holy Face of Jesus
Monday	February 19	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Tuesday	February 20	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Thursday	February 22	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Friday	February 23	7:00 PM Stations of the Cross
Saturday	February 24	5:00 PM (RIP) Pam Nowland by the Patterson Family
Sunday	February 25	9:00 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Monday	February 26	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Tuesday	February 27	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Thursday	February 29	8:30 AM MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Friday	March 1	7:00 PM Stations of the Cross

The Sanctuary Candle is lit from 2/11-2/24 More-McNulty, Neeff-Jameson, Jones, Walker, MacDonald Families and Sr. Alice Therese living and deceased.

Message from Fr. Dave

As we celebrate the First Sunday of Lent this weekend, we hear in the Sunday Gospel our Lord's message to repent. May this season of Lent be a time for us to reflect upon our relationship with the Lord along with our acts of penance. You are welcome to join us for Daily Mass on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 8:30am and our Lenten devotion of the Stations of the Cross on Friday at 7pm.

I'm happy to announce that work will begin this week with the installation of the new air conditioning units in our church. Even though during this time of year we don't really think about the need for air conditioning, I'm sure our new system will be greatly appreciated this summer.

Feb. 23, March 1, 8 & 15, 5-7 PM Fish Fry/Lenten Dinner, **St. Joseph Parish Hall**, 319 E. Main St., Middletown by Old Bohemia Council 6543 Knights of Columbus. Adults \$18, Seniors \$16, Children (8-12) \$12; Children under 8 \$5. Takeout available \$18. Menu includes fried haddock, baked tilapia, stewed tomatoes, French fries, Cookie Bush's macaroni and cheese, dinner rolls, tea, and coffee. Shrimp cocktail is also available for \$8. Cash, checks, and credit cards accepted. Various desserts will be available for purchase from the Columbiettes. More information, (302) 378-5800.

2023 Tax Contributions – Anyone wishing to have a tax letter for their contributions for **2023**, please complete this form and place it in the offertory basket. The letters will be available for you to pick up the following weekend. They will be in a box marked “Tax Statements” in the last windowsill on the Blessed Mother Side. Please remember that the statement does not include Mass Stipends or Candle Intentions. ~ These forms can also be emailed. EMAIL Yes (please circle)
Name _____ Envelope# _____