

Churches of St. Paul & St. Elizabeth

Pastor: Fr. Steve Hohman
Sunday, June 26, 2022

St. Paul Parish

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Confessions:

St. Paul

1st and 3rd Saturday: 4:00- 4:45PM

Every Sunday: 7:45-8:15 AM

St. Elizabeth

2nd and 4th Saturday: 3:00- 4:00 PM

Every Wednesday: 5:00-5:45 PM

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.

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.

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.

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 270-662-1830.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 25th – Sunday, July 3rd

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	St. Paul	Charles Tilford +
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul	Clark/Stinson Family
	10:30 a.m.	St. Elizabeth	Parishioners
Monday	8:00 a.m.	St. Paul	David Pawley +
Wednesday	NO MASS		
Thursday	NO MASS		
Friday	NO MASS		
Saturday	10:00 a.m.	St. Elizabeth	Darrell Higdon +
	5:00 p.m.	St. Paul	Michael Witten +
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul	Clark/Stinson Family
	10:30 a.m.	St. Elizabeth	Parishioners

Prayer List:

Nellie Alvey, Pat Anthony, Tom Arndell, Joyce Bell, Alexis Bibb, Hanson

Bounds, Katie Brand, Gerald Bruner, Billy Carby, Brittney Carwisle, Alicia Casey, Bev Casey, Breonna Clark, Laura Clark, Helen Clemons, Brad Collins, Marty Cooper, Sallye Crace, Marcia Dunn Crain, Donald Cabbage, Mike & Brenda Cabbage, Roger Cabbage, Medea Dennis, Alan Drake, Donna Dube, Chad Durbin, Tiffany Durbin, Steve Fey, Frank Gawrecki, Lester Goetzinger, Donnie Gore, Cathy Grant, Jeff Hack, Kenton Hayden, Rhoda Hazelwood, Jim Higdon, Raymond Hill, Lloyd Howard, Eve Jarboe, Doris Kerr, Shannon Lasley, Chris Lampton, Dawson Lee, Ayden McCormick, Dorris McGrew, AnnaMarie McKinney, Agnes Mandy, Savannah Mercer, Alisbeth Merrifield, Mitchell Miller, Joe Ed Milliner, David Motes, Sister Gerry Murray, Zachary Nelson, Mary Norris, Hershell Nugent, Lois Pack, Kayden Parker, Maverick Pierce, Anna Lee Portman, Glenn Portman Family, Sharon Portman, Roland Richardson, Jason Roberts, Doug Sayler, Ellen Schrader, Wayne Scobee, Mary Sue Seward, Dana Sherrard, David Skaggs, John Smith, Conner Spencer, Mark Starnes, Elizabeth & Chase Stinnett, Mimi Stinson, Eli Sullivan, Jasper Sullivan, Floyd Wilaby
For those who are serving in the military: 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
Dannie Harris- Building/Grounds
Amanda Roberts- Outreach
Trensia Skaggs- Youth
Lindsey Smith- Secretary
Adam Williams- Social

Pastor's Corner

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 26, 2022

ASK PADRE- QUESTION #1

Question- Why should those not in full communion with the Catholic Church still attend Catholic mass regularly? Furthermore, how do we as a parish welcome them?

This is a great question, and it is also a question uniquely problematic for the Catholic Church more than others. At most churches, people get invited to one's church, they come and they take part in the service- they sing, they hear preaching, etc. As for the Catholic Church, we can do the same thing, but then when it comes time for the Eucharist, they cannot take part. So what do they do about that? If they can't fully participate, why come?

Well, the answer does not have to be that complicated really though sometimes people's sensitivities complicate this. People still need community, people still need prayer, worship, and to hear that word of God, both the reading of the gospel and the preaching. There are many people who come to church every week, even though they do not receive communion. This may be the result of something in their lifestyle that keeps them out of a state of grace, it may be a lack of having received the sacraments of initiation, or maybe they are too young. Either way, keeping your connection to the church community is essential, even for those who are not able to receive the Eucharist.

In some cases, a person who cannot receive communion is in a state of the "NOT YET." In other words, some are in the process of making their journey back to full communion with the Church. Perhaps preparation (such as RCIA) or the choice to make a commitment to the Church, or in some cases simply needing to look at their lifestyle. The church does not reject these people, and in whatever state one is in, the church welcomes, ministers to and teaches. Our doors are open to all.

In some cases, this is a sensitive issue. Some may feel judged, whether it is because they are not Catholic, or because something about their lifestyle is not accepted. The Church never wishes to shut people out. But at the same time, the Church has no function if it is not to direct people's lives and actions to the teachings of Jesus Christ. Just in the same way that you would not want a doctor who neglects to address your unhealthy habits that are the cause of your physical issues, you would not want a church (I hope) that refuses to address actions you may be doing that are leading you away from the Church, from Jesus Christ, and, in the end, endangering your very salvation. To answer the question that Cain asked, "Yes, we are our brother's keeper."

So, yes, it is very important even for those who cannot receive communion to still take part in the mass. They are even able to participate as lectors, or in most other ways. I commend people who worship with us, even without partaking of the Eucharist. Whether it is someone who may never receive the Eucharist again, or someone who simply can't go to Communion this week because they need to go to Confession. It is very commendable. We are to welcome them, accept them and help them grow in their faith.

ST. ELIZABETH LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS:

Collection: \$1,421.24
Needed for budget: \$1,442.00

Date: Sunday, July 3

Lector: Travis, Roberta

Euch. Ministers: Ron, Glenda, Stephanie

Servers: Alex, Wyatt Dixon

Gifts: Roberts Family

ST. PAUL LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS:

Collection: \$1,929.00
Needed for budget: \$2,423.00

Date: Saturday, July 2

Lector: Jeff Burkhead, Joan Butterworth

Euch Minister: Joe, Zack, Bobby

Servers: Bailey P, Christian

Date: Sunday, July 3

Lector: Geneva Pawley, Teresa Lush

Eu Min: Emily, Beverly, Larry

Servers: Layton, Keegan, Olivia

Special Diocesan Collection This Weekend: Peter's Pence

Special Collection Next Weekend: Social Concerns at St. Elizabeth

St. Paul School Collection Amounts: \$386.00 at St. Paul; \$70.00 at St. Elizabeth

Happy 30th Anniversary to Darren & Theresa Crawford on Sunday, June 26th.

Happy 30th Anniversary to Jamie & Sandy Clemons on Monday, June 27th.

Happy 47th Anniversary to Tom & Wanda Portman on Tuesday, June 28th.

Happy 32nd Anniversary to Ernie & Melissa Humphrey on Thursday, June 30th.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Sunday, June 26

Bethlehem Wood Carving Sale, ALL MASSES

Monday, June 27

NO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION at St. Paul

ST. PAUL OFFICE HOURS: Amy will be out of the office June 30, July 4, and July 7. Fr Steve will also be out starting Monday, June 27 until July 8. St. Elizabeth office hours will be the same as usual.

VISITING PRIESTS: Fr. Ray Clark will be filling in for mass on Saturday, July 2, and Fr. Mike Williams will be filling in at both Sunday masses. There will be no weekday masses. Fr. Ben Brown from White Mills will have the 1st Saturday Mass. For emergencies, call St. Joseph

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: We will be hosting VBS this year from July 11-14, for all kids grades incoming kindergarten to 5th grade. This will be from 9-12 AM each day. Registration forms will be available in church, and are due by July 4. This will be free. For further information, call Stephanie Burlison at 547-0028 or Kristin Dixon. The theme for this is Wilderness Adventure Through the Sacraments. PLEASE NOTE: Free lunches will not be available to take home, but can be eaten on site.

YOUTH AMUSEMENT PARK TRIP: On Friday, July 15, the youth will be taking a trip to Beech Bend Amusement Park in Bowling Green. The trip will leave at 10 AM from St. Paul, and will also include a visit to the newly-renovated St. Joseph Church. Anyone interested is asked to pick up a permission slip at church. The cost of the trip is \$40.

HOMEWRECKERS NEEDED: On Saturday, July 16, we will have a homewrecking party. Yes, as you likely know, we recently bought the Lampton house next to the school, and so we have started the initial stages of tearing it down to eventually build our school addition. On July 16, we want a bunch of people to essentially help us tear the inside of it apart. We will begin at 8 AM. Bring mainly hammers, crowbars and flat bars for this event. We will be filling a dumpster full of refuse. Food will also be provided, and we can use some folks to help cook as well. For further information, talk to Fr. Steve

DIRECTIONS TO REGISTER FOR ONLINE GIVING:

For St. Paul Parish: 1) go to www.stpaulchurchgrayson.com

2) Click on “Online Giving”

3) click on “Click Here or the image above to give your offering.”

4) Click on “Create your online profile”, and then register from there

For St. Elizabeth, 1) start by going to www.stelizabethclarkson.church, then

2) click on “Give now”, then

3) Click on “Create your online profile”, and then register from there

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 27- July 8 Fr. Steve going away

July 11 Eucharistic adoration; St. Elizabeth, 11 AM- 8 PM

July 11-14 Vacation Bible School; St. Paul

July 13 Nursing Home Mass

July 15 Youth Beech Bend Trip; leave St. Paul at 10 AM

July 16 Dismantling of Lampton House; 8 AM

July 17 Youth Event; St. Paul, 5 PM

July 30 Church Picnic; St. Paul

August 6 Men’s Prayer Breakfast; St. Paul, 8 AM

MORE HOMEBOUND MINISTERS NEEDED AT ST ELIZABETH: We would very much like to have one or two people to visit the sick from St. Elizabeth. At the moment, there are only 2 homebound in our parish, both of which are staying at Springview Nursing Home. This would involve a visit, on Sunday afternoon, about every 3 or 4 weeks. If you would be willing to help out with this very important service, please talk to Fr. Steve or Glenda.

YES, THERE WILL BE FIRST SATURDAY MASS: To answer a concern about whether we will have first Saturday mass next week, yes, Fr. Ben Brown from White Mills will be here to say mass as usual on Saturday, July 2 at 10 AM. There will also be confessions beginning at 9:30

ST. PAUL SCHOOL FUNDRAISING REVIEW:

May Pork Dinner - \$1,575.00 Golf Scramble - \$3,100.00

Coke Rewards - \$106.00 Yard Sale - \$4,623.00

Box Tops - \$30.80 Religious Articles Sale - \$394.85

ST PAUL PARISH PICNIC UPDATES, NEEDS

What we need from you all:

- Be willing when we call and ask you to volunteer for something to do
- Be seeking things to donate to the auction
- We have something new this year: the CAKE WAR. The theme for this year is “summer fun”. Cakes are judged based on the best decorated. Trophies for winners. Winning cakes will then be auctioned off. So we need people to enter this
- SELL RAFFLE TICKETS, and then sell MORE raffle tickets
- We will need people to bring in :
 - Jars for jar booth (or at least things that we can stuff in jars)
 - 2 liters for ring-a-pop
 - Cakes and pies for both the cake wheel and dessert for dinner
 - Vegetables for dinner

ST. PAUL PICNIC RAFFLE INFORMATION:

Main Prize - \$5.00 per ticket. First Prize – Zero Turn Mower (or cash out option)

Second Prize - \$500.00

Third Prize - \$300.00

Porch Swing Made by Dale Clark and Bradley Bradley - \$2.00 per ticket

2 Quilts – Made by Vicki Johnson/Janie Foster & Helen Gawarecki - \$2.00 per ticket

COUNTY NEWS:

Tri-Parish Fundraiser St. Anthony |St Augustine |St. Benedict Saturday, July 2, 2022 The Tri-Parishes in Grayson County will have a fundraiser at St. Anthony, in Peonia, KY on Saturday, July 2, 2022. The day begins with a yard sale from 8 AM – 12 PM in the parish yard. Dinner will be from 3- 7 PM in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Dinner consists of an all-you-can-eat fried chicken dinner with all the fixins. Cost is: \$15 (adults); \$10 (ages 6-12); and free (5 and under). Main raffle prizes are 1st Place: \$1,000; 2nd Place: \$500; and 3rd Place: \$250. There will also be a raffle for a Crown of Thorns quilt. Join the Tri-Parishes at 1256 St. Anthony Road. Call 270- 242-4791 or email stanthony1256@windstream.net