

June 27, 2021

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday:

4:00pm - Saints Peter & Paul

5:30pm - Saint Dominic

Sunday:

8:00am - Saints Peter & Paul

10:30am - Saints Peter & Paul

Eucharistic Adoration:

(at Saints Peter & Paul)

First Friday of every month Noon - 3:30pm

Confession:

Saturday 3:00pm - 3:30pm



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Office Hours:

Monday: 8am - 4pm

Tuesday: 8am - 4pm

Wednesday: 8am - 2pm

Thursday: 8am - 4pm

Friday: 8am - Noon

Closed daily Noon - 12:30pm

Reverend John C. Lambert M.S.W.

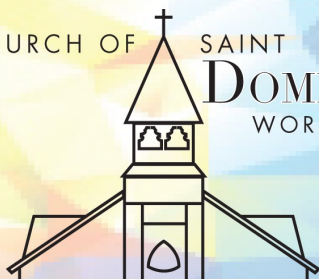
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Permanent Deacon

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STEWARDSHIP

MASS SCHEDULE

Saints Peter and Paul

Monday: Communion Service 7am

Tuesday: 7am

Wednesday: 7am

Thursday: 7am

Friday: 7am

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8am & 10:30 am

Saint Dominic

Saturday: 5:30pm

We Live Stream weekend Mass
on the parish website:
www.sspeterandpaulplains.com
as well as on the parish Facebook page.



The Bernardine Hall is now open for reservations! Our newly renovated spacious event hall is perfect for weddings, parties, corporate events, fundraisers, and more. We have plenty of tables, chairs, space, and parking for every event. You can choose from our list of approved caterers

The Parish Dining Room is also available for rentals. This room is perfect for any of the smaller events like Baptism luncheons, Wedding rehearsal dinners, business meetings, and more.

For more information about renting the hall for your events, please contact Jay via email at hallrental@sspeterandpaulplains.com or call the Parish Office at 570-825-6663.

SUNDAY STEWARDS

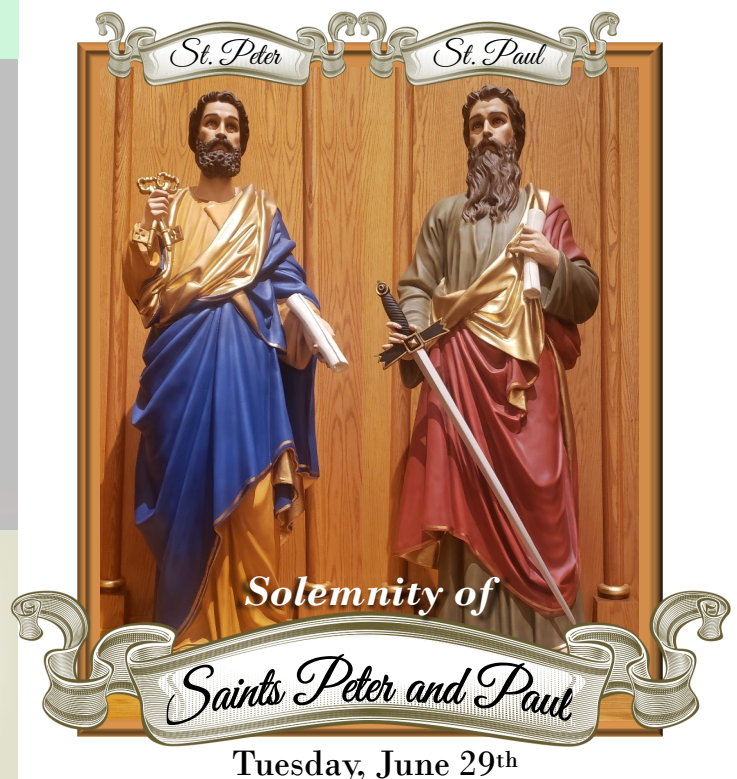
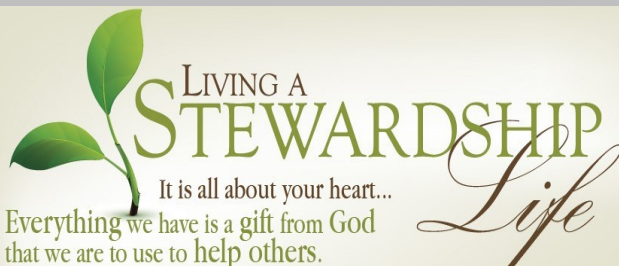
Contributions for week ending

June 20, 2021

\$7,093

We appreciate your generous contributions!

God has entrusted us with many gifts: Time, Talent & Treasure. We hope and pray that all members will share their gifts, and continue to share the Good News of Jesus with all people.



WORSHIP

WE REMEMBER

MASSES AT SAINTS PETER & PAUL

Monday	6-28 7am	Communion Service
Tuesday	6-29 7am	Father's Day Intentions
Wednesday	6-30 7am 12:15 pm	Father's Day Intentions
Thursday	7-01 7am	Paul Hession by Wife
Friday	7-02 7am 12:15 pm	Mary Weiss by Grandson

!!!
**Wednesday June 30,
and Friday July 2**
**Will be the last scheduled
12:15 masses**
We will resume our pre-pandemic
schedule of only 7am mass
Tuesday through Friday

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE SAINTS PETER & PAUL

Saturday	7-03 4pm	Charles Kenzakoski by Friend
Sunday	7-04 8am 10:30am	Raymond "Butch" Deiter by Susan & Michael Murphy John R. Harowicz by Fran Mattucci

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE SAINT DOMINIC

Saturday	7-03 5:30 pm	Ann Rowny by Fran Drost & Family
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2022 MASS BOOK

The 2022 Mass book will be open starting July 1st.
Anyone wishing to make mass reservations, please stop in the
Parish Office during office hours. (*see bulletin cover for hours*)
Cost is \$10/name for a mass.

MEMORIAL CANDLES

SANCTUARY CANDLE
Paul Hession

HOLY FAMILY VOTIVE
Paul Binker, Jr.



WORD

MINISTRY OF THE MONTH - JUNE

Each month, a Ministry of the parishes will be highlighted. You are asked to prayerfully consider each ministry, and to participate in whatever capacity that suits your availability, interest, and needs.

Prayer Shawl

The prayer shawl ministry is a group of new and seasoned crochet and knitting enthusiasts who use their gifts to create beautiful prayer shawls and pocket prayer squares for many reasons including comfort, illness, occasions, friendship, joy or even a spiritual boost.

The prayer shawl ministry is meeting every Monday at 5pm in the Parish Center, or it may be done at your convenience from home. Weekly commitments aren't necessary.

*Contact: Mary Jo Marek 570-825-6969
or call the Parish Office*



WEEKLY READINGS

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday

Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24;
2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15;
Mk 5:21-43 or
5:21-24, 35b-43

Monday

Gn 18:16-33;
Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday

Vigil: Acts 3:1-10;
Gal 1:11-20;
Jn 21:15-19
Day: Acts 12:1-11;
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18;
Mt 16:13-19

Wednesday

Gn 21:5, 8-20a;
Mt 8:28-34

Thursday

Gn 22:1b-19;
Mt 9:1-8

First Friday

Gn 23:1-4, 19,
24:1-8, 62-67;
Mt 9:9-13

First Saturday

Eph 2:19-22;
Jn 20:24-29

The Sunday Good News

CHURCH OF SAINTS PETER & PAUL

JUNE 27, 2021



*King of glory,
we thank You
for how You taught
the story of
the Good Samaritan
to show us
we are all brothers.
We thank You
for teaching us
to love others
regardless of
racial differences,
economic differences,
developmental
differences, or
any other differences.
May our community
and city be known
for love and fairness
and not
discrimination.
Eradicate prejudice
from our hearts,
our words,
and our actions.
Help us love
as You love.*

Amen.

THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

This reading relates how death of the spirit entered the world by the envy of the devil, but those not in his possession won't experience it.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Paul exhorts the Corinthians to contribute to the poor of the Jerusalem church in accordance with their means. He explains that if people help each other, they will one day be helped when they are needy.

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

"Do not be afraid, only have faith." Jesus' power over sickness and death requires absolute trust and absence of fear.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 27, 2021

"One of the synagogue officials, named Jairus, came forward. Seeing him he fell at his feet and pleaded earnestly with him, saying, 'My daughter is at the point of death. Please, come lay your hands on her that she may get well and live.' He went off with him... He took her by the hand and said to her, 'Talitha koun', which means 'little girl, I say to you arise.'"

How frequently people ask for prayer for someone who is ill. During the pandemic we have become increasingly aware of the power of intercessory prayer for healing. The sure gift we can give another is to offer prayer.

The official knelt and pleaded with his whole heart as any good parent would. He asked for the beautiful gesture of laying on of hands. When we celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, the same gesture is used as we implore the presence of the healing God for the sick person.

Who is it that needs my prayer today? A family member who is ill, someone who has wandered from the faith, a person asking for guidance as to what to do – school, work, vocation? Like the official, don't just pray, but earnestly plead. The Lord will always listen. He takes us by the hand too.

SERVICE

We are Called to Serve..

*"Do you understand what I just did for you?
You address me as 'Teacher' and 'Lord' and fittingly
enough, for that is what I am. But if I washed your
feet—I who am Teacher and Lord—then you must wash
each other's feet. What I just did was to give an
example: as I have done, so you must do."*

(John 12:2-15)

Loaves and Fishes

For the month of **June** will be collecting
canned vegetables.

Food Pantry

Anyone in the Plains, Miners Mills, and Parsons
area in need of food can contact Pauline at
570-592-6798 to register. Food is distributed to
the community on the third Friday of every month.
Non perishable food donations are always
accepted. Please place them in the basket in the
vestibule of the Church.

Treasures

We are now accepting clean, gently used **Spring/
Summer clothes** for men, women, and children.
Donations may be dropped off during business
hours only.
Mondays 5pm-7pm & Fridays 10am-12 pm.

Prayer Shawls

can be given to anyone for many reasons! Comfort,
illness, occasions, friendship & joy. If there is
anyone that would like to receive a shawl or request
one for someone, please contact the Parish Office
at 570-825-6663 or call Mary Jo at 570-825-6969.

Saints Peter & Paul Parish Ministries

Pauline Makowski, Food Pantry

Janet Soller, Quilting

Mary Jo Marek, Prayer Shawl

Laura Rudloff, Treasures

Irene Martin, Women's Society of Saints Peter & Paul

Barbara Zirnheld, Council of Catholic Women

Donna Mansfield, Hospitality



HISTORICAL PHOTOS

We are currently looking for any historical photos
and/or documents about any of the churches that
have come together to create our vibrant parish.
The churches we would like pictures of are **Sacred
Heart, Saint Joseph, Saint Francis, Saint Dominic,
Blessed Sacrament, and Saints Peter and Paul.** We
are looking for pictures of the exteriors and
interiors of the churches, as well as any special
events that occurred within each one.



In this day and age, it is so important to find
historic pictures of the places we hold dear. Photos
bring history alive for people of all ages. They are a
visual collection of memories that hold a
sentimental and cherished value. All over the
world, especially in our own country, places of
worship tell the story of the individuals that helped
build and develop the communities around them.
From the Polish immigrants who built Saints Peter
and Paul church, to the Lithuanians who built Saint
Francis church, each church that makes up our
current parish had its very own legacy of cultural
heritage and traditions. This legacy is built by
preserving the past, maintaining traditions, and
nurturing future generations.

We can help do this through historical photos and
stories behind each one.

If you have any photos you'd like to share,
please stop by the Parish Office during office hours,
or scan and email the photos to
parishoffice@sspeterandpaulplains.com

SERVICE

JUNE / JULY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28 Rosary 6pm Prayer Shawl 5pm Treasures 5-7pm	29 Solemnity of Sts. Peter & Paul 	30 Last Scheduled 12:15 Mass	1 July	2 Treasures 10am-12pm Last Scheduled 12:15 Mass	3
	5 Rosary 6pm Prayer Shawl 5pm Treasures 5-7pm	6	7	8	9 Treasures 10am-12pm	10
11	12 Rosary 6pm Prayer Shawl 5pm Treasures 5-7pm	13	14	15	16 Treasures 10am-12pm Food Pantry	17
18	19 Rosary 6pm Prayer Shawl 5pm Treasures 5-7pm	20	21	22	23 Treasures 10am-12pm	24



Tuesday, June 29th - Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul

Peter was the leader of the apostles, and the first pope. It is because of Peter's confession of faith in Jesus as the Messiah, that Jesus gave him the nickname of "rock" and stated that Peter's faith would be the rock the Church will be built upon. Paul persecuted the Christians savagely, but was dramatically converted after seeing Jesus in a vision. From that time on, Paul started bringing the Gospel of Jesus to as many people as he could.

Peter and Paul represent two strikingly different approaches to discipleship. Peter had to learn slowly, making many mistakes along the way, but always experienced the compassionate forgiveness and encouragement of Jesus. Paul, on the other hand, came to the Faith immediately and never backed away from his zeal for Christ after that. Many of us can see both these great Apostles in ourselves. Like Peter, we sometimes fail but yet persevere. Like Paul, we must always be on fire for the Lord, and proclaim Him to everyone and in every situation, no matter how difficult it can sometimes be to do so.

COMMUNITY

FREE COMMUNITY DINNER



June 30, 2021, 5-6 PM
Plains-Solomon Jr. High School
43 Abbott Street
Plains, PA 18705

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Plains Lions Club Golf Outing

The 15th annual Golf Outing will be held on

Sunday, July 11, 2021 at Sand Springs Country Club, Drums, PA.

Registration is at 11am, 12am Noon Shotgun Start. \$85 per golfer, captain and crew format.

Diocese of Scranton Vocations Golf Classic

The John Yourishen Memorial Tournament Golf Classic for Vocations will be held on

Monday, July 12, 2021 at the Blue Ridge Trail Golf Club, Mountain Top, PA.

Registration is at 10am, 11am Lunch, Noon Shotgun Start. Reception and Awards Dinner following golf.

To make a donation or golfer reservation, visit: dioceseofscranton.org/vocations-golf

or call 570-207-2250 or Text DOSGOLF to 41444.

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Saints Peter & Paul

Sacred Heart

Saint Joseph

Saint Francis

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Joanne Bague

Lou Zuzelski

Steven McGough

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Ben Berrini, *Vice Chairman*

Charlotte Dominick, *Secretary*

Gerald Cross

Tony Dente

Tracy Schooley

Saints Peter & Paul Mission Statement

As members of Saints Peter and Paul,
we have as our mission the sharing of
our faith and our talents.

We proclaim the Word of God through
compassion for our community and sharing
of our treasures as Disciples of Christ.

Every donation counts !!!
If you have not yet pledged, please....

Help us reach our Annual Appeal Parish Goal!

**Saints Peter & Paul is at
11.32%**

We are grateful to the parishioners who supported the 2020 Annual Appeal to date. If you have not yet given your support, please:

- Call the Development Office at 570-207-2250 to make a pledge or give a gift by credit card
- Mail a check to the Diocesan Appeal Office at 300 Wyoming Ave., Scranton, Pa 18503 or
- Give online at www.DiocesefofScranton.org

Our parish is reimbursed 75% for any gifts made to the Appeal in excess of our Appeal goal.

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**Saint Dominic is at
10.94%**

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Notice Regarding Reporting Sexual Abuse of a Minor

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24 hour Child Abuse hotline (Childline) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary B Pacuska at 570-862-7551

