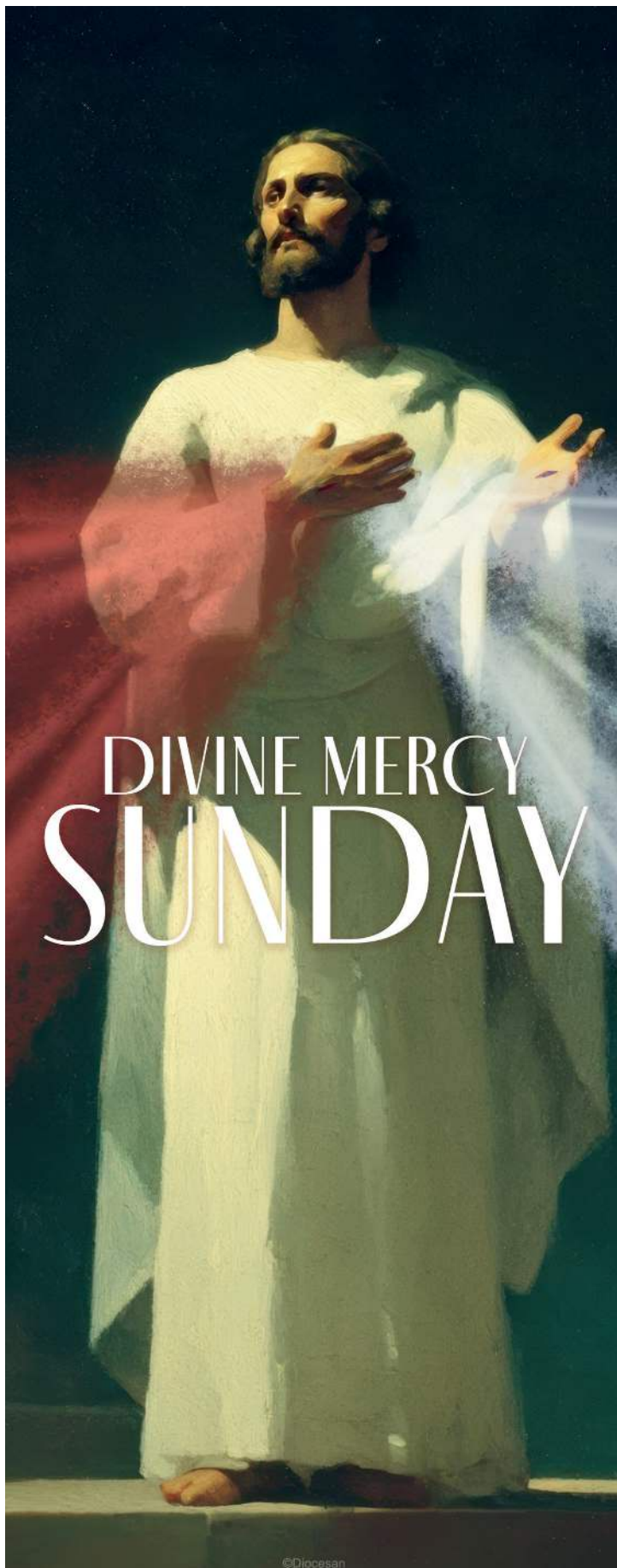


St. Hubert Parish - Diocese of Peoria



Divine Mercy Sunday
April 12, 2026

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 6:30 AM to 8:00 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
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 Nkulu, 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
Mary K. Benda, Music Director

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Monday by Noon

St. Paul Catholic Church - Macomb, Illinois

Mass Intentions

St. Paul Church

Saturday, April 11

5:15 PM † Elmer & Mildred Genenbacher

Sunday, April 12

7:30 AM † Deceased Members of Women's Guild

10:00 AM † Theresa Brandstetter

Monday, April 13

5:15 PM Mitchell Family

Tuesday, April 14

7:00 AM † Joy Markey

Wednesday, April 15

5:15 PM † John Hoffbeck

Thursday, April 16

7:00 AM † Wayne Hines

Friday, April 17

9:15 AM † Lisa Woodrum

5:15 PM † Antoinette Genenbacher

Saturday, April 18

5:15 PM † Mitch Corey

Sunday, April 19

7:30 AM † Deceased Members of Knights of

Columbus Council #682

10:00 AM † Ceal Majeres

St. Paul – Mass Intentions

What greater tribute to a loved one than to have a Mass offered in their honor or memory? Envelopes are available at the church; include the name, intention, and \$10 donation and place it in the collection basket. At St. Paul, please see Jim Foxall or call the parish office at **(309) 833-2496**.

Let Us Pray For

The Following Parishioners and Friends:

Joe Zaehringer, Kevin Payne, Janelle Butzow, Kathleen Markey, Roger Baucom, Rosemary Mendenhall, Catherine Brecken, Diana Powell, Bob Scott, John Moore, Mary Harris, Rose Scheetz, Jim Zahrndt, Maureen Maheu, Kay Winkel, Jacqueline Martin, Patricia Heap, John Lafferty, Rosemary Lynn, Monica Wolf, Ron Ruebush, Carol Goodin, all those who are suffering & their caregivers.



Upcoming Birthdays

(for over 75 years of age)

April 11 Nancy Stoneking

April 14 Nancy Badord

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, Apr. 17

10:00 AM–5:00 PM

Benediction at 5:00 PM

St. Paul Chapel

Divine Mercy Sunday

April 11 & 12, 2026

Mass.....Mass of Spirit & Grace

Entrance.....Sing to the Mountains, #585 verses 1 & 3

Prep. of Gifts.....O Love of God Incarnate, #551

Communion.....All Is Well with My Soul, #518

Recessional.....Hallelujah Is My Song, #174

Sympathy

St. Paul Church extends our sympathy to Shaun McCourt and Mike and Susie Nichols and their families. His father and their brother-in-law, Don McCourt, recently passed away. May he rest in peace.

St. Paul Church extends our sympathy to Carol Kersting and her family. Her brother, James Patrick Crane, recently passed away. May he rest in peace.

First Communion Classes

Classes will begin for those children who are wanting to make their First Communion this year. The first class will be on **Wednesday, Apr. 15** at 6:00 PM in St. Paul Church. This is for any child in the second grade or older who is, or will be baptized prior to May 2. First Communion will be celebrated Sunday, May 3 during the 10:00 AM Mass.

Scheduling Requests

Time to submit weekend scheduling requests for Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, Cantors, Servers & Ushers for the May–Jun 2026 cycle. For special requests, use the Ministry Scheduler Pro website to enter availability. Requests due **Friday, Apr. 24, 2026**. New schedules online by Apr. 27, 2026.

Capital Campaign

If you have not yet fulfilled your Capital Campaign pledge, please consider doing so. You may give using the blue envelope in your monthly packet or through Online Giving. A QR code is provided below for the St. Paul Building Fund. Online Giving allows you to use a bank account or credit card. For questions, please contact Sharon Hoffbeck.



Spring Diaper Drive

The St. Paul Women's Guild will sponsor a Spring Diaper Drive on the weekends of **Apr. 18–19, Apr. 25–26, and May 2–3**, benefiting The Bottom Line diaper program. Please see the insert for full details on needed items and donation information.

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church - Rushville, Illinois

Mass Intentions

St. Rose Church

Saturday, April 11

5:00 PM † Dorothy Tebbe

Sunday, April 12

8:00 AM † Virgil Scheidler

Wednesday, April 15

8:30 AM Betty Jansen

Saturday, April 18

5:00 PM † Bob & Sue Avery

Sunday, April 19

8:00 AM † Paul Brauer

St. Rose - Mass Intentions

What greater tribute to a loved one than to have a Mass offered in their honor or memory? Envelopes are available at the church; include the name, intention, and \$10 donation and place it in the collection basket. At St. Rose, please see Marilyn Sillars, Linda Butler, or Fr. Marc, or call the parish office at **(309) 833-2496**.

Lector Schedule

April Lectors

Saturday Mark Thompson

Sunday Theresa Korsmeyer

May Lectors

Saturday Ellen Ehrgott

Sunday John Sullivan

Weekday Mass Reminder

Weekday Mass will be held on **Wednesday, April 15**, with Adoration at 8:00 AM, Mass at 8:30 AM, then Coffee Club at 9:00 AM.

Let Us Pray For

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

Faye Henricks, Cathy Campbell Green, Markus Schneider, Regina Ehrhardt, Diana Pleviak, Joanne Ballow, Eileen King, Rick Phillips

Upcoming Birthdays

April 16 Aaron Ehrgott

April 17 Anthony Ehrgott



Call Bridget Phillips at **(815) 560-2521**, the St. Hubert Parish Office at **(309) 833-2496**, or email churchoffice@stpaulmacomb.com with CCD questions.



SUNDAYKIDZ

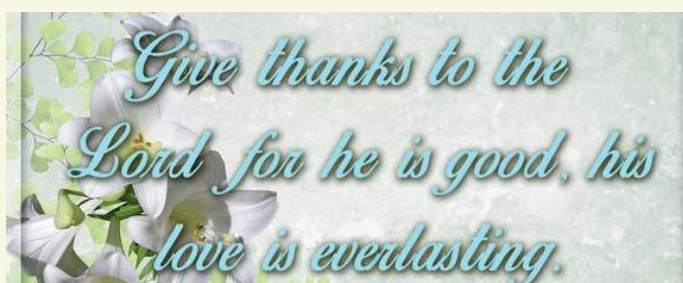
2nd Sunday of Easter

G	M	A	R	K	S	M	K	K	D
L	B	R	E	A	T	H	E	M	D
R	H	S	G	F	C	F	J	M	F
B	A	I	N	X	D	S	I	D	E
L	N	G	Q	W	O	T	K	I	B
E	D	N	I	P	O	I	L	C	E
S	S	S	I	Y	R	P	B	Z	K
S	O	C	M	V	S	S	E	E	N
E	V	A	F	O	R	G	I	V	E
D	Y	P	E	A	C	E	H	R	Q

Doors Peace Hands Side Breathe
Forgive Marks Seen Blessed Signs

©Diocesan

View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com



Upcoming Events



St. Paul Church

Tuesday, April 14

8:00 AM Women in Faith.....Newman Center

Friday, April 17

9:15 AM School Mass.....St. Paul

10:00 AM Adoration.....St. Paul

5:15 PM Mass.....St. Paul

St. Rose Church

Wednesday, April 15

8:00 AM Adoration/Mass.....St. Rose

St. Francis of Assisi Newman Center

Sunday, April 12

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

Tuesday, April 14

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

Thursday, April 16

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

Care for Creation Talk

Pope Francis' Laudato Si calls us to care for God's creation, a message that remains even more relevant today. Fr. Charles Klamut will speak at several locations in the diocese on why caring for the environment is part of our Catholic faith. Please see the insert for dates and locations. Carpools will leave from St. Paul for sessions in Moline and Bartonville. This is a free program. For more information, contact Colleen Carlson at jccarlson@logonix.net

Outstanding Volunteers Honored

The St. Paul Women's Guild will honor Margaret Donovan and Mary Beth Speer at St. Mary's Cathedral on Tuesday, Apr. 28. All women of the parish are invited. Sign up in the narthex by Friday, Apr. 10. See the insert for full details.

Stay Up to Date with Parish Events

Our website now features an updated calendar with events from St. Paul and St. Rose all in one place. You can quickly see Masses, special events, and important dates across the parish. Visit: <https://stpaulmacomb.com/church/> and click the *Calendar* button. Or scan the code below.



Peoria Diocese 150th Anniversary Book

150th Anniversary commemorative books are currently in production. Printing is expected to be completed this week, with delivery expected to begin in mid-May. Most copies should arrive by late May or early June.

St. Hubert Parish Hall –Artist's Rendering



Our Stewardship

St. Hubert Parish

Fiscal YTD needed (7/1/25–4/5/26).....\$368,040.00

Offertory Received Fiscal YTD\$360,682.50

Offertory Needed Each Week\$9,201.00

St. Paul

Offertory (3/30/26–4/5/26)\$5,617.50

Online Giving\$4,114.00

Roof Fund\$64.00

Building Fund\$5,930.00

Cemetery Fund\$350.00

St. Rose

Offering.....\$741.00

Online Giving.....\$610.00

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 <https://stroserushville.com> or <https://stpaulmacomb.com/church> to get started today. You can set up and manage your account at Online Giving at St. Hubert Parish:

<https://osvhub.com/sthubertmacomb/giving/funds>



Envelope Collection

Please make all checks payable to St. Hubert. If you have any questions, please ask the parish office.

2025 St. Hubert Annual Diocesan Appeal

Goal.....\$86,888.00

Pledged.....\$95,110.00

Collected.....\$89,780.00

As of 2/28/2026

Flower Donations

Easter Flowers were offered in memory of: Wilma Williams, John & Helen Parson's Parents, Bob & Carmen Elkin, Jim & Rita Phelan, Julia Elkin, Fr. James Hayden, Fr. John Hayden, Dan Lawrence, Verna Tex, Katherine Tex, Joan A Pano, M. Adele Harmon, Joseph & Nettie Alves, Arnold E. Wiltz, Jr. and Loretta Wiorek. Poinsettias were also offered in honor of The Woerly Family.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Scripture Readings

For the Week of April 13

Monday

Acts 4:23-31
Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9
Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday

Acts 4:32-37
Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5
Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday

Acts 5:17-26
Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9
Jn 3:16-21

Thursday

Acts 5:27-33
Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20
Jn 3:31-36

Friday

Acts 5:34-42
Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14
Jn 6:1-15

Saturday

Acts 6:1-7
Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19
Jn 6:16-21

Sunday Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14, 22-33
Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
1 Pt 1:17-21
Lk 24:13-35

Treasures From Our Tradition

One of the great Easter traditions is “mystagogy,” an ancient word meaning “reflection on the mysteries.” It is a style of catechesis, or passing on the faith. People who have shared an experience, in this case those who have been baptized at Easter, are urged to recall their experience, reflect on its meaning, and apply their insights to their new way of life.

There is an aspect of an experience that is simply not available until you’ve had it. For example, you may think you know weddings inside out; you’ve been to dozens, seen hundreds in the movies or on television, but until you’ve said “I do” to another, there is a certain knowledge unavailable to you.

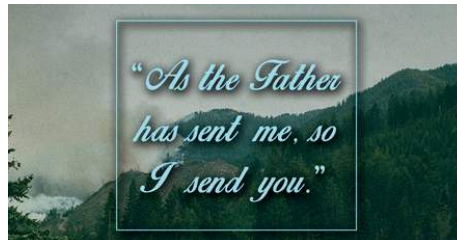
Those who go down into the waters of baptism as adults have similar experiences; they have all taken baths before, but not like this one! Mystagogy helps such persons to uncover the deep meaning of the experience, their sense of a new beginning, of God’s abundant love, of forgiveness, of community.

It takes time for the power of the Easter Vigil to work its wonders for us. **(continued on next column)**

Treasures From Our Tradition (continued)

Those who are newly baptized are called “neophytes”, meaning “newly planted.” The tender buds of spring need care and nurturing, and our new brothers and sisters need your prayer and your faithful example.

—**Rev. James Field**



The Word in our Lives

X-treme Christians

You may notice that Acts of the Apostles is the source of the first readings during the Easter season. This book describes how Christianity grew from a handful of disciples to a major religion. Today’s reading about an ideal Christian community is meant to show ordinary believers how to be extraordinary, using three examples I call power, property, and prayer.

Power means the “signs and wonders” (Acts 2:43) performed by the disciples through the power of the Holy Spirit. This should be named last, because it takes a lot of faith to heal the sick. If you had the same faith as the apostles, you just might be able to cure the sick. Or you might study to become a doctor and cure them with medical skills. As long as you acknowledge that God gave you the brains and the talent to become a doctor, you are doing God’s work.

By property, I mean sharing what you have with those in need. Many disciples were moved to sell their goods and share them with the poor, and word of that must have spread. If you are not called to sell all your goods and become a monk or a nun, you can still tithe to your church or the poor. You can donate time as well, perhaps tutoring disadvantaged kids, helping build or repair houses in poor areas, or bringing meals to shut-ins. The point is that followers of Christ are not just individual do-gooders. They are a community of believers who care about each other and also care about the non-believers who need help of any kind.

So where did these first disciples get the faith to cure the sick and the love to help the needy? The answer is the third example—prayer. Twice in the first reading we hear how “they devoted themselves . . . to the breaking of the bread” (Acts 2:42, 46). Breaking bread was their name for the Eucharist. They also went to the temple to pray, because at that time most disciples were Jewish Christians. As they heard the Hebrew scriptures, they saw how God’s promises were fulfilled in Christ. Later, they added reading from the letters of Paul and preaching about Jesus’ works and teachings. All of these practices helped unite them to Christ and to each other.

—**Tom Schmidt**

In Loving Memory of
STANFORD O'HERN SR.


Tom Schneider 309.833.2894 309.255.0999
Chris Schneider 309.333.1844

B & S TENT RENTAL
800-866-8368
1407 Stacy Ln. • Macomb, IL 61455

Great home & auto rates for any budget.
309-837-1200
1221 W. Jackson St. Macomb IL 61455

Conklin Ins and Fin Svcs Inc
Tom Conklin, Agent
Get a Quote

State Farm



TURNQUIST SERVICE CO.
309-833-5279
118 S. SHERMAN ST.

Parts sales on all Lawn Equipment & Craftsman



Gelsosomo's Pizzeria


221 North Randolph St.
309-833-5577
FROZEN OR UNCOOKED PIZZAS AVAILABLE



catholicmatch®
Illinois
CatholicMatch.com/goll



EWTN.COM/RADIO



EWTN
Global Catholic Radio
TUNE IN

WITH GRATITUDE TO OUR PARISH FAMILY

The Inman Family

Saint Paul Home and School Association
322 W. Washington St. Macomb
309-833-2470



WANTED WHITE-COLLAR WORKERS!
CONTACT: OFFICE OF VOCATIONS
CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF PEORIA
309-682-5823 www.cdop.org

ILLINOIS GUTTER PROS

Seamless Gutters
Gutter Guards
Repair & Cleaning
Downspout Burial

309-209-9500 • illinoisgutterprosllc.com
Licensed & Insured • Locally Owned
Serving Macomb & West Central Illinois



MACOMB GLASS, INC.
RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL • AUTO
309.833.4250
200 SOUTH COLLINS, MACOMB
www.macombglass.com



Assumptions
Selling Catholic Christian goods

OPEN TUESDAY THROUGH SATURDAY
10:00AM TO 4:00PM
101 SOUTH SIDE SQUARE
MACOMB, ILLINOIS 61455
Philip & Malinda Rauschert, Owners 309-833-1979



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Conner Byrne

Dodsworth-Piper-Wallen Funeral Home
- Established 1927 -
Patrick J. Burke • Eric R. Jameson
Edward W. Burke
201 West Carroll • Macomb, IL 61455
(309) 833-4119 • dodsworthfh.com




Consider Remembering Your Parish in Your Will

For further information, please call the parish office.

STEPH ZIMMERMAN photography
Portrait & Wedding Photographer
www.stephzimmermanphotography.com
(309) 238-3620
steph@stephzimmermanphotography.com



McDonough Eye Associates, PC
Tim L. Williams, O.D., F.A.A.O.
Jill M. Brody, M.D.
505 E. Grant
HSB1 Suite 206, Macomb
office: 309.836.EYES (3937)
fax: 309.833.1894



Saint Paul School
322 W. Washington St.
Macomb, IL
(309) 833-2470
www.stpaulmacomb.com



SCAN THE CODE AND JOIN OUR MACOMB COUNCIL TODAY!



Woodrum
3100 E Jackson • Macomb
309-833-2111
www.woodrumauto.com



KEY REALTORS®
Christine Farr
Broker
cell: (309) 333-7274
127 S. Lafayette St. • Macomb
email: cc.farr@comcast.net
www.keyhomes4sale.com



Your FULL SERVICE Hardware and Lumber Store!


ACE Hardware West Side Lumber
1301 W. Jackson • Macomb
309-833-4145



New 'Pocket Change' Saving Program!

Locations in Macomb and Rushville...
We have 'Time' for YOU!

Clock Tower Community Bank
A Division of Morton Community Bank
Member FDIC
www.HometownBanks.com



First Mid
INSURANCE GROUP
215 E. JACKSON ST. • MACOMB
309-833-1755
www.FirstMidInsurance.com



ADVERTISE HERE

Get this bulletin emailed to you every week.

Simply go to **www.DM.CHURCH/1604** ...or scan



DISCOVERMASS

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Sr. Denise Maher

Promote your Business AND Support your Parish.

Deb Myers ~ 616-554-3285
dmyers@diocesan.com