

Welcome to the Holy Roman Catholic Community of Holy Mother & Child St. Joseph's St. Paul's



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Mass times:
8:30 am Sunday
Noon Wednesdays

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Our Sunday 8:30 am morning Mass
can be viewed at
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St. Joseph's Church - St. Paul's Mission

Our Saturday 4 pm Vigil Mass
can be viewed at
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Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 21, 2026

*At our Eucharistic Celebrations
this week we have been asked to
remember and pray for:*

<i>St. Joseph's Sat. 6/20 at 4:00 pm</i>	All Fathers and Father-figures
<i>Holy Mother & Child Sun. 6/21 at 8:30 am</i>	William J. Doody by Shawna Gately Joe Arcate by Lisa & Laura Michael Tagliaferro, Sr. by the family
<i>St. Joseph's Sun. 6/21 at 10:30 am</i>	All Fathers and Father-figures
<i>St. Paul's Sun. 6/21 at 12:30 pm</i>	All Fathers and Father-figures
<i>St. Joseph's Wed. 6/24 at 9:00 am</i>	Our Parish Family
<i>Holy Mother & Child Wed. 6/24 at Noon</i>	Our Parish Family

Prayer for Fathers

For our fathers, who have given us life and love,
that we may show them respect and love.
For fathers who have lost a child through death,
that their faith may give them hope,
and their family and friends support and console them.
For men, though without children of their own,
who like fathers have nurtured and cared for us.
For fathers, who have been unable to be a source of strength,
who have not responded to their children
and have not sustained their families.
God, in your wisdom and love you made all things.
Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always
with a spirit of profound respect.
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Bishop Mark will be here next Sunday, June 28th

8:30 am at Holy Mother & Child
10:30 am at St. Joseph's
12:30 pm at St. Paul's

Please join us for a reception honoring Bishop Mark
following the Mass at St. Paul's.

<i>This Week's Ministry Schedule</i>	<i>St. Joseph's 6/20 4:00 pm</i>	<i>St. Joseph's 6/21 10:30 am</i>	<i>St. Paul's 6/21 12:30 pm</i>
<i>Greeters</i>	Mary Fornabia	Randy Miczek	Kathy Zanella, Hazel Mahar
<i>Readers</i>	Pauline Simon	Sarah Miczek	Kathy Zanella
<i>Communion Ministers</i>	Pauline Simon, Mary Fornabia	TBD	TBD
<i>Counters</i>	~~~~~	Z Salinas, C Sykora, C Sharpe	~~~~~

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 every Saturday 3:15-3:45 pm at St. Joseph's

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The Respect Life Ministry advocates for all Life Issues, especially the Right to Life from conception to natural death. We promote the teachings of the Catholic Church on the Life Issues, and invite all to embrace God's gift of Life.

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Greenfield Food Pantry at Greenfield Community Center
Open Wednesdays 1:30 - 3:30 pm
ECHO Food Pantry at St. Paul's Church
Open Tuesdays 9:00 - 11:30 am
Meal Train requests
 Call the Parish Office for more info on any of the above.


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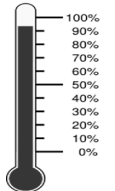
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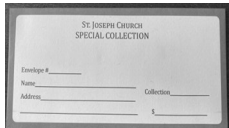

Diocesan Appeal
July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026
Goal \$31,719
Total raised as of 6/15
\$29,703
The total above includes
\$1,680 in pledges still to be collected.



Please note: All donations and pledges for the 2025—2026 Appeal have to be received by the diocese by June 30th

Catholic Trivia—Just for Fun
Question:
 Absolution, penance, and confession all refer to which Sacrament?
Answer: The Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Envelopes
 Are you new to the parish? Did you forget your envelope or did they not arrive? You will find “Welcome” envelopes at the entrances to the church for you to use.. Do you wish to make a special contribution or pay for a Mass card? You will find orange envelopes at the church entrance for you to use.

St. Joseph's & St. Paul's

<i>This Week's Ministry Schedule</i>	<i>St. Joseph's 6/27 4:00 pm</i>	<i>St. Joseph's 6/28 10:30 am</i>	<i>St. Paul's 6/28 12:30 pm</i>
Greeters	The Kelly Family	Randy Miczek	Kathy Zanella, Hazel Mahar
Readers	Joanne McKeon	Rebecca Cronin	Jim Loviza
Communion Ministers	Regina York, Scott York	Tiza Zakrzewski, Monica Berrios-McKeon	TBD
Counters	~~~~~	S Guyon, C & L Burch	~~~~~

The Parish Partners of St. Joseph's & St. Paul's and Holy Mother & Child

We use Flocknote emails to keep our parishioners informed. Sign up online or through the parish office.

Parish Partners' Calendar

Sundays	7:00 pm	St. Paul's Rosary Prayer
Mondays	1:00 pm	Bethany Guild meets at HM&C
Tuesdays	9 - 11:30	Food Pantry at St. Paul's
Wednesdays	1:30-3:30	Food Pantry at Greenfield Community Ctr
Fri 6/19	11:30 am	Free Lunch at Holy Mother & Child
Mon 6/22	6:00 pm	Buildings & Grounds work mtg at SP's
	7:00 pm	Men's Group meets at St. Joseph's
Tue 6/23	1:30 pm	Bereavement Group meets at St. Joseph's
Wed 6/24	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Mass at Holy Mother & Child
6/27-28	2nd collection at all Churches for The Evangelist, our diocesan newspaper	
Sunday, June 28	Bishop Mark is happy to celebrate the following Sunday Masses:	
	8:30 am	at Holy Mother & Child
	10:30 am	at St. Joseph's
	12:30 pm	at St. Paul's with the Bishop's reception to follow
	1-7 pm	Private rental St. Joseph's pavilion
Mon 6/29	9:00 am	Solemnity of Sts. Peter & Paul Mass at St. Paul's

Parish Partners: Melting Potluck Dinner Celebrating 250 Years of American History Many cultures—One faith—One table Faith, Fellowship, Food, Family

**Saturday, July 18th starting at 5:30pm
Holy Mother and Child Parish Center**

Bring a dish that represents your culture, heritage or family traditions. We will provide: Chafing dishes & sterno, plates, utensils, napkins, beverages, and a special celebration cake.

(Practicing) Catholic – Recognize God in Your Ordinary Moments

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Fear No One

In the 1883 painting “Mass in a Connemara Cabin,” a small congregation of shabbily dressed faithful is huddled together in a sparsely appointed room. A priest extends his hand in blessing. One woman presses her forehead to the ground in prayer.

This painting, created in 1883 by Aloysius O’Kelley, depicts a “station Mass,” offered for the community in a private home. Though this practice originated in the period of the Penal Laws, when Catholic worship was illegal in Ireland, it persisted even after the “emancipation” of Catholics in the 19th century.

I have used quotation marks around the word “emancipation” because we must never forget that just because something is made legal does not mean it is made popular. And it certainly is not made safe.

In the moments that pass immediately after this scene concludes, the altar candles will be extinguished and the faithful will disperse, carrying the Body and Blood of Christ into a world suspicious of him, suspicious of them.

And yet here they are, kneeling. Foreheads pressed to the floor.

This painting sits on my family’s prayer table as a call to reflection. I make my living writing Catholic things for Catholic publications. The people who read what I write are bound to agree with me — they’re usually reading my words in a church. I must confess that in my personal life, I am far less bold. I fear controversy. I dread giving offense. I buckle beneath the weight of discipleship.

It doesn’t matter that most Americans identify as “Christians” — the world we face when we leave Mass is every bit as resentful of true Catholic teaching as the world that lies beyond O’Kelley’s Connemara cottage. And while I do not fear those who can kill my body, I do fear those who can kill my reputation.

“Mass in a Connemara Cabin” illustrates how my ancestors worshiped: in secret, in shadow.

I worship in the daylight. Which of us acknowledges Christ more fully? More courageously?
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The next 2nd collection at all Churches will be June 27-28 for The Evangelist, our diocesan newspaper

The Evangelist is our award-winning diocesan newspaper. Each subscription costs the parish \$18 (It would be \$25/year or \$40/two years if you subscribed individually.) If you would like to help offset the cost, the church is grateful. Please contact the parish office if you wish to be added to our subscription list.



Holy Hour/Adoration

**Wednesday, July 1
5-6pm
at St. Paul's**

This adoration will be dedicated to praying for our country
as we celebrate 250 years of independence.....

Holy Mother & Child

HM&C FAITH FORMATION

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Weekly Offerings		Attendance	
6/14 Collection	\$ 1524	6/10	23
Catholic Communications	\$ 345	6/14	131
Fuel & Maintenance	\$ 262		



2025-2026 Diocesan Appeal Goal \$14,055

We have raised \$14,798.38
Thank you!!

We will receive 50%
any funds in excess of our goal.



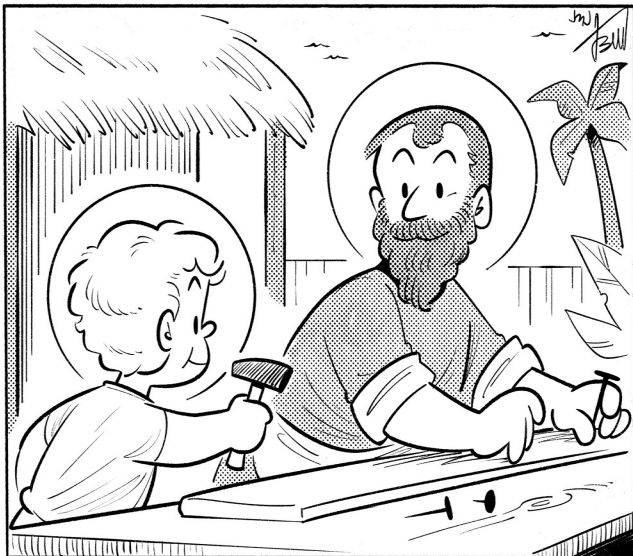
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HM&C BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

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HM&C HOSPITALITY

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Happy Father's Day!



Let's thank God for the fathers and father figures who care for their families and help build loving homes. St. Joseph, pray for us, and especially for our fathers!

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HM&C CEMETERY

Frank Ward & Gene Perry – Call the Parish Office for info.

Cemetery News

The cemetery is now open. Please make sure that all your leftovers from last year have been picked up. Remember it is carry-in, carry-out.



HM&C PARISH LIFE

Congratulations, Anna!

Anna Draisey-Curtis has recently completed the program, The Pastoral Associate For Leadership Formation Program. This enables participants to develop knowledge and skills for a collaborative role with a pastor in the administrative, operational and pastoral needs of a parish or parish network. The program involved an eight-month series that started on October 8th and ended with closing Mass and celebration in May. Ten learning modules were included along with special gatherings, a practicum experience, and an optional overnight retreat. Congratulations Anna, and thank you for taking the initiative to complete this course. She has earned the new title of Pastoral Associate for Parish Administration. We will all profit from your knowledge.

Everyday Stewardship

When I was a teenager, after a homecoming dance one year I took my date for a walk on the Potomac in downtown Alexandria. The moon was out and I was struck by how the light shimmered on the water. I remember focusing to try to see all the details of the dancing rays on the ripples. My date didn't see it and didn't really get it. She thought it was no big deal. It was a great date and a fun night, but for that one moment we saw the world from two completely different vantage points.

Two of the greatest gifts from God to each of us are life and time. Without taking care, we can easily miss the grandeur and beauty of both. Being mindful as an everyday steward means pausing to see the detail in all that exists around us. God's creation is not something created with a broad brush, but instead with the intricacies of a master painter.

God created all things with purpose and a complexity only the divine could fully comprehend. Every single hair on our head has been counted! But when we take a moment to reflect on the beauty that is created by that complexity, we allow ourselves to revel in God's generosity. There is so much to give thanks for in this life. But you and I can't give thanks to God unless we really stop to take notice. When was the last time you stared in awe at the moon?

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPI

Blessing for the Summer

Praise God!
Pour Your mercy upon this season, Lord!
As the days fill with sun,
fill our hearts with the fire of Your love.
As we gather to share story and song,
campfires and connection, be with us.
Bless our work, our rest,
and our play in Your goodness.
Amen.

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Holy Mother & Child

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Our mission is to accept God's invitation to grow in love, take care of each other, and serve people, as we witness the traditions of our Catholic faith.

Ministry Schedule	Sunday 6/21 8:30 am	Wednesday 6/24 Noon
Ushers/Greeters	Chuck Rice and Gene Perry	~~~~~
Readers	Kay Winchester Christine Morreale	Carol Pacco-Long
Communion Ministers	Host: Louise Carney Wine: Paula Sautter	Wine: Fran Pickens
	Wine: Anna Plante Choir: Cathy Lozier	

HM&C PRAYER & WORSHIP

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Sacrament of Reconciliation :

every Saturday 3:15-3:45 pm at St. Joseph's

HM&C CHRISTIAN OUTREACH

Community of Churches & the Food Pantry:

Louise Carney, Cathy Lozier & Sandy Freeman

HM&C RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY CAREPORTAL

Respect Life & Care Portal: Chris Fugazzi cmfugazzi@aol.com



This week, the Sanctuary Candle has been donated in memory of Don Long by his wife, Carol

Altar Decorations

The June decorations are being done by

Maureen Tagliaferro

We are blessed to have volunteers who are dedicated to this ministry.



Altar Servers

Thank you to Emily Clothier for serving as an altar server in the past and for her service in the future. We welcome Anna Draisey-Curtis, Tim McDougall, Mike Tagliaferro, and Louise Carney who have volunteered to serve in this ministry.

Prayer and Worship committee and Father Simon

Welcome Lectors

We are happy to announce that we now have another new lector. It is Anthony Carlson. Please to be sure and reach out to Laura, Garrett, Anthony, and Anthony and let them know how much we appreciate the fine job they are doing.

Thank You!

We want to thank **Charlie Winslow, and Nathan and Samantha Winslow** for the years they have spent as altar servers at our parish. We would also like to thank **Jessica Winslow** for the time she has spent scheduling the altar servers.

All of your dedication to the ministry should be applauded.

Best of luck in your future.

THANK YOU!!

HM&C BETHANY GUILD

Facilitator: Kay Winchester winvalleyfield@aol.com

The Bethany Guild serves God's people through prayer, charity and hospitality, both within our parish & the wider community.

HM&C PASTORAL CARE

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Mass Cards and Sanctuary Candles: Contact the Parish Office

Greeting Cards: Donna Balcom dfbalcom2000@yahoo.com

New Bottle Collection for CarePortal

An account has been set up at the Corinth Bottle Return for CarePortal. You can just drop your bottles there, and tell them it is for CarePortal. Thank you!

Cake Raffle

Here's another chance to win a beautifully decorated cake!

The cake will be a patriotic-themed which will be in honor of our nation's 250th birthday.

Your raffle ticket purchase will help support HM&C's CarePortal fund, which allows our church to tangibly support families in our very own community that need a little extra help.

The raffle tickets will be sold on **Sunday July 5th** at the main church entrance. You can purchase a ticket for \$1.00 each. The winning ticket will be drawn at the end of Mass, and that lucky person will take home the beautiful and delicious cake, which will be perfect for enjoying later in the day during your family's ongoing 4th-of-July-weekend celebration.

Thank you for supporting CarePortal!

CarePortal Needs

The CarePortal Committee has recently learned about a Corinth family that could use our help. A family of very young parents with 3 young children have recently moved into a new apartment and need assistance obtaining a number of household items such as toddler beds and mattresses, an octagon playpen, curtains, rugs, and more. Also needed are children's clothing and shoes, and child proof items to ensure the safety of the children. The father works while the mother stays at home with the children.

There are many other items that this family needs help with. In keeping with Holy Mother and Child Parish's beautiful new mission statement, let's try to provide all that this family has asked for. There is a CarePortal sign-up sheet to the right of the office door in the lobby. Please see the list of what is needed and sign up for what you are willing to provide. Used items are okay, but please keep in mind that they should be in very good condition. The rule of thumb is: would you be happy to provide your used item for one of your own family members? Once obtained, you can bring the items to the church office. Our church has a CarePortal fund, so if you would like to be reimbursed for any new items that you have purchased, please save your receipts and turn them in to the office. If you have any questions, please contact Chris at cmfugazzi@aol.com, or call the church office. God Bless you, and thank you very much for helping out with this very worthwhile ministry!



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Become a Lion for your community- Join us as we support our town with fun events. Check our FB page for a list of what we have coming up. All ages welcome.

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