Churches of St. Paul & St. Elizabeth

Pastor: Fr. Steve Hohman Sunday, August 15, 2021

St. Paul Parish

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Confessions:

St. Paul

1st and 3rd Saturday: 4:00- 4:45 PM Every Sunday: 7:45-8:15 AM

Baptisms

Those wishing to baptize their small children under the age of 7 should call the office to arrange for preparation classes. Ideally, you should call before the birth of the child. Baptisms will be held during regularly scheduled masses.

Visits to the sick

If you know someone who is sick or homebound and needs someone to visit them, please contact the office, and we will arrange to have communion taken to them in their homes, nursing homes or the hospital. Visits to the sick are normally done on Sunday.

St. Elizabeth

2nd and 4th Saturday: 3:00- 4:00 PM Every Wednesday: 5:00-5:45 PM

Marriages

Anyone interested in being married must call the office and begin preparation for this no less than 6 months before the desired wedding date. It is common for preparation to take 9-12 months.

Anointing of the sick

If there is someone who is sick and needs anointing, please call the office. If this is an emergency, call Fr. Steve at 784-1520.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 14th - Sunday, August 22nd

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	St. Paul	Regina Meredith +
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul	Larry McGrew +
	10:30 a.m.	St. Elizabeth	Joe Paul Wathen +
Monday	8:00 a.m.	St. Paul	Elvis Presley +
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	St. Elizabeth	Lena Jackey +
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	St. Paul	Witten/Milliner Family
Friday	11:30 a.m.	St. Paul	Gail Drake +
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	St. Paul	Roger Pierce +
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul	Sharon Cooper
	10:30 a.m.	St. Elizabeth	Parishioners

Grayer List: Lisa Alexander, Gary Baker, Wayne Blocker, Gerald Bruner, Alicia Casey, Bev

Casey, Margaret Cecil, Linda Clark, Linda Stevenson Clark, Debbie Stone Clemons, Helen Rainey Clemons, Jeanetta Clemons, Paula Conway, Sallye Crace, Mike & Brenda Cubbage, Roger Cubbage, Vickie Davis, Tucker Dawson, George Devers, Alan Drake, Martin Drury, Chad Durbin, Tiffany Durbin, Angy Edwards, Mary Beth Eubank, Evelyn Frakes, Frank Gawarecki, Cindy Getz, Carla Given, Regina Goodman, Donnie Gore, David Grant, Jeff Hack, Earl Hart, Mavis Hart, Jim Hibbard, Paul Higdon Jr., Wanda Higdon, Raymond Hill, Helen Hogan, Otis Larue, Ann/Richard Leonard, Everett Lindsey, Patty Lindsey, Gary Logsdon, Lori Love, Ralph Lucas, Shelia Lucas, Dorris McGrew, Jimmy Mattingly, Savanna Mercer, Emma Meredith, Ruth Meredith, Michael Miller, Sue Milliner, Sr. Gerry Murray, Denise Parkhill, David Pawley, Gary Payne, Anna Lee Portman, Jessie Portman, Phyllis Richardson, Roland Richardson, Michelle Robinson, Rita Sanders, Wayne Scobee, Mary Sue Seward, Marsha Shewmaker, Mike Sims, David Skaggs, Chris Spencer, Brenda Stinson, Eli Sullivan, Jasper Sullivan, Heather Tucker, Stacy VanMetre, Annette West, Brandon Whitman, Diane Whobrey, Floyd Wilaby, Jeff Wilson, Jackie Zedalis

For those who are serving in the military: Isaac Clark, Ryan Clemons, Thomas Davis, Isaac DePoyster, Ben Foster, Dan Harrison, Dan Leonard, Kurt Meredith, Jacob Milliner, Kevin Mudd, Cody Penny, John Penny, Corey Pierce, Kyle Portman, John Quick, Hayden Sosh, Ben Smith, Shelby Winchester

St. Paul

James Kingrey, Chairman Sharon Cooper-School Mike Foster-Youth/CCD Marc McGrew-Maintenance Richard Darst-Liturgy/Faith Tim Lampton-Outreach/Service Randall Drake-Social Jimmy Tilford-Secretary

St. Elizabeth

Mary Ellen Wygant, Chair
Julie Cox- Liturgy/Worship
Wes Dixon- Art/Environment
Danny Harris- Building/Grounds
Amanda Roberts- Outreach
Trensia Skaggs- Youth
Lindsey Smith- Secretary
Adam Williams- Social

Pastor's Corner

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15, 2021

A SHIFT IN GEARS- GEARING UP FOR THE HONEYFEST

Yes, we are now about 7 weeks off from the Honeyfest. Yes, I am assuming that it will actually happen. If it doesn't, we can always put the brakes on it later. This too is both an opportunity, and a test, of the strength of the St. Elizabeth community. This year will present a few challenges to us. I believe that the Lord puts challenges before us for a good reason, so that we can lift one another up. Some challenges are:

- 1)Our chicken cooking crew. As I had mentioned, we will largely need to replace the chicken crew that we have had for years. There have been some that have stepped forward with a willingness to help. We can use some more, especially younger people and those who are either new to our parish or have not had a job in the past. Are you up for it?
- 2) The silent auction. As mentioned before, Carol Hill, who has done a phenomenal job with this for a number of years, is stepping down from this job. We have some people who are willing to step up and do the best they can to replace her (truthfully, can anyone really replace Carol?). But they need your help- Not having the time that has been put into asking for donations as in the past, we are asking that each of our families do their part to either donate or ask a business, or other entity, to donate gifts to auction off. We are looking for worthwhile new (or antique) articles that can either be auctioned off by themselves, or used as part of a packet.

I believe that St. Elizabeth, with faith in the Lord, can do this.

WANT YOUR VOICE TO BE HEARD-HERE IS HOW

We truly welcome input from our parishioners about everything from appearance of the church, activities, procedures, evangelization, and more. As a community, one must under-Stand that not everyone can get their way, but we do value each person's thoughts. How do you do this? Well in a few ways:

- 1)Talk to those who actually have the ability to shape decisions. I myself am glad to hear views, and the parish council exists in large part to hear the views expressed and to bring them to parish council meetings
- 2)Another way is to actually come to a parish council meeting and bring ideas before them. This simply involves going to the pastor, or council chair, and asking for a spot in a meeting. You will then be invited to come to the meeting and express your views or ideas. After the council has heard your ideas, they will then take the opportunity to discuss them (either with or without the presenter present). They will then decide to either go with the idea, or decide against it, or to take further time to examine it more closely.

Talking about ideas behind people's back is not helpful. Let us use the community that we have and the system set into place to help our parishes to grow, reach out to others, and to follow the mission that the Lord has for us.

ST. ELIZABETH LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS:

Collection: <u>\$1,581.70</u> Needed for budget: \$1,442.00

<u>Date</u>: Sunday, August 22

Lector:Mary Ellen, RichServer:Maggie, BiancaEuch. Ministers:StephanieGifts:Julie Cox Family

ST. PAUL LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS:

Collection: \$3,296.00 Needed for budget: \$2,423.00

Date:Saturday, August 21Date:Sunday, August 22Lector:Joan Butterworth; Melanie Crawford Lector:Beth Geary; Aaron GlennEuch Minister:Angie WhitworthEu Min:Dennis DePoysterServers:Jarek; JadenServers:John Morgan; CorbinGifts:John & Julie PennyGifts:Richard & Lori Darst

Special Collection This Weekend: St. Paul School

Brescia Collection Amount: \$242.00 at St. Elizabeth, \$512.00 at St. Paul

Happy 78th Birthday to Carol Hill on Wednesday, August 18th.

Happy 42nd Anniversary to John & Bonnie Lampton on Wednesday, August 18th.

<u>Congratulations</u> to Mark & Stephanie Burlison on the birth of their daughter, Felicity, who Was born on Thursday. May the child grow to know Jesus Christ

Condolences and prayers: We offer our prayers and support on the death of Norbert Clark, a native of St. Paul and brother of Anna Jean Clark. May Norbert know the joy of being with the Lord in his Kingdom.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Monday, August 16 Eucharistic Adoration; St. Paul, Noon-9:00 PM
Tuesday, August 17 St. Elizabeth Parish Council; St. Elizabeth, 6:00 PM

Wednesday, August 18 Senior Meal; St. Elizabeth, 11:30 AM

Thursday, August 19 Finance Committee; St. Paul School, 5:30 PM

Jail Ministry; 7:00 PM

Friday, August 20 Pork Chop Dinner; St. Paul (Carryout/Delivery); 4:30-6:30 PM *POSTPONED* Knights of Columbus Bereavement Meal

Sunday, August 22 CCD Begins; Both Churches

Children's Church; St. Elizabeth

Easton Cockerel Baptism

<u>CCD REGISTRATION</u>: We are now taking registration at both parishes for CCD this year. Please take a paper and fill that out as soon as possible, so that we may effectively plan for the year.

LADIES GROUP FOOD COLLECTION FOR AUGUST: The St. Paul Ladies group will be collecting non perishable breakfast items this month. All donations go to the food pantry.

ST. PAUL MEMORIAL BRICKS: We are selling the memorial bricks once again. Prices Are \$50 for a small brick and \$100 for a large. There are brochures in the back of church. These will be sold until Labor Day.

Please contact Gigi Meredith for any questions at 270-734-9402

<u>UPCOOMING SOCIAL EVENTS PLANNED:</u> The St. Paul parish social committee rec-Ently met, and prepared for several events that will be coming up. Among those events are: DATE- Dinner and hayride. This will also include some games and activities

DATE: Annual Cancer walk. Come out and support those in our community in need during this great service even

Nov 27: UK/UL football game tailgate party. Bring your own food, drinks décor, and open Tailgates to cheer on your team on the big screen out in the field.

December 31- New Years Eve Party.

SCHEDULE FOR ST ELIZABETH CCD: We will be having CCD on the following dates At St. Elizabeth. These will be after mass until 1:20 PM. For the time being, masks will be required at these classes.

August 22 January 9
September 19 February 6
October 17 March 20

November 14 April 3 (this is a change)

December 12 May 1

PORK CHOP MEALS RETURN TO ST PAUL: We will be starting our new schedule of Pork dinners at St. Paul on Friday, August 20. At this time, we will have only drive through and delivery. Based on interest levels, we may soon be starting to have live dinner as well, but for the moment, it will drive through and delivery. The meals are \$10

<u>OUTDOOR MOVIES COME TO BOTH CHURCHES:</u> Both churches will be having outdoor movies coming up: St. Paul on Friday, August 27, St. Elizabeth on Friday, September 10. At the St. Paul movie, there will be an ice cream Sunday bar. Names of the movies will be announced at a later date.

ST. PAUL SCHOOL REUNION: We will be having a reunion of all former St. Paul and Grayson County Catholic on August 29th. This is for all alumni, not just graduates. Those wishing to attend, please RSVP by calling the school office at 270-242-7483

MENS BREAKFAST RETURNS: For the first time in a while, we will be having a men's prayer breakfast, on Saturday morning, August 28. This will be at St. Elizabeth at 8 AM, and all men are welcomed to join us for this. We could also use a couple of people to help us do the cooking as well. If anyone is willing to help out, please let Fr. Steve know.

GIVING TREE NOW OUT: We have recently put up the "giving tree" in the back of Church. We ask you to consider taking a tag off of the tree and bringing back whatever gift it has on the tree. These will be up for the next few weeks. We thank you for your generosity.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS MEETING: We will be having a building and grounds meeting at St. Paul on Saturday morning, September 4 at 9 AM. We will be dealing with several issues around the grounds that have been brought up recently. All are welcomed to join us for this.

KOINONIA NEWS: We have determined now an exact date for the upcoming Koinonia, which we are now allowed to have. It will be November 5-7, at St. Elizabeth. All people are invited to join us for this, regardless of which parish they go to, and even if they are not Catholic, although space may be limited. The lay director for this will be Bill Schmidt. Others who have done Koinonia in the past and who wish to be on the team for this one are asked to contact Bill at 242-0337 or either parish office.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING COMING UP SOON: Because of COVID, we did not Train last year's 4th graders as servers. Thus, soon after CCD begins, we plan to train all 4th and 5th graders who are willing to serve the church in this way. We will be contacting parents soon regarding the training of their children for this:

UPCOMING EVENTS

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August 27	Outdoor Movie, St. Paul, dusk		
August 28	Men's Prayer Breakfast; St. Elizabeth; 8:00 AM		
August 29	St. Paul School Reunion; St. Paul, 3 PM		
September 4	Building & Grounds Meeting, St. Paul		
September 5	Youth Group; St. Paul, 6:00 PM		
September 10	Outdoor Movie; St. Elizabeth, dusk		
September 11	Car Show; St. Paul		
September 13	Memorial Mass for Peace		
September 25	Honeyfest Meal; St. Elizabeth		
October 2	Trip to Gethsemane Monastery (Bardstown)		
October 16	Hayride/Chili Supper; St. Elizabeth		
October 23	Young Adult White Water Rafting Trip		
November 5-7	Koinonia; St. Elizabeth Church		