

# Saint Paul The Apostle

Catholic Church

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Tuesday - Thursday:  
9:30am to 1:00pm  
Sunday:  
8:30am to 12:00pm

June 13 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time



**11<sup>th</sup>**  
**SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
"To what shall we compare the kingdom of  
God? It is like a mustard seed ... once it is sown,  
it springs up and becomes the largest of plants."  
- Mk 4:30a, 31a, 32

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### Breakfast Burritos

Let all your friends and family know that breakfast burritos are available after all Masses this weekend. One for \$3 or two for \$5. They freeze well and make a quick meal or snack for a busy day. Thank you!  
Viva Burritos!!

Bob Begel  
Grand Knight

**NEW TO ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE?**  
Stop by the office and register to join our church. We have many opportunities to become involved in our parish.  
Welcome to our parish!

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY, JUNE 12

4:00 PM MASS (ANTICIPATORY)  
† Lawrence Medina (Family)  
† Lynn Marie McCulloch Anaya (McCulloch's)  
† Ann Muro (McCulloch's)

### SUNDAY, JUNE 13

7:30 AM MASS  
10:30 AM MASS  
† Marietta Kahl (Martine & Gil Orr)

### MONDAY, JUNE 14

NO MASS

### TUESDAY, JUNE 15

NO MASS

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16

9:00 AM MASS  
4:00 PM- ADORATION & CONFESSIONS  
6:00 PM

### THURSDAY, JUNE 17

9:00 AM MASS

### FRIDAY, JUNE 18

9:00AM MASS

### SATURDAY, JUNE 19

4:00 PM MASS (ANTICIPATORY)  
Robert Navarette Happy B-Day! (Doran & Kitchen families)

### SUNDAY, JUNE 20

7:30 AM MASS  
10:30 AM MASS  
† Juan Trujillo (Trujillo Family)  
† Cecil Giarratano (Giarratano Family)

### Readings for the week of June 13, 2021

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a [1b]/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9 [1b]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8 [7a]/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [cf. 18b]/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [9a]/Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/ Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 [1b]/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

## GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

June 13, 2021  
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

A favorite motto of St. Teresa of Calcutta was, “do small things with great love.” This is how it works in the kingdom of God. God can do tremendous things with the smallest gesture, especially when it is done in love. We can clearly see that our world is suffering greatly. People are struggling to find peace, navigate through conflicts, earn a sustainable living, find security and enough food to eat, and work through political tensions and conflicts. In the light of the magnitude of the difficulties that exist around us and even within us, we can find ourselves floundering to discover practical, effective solutions. How can something so large be helped by someone as small and seemingly insignificant as me? While whole systems and structures may be out of the league of our personal influence, are we really that helpless in the midst of all of the turmoil, sadness, and suffering?

If we believe that God is with us and that God is still working to bring about the glory of God’s kingdom, then the answer is no. We are never helpless or without hope. Armed with a strong life of prayer, we can always flee to God and ask for inspiration, wisdom, and especially love. We are all blessed with unique gifts and talents and it often seems that considering all that the world lacks, love and charity remain at the top of the list. Life can easily become a battleground of hostility. Because life is challenging and difficult, anger is not far away. We see it on people’s faces and hear it in their voices. There is a measure of frustration that permeates all avenues of life. It is even felt in the air.

As people of faith, we know that what we see here is not the end but only a part of something far greater to come. We know that God’s kingdom is where we are ultimately meant to be, and the Gospel is the way to get there. If love and charity can prevail in us, then God will be able to do what God does best. God will use us to scatter the seeds of his kingdom. Through our small gestures, those seeds can receive the nurturing attention that is necessary for them to bear great fruit. We cannot fall victim to the strife that is around us. We have to keep ourselves refreshed and focused so that even in small ways, we can become part of the solution, not the problem. Love and charity, which come from God, can help to heal the ills of the world. May we bring these simple gifts to the everyday simple tasks of our lives! Watch how big the plant grows!

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Dear Parishioners,

Our church will be hosting the Totus Tuus summer program starting June 27th through July 2nd. In order for this program to be successful, we need help from you. Please consider one of these areas to help.

\*Totus Tuus needs individually wrapped snacks for the kids please bring them by the office.

\*Lunches for the Totus Tuus Team to be delivered to the church by noon.

\*Two host families for our Totus Tuus Team, please contact Gaylene for more details. (719) 821-0051

Thank you!

Please remember our Sick and Homebound.

Conni Billinger	Chris Pettigrew
John Buglewicz	Peter Sorensen
Patrisia Cordova	Tony Torres Jr.
Cortese Family	Judy Howard
Janet Cruz	Martha Archuleta
Olga Dick	Steve Olsen
Keith Emert	Kathy Krueger
Char Finch	Angela Vigil
Butch Goddard	Mary Jo McDermott
Robert Hayman	Klara Silipo
Lloyd Jacques	Renee Hadad Cichon
Pat Laintz	James Hiner
Jeremy Laintz	Carol Edgeworth
Mary Lontine	Norman Kuhns
Isaiah Maez	Carol Kuhns
Cameron Martin	Marci DeFoe
MaryAnn	Martie Burns
McCloskey	Cheryl Salay
Kevin McCloskey	Fred Gonzales
Fr. Mike (friend of the McCloskey’s)	Niaomi Rosales
Dorothy Orr	Frank Palacio
Kirsten Pachek	John O’Day
Kai Pedersen	Alice Gill
Shirley Palacio	Jaxon Copley
Holly McPhearson	Susie Rimsky
Christine Dickson	Katie Fisher

### Totus Tuus

We are happy to announce that the Totus Tuus program will be offered this year starting June 27th through July 2nd. This will include grades first through 12th. The Grade School Program will be Monday-Friday from 9:00am-2:30pm and the Middle School-High School Program will be Sunday-Thursday from 7:00pm-9:00pm.

Registration forms will be available in the Narthex after all Masses starting April 17th. Please fill out the forms and return them asap. We will not be able to have Totus Tuus unless we have a minimum 30 students registered. If you have any questions, please contact Gaylene at 719-821-0051.  
Thank you!

Memorials bricks for your loved ones – We are continuing to take orders for bricks for our Marian Memorial Garden. Brochures for ordering memorial tiles are available in the Narthex. We need four more purchases for us to make an order. Please consider purchasing a brick to remember your loved ones who have passed in this special way.