

St. Hubert Parish - Diocese of Peoria

25th Sunday
in Ordinary Time

May I love the Lord
More than the
Treasures of this
World

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 21, 2025

St. Paul Catholic Church

309 W Jackson St.
Macomb, IL 61455-2112
website: stpaulmacomb.com/church

Mass Times:

Monday/Wednesday/Friday	5:15 PM
Tuesday/ Thursday	7:00 AM
Saturday	5:15 PM
Sunday	7:30 AM & 10:00 AM

Confessions (or by appointment):

Saturday	4:00-5:00 PM
Sunday	7:00-7:15 AM 9:30-9:45 AM

Rosary:

Sunday	2:00 PM
Monday/Wednesday/Friday	4:40 PM
Tuesday/ Thursday	After Mass

Adoration:

Friday 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM- All are welcome to participate .
The church is open from 6 am to 7 pm daily

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church

319 N Franklin St.
Rushville, IL 62681-0194
website: stroserushville.com

Mass Times:

Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM
Wednesday	8:30 AM

Confessions:

Saturday	4:30-4:50 PM
Sunday	7:30-7:50 AM

Adoration: Wednesday at 8:00 AM before Mass at 8:30 AM
Except 2nd Wednesday- All are welcome to participate .

Parish Office

309 W Jackson St. Macomb, IL 61455
Phone: (309) 833-2496
Email address: churchoffice@stpaulmacomb.com

Parish Office Hours (CST)

Monday-Friday: 8:00 AM-12:00 PM, 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

Parish Staff

Fr. Marc Nkula, SMA, Administrator
Fr. James Pallardy, Parochial Vicar
Sharon Hoffbeck, Business Manager
Jim Foxall, Parish Secretary

St. Paul

Deacon Larry Adams, Religious Education Coordinator
Laura Cody, Principal, St. Paul School

St. Rose of Lima

Bridgett Phillips, Religious Education Coordinator

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Monday by Noon

Mass Intentions

St. Paul Church

Saturday, September 20

5:15 PM † Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus,
Council #682

Sunday, September 21

7:30 AM † Joe Kersting
10:00 AM † Ceal Majeres

Monday, September 22

5:15 PM † Carol Zaehringer

Tuesday, September 23

7:00 AM WIU Newman Students

Wednesday, September 24

5:15 PM † Deacon Tony Ensenberger

Thursday, September 25

7:00 AM Cynthia Sullivan

Friday, September 26

9:15 AM The O'Hern Family
5:15 PM † The Poor Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, September 27

5:15 PM † Tom Johnson

Sunday, September 28

7:30 AM † Dorothy Tebbe
10:00 AM † Ronald Garthaus

St. Rose Church

Saturday, September 20

5:00 PM † Bill Etter

Sunday, September 21

8:00 AM † Charles Maurer Sr.

Wednesday, September 24

8:30 AM † Larry & Shirley Dohm

Saturday, September 27

5:00 PM † Kevin Coughlin

Sunday, September 28

8:00 AM † Loraine Klem

Scripture Readings

For the week of September 22

Monday Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows

Ezr 1:1-6
Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6
Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest

Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20
Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5
Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday

Ezr 9:5-9
Tb 13:2, 3-4a, 4befghn, 7-8
Lk 9:1-6

Thursday

Hg 1:1-8
Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b
Lk 9:7-9

Friday

Hg 2:1-9
Ps 43:1, 2, 3, 4
Lk 9:18-22

Saturday Memorial of Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest

Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a
Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13
Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Am 6:1a, 4-7
Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10
1 Tm 6:11-16
Lk 16:19-31

2025 Annual Diocesan Appeal

Thank you to all who made a pledge to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. Your generosity helps give food to the hungry, training to our seminarians, and give support to parishes. The ADA helps parishes support programs for forming children like Catechesis of the Good Shepard. If you have not completed a pledge card, please do so. There are envelopes in the vestibule / pews. Every dollar raised to make our goal supports important diocesan ministries, and every dollar raised over our goal will be kept in the parish to help us to help us cover parish hall expenses. To those who have pledged, thank you!

IF YOU ARE NEW TO ST. HUBERT PARISH please register so that events may be shared with you. Other Benefits of Being a Registered Parishioner: Besides being part of the sacramental and communal life of the Body of Christ, parishioners often seek verification letters in order to become Godparents for Baptism or Sponsors for Confirmation. Also, it gives the opportunity for donations to be recorded for tax purposes. Please contact the office either by phone (309) 833-2496 or by email churchoffice@stpaulmacomb.com and I would be happy to email the form to you. Forms are also located in the church on the bulletin table and on the Parish website, <https://stpaulmacomb.com/church/>.



THAT MAN IS YOU! Has started back this fall. Sessions are held on Fridays at St. Paul Church 6 to 7:30 am. Join a great group of guys who are looking to deepen their relationship with God, and in the process, become better Catholic men, husbands and fathers.



**Saint Francis of Assisi
Catholic Newman Center**

The regular Mass Schedule

Sundays -- 12:00 PM

Tuesday & Thursday – 5:00 PM

Confessions are available 30 minutes prior to Mass

October 4th is the feast day of St. Francis.

There will be a Pet Blessing on our campus on Friday, October 3rd at 2:45 PM. Please bring your pet if you would like Father Marc to bless it. In addition to the Pet Blessing, the 2nd grade class at St. Paul School is collecting items for the McDonough County Animal Shelter. See insert in this weeks bulletin for more details

St. Paul Catholic Church - Macomb, Illinois

Let Us Pray For

The Following Parishioners and Friends:

Eric Mansfield, Joe Zaehring, Kevin Payne, Janelle Butzow, Mary Aurelio, Roger Baucom, Rosemary Mendenhall, Barbara Harzman, Catherine Brecken, Diana Powell, Bob Scott, John Moore, Mary Margeret Harris, Rose Scheetz, Cooper Hendrix, RoseMarie Lynn, Jim Zahrndt, Maureen Maheu, Kay Winkel and all those who are suffering and their caregivers.

Call Jim at the St. Hubert Parish office at (309) 833-2496 or email: churchoffice@stpaulmacomb.com with prayer intentions.

Meal Train® for Theresa Young & Family

Theresa and Nate are joyfully expecting baby #5, right in the middle of harvest season. Talk about a true farm baby making an entrance before the fields are finished. With Nate busy with long days ahead, their family could use some extra love and support during this busy and blessed time.

Please try to avoid containers that need to be washed and returned.

All meals can be dropped off at the Young home. From there, they will be divided between the family and the guys in the field. Please prepare enough for a 10-serving meal.

To sign up go to: <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/78ld72>

Pray for our Confirmands

Please pray for our young people who will be confirmed on Saturday, Oct 18 at 1 pm in our church with Bishop Lou Tylka officiating. The Guild is hosting a reception immediately following the Mass in the Church narthex.

Thanks to the Rauscherts at Assumptions, the Guild was able to get a small gift for each confirmand at a reduced price. When you have an occasion, please thank them and support their business.

Keep all of these young people in your prayers: Julia Blome, Collin Cerven, Jy'aire Flora-Durham, Lillian Goc, Isaac Henning, Adalynne Lawrence, Ethan Osterman, Gwen Severs, Lauren Young

Box of Joy

If you didn't get signed up to fill a Box of Joy, but would still like to, there will be extra boxes available. All filled boxes are to be turned in by Oct. 26. Questions? Contact Barb Harzman, bharzman@macomb.com

helping care for the young family and their harvest crew, it truly makes

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
September 20 & 21, 2025	
Gloria	Mass of Wisdom, pew card
Mass	Mass of Creation, #868
Entrance Hymn	For the Beauty of the Earth, #525
Prep. of Gifts Hymn	Beautiful Savior, #208
Communion	Seed, Scattered and Sown, #344
Recessional	They'll Know We Are Christians, #603

Upcoming Birthdays

(for over 75 years of age)

September 22 James Courter

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, September 26th

10:00AM - 5:00PM

Benediction at 5:00PM

St. Paul Chapel



Please Support Loaves & Fishes

Loaves and fishes still need your help! Loaves & fishes has provided monthly grocery assistance to families in need in McDonough County. Loaves & Fishes is open on Tuesdays from 10 am to noon and 2 to 4 pm. Loaves & Fishes typically assists 400 families per month.. spending \$15,000 per month. Please consider donating to Loaves & Fishes. Checks can be sent to:

Loaves & Fishes, PO Box 9, Macomb, IL 61455



Gift Cards

Hy-Vee and Walmart gift cards are available for purchase in the parish office during regular hours, Monday - Friday 8am - noon, 1 - 3pm or by appointment. Please contact the parish office for delivery options including mailing. **St. Paul Building Fund** receives a portion of each gift card sold

Bins in the Narthex (by the kitchen):

Plastic Cap & Lid Collection

Help build recycled plastic picnic tables.

Lost and Found

Please check the lost and Found bin in the Narthex near the kitchenette for any items you may have left behind.

Come Congratulate Barbara Harzman

All are invited to a reception for Barbara Harzman who was recently honored with the Our Lady of Good Counsel Award by the National Council of Catholic Women (NCCW). This is the highest recognition given by NCCW, celebrating women whose lives reflect deep faith, outstanding leadership, and a commitment to serving the Church and community. Barb's dedication, prayerful spirit, and tireless service have touched lives across our parish, diocese and beyond. The St Paul's Women's Guild is hosting an open house to recognize Barb's many contributions. Please join us in congratulating her on this well-deserved honor by coming to a Sunday, Sept. 28 from 1:30-3:30 in the Church narthex. All are welcome!

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church - Rushville, Illinois



Lector Schedule

September Lector

Saturday Linda Butler

Sunday Schuyler Isley

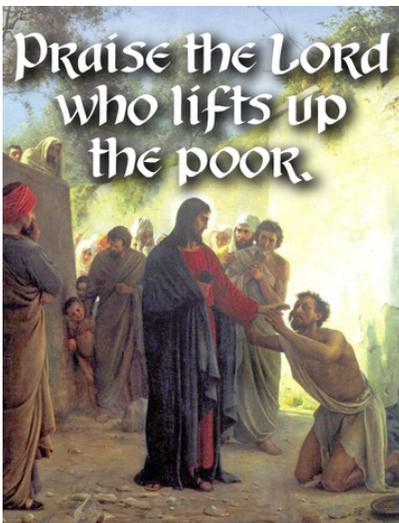
October Lector

Saturday Ellen Ehrgott

Sunday John Sullivan

Weekday Mass Reminder

Weekday Mass will be held on
Wednesday, September 24th with
Adoration at 8:00 AM, Mass at
8:30 AM, then coffee club at 9:00
AM



Please Pray

Let us keep ALL the sick in our thoughts and our prayers, especially:

Faye Henricks for MS (friends)

Cathy Campbell Green for MS (Dave & Barb Rowland)

Markus Schneider for NF2 (family)

Regina Ehrhardt for health issues (friends)

Diana Pleviak for health issues (friends)

Joanne Ballow for health issues (Theresa Korsmeyer)

Luan Phillips for health (family)

Eileen King for health issues (Kelly Stinson)

Call Jane Schneider at (217) 216-0041 with prayer intentions or the St. Hubert Parish office at (309) 833-2496 or email: churchoffice@stpaulmacomb.com with prayer intentions.

CCD at St. Rose

CCD at St. Rose kicked off Wednesday, September 17th at 4:30 in the Parish Hall. All children grades Kindergarten and up are welcome to attend. Classes meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month from 4:30 to 6. With a growing group of students, we are looking for a few guest teachers this year. If you would be willing to volunteer to teach a lesson (topics and materials can be provided) or just help with crowd control for a session or two this year, please contact Bridget Phillips at e-mail at Bridget.Phillips15@gmail.com or via phone or text at 815.560.252. Thank you for your support for the children of St. Rose.

Catechetical Sunday

“Come to me all you who labor and are burdened” Matthew 11:28

This year’s theme reminds us of the invitation we receive from the Lord Jesus to follow Him and the promise that He doesn’t want to add to our burdens; he wants to lighten them.

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

When the Roman Empire turned a favorable eye toward the once-persecuted Christians, one effect was a population explosion in the baptismal font, as Christian sympathizers stepped from the shadows. With more and more people becoming Christians, laws were passed to protect Sunday as a work-free day. Soon it became possible to celebrate Mass later in the morning, rather than the older custom of gathering before dawn.

Amazingly, despite the increasing numbers of Christians, there was resistance to adding more worship times; the Eucharist that began as a few friends around a table became a more formal event with throngs crowding a large hall. All Christians in a city or town would gather around the bishop for one Sunday Eucharist, and only when the crowds became unmanageable was there a move to divide the assembly by appointing a new bishop and flock.

Now, sixteen hundred years later, many parishes see a need to trim or combine Mass schedules. This can feel like tough surgery. Yet our forebears in the faith would see it as a gain: a filling up of the Eucharist with a large and vigorous assembly, a fullness of ministry, and a stronger Church more fully visible for service.

—James Field

Upcoming Events

St. Paul Church

Tuesday, September 23

8:00 AM Women in Faith.....St. Paul
6:00 PM OCIA.....St. Paul

Friday, September 26

6:00 AM That Man is You.....St. Paul
9:15 AM School Mass.....St. Paul
10:00 AM Adoration.....St. Paul
5:15 PM Mass.....St. Paul

St. Rose Church

Wednesday, September 24

6:00 AM Adoration/Mass.....St. Rose

St. Francis of Assisi Newman Center

Sunday, September 21

12:00 PM Mass.....Newman Center

Tuesday, September 23

5:00 PM Mass.....Newman Center

Wednesday, September 24

7:00 PM Bible Study.....Newman Center

Thursday, September 25

5:00 PM Mass.....Newman Center

5:00 PM Mass.....Newman Center

Envelope Collection

While we have merged the envelope accounts, we still need everyone to continue to make your check out to your respective church, either St. Rose or St. Paul as the payee. We do not have accounts to reflect the name of St. Hubert Parish. Until happens, **PLEASE make your check out to either St. Rose or St. Paul Church.** If you have questions, please ask the parish office.

Mass Intentions

What greater tribute to a loved one or to a special family member or friend than to have a Mass said in their honor? If you would like to have a mass said in honor of someone or in memory of someone, simply put their name and the intention in an envelope (available at both churches) along with the recommended donation of \$10 and place it in the collection basket or contact the parish office at St. Rose Church see Marilyn Sillars, Linda Butler or Fr. Marc at St. Paul Church see Jim Foxall in the parish office, for either church, call (309) 833-2496.

Pray the Novena for the Priesthood with Hallow

Join us in praying a special novena on the Hallow app: *The Love of the Priesthood*, led by Bishop Louis Tylka and inspired by the writings of Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen. This 9-day novena reflects on the gift of the priesthood and invites us to pray for vocations, for our priests, and for the holiness of the Church.

This content is available **free for all parishioners**. Simply download the Hallow app and search for *The Love of the Priesthood* novena to begin. The novena will be available beginning September 20, the anniversary of his priestly ordination.

Green Mass & Tree Planting Update

The Green Mass on September 27–28, 2025 will take place as scheduled. Due to ongoing drought conditions, the tree planting ceremony—planned to replace the Burr oak that made way for our new Parish Hall—has been postponed until further notice. We'll share a new planting date when conditions improve.

Everything is a reminder of the Cross. We ourselves are made in the shape of a cross. St. John Vianney



St. Hubert Parish

Fiscal YTD needed (7/1/25-9/14/25)\$0.00
Offertory Received Fiscal YTD\$72,098.00
* Offertory Needed Each Week\$0.00

St. Paul

Offertory (9/8-14/2025)\$5,804.00
Online Giving\$520.00
Roof Fund\$20.19
Building Fund\$259.88
Cemetery Fund\$60.00

St. Rose

Weekly Envelopes\$803.00
Online Giving\$935.00

Online Giving

Online Giving helps you maintain your giving even if you cannot be here at Mass. This also helps the parish streamline our cash flow, especially during bad weather or vacation times. Go to your parish website at <http://stroserushville.com> or at <http://stpaulmacomb.com> /church to get started today. You can setup and manage your account at ONLINE GIVING at St. Hubert Parish: <https://osvhub.com/sthubertmacomb/giving/funds>

*Offertory needed each week will be updated when the new budget is in place.



Women In Faith

Tuesdays – 8:00 to 9:30 AM
Coffee and light refreshment are available

Women In Faith meets every Tuesday at 8:00 a.m. at the St. Francis Newman Center. All are welcome! Together with Fr. Marc or Fr. James, we watch and discuss videos about the Church's teachings and understanding of the Gospel message and the moral issues in order to live and keep the flame alive.

Recent topics included St. Monica and St. Augustine, Don't Play the PRIDE Game, Doctors of the Church, Lessons from Lourdes, and Pope Leo XIII.

No reservations required—just come! For more information contact Cathy Crain at 309-337-6370 or imirish49@gmail.com

Bible Study

Our parish Bible Study begins Wednesday, October 15 at 9:00 AM in the Conference Room and will meet every other Wednesday at 9:00 AM. Registration is open through the end of September, and a sign-up sheet will be available in the Narthex.