



MANY WHO HEARD HIM WERE ASTONISHED.
- MK 6:2

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Saint Paul
the Apostle

JULY 7, 2024

Dear SPA Family,

The ancient Greeks valued the beauty of the human body and cared about physical fitness. They began the Olympic Games. Olympic winners were honored as heroes. Their statues were placed in public squares. These statues were often salt in the eyes of envious competitors. One of them, under the cover of night, decided to destroy the statue of the winner with which he competed and lost. With great difficulty he moved the statue, which fell to the ground and crushed the unfortunate jealous. **He was killed by envy and jealousy, which he nurtured in his heart and then put him into action.**



And one more, contemporary example. Marian came from Poland a few years ago to the United States. He was an agile and wise man, full of initiative. Upon his arrival, he met his compatriot Janusz. They celebrated the meeting very cheerfully. In the first days, Janusz helped Marian take his first steps in a new land. Marian found himself in the new environment very quickly, he soon established his own company, which prospered very well. And that was the reason for the end of friendship. Janusz couldn't reconcile the fact that his friend was on his feet so quickly, he was consumed by envy. **He was swamped by envy which, like poison, kills friendship and takes away inner peace.**

Christ came to his hometown of Nazareth, and according to the Jewish custom, he went to the temple on the Sabbath where, after reading a passage from the Scriptures, he began to teach. Everyone was astounded by His wisdom and by what they had heard so much about Him. But they were not willing to accept either Jesus or His teachings. Why did this happen? There can be many reasons for this attitude of Christ's compatriots. Perhaps one of them was jealousy and envy. *Is He better than us? His brothers and sisters and his mother live here. He is one of us, so why does He magnify Himself?* **Jealousy and envy prevented them from accepting Christ.** Because of their envy, they missed the grace of a saving God.

We are reluctant to admit feelings of jealousy and envy. We recognize that jealousy and envy are wrong. However, as all evil, **jealousy and jealousy act deceitfully**, in order to expose them, it is worth asking ourselves a few questions: *Can we enjoy the success of our neighbor? Do I see good in my neighbor? Are we able to praise them? Does a critical attitude towards our neighbor dominate our attitude? Are we happy when my neighbor bears misfortune? Are we trying to find fault in our neighbor's success where there isn't any? Are we changing the conversation when it begins to mention about our neighbor's success?*

There are many such and similar questions. And a sincere answer to them will also be the answer to how much we've managed to overcome the feeling of jealousy and envy. **Envy and jealousy not only destroy inner peace** but also create a split between people and can lead to a failure to meet the saving God.

Have a Blessed Week, Fr. Chris

To Read Mary Penich's **Something to Think About...**

please visit our website, click "Media" on the homepage, then click "Mary's Reflection"

YOUR SUNDAY WORSHIP AID

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

GOSPEL MEDITATION



Recently I watched a bunch of YouTube videos on how to optimize willpower in the face of weakness. The message was: do not accept your weakness. Crush it. Dominate it. In one video, however, at the end of a rant by a willpower coach, the muscular stoic admitted, “You’ll never actually get what you want, no matter how hard you try.” Amazingly, he admitted that willpower alone is not sufficient for us weak-willed humans.

What does God want us to do with our weaknesses, if crushing them with willpower won’t work? For example, what should I do with my tendency to arrogance and self-isolation? Or my procrastination? Or my intellectual and physical limitations? Or my selfishness?

The counter-intuitive answer is clear in this week’s words from St Paul, “**I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses in order that the power of Christ may dwell in me** (2 Cor. 12:9).” Boast of our weaknesses? Paul isn’t promoting weak-mindedness or laziness. Rather, he perceives that Jesus loves us not despite our weaknesses but because of them. Boasting

of our weakness means claiming human will is not all we have. It means turning to God whenever we feel weak, which—let’s face it—is almost all the time. When we do, we learn to love our weaknesses, because it’s there that we meet the strength of Christ. This week, I challenge us to find ways to boast not in willpower but in weakness.

— Father John Muir ©LPi

MASS HYMNS

Opening Song: **All Are Welcome (All Belong)** by Jesse Manibusan and Jennah Manibusan

Gloria: **MASS OF RESTORATION** by Josh Blakesley and Grae McCullough

Responsorial Psalm: **Our Eyes Are Fixed on the Lord** by Laura Huval

Gospel Acclamation: **MASS OF ENDLESS MERCY** by Steve Angrisano

Preparation of the Gifts: **Spirit & Song #306 How Great Is Our God** by Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves, and Ed Cash

Eucharistic Acclamations/Agnus Dei: **MASS OF RESTORATION** by Josh Blakesley and Grae McCullough

Communion Song: **What a Beautiful Name** by Ben Fielding and Brooke Ligertwood

Closing Song: **Spirit & Song #206 Blessed Be Your Name** by Matt Redman and Beth Redman

At Sunday 5:00pm: **Spirit & Song #281 Come to the Water/I Will Run to You**

by John Foley, arranged by Matt Maher

READING I

EZ 2:2-5

As the LORD spoke to me, the spirit entered into me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me: Son of man, I am sending you to the Israelites, rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have revolted against me to this very day. Hard of face and obstinate of heart are they to whom I am sending you. But you shall say to them: Thus says the LORD GOD! And whether they heed or resist—for they are a rebellious house—they shall know that a prophet has been among them.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PS 123:1-2, 2, 3-4

Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy.

READING II

2 COR 12:7-10

Brothers and sisters:
That I, Paul, might not become too elated, because of the abundance of the revelations, a thorn in the flesh was given to me, an angel of Satan, to beat me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I begged the Lord about this, that it might leave me, but he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses, in order that the power of Christ may dwell with me. Therefore, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and constraints, for the sake of Christ; for when I am weak, then I am strong.

GOSPEL

MK 6:1-6

Jesus departed from there and came to his native place, accompanied by his disciples. When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, “Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands! Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary, and the brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon? And are not his sisters here with us?” And they took offense at him. Jesus said to them, “A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house.” So he was not able to perform any mighty deed there, apart from curing a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.



When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, “Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands!” — M k 6 : 2

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GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the Glory of God the Father.
Amen.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God,
the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd)/2 Cor 12:7-10/
Mk 6:1-6a

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/
Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt
9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt
10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt
10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt
10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

WEEKDAY PSALMS

Monday: PS 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9
The Lord is gracious and merciful.

Tuesday: PS 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10
The house of Israel trusts in the Lord.

Wednesday: Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
Seek always the face of the Lord.

Thursday: PS 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16
Let us see your face, Lord, and we shall be saved.

Friday: PS 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17
My mouth will declare your praise.

Saturday: Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5
The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty.

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tuesday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest,
and Companions, Martyrs

Thursday: St. Benedict, Abbot

Saturday: St. Henry

Next Sunday: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2024

5:00pm: Gerry & Chuck Suhling | Gerena Olaya Monis | Carol Shebenik | Ruben Canlas | Richard Pearson | Maria Vazquez

SUNDAY, JULY 7, 2024

7:30am: Ruben Canlas | Patricia Eileen Schneck | Dan Delcettes
9:30am: Jim Krier | Tom Wessel | Daniel Moriarty | Robert Chester
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11:30am: Carmen Durban | Anna Ciaston | Milo Mayo

5:00pm: Our Parish Family

MONDAY, JULY 8, 2024

7:30am: Carl Willaby | Patrick Hope | Rev. John Finnegan

TUESDAY, JULY 9, 2024

7:30am: Scott Kohler

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2024

7:30am: Michael, Anna & Charles Plutkis | Erith Nambio

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2024

7:30am: Steve Nash

FRIDAY, JULY 12, 2024

7:30am: Myrna Hilo | Prudencio Payumo

SATURDAY, JULY 13, 2024

5:00pm: Gerry & Chuck Suhling | Gerena Olaya Monis | Conrado & Rosalinda Dizon | Vicky Neylon | Patricia Machak | Mabel Furtado | Walter & Emily Macrowski | Peter Higman

SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2024

7:30am: Victor Peccioli | Jeanette Siuda | Casis Family
Dell/Mauro Families

9:30am: Anna Morien | Casis Family | Daniel Michael Bochicchio
Thomas Mauro

11:30am: Chuck Gresser | John Konieczny Family | Marion Dooley
Patti Mauro

5:00pm: Our Parish Family

DONATIONS SUMMARY

Week of 6/30/2024

Sunday- \$12,802

Sharing- \$135

SVdP- \$435

Let There Be Light- \$128

Fund for Retired Priests - \$1,507

Peter's Pence - \$1,404

Online Sunday- \$7,441

Online Sharing- \$262

Online SVdP- \$5,199

Month to Date - June

Sunday- \$64,692

Online Sunday- \$39,078

Sharing- \$881

Online Sharing- \$1,382

SVdP- \$3,087

Online SVdP- \$6,031

Catholic Charities - \$150

Let There Be Light- \$2,641

Fr. Maciej- Congo Mission - \$9,386

Fund for Retired Priests - \$4,653

Peter's Pence - \$1,634

SCAN TO DONATE



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Bernadette Gaffney

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Emily Meyer

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Melissa Fernandes

Doan Pham

Monica Nash

Kim Liwanag-Lynn

Karen Lopez

Joy Matubang

Melody Cook

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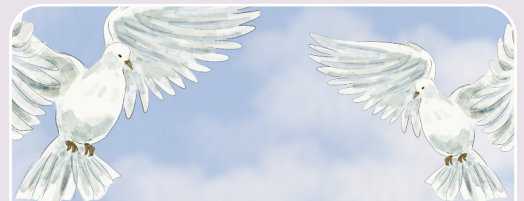
Daniel Alfaro

Dorothy Stratten

Keith Kellogg

Please know that we pray for all of the sick at every Mass. However, if you would like your name or that of a sick loved one to be included in the list above, please email or call

Catherine in the Parish Office:
info@spa.church or 847-918-0600



In loving memory of our recently deceased parishioners. May God's perpetual light shine upon them.

Ron Ciskoski

Frank Rodriguez

Teresita Bautista Gutierrez

Jim Eck

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, JULY 6, 2024

6:30AM MEN'S LEGACY/PAUL'S GARAGE
 11:00AM RECONCILIATION
 12:00PM BAPTISM - CASILLAS
 12:30PM BAPTISM - JIMENEZ
 1:00PM BAPTISM - SOWELL
 1:30PM 1ST SATURDAY PRAYER GROUP
 4:00PM BAPTISM- GONZALEZ
 5:00PM MASS
 6:00PM K OF C INSTALLATION CEREMONY

SUNDAY, JULY 7, 2024

7:30AM MASS
 9:30AM MASS
 11:30AM MASS
 1:30PM BAPTISM - PICONES
 4:00PM TEEN CHOIR REHEARSAL
 5:00PM MASS

MONDAY, JULY 8, 2024

7:30AM MASS

TUESDAY, JULY 9, 2024

7:30AM MASS
 8:00AM HOLY HOUR
 7:00PM PCM - MEETING

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2024

7:30AM MASS
 3:00PM GRIEF SUPPORT

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2024

7:30AM MASS
 8:00AM HOLY HOUR
 7:00PM BAPTISM PREP CLASS
 7:00PM K OF C MEMBERS MEETING

FRIDAY, JULY 12, 2024

7:30AM MASS

SATURDAY, JULY 13, 2024

11:00AM RECONCILIATION
 12:30PM BAPTISM - BRZEZINSKI
 1:00PM BAPTISM - VERGARA
 1:30PM BAPTISM - RIVERA
 5:00PM MASS
 6:00PM SIMBANG GABI - LUAU

SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2024

7:30AM MASS
 9:30AM MASS
 11:30AM MASS
 4:00PM TEEN CHOIR REHEARSAL
 5:00PM MASS

JULY 13/14 | LITURGY SCHEDULE

	LECTORS	COMMUNION MINISTERS	GREETERS	PRESIDER	
SATURDAY 5:00PM	Jackie Senger Andy Thiel	J. Bena S. Grzesiak G. Johnson T. Oberstar	M. Smith D. Wells T. Zdenanlik	Joe Limas Christine Limas	Fr. Emanuel Dn. Brent
SUNDAY 7:30AM	Mike Beaudoin Catherine Karl	M. Janik E. Nelson M. Pieper T. Rafael -Azcueta	B. Toomey A. Wodek C. Wicinski	Teo Rafael-Azcueta Ramon Azcueta	Fr. Chris Dn. Andy
SUNDAY 9:30AM	Jeff Rediger Lisa Siefried	D. Herchenbach Aeron Ignacio R. Ignacio N. O'Keefe	T. Maus C. Pettingill G. Pratscher	George & Renee Pratscher	Fr. Chris Dn. Bob
SUNDAY 11:30AM	Maribeth Hilo Dodee Yedinak	M. Fernandes N. Hortelano T. Mozny M. Parreno	M. Ramirez J. Schoenherr M. Urquhart		Fr. Chris Dn. Ivan
SUNDAY 5:00PM	Cathy Roberts Teen or Lector 1	C. Bertke C. Karl G. Murawski M. Murawski	JJ Plamoottil T. Robb A. Wattelet		Fr. Emanuel Dn. Mike



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 7-8
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 6th Grade

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 Wednesday (5:30-7pm)
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 We need YOU!




Saint Paul
 the Apostle



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7th - HIGH SCHOOL
 JULY 14th -18th
 6:30pm - 8:30pm

1st - 6th GRADE
 JULY 15th - 19th
 9:00am - 2:30pm



Questions??
 Faith Formation Office 847-816-8677
 or Amy Russell arussell@spa.church

REGISTRATION is OPEN on our WEBSITE!
www.saintpaultheapostle.church

BAPTISM PREP CLASS

The **Baptism Preparation Ministry** prepares parents for their children's baptisms by reflecting upon the Sacrament of Baptism, parents' and godparents' roles after children are baptized, and the family's place in our faith community.



First-time parents are requested to attend before their child's baptism.
The next class is July 11, 2024 at 7pm in the Church.

Let there be
LIGHT

**30th Anniversary
Memorial
Garden**

We started replacing the lighting system on the upper level of the church. The lighting in a church is very complicated and requires replacing and installing many components, panels, cables, and new lamps. Thank you for your continued donations.

Now, bricks can be ordered for up to 4 or 8 lines and up to 20 characters per line.

You can permanently remember a loved one or honor your family, friends, or anniversary by purchasing a commemorative brick.

donate to the lighting project or order a brick at www.saintpaultheapostle.church

PRAYER - FOR EVERYDAY
AND EVERYBODY

Prayer for Truth

Dear Lord,
Your prophets were those who spoke Your Truth. Help me to be a speaker of truth as well, one who reminds of Your love, encourages the lowly, and points ever more deeply to You. Amen.

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GRIEF JOURNEY MINISTRY

"What we have once enjoyed deeply, we can never lose. All that we love deeply becomes a part of us."
-Helen Keller

You are invited to join with us as we gather with others who have lost a loved one. Here you will find support and encouragement in abundance.

This month, we will meet in the church the second and fourth Wednesday at 3:00pm.
The next meeting is July 10, 2024.
Sandy Gbur, Certified Grief Educator
sgbur@saintpaultheapostle.church
708-217-2209

All is confidential; facilitated by a professional counselor

Simbang Gabi Luau

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SATURDAY, JULY 13TH
AT 6:00 PM - LOWER LEVEL

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\$10,000 Hole-in-One Contest

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Closest to the Pin,

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Volunteer at Feed My Starving Children

Work for a great cause and meet other parishioners as we pack food to feed God's children.

I have reserved 20 spots at Feed My starving Children on July 12 th at 11:30am-1:15pm.

Please sign up on their website fmssc.org.

Search group code WWPMW1 or group name St. Paul the Apostle.

I will be packing with you and am looking forward to seeing you there.

-Sue Tebbetts



A Little Help From Our Prayer Shawl Ministry...

Our Prayer Shawl Ministry continues to create beautiful and comforting Prayer Shawls for any of us who feel the need for a gentle hug or a bit of warmth. These generous knitters and crocheters are also making Pocket Prayer Shawls to ease us through difficult times. These 3-inch square bits of warmth easily fit into a pocket, a purse or a worried hand. Each Pocket Prayer Shawl comes with an encouraging message. If you'd like a Pocket Prayer Shawl for yourself or someone who needs a bit of encouragement, you can pick one up - free of charge - from the basket at the desk in the gathering space.



Gospel of Mark

Question: *In Year B, we hear primarily from the Gospel of Mark. Since each Evangelist has a unique perspective, what are the key issues that Mark addresses in his Gospel?*

Answer: Gospels are a particular faith community's reflection on Jesus. Each Gospel's author reflected that community's faith in Jesus. Jesus' message is made relevant to the community's situation and context. Mark was the first Gospel to be written. When Matthew and Luke wrote theirs, they imitated and adapted Mark for their communities.

Mark's Gospel seems to be addressed to a faith community undergoing turmoil, rejection, and persecution—forces that threaten to overwhelm them. This provides the context around which Mark fashions the story of Jesus. He presents Jesus as the One sent by God to confront the forces of evil. That is the good news of Jesus.

Jesus' struggle with the demonic forces leads to confrontation, rejection, outright opposition, and a conspiracy to do away with him. Realizing this, Jesus is not deterred. Rather Jesus calls for total faith in God who helps us to overcome the forces of evil. Suffering and even death seem to be the consequences of this struggle. Yet, that is not the end. The one who suffers for the sake of others, the suffering servant, will be the one through whom redemption and salvation will come to all. For Mark, this is what discipleship demands and what true faith in God can and will accomplish. See if you can detect these themes as you read Mark's Gospel.



KNIGHTS CORNER

Divine Mercy Council elected or appointed our board members and program directors in June for our 2024-2025 fiscal year. Congratulations to our Council leadership.

Grand Knight - Greg Johnson
Financial Secretary - Gerry Dominy
Deputy Grand Knight - Steve Bilas
Chancellor - Peter Schmitz
Recorder - Doug Nieman
Treasurer - Chris Radovan
Advocate - David Jenkins
Warden - Mark Gliva
Inside Guard - Jim Lyons

Outside Guard - Paul Somodi
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2 Year Trustee - Tom Rusnak
1 Year Trustee - Tom Maus
Chaplain - Fr Chris Ciaston
Lecturer - Dr Mike Oster
Program Director - Ed Harrigan
Vocations Chairman - Conrad Wencka

We welcome those men 18 years or older to join our council. Can you imagine what more our council could achieve if we had another brother or two in our council? Please contact a member of our council or scan the QR code.

Vivat Jesus,
Greg Johnson
Grand Knight
Divine Mercy Council #IIII12

Divine Mercy Council 11112



St Paul the Apostle Gurnee

St. Paul the Apostle Craft Show & Sale 2024

Saturday, Nov. 9th 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
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(lower level Gathering Space)

Application available
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PCM BIO- TOM KRISSEK



I am an original member of St. Paul's and became the first song leader. I am currently a member of the Sunday and funeral choirs, a lector, and a volunteer at St. Anastasia Food Pantry.

I grew up in Kansas City, KS and was an altar server at the parish across the street. I earned my BBA in Accounting, MBA in Finance and Quantitative Methods

from Loyola, and an MS in Industrial Engineering from Northwestern. After 8 years of various staff accountant positions, I was the first faculty member specifically hired into the newly-established College of Business and Management at Northeastern Illinois University where I taught, primarily, Managerial Accounting and Corporate Finance, for 30 years, retiring in 2012.

My wife, Donna, and I have been married for 45 years, and have two adult sons. We were both active Scout Leaders for over 25 years. I am an Eagle Scout, as are both our sons. Since retirement, we have been blessed to travel to 6 of the 7 continents (Australia is yet to come). I am also a volunteer tutor and computer software refurbisher in the Digital Literacy program at the Waukegan Public Library and a driver for ElderCare.

Saint Paul the Apostle PRESENTS
MUSIC UNDER THE STARS
August 3
6pm - 10pm



A huge thank you for the many donations received toward the missionary efforts in Congo. Once again, you - the parishioners of St Paul's - were extremely generous. The collection received has totaled \$18,312. Your generosity will help provide funds needed to complete the construction of the church that Fr. Maciej spoke to us about. On behalf of Fr. Maciej, THANK YOU! God bless you all...
Fr. Chris.

Consider assisting priests?

Priests have dedicated their lives to the ministry of God's children, serving our needs as Catholics without asking for anything in return. Now, it is our turn to show our love and care for their ever-faithful support. Please consider including a legacy gift for Priests' Health and Retirement to support the healthcare needs of our active priests, as well as the medical and housing needs of our retired priests.

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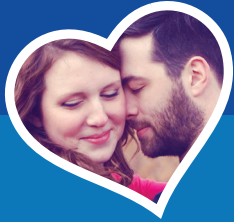


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