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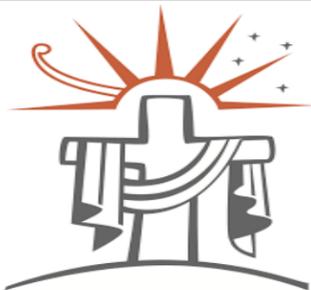
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Lord, hold our troops in
your loving hands.
Protect them.
Bless them and their
families. I ask this in the
name of Jesus, our Lord
and Savior.
Amen



Ellenberger Lumber Company and Do-it Center

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"Let nothing perturb you, nothing frighten you.
All things pass. God does not change.

Patience achieves everything."

St. Teresa of Avila

This has been a difficult year for many people in our community. I want to remind you of a free community resource that I encourage everyone to use if they find themselves needing extra support. 2-1-1 is a public service number for all non-emergency needs. You can call it any time, any day and an agent will connect you with whatever it is you're looking for – food, financial assistance, housing support, clothing, transportation... All you need to do is dial 2-1-1 or text your zip code to 898-211 to get connected.

DIAL 2-1-1 to get connected to local resources.



2-1-1 is here to help.



ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH ST. MONICA CATHOLIC CHURCH—AFTON

20811 Washington Avenue, Onaway, MI
Ph. 989-733-6053 / Fax. 989-733-2848 / Father 989-701-4077
parishoffice@stpaul-onaway.com Website: stpaul-onaway.com / facebook.com/stpaulonaway

July 25, 2021

Pastor : Rev. Patrick Maher

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary

Sacraments

Baptisms

Call the Parish Office to schedule.

Marriage

Couples are invited to call the Parish Office, minimally six months in advance, to prepare for and schedule their marriage.

Confirmation

Adults who have not been confirmed are invited to call the Parish Office to arrange for classes.

Adult Faith Formation

Anyone inquiring about the Catholic Faith or simply wishing to deepen their own understanding of the Catholic Faith.

Mass Schedule

Tuesday: 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday:
9:00 a.m.
Confessions - 1 hour prior to
Saturday Mass
Saturday Mass 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 10:00 a.m.

St Monica

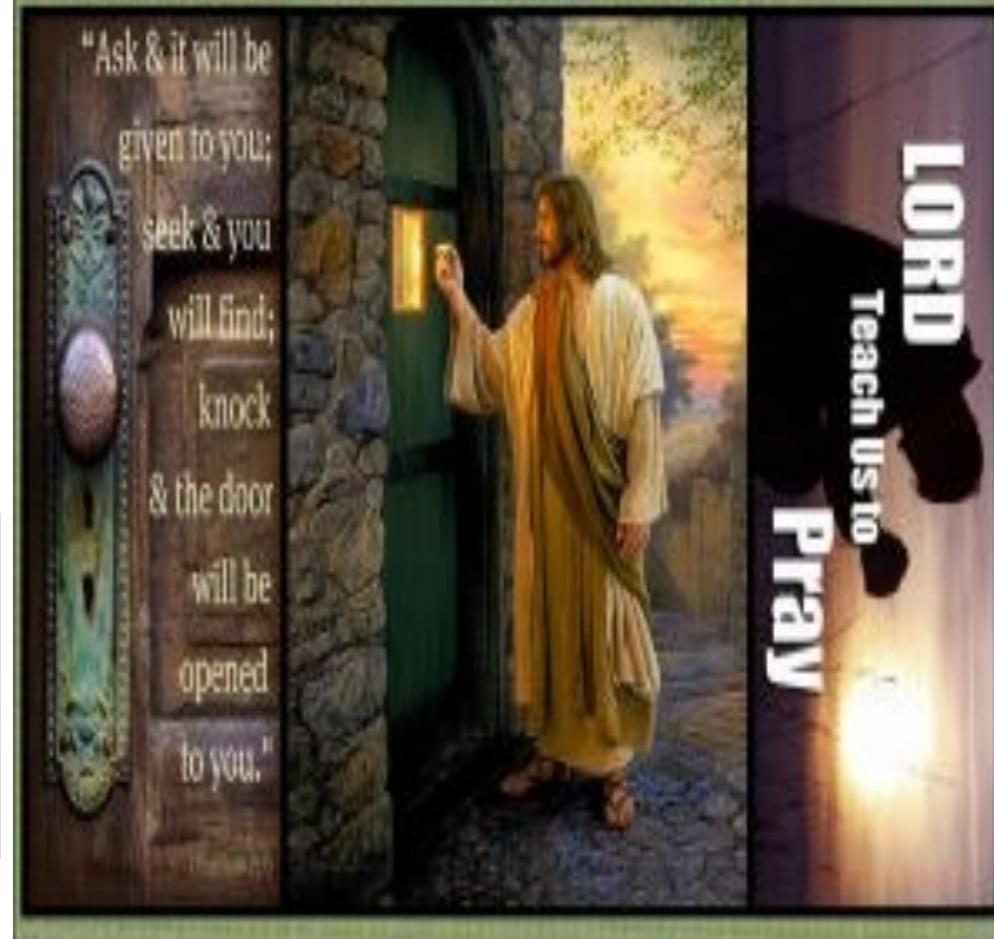
Sunday - 8:00 a.m.

The Office

Office Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
9:00 a.m.— 2:00 p.m.
(989) 733-6053
stpaul-onaway.com
Fr. Patrick (989) 701-4077

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parishioners of St. Paul, Onaway, open to the guidance of the Holy Spirit, are dedicated to preserve, live and proclaim the Good News brought by Jesus. As a sacramental people, we are committed to welcome all into Christ's presence among us.

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ Jesus,

From **On Faith and Reason** continued:

"Therefore, following upon similar initiatives by my Predecessors, I wish to reflect upon this special activity of human reason. I judge it necessary to do so because, at the present time in particular, the search for ultimate truth seems often to be neglected. Modern philosophy clearly has the great merit of focusing attention upon man. From this starting-point, human reason with its many questions has developed further its yearning to know more and to know it ever more deeply. Complex systems of thought have thus been built, yielding results in the different fields of knowledge and fostering the development of culture and history. Anthropology, logic, the natural sciences, history, linguistics and so forth—the whole universe of knowledge has been involved in one way or another. **Yet the positive results achieved must not obscure the fact that reason, in its one-sided concern to investigate human subjectivity, seems to have forgotten that men and women are always called to direct their steps towards a truth which transcends them.** Sundered from that truth, individuals are at the mercy of caprice, and their state as person ends up being judged by pragmatic criteria based essentially upon experimental data, in the mistaken belief that technology must dominate all. It has happened therefore that reason, rather than voicing the human orientation towards truth, has wilted under the weight of so much knowledge and little by little has lost the capacity to lift its gaze to the heights, not daring to rise to the truth of being. Abandoning the investigation of being, modern philosophical research has concentrated instead upon human knowing. Rather than make use of the human capacity to know the truth, modern philosophy has preferred to accentuate the ways in which this capacity is limited and conditioned.

This has given rise to different forms of agnosticism and relativism which have led philosophical research to lose its way in the shifting sands of widespread skepticism. Recent times have seen the rise to prominence of various doctrines which tend to devalue even the truths which had been judged certain. A legitimate plurality of positions has yielded to an undifferentiated pluralism, based upon the assumption that all positions are equally valid, which is one of today's most widespread symptoms of the lack of confidence in truth. Even certain conceptions of life coming from the East betray this lack of confidence, denying truth its exclusive character and assuming that truth reveals itself equally in different doctrines, even if they contradict one another. **On this understanding, everything is reduced to opinion; and there is a sense of being adrift.**

There is a further reason why I write these reflections. In my Encyclical Letter *Veritatis Splendor*, I drew attention to "certain fundamental truths of Catholic doctrine which, in the present circumstances, risk being distorted or denied" St. Pope John Paul II. © Copyright - Libreria Editrice Vaticana

And remember, **PLEASE GET YOUR PICTURE TAKEN FOR OUR DIRECTORY!!!** and know,

You are loved
Father Patrick

2021 Offertory Envelopes
Can be picked up in vestibule.
Thank you

CONFESSION
Father Patrick will be hearing confessions 1 hour prior to Saturday Mass



Leon Nash - July 28th
Jim Turner - July 28th
David Turzewski - July 28th
Thomas Peterson - July 29th
Kathleen Robbins - July 31st
Jordan Bischer - July 31st

St. Anthony Annual Garage Sale
Thursday, July 29th, 2021
9:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.
Bake Sale & Antiques
Goodwill Offering on all purchases except antiques and specialty items
Location: St Anthony Parish Hall
600W. Central Avenue
Mackinaw City
Donations are being excepted until July 27th
No clothing, shoes, blinds, computers, monitors, keyboards, luggage, mattresses, analog tvs, large appliances, sinks and items that DON'T work.

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, July 27th @ 5:00 p.m.
+ Theresa Roach
Req. Shirley Cancade

Wednesday, July 28th @ 9:00 a.m.
Protection of Preborn Life

Thursday, July 29th @ 9:00 a.m.
Increase to Vocation to Religious Life

Friday, July 30th @ 9:00 a.m.
Grandparents & all the Elderly

Saturday, July 31st @ 5:00 p.m.
Schafer Family
Req. Bob & Lynn Schell

Sunday, August 1st @ 8:00 a.m.
St Monica - Mass
All Parishioners of St Paul and St Monica

Sunday, August 1st @ 10:00 a.m.
All Parishioners of St Paul and St Monica

The weekly bulletin can be accessed online @ stpaul-onaway.com

Readings for Week of July 26th
Mon: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/ Mt 13:31-35
Tues: Ex 33:7-11;34:5b-9, 28/Mt 13:36-43
Wed: Ex 34:29-35 / Mt 13:44-46
Thurs: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38 / Jn 11:19-27
Fri: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37 / Mt 13:54-58
Sat: Lv 25:1, 8-17 / Mt 14:1-12
Sun: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15 / Ps: 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 / Eph 4:17, 20-24 / Jn 6:24-35

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Tuesday, July 27th
AA 8 pm, Hall (Rm. 1)
Friday, July 30th
AA 8 pm, Hall (Rm. 1)

Catholic Service Appeal
Thank you to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2021 Catholic Services Appeal. St Paul is \$13,632.00/ 74.19% towards our goal of \$18,375.00 and St Monica is \$700.00/ 33.99% toward the goal of \$2,059.00. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, it's not too late to help us meet and even exceed our target. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.



Anyone wishing to help out with some yard maintenance we are in need of volunteers that can spare some time picking weeds and maintaining the flower beds/shrubs and etc. Your time and efforts would be greatly appreciated. Thank you

"I am with you always"
To express the closeness of the Lord and the church to every older person, especially in these challenging pandemic times. Celebrating Grandparents & the Elderly
Sunday, July 25, 2021

Bless you for your Stewardship
St. Paul: 07/18/2021
Reg. \$1,355.00 + Loose \$1,007.00 + Utilities \$47.00 = \$2,409.00
Restoration \$348.50
St. Monica 07/18/2021
Regular \$75.00 + Loose \$65.00 = \$140.00

Financial Position (as of 05/31/21)		
St. Paul YTD	05/31/2021	YTD 05/31/2020
Income	134,358.99	126,461.02
Expenses	133,405.18	132,585.32
Net Income	953.81	-6,124.30
St. Monica YTD	2021	YTD 2020
Income	5,950.12	7,943.90
Expenses	3,611.03	7,986.73
Net Income	2,339.09	-42.83

PARISH DIRECTORY
Online Scheduling Available
To schedule your photography appointment online, simply go to www.ucdir.com, click on photography appointment scheduling login on the right side, enter **mi1585** in the Church Code field and enter **photos** in the Church Password field. Follow the prompts to schedule your family's appointment time. If you have 6 or more in your family please use 2 consecutive time slots. The online scheduling option is available Monday through Friday. **Appointments fill up quickly, so schedule as soon as possible to secure your preferred date and time.**
August 12th, 13th, or 14th

Those in need of our prayers...

Carrie Badgero	Evelyn Canales	William Ellenberger	Pam Kolasa	Dick Manners	Greg Renard
Ann Bandish	Robert Carter Jr	Brianne Giddis	Jan & Ross Nave	Brittany Maynard	Brenda Turner
Debbie Bandish	Judith Decker	Donna Giessinger	Starr Ittu	Robin Mousseau	Bob Turney
Dorothy Brama	Donna Diller	Vicki Giessinger	Sharyl Leonard	Patrick Mousseau	Richard Witulski
Jeannie Brewbaker	Louise Dorton	Vicki Goscinski	Butch Leonard	Alina Nemarundwe	Chloe Walker
Mike Butler	Elvin Eagleson	Jim Hayes	Glenn Lunceford	Bev Rathburn	
Sandra Bunk	Ted Elick	Donna Harrison			