

# Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish & School

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Parish Office Hours  
Monday-Friday  
8:00 AM-1:00 PM

September 24, 2023

## MASS TIMES

Saturday  
5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday  
7:00 AM, 9:00 AM,  
11:00 AM

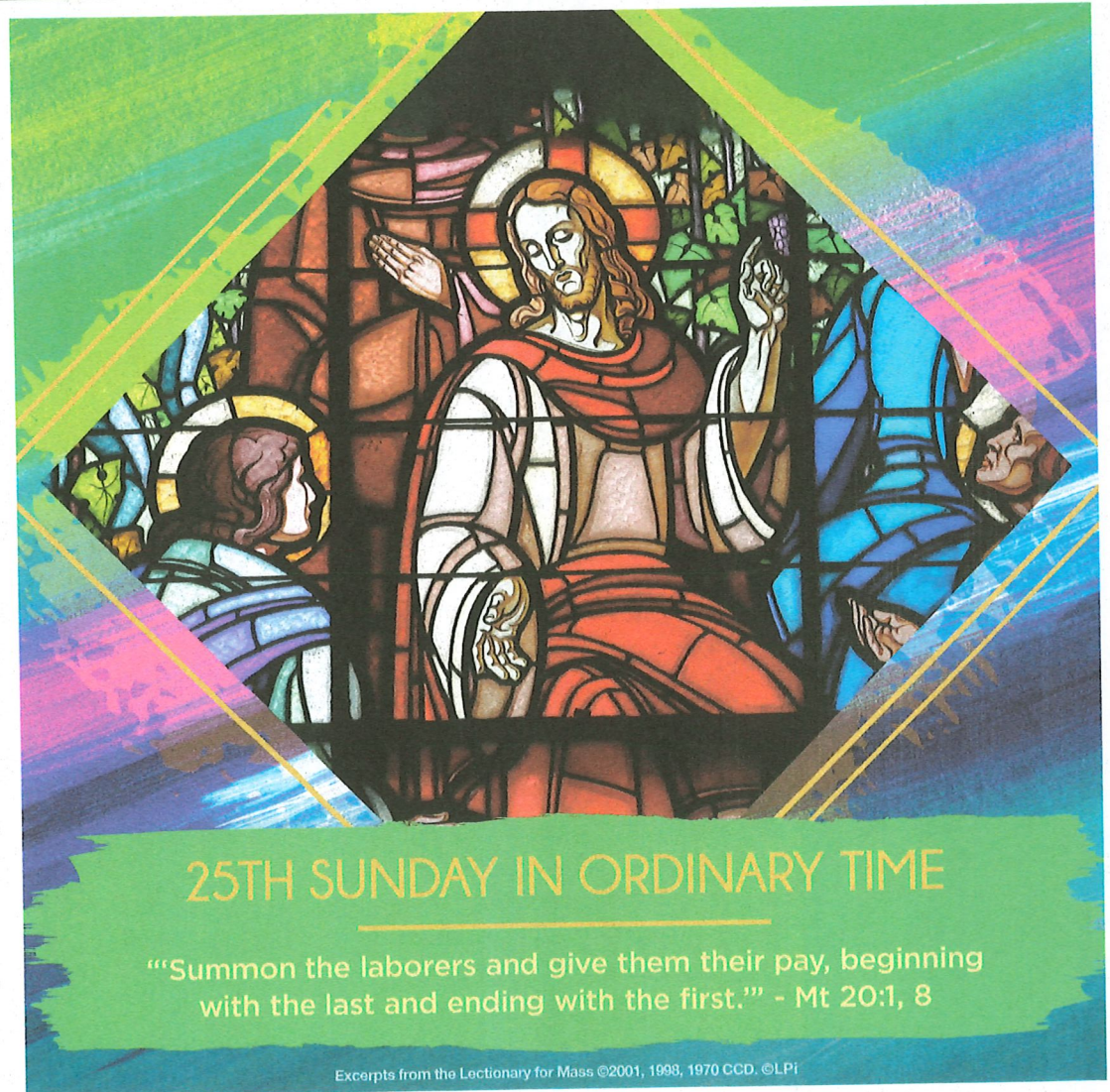
## DAILY MASS

Monday  
7:30 AM Communion Service  
Tuesday  
6:00 PM  
Wednesday & Friday  
8:00 AM  
Thursday  
12:05 PM  
Saturday  
7:30 AM

## Reconciliation

Saturday  
3:30-4:30 PM  
or by appointment

Saints Peter & Paul  
School Office  
785-336-2727 Office  
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tleonard@spps.school.com



## 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Summon the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and ending with the first.” - Mt 20:1, 8

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## Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



# TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – SEPTEMBER 24, 2023

## Mass Intentions – September 25 thru October 1

<b>Monday,</b>	<b>September 25 – 25<sup>th</sup> Monday in Ordinary Time</b>
7:30 AM	Communion Service
<b>Tuesday,</b>	<b>September 26 – Saints Cosmas and Damian</b>
6:00 PM	Communion Service
<b>Wednesday,</b>	<b>September 27 – Saint Vincent de Paul</b>
8:00 AM	Communion Service
<b>Thursday,</b>	<b>September 28 – Saint Wenceslaus</b>
	<b>Saint Lawrence Ruiz</b>
12:05 PM	Communion Service
<b>Friday,</b>	<b>September 29 – Saints Michael, Gabriel</b>
	<b>&amp; Raphael, Archangels</b>
8:00 AM	Communion Service
<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>September 30 – Saint Jerome</b>
7:30 AM	Jim Gudenkauf
5:00 PM	Elmer & Helen Sack
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>October 1 – 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
7:00 AM	For Our Parish
9:00 AM	Greg Fangman
11:00 AM	Lisa Stallbaumer (Anniv.)

Stewardship Summary		
Projected Yearly Budget \$1,518,735.16 (parish & school)		
Fiscal Year 7-1-23 to 6-30-24	Week of 09/17/2023	Year to Date Totals
<i>Envelope</i>	\$ 4,139.00	\$ 64,770.00
<i>Plate</i>	\$ 1,126.00	\$ 17,282.00
<i>EFT/Church</i>	\$ 9,023.00	\$ 62,645.00
<i>School</i>	\$ 40.00	\$ 106,690.00
<i>EFT/School</i>	\$ 3,486.67	\$ 18,905.65
<i>Other</i>	\$ 50.00	\$ 2,551.00
<i>Total</i>	\$ 17,864.67	\$ 272,843.65
<i>Weekly Budget</i> \$21,000.00	<i>Income</i> <i>over/under</i>	<i>Week #12</i> <i>over/under</i>
	\$ -3,135.33	\$ +20,233.33
<i>Faith, Hope, &amp; Charity</i>	\$ 1,290.00	\$ 25,845.73

## New Open Adoration Hours!

Wed	2-3 AM	Sun	1-2 AM
Thurs	2-3 AM		2-3 AM
	1-2 PM		3-4 AM
Sat	12 midnight – 1 AM		
	1-2 AM		
	2-3 AM		
	3-4 AM		
	8-9 PM		

To reserve an hour,  
Please call Betty at  
336-4022.

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

### Weekday Servers:

Sept. 30 (Sat 7:30 AM)  
Josie Altenhofen, Mollie Haverkamp  
Sept. 27, Sept. 29 (Wed 8 AM, Fri 8 AM)  
SPPS Students – Communion Service Only

### Saturday, September 30 at 5:00 PM

Servers..... Kolton Kidd, Emma Weeldreyer  
..... Mason Dalinghaus, Sophie Ridenour  
Lector..... Bob Niehues  
Commentator..... Gary Niehues  
Communion..... Marilyn Boeding, Paul Boeding  
..... Sadie Haverkamp, Todd Leonard  
Cantor/Organist.....Kale Rottinghaus

### Sunday, October 1 at 7:00 AM

Servers..... Meg Honeyman, Logan Honeyman  
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Lector..... Nikki Honeyman  
Commentator.....Dean Becker  
Communion..... Jim Runnebaum, Myra Runnebaum  
..... Leon Feldkamp, Margie Shinn  
Cantor/Organist.....

### Sunday, October 1 at 9:00 AM

Servers..... Sydney Frehe, Hudson Kuckelman  
..... Korbin Schmelzle, Kennedy Carlson  
Lector.....Colby Frehe  
Commentator..... Michelle Fangman  
Communion..... Kristy Wilhelm, Lacey Frehe  
.....John Kohake, Mary Beth Kohake  
Cantor/Organist .....K of C Choir/Terry Nordhus

### Sunday, October 1 at 11:00 AM

Servers..... Noah Olberding, Emma Tangeman  
..... Ella Bartkoski, Conrad Cain  
Lector.....Hudson Cain  
Commentator..... Doug Bailey  
Communion..... Lynda Cross, Sharon Haverkamp  
..... Sam Nordhus, Trent Thomas  
Cantor/Organist..... Stacy Rethman/Jan Rottinghaus

Rosary Leaders: 5:00 PM Marjean Moore  
9:00 AM Alan Lierz



Flowers on the Main Altar are in loving memory and honor of the living and deceased members of the O'Brien Family.



In Memoriam – Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated for Linus H. Ronnebaum on Monday, September 18, 2023 at Sts. Peter and Paul Church. Let us remember Linus and his family in our prayers.



Welcome to the Christian Community:

Aspen Grace Sperflage, daughter of Eric & Quincy (Haverkamp) Sperflage, who was baptized Thursday, September 21, 2023 at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Aspen's godparents are Braden & Julie Hynek.

Welcome to the Christian Community:

Alana Rosemary & Raelynn Jean Haug, daughters of Christopher Haug & Megan Bloedorn, who were baptized Friday, September 22, 2023 at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Their godparents are Dan & Leah Shanno and Greg & Nancy Nickelson.

May God's continued blessings be on Aspen, Alana, and Raelynn; along with their parents and godparents.

All area priests will be attending a Priests' Convocation this week. Communion Services will be held throughout the week.

There will be training of Eucharistic Ministers on Wed, Sept 27<sup>th</sup>. If anyone in the parish is interested in being trained, please come join the CCD kids! The training starts at 7 PM in church.



Next Sunday, October 1st is Respect Life Sunday.

The Pro-Life Chain will meet in front of SPPS Parish Hall at 1:45 PM and proceed to Highway 36 for the Chain from 2 to 3 PM. This is a fun, prayerful, peaceful public witness in honor of the 60 million lives lost to abortion.



That Man Is You: Weekly meeting on Wed, Sept. 27th at 6 AM, Knights of Columbus Hall in Seneca. Topic this week is Freedom to

Choose the Good and the speaker is Father Dave Pivonka.

"More of God" Regional Gathering –

Friday, September 29th from 7-9 pm in the SPP Parish Hall. All are invited. Refreshments will be provided following.

National Catholic Youth Conference is coming soon!

This year, it will be held in Indianapolis IN November 16-18<sup>th</sup>. NCYC gathers thousands of teens to unite in prayer while all experience the same thing, that God speaks to each one in a unique way. If interested, call Kris Anderson at 507-430-1900.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Sun, Oct. 1 SPPSmoke Off & Tailgate Lunch – 11 AM  
Pro-Life Chain from 2-3 PM

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Thurs, Sept. 28 VB/FB Frankfort @ SPPS

UPCOMING CCD EVENTS

Wed, Sept. 27 Regular Class – Eucharistic Minister Training  
Monitors: Dustin & Stacy Monier



The SPPSmoke Off & Tailgate Lunch will be held Sun, Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>, serving pulled pork and brisket sandwiches, hot dogs, smoked beans, coleslaw, chips, and cookies. Serving begins at 11 AM in the Parish Hall for a free will donation. Grab your lunch to go or head outside to join in on our tailgate activities for the family and pick up some pumpkins too. Make sure to check out the chance drawings with lots of prizes and our silent auction items as well. Proceeds will benefit SPPS PTO. Come and join us!



Pumpkins are here! Be sure to pick up your pumpkins this Sunday in front of church for a free will donation to support SPPS. Proceeds last year were used to help fund the new ELA curriculum. Thank you for your generosity!

SPPS PTO would like to thank everyone who supported the Mum Sale Project. Funds are used to beautify the nature area and the areas around church. Thank you!

WE ARE NOW JOINING WITH THE ARCHDIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY to attend the Tenth National Eucharistic Congress that is to be held July 17-21, 2024 at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis, Indiana.

If you are interested in going there is a sign-up sheet in the narthex along with brochures explaining costs, transportation, and housing, etc. We are trying to stay together as a parish group, BUT the quicker you commit, the better the chance. Any questions: contact Bob Niehues, 785.294.1147, email address: [jr4474@gmail.com](mailto:jr4474@gmail.com). To learn more, go to the website <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org>.

AREA EVENTS

Holy Family Parish, Summerfield Turkey Supper:

Sun, Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> serving from 3 PM until gone. Turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, dessert for \$14.00. Drive thru only. Thrift store at the Summerfield School will be open from 2-5 PM.

Home is Where the Heart Is - Sacred Heart, Baileyville:

Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. Includes celebration of the mass at 8 AM followed by breakfast in the Church Hall, with event ending at noon. Open to all ages with speakers Leroy and Julie Strathman along with their adult son Cory.

Virtus Session at St. Patrick, Corning:

Sunday, Oct. 8 at 1:00 p.m. at the Gathering Center. Virtus is a required adult Archdiocesan program to help keep children safe. If you are a religious teacher whether in CCD or a school, a DRE, train servers, music coordinator or organist, an employee or volunteer in any capacity, etc., you need to complete this program. Go to [virtusonline.org](http://virtusonline.org) to sign up. You will be directed to complete an application, questions, and consent to a background check. Children under 18 will need a parent consent form. Registration should be completed at least two days prior to the session to give enough time to plan and prepare for the correct amount of materials. Call Tamara Steinlage with any questions at 785-548-5791.

Harvest Meal, St. Mary's Church St. Benedict:

Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> serving from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM Dine-In or Carry Out for a free will offering. Menu includes pulled pork, cheesy potatoes, green beans and cookies. Everyone is welcome!



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to eat ... the increase  
from seed sown ... and  
increases the harvest of  
your righteousness.

~ II Corinthians 9:10

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**STS. PETER & PAUL**  
**FINANCIAL SUMMARY**

	FYE 06/19	FYE 06/20	FYE 06/21	FYE 06/22	FYE 06/23
<b>RECEIPTS</b>					
ORDINARY COLLECTIONS	\$1,197,813.91	\$1,013,808.98	\$988,323.04	\$1,093,518.72	\$1,081,873.71
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS	54,777.15	132,130.71	177,142.77	262,605.96	150,548.77
INCOME FROM PARISH ASSETS	7,426.13	7,377.32	2,205.61	5,716.55	11,308.53
CAPITAL FUND DRIVES	47,405.00	22,654.23	9,904.27	2,036.94	1,348.82
PARISH MINISTRY PROGRAM RECEIPTS	8,827.00	4,171.00	4,780.00	5,673.00	5,065.05
COMMUNICATION APOSTOLATE	5,067.00	4,535.00	4,463.00	4,451.00	4,053.00
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	309,490.02	287,446.52	372,811.69	401,250.20	411,636.08
CEMETERY	22,958.00	20,507.44	20,604.58	17,377.74	19,352.54
OTHER INCOME	142,583.84	231,566.95	56,214.21	21,603.51	10,572.23
ADDITIONAL PARISH RECEIPT AMOUNTS	37,687.85	48,182.29	23,933.49	5,722.40	23,729.27
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$1,834,035.90</b>	<b>\$1,772,380.44</b>	<b>\$1,660,382.66</b>	<b>\$1,819,956.02</b>	<b>\$1,719,488.00</b>
<b>PERSONNEL EXPENSES</b>					
SALARIES-CHURCH	32,175.70	33,707.85	30,385.11	34,316.76	39,948.22
SALARIES-OPERATIONS	23,215.63	19,854.06	17,130.32	18,507.82	21,812.45
SALARIES-OTHER	2,051.61	1,303.62	1,024.43	1,014.81	1,116.30
PERSONNEL RELATED EXP	19,556.10	17,796.15	20,772.49	15,419.52	14,732.02
<b>TOTAL PERSONNEL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$76,999.04</b>	<b>\$72,661.68</b>	<b>\$69,312.35</b>	<b>\$69,258.91</b>	<b>\$77,608.99</b>
<b>PARISH OPERATIONS</b>					
MAINTENANCE	166,476.78	37,394.72	7,187.40	26,117.51	8,052.28
GENERAL OPERATIONS	30,213.77	25,812.52	28,212.16	22,843.73	27,775.43
INSURANCE	17,018.08	14,082.00	14,419.92	15,140.00	15,407.00
TRAVEL	1,776.32	2,888.77	850.37	2,030.67	4,437.14
ADMINISTRATION	15,449.34	14,577.12	12,541.02	12,661.69	12,091.53
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	14,410.00	22,346.40	24,000.00	25,100.00	25,200.00
OTHER PARISH OPERATIONS	4,086.92	2,049.00	2,070.49	6,472.12	5,371.30
<b>TOTAL PARISH OPERATIONS</b>	<b>\$249,431.21</b>	<b>\$119,150.53</b>	<b>\$89,281.36</b>	<b>\$110,365.72</b>	<b>\$98,334.68</b>
<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>					
EQUIPMENT	4,825.49	2,335.98	-	6,181.89	14,167.30
BUILDINGS	93,733.33	102,933.33	-	-	-
OTHER	-	-	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$98,558.82</b>	<b>\$105,269.31</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$6,181.89</b>	<b>\$14,167.30</b>
<b>PARISH PROGRAMMING &amp; SERVICES</b>					
LITURGICAL SUPPLIES	6,467.87	9,622.27	11,259.49	14,325.42	17,286.27
PARISH MINISTRY PROGRAM SUPPLIES	8,250.42	5,531.50	6,830.79	4,367.55	7,348.96
COMMUNICATION APOSTOLATE	13,039.00	13,002.00	12,876.00	13,679.00	10,569.00
PARISH CEMETERY	3,883.91	11,453.29	3,934.52	2,448.67	1,662.84
<b>TOTAL PARISH PROGRAMMING &amp; SERVICES</b>	<b>\$31,641.20</b>	<b>\$39,609.06</b>	<b>\$34,900.80</b>	<b>\$34,820.64</b>	<b>\$36,867.07</b>
<b>PARISH RESPONSIBILITY IN ITS MISSION</b>					
TO THE WORLD	-	-	10,000.00	-	-
WITHIN THE ARCHDIOCESE	33,264.48	44,791.15	65,929.17	63,087.47	57,349.72
*WITHIN THE PARISH	1,428,232.24	1,271,035.57	1,293,601.66	1,411,176.60	1,542,933.59
WITHIN THE COMMUNITY	1,539.72	3,427.30	1,690.64	1,300.69	813.22
<b>TOTAL PARISH RESPONSIBILITY IN ITS MISSION</b>	<b>\$1,463,036.44</b>	<b>1,319,254.02</b>	<b>1,371,221.47</b>	<b>1,475,564.76</b>	<b>1,601,096.53</b>
<b>ADDITIONAL DISBURSEMENT ACCOUNTS</b>					
	8,856.22	5,547.04	5,694.82	6,650.75	8,124.62
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$1,932,098.84</b>	<b>\$1,661,491.64</b>	<b>\$1,570,410.80</b>	<b>\$1,702,842.67</b>	<b>\$1,836,199.19</b>
<b>NET - (RECEIPTS LESS DISBURSEMENTS)</b>	<b>-\$98,062.94</b>	<b>\$110,888.80</b>	<b>\$89,971.86</b>	<b>\$117,113.35</b>	<b>-\$116,711.19</b>
<b>*DISBURSEMENTS FOR PRE-K THRU 8 EDUCATION INCLUDED IN TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS ABOVE</b>					
	\$1,210,098.03	\$1,068,679.21	\$1,040,390.07	\$1,109,975.20	\$1,264,586.60

Please note that for FYE 6/30/23 our Faith, Hope & Charity special appeal collected \$85,319.00  
Without this special appeal our deficit would have been -\$202,030.19

STS. PETER PAUL CHURCH  
June 30, 2023

CASH IN BANK		FUNDS IN ACCOUNTS AT ARCHDIOCESE				FUNDS IN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF NORTHEAST KANSAS			
UNITED BANK PARISH CHECKING	\$ 177,064.41	CHURCH	\$ 101,140.61	1	PARISH & SCHOOL	\$	49,558.38	2	
		SCHOOL	\$ 241,199.81	1	CEMETERY	\$	51,319.88	2	
		MEMORIAL	\$ 1,275.01	1	CEMETERY DONOR FUND	\$	581.10	2	
		CEMETERY	\$ 18,426.81	1	SCHOOL DONOR	\$	9,473.43	2	
					GRESS FAMILY ENDOW	\$	35,510.91	2	

1: All funds designated as funds in accounts at Archdiocese are funds readily available to our parish, and can be received via wire the same day requested. All funds in these accounts belong to our parish. The funds in these accounts earn more interest than we are able to get at local financial institutions.

2: All funds designated as funds in Catholic Foundation of Northeast Kansas were established as endowment funds and therefore, per donors direction will remain at the Archdiocese permanently. Our parish does receive all earnings off of these accounts to use for expenditures.