St. Hubert Parish - Diocese of Peoria



Thirty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

November 15, 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.

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

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 Staff

Fr. Marc Nkulu, SMA, Pastor
Fr. Jules Agossou, 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

St. Rose of Lima
Bridgett Phillips, Religious Education Coordinator

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Monday by Noon

St. Hubert Parish

Upcoming Events

St. Paul Church

Tuesday, November 17

8:30 AM Women in Faith.....Newman Center
6:00 PM OCIA.....St. Paul

Friday, November 20

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, November 18

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

St. Francis of Assisi Newman Center

Sunday, November 15

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

Tuesday, November 17

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

Thursday, November 19

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

Christ the King of the Universe: Eucharistic Adoration and Procession

1. Next Sunday, November 22, 2026, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. To mark this beautiful celebration, we will have a special time of Eucharistic Adoration and a procession with the Blessed Sacrament. This is a wonderful opportunity for us, as a parish community, to publicly proclaim Jesus Christ as King of our hearts, our families, our parish, and the entire world. Together, let us honor our Eucharistic Lord, express our faith in His presence, and entrust our lives and our community to His loving reign. The Adoration and procession will take place at the end of the **8:00 AM Mass at St. Rose** and the **10:00 AM Mass at St. Paul**. Each will last approximately 10–20 minutes in the church. Everyone is warmly invited to join us! Even if you attend one of the other weekend Masses, you are encouraged to return and participate in this special moment of prayer and worship. Come, let us proclaim Christ as our King!

2. Thanksgiving Mass and Blessing of Our New Parish Hall
We are delighted to announce that the Thanksgiving Mass and Blessing of our New Parish Hall, which was previously postponed, has been rescheduled for **Sunday, December 20, 2026, at 10:00 AM**. The Most Reverend Bishop Louis Tylka will be the main celebrant. This special occasion will be an opportunity for us to come together in gratitude to God for His blessings and for the completion of this important project in the life of our parish. Following the Mass and blessing, all parish families are warmly invited to join us for a celebratory lunch as we share in the joy of this milestone in our parish community. Please **RSVP through the Parish Office** so that we can make the necessary arrangements for the lunch. We look forward to celebrating this joyful occasion with you!

3. Please take the time to read all communications from the parish so that we can all stay informed and on the same page.

Fr. Marc NKULU,
Pastor



Our Stewardship

St. Hubert Parish

Fiscal YTD needed (7/1/26–11/8/26).....$162,602.00
Offertory Received Fiscal YTD $140,995.00
Offertory Needed Each Week $8,558.00

St. Paul

Offertory (11/2/26–11/8/26) $3,625.00
Online Giving $3,737.00
Roof Fund $37.00
Building Fund $21,885.00
Cemetery Fund $55.00

St. Rose

Offering.....$645.00
Online Giving.....$275.00

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.

2026 St. Hubert Annual Diocesan Appeal

Goal.....$77,742.00
Pledged.....$72,301.00
Collected.....$64,406.00

As of 10/31/2026

Capital Campaign Update

Pledged.....$526,740.00
Pledges Paid.....$220,200.00
Free will donations.....$226,101.00
Total Collected.....$446,301.00

As of 11/1/2026

St. Paul Catholic Church - Macomb, Illinois

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November 14 & 15, 2026

Mass.....Mass of Creation, #868
Entrance.....Alleluia! Raise the Gospel, #624
Prep. of Gifts.....The Servant Song, #383
Communion.....You Are Near, #448
Recessional.....Soon and Very Soon, #599

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 14
5:15 PM † Dan Phelan
Sunday, November 15
7:30 AM Extraordinary Ministers
10:00 AM † Ken Barden
Monday, November 16
5:15 PM † Maria Turchan
Tuesday, November 17
7:00 AM † George & Helen Domovich
Wednesday, November 18
5:15 PM † Gary Johnson
Thursday, November 19
7:00 AM † Departed Members of the Prange Family
Friday, November 20
9:15 AM † Joe Kersting
5:15 PM † Won Hurh
Saturday, November 21
5:15 PM † Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus Council #682
Sunday, November 22
7:30 AM † Helen Hoffbeck
10:00 AM † Joan Pano

Let Us Pray For

The Following Parishioners and Friends:
Joe Zaehringer, Kevin Payne, Janelle Butzow, Kathleen Markey, Roger Baucom, Rosemary Mendenhall, Catherine Breckon, 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, Janet Gallagher, Becky Nichols, Fr. Bo Schmit, all those who are suffering & their caregivers.

Upcoming Birthdays

(for over 75 years of age)
November 17 Kathy Dunn
November 17 Richard Dunn
November 17 Pauline Hamm

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, November 20
10:00 AM–5:00 PM
Benediction at 5:00 PM, St. Paul Chapel

St. Rose Catholic Church - Rushville, Illinois

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 14
5:00 PM † Larry & Peggy Dhom
Sunday, November 15
8:00 AM † Bob Kerr
Wednesday, November 18
8:30 AM † Jim Kerr
Saturday, November 21
5:00 PM † Sheila Yockey
Sunday, November 22
8:00 AM † Dan Kinsell

Lector Schedule

November Lectors
Saturday Mark Thompson
Sunday Theresa Korsmeyer

December Lectors
Saturday Tim Kettering
Sunday Linda Butler



Let Us Pray For

Let us keep ALL the sick in our thoughts and our prayers, especially:
Faye Henricks, Cathy Campbell Green, Markus Schneider, Diana Pleviak, Joanne Ballow

Help Keep St. Rose Cool

The St. Rose Men's Group is seeking donations for a new air conditioner for the church. After more than 30 years, it's time for a replacement. To date, **$2,380 has been donated** toward the total HVAC **cost of $6,567.70**. Thank you to everyone who has generously contributed! To support this "cool cause," make your check payable to: **St. Hubert Parish – St. Rose Men's Group**, or use an envelope marked Men's Group. Place your donation in the collection or give it to Mark Thompson. Thank you, and may God bless you.

Upcoming Birthdays

November 20 Carson Isley

Weekday Mass Reminder

Mass will be held on **Wednesday, November 18**, with Adoration at 8:00 AM, Mass at 8:30 AM, then Coffee Club at 9:00 AM.

Announcements & Events

Celebrating 50 Years of Marriage

Congratulations to Bill and Christi Mynaugh on their upcoming 50th wedding anniversary. They were married at St. Paul Church on December 11, 1976, and renewed their marriage vows this past weekend at St. Paul Church.

Veterans Day Service Project

St. Paul School is collecting items for veterans in local nursing homes **through Nov. 15**. Needed items include adult coloring books, alcohol-free mouthwash, body wash (no bar soap), diabetic or non-skid socks, handkerchiefs, large-print word searches, lip balm, unscented lotion, and travel tissues. Donations may be **placed in the school lobby**.

Baptism

Welcome to the newest member of our faith community, Colin Jack Brennan. Colin was baptized this weekend. He is the son of Patrick and Svetlana Brennan.

Office Hours

The Parish Office will be open Friday, Nov. 20, from 8:00 AM to noon and CLOSED in the afternoon. Regular office hours will resume Monday, Nov. 23.

First Reconciliation Preparation

Classes with Mrs. Seward will be held Nov. 15, Dec. 6, and Dec. 13, from 8:45–9:45 AM, for parish children and St. Paul School students not in 2nd grade. All children and a parent **must attend a class on Dec. 3** at 6:00 PM at St. Paul Church. First Reconciliation will be Dec. 16 at 6:00 PM at St. Paul Church.

Remembering Our Faithful Departed

November is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory, a time to pray for deceased loved ones and all the faithful departed. Throughout November, the Women's Guild will display photos of our deceased loved ones on the church bulletin board. Please place photos in the basket on the narthex counter. **Copies are preferred over originals**. Photos from last year that were not retrieved will be displayed again. Questions? Contact Colleen Carlson at **jccarlson@logonix.net**.

St. Paul Cookie Walk

The St. Paul Women's Guild will host its annual Cookie Walk during Dickens on the Square at the Macomb City Hall Community Room, 232 E. Jackson. The sale will be held **Friday, Dec. 4**, from 7:00–8:00 PM (full trays only) and **Saturday, Dec. 5**, from 8:00 AM–noon. Come enjoy a delicious selection of homemade cookies and support the Women's Guild!

Christmas Gifts for Catholic Charities

PLEASE DONATE NOV. 15.

St. Hubert Parish is collecting gloves, hats, socks, scarves, toys for children ages 1–12, plus wrapping paper and tape. Donations will benefit families served by Catholic Charities throughout the Diocese of Peoria. Items will be wrapped in November for December delivery.

Faith in Action Update

The Faith in Action gatherings originally scheduled for Nov. 15 and Dec. 6 **have been canceled**. We look forward to gathering in fellowship once our new Parish Hall opens. Faith in Action offers parish families an opportunity to build relationships, grow together in faith, and strengthen our parish community. All families are welcome! Mark your calendars for **Saturday, Jan. 30**, following the 5:15 PM Mass. The gathering will take place in our new Parish Hall. More details to come!

Toys for Tots Christmas Drive

Help brighten Christmas for local children by donating new, unwrapped toys to the Toys for Tots West Central Illinois campaign. All donations stay local to benefit families in McDonough County. Last year, the program assisted 161 local families. Please place your donations in the Toys for Tots collection box at the church before pickup during **the first week of December**. Your generosity will help make Christmas special for children in our community!

Festival of Lessons and Carols

Enhance your Advent season by attending A Festival of Lessons and Carols on **Sunday, Dec. 13**, at 4:00 PM at St. Paul Church. This traditional service tells the story of the fall of humanity, the promise of the Messiah, and the birth of Jesus through nine Scripture readings, each followed by a hymn or carol. The Women's Guild is hosting this hour-long program, with refreshments to follow. All are welcome to share in prayer and beautiful music!

Please Support Loaves & Fishes

Loaves & Fishes of McDonough County now assists an average of 524 families each month with grocery vouchers for those in need, including many seniors and children. As the need continues to grow, your support is more important than ever. Please use the **QR code** to make a secure online donation. Thank you for your continued generosity in supporting this vital community ministry.

Readings & Reflections

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Scripture Readings

For the Week of November 16

Monday
Rev 1:1-4; 2:1-5
Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6
Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday Memorial of Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious
Rev 3:1-6, 14-22
Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5
Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday
Rev 4:1-11
Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6
Lk 19:11-28

Thursday
Rev 5:1-10
Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6b, 9b
Lk 19:41-44

Friday
Rev 10:8-11
Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131
Lk 19:45-48

Saturday Memorial of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Rev 11:4-12
Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10
Lk 20:27-40

Sunday The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
Ez 34:11-12, 15-17
Ps 23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6
1 Cor 15:20-26, 28
Mt 25:31-46

Treasures from our Tradition

Coming to the end of the Church year, we can wonder how we got "extreme unction" out of "anointing of the sick." "Extreme" comes from a Latin phrase, in extremis, which in English refers to the last struggle of a dying person. "Last rites" is a phrase in common usage, and refers to the fact that years ago everyone waited until the last crisis of illness to summon the priest.

The goal of anointing had always been healing and forgiveness, but in time it began to be seen as a preparation for death. In a hard world, almost anything from a hangnail to a sneeze could be life threatening, so perhaps the change was inevitable. The emphasis on the penitential aspects was heightened, even to the odd practice of Rome in the twelfth century, when the sick person was sprinkled with ashes mixed with holy water and given a hair shirt as a sign of penance. **(continued on next column)**

Treasures from our Tradition (Continued)

The reformers thankfully overlooked some of these oddities of history, and today the sacrament of the sick is much more generously applied to persons in a wide range of situations. Still, it is a sacrament of reconciliation, and for that reason is not celebrated for an infant or toddler, although there is a rite for a visit to a sick child not including anointing or Communion.

—Rev. James Field

The Word in our Lives

Use It or Lose It

I wonder what that third servant in the Gospel was doing all that time, after he buried the talent he was given. Probably nothing. What strikes me is that the word for money in this reading is "talent," which in our language is an ability or skill. Maybe this parable can remind us to use our abilities and not let them go to waste. A person might be strong and fast, but if she exercises and practices, she could be a great athlete. The same with spiritual gifts. Just having one doesn't make you a saint. So how do you know what gifts you have?

First, ask God in your prayers to show you what gifts you have been given. Read the scriptures, especially the Acts of the Apostles or the Letters of Paul (e.g., 1 Corinthians 12:1–11). Listen humbly to friends or loved ones who can tell you what strengths they see in you.

Second, look for ways to use your gifts. Check the parish bulletin or website or your diocesan newspaper for activities and organizations that you could take part in. Hospitals, schools, shelters, and nursing homes frequently offer opportunities for volunteers. Or you may see a need for some service that you can get started in the parish or community.

Just remember that you are called to service by your baptism and confirmation. Don't bury that calling by procrastinating or being afraid to try. Remember the "useless servant" with the one talent who was fearful and lazy (Matthew 25:25–26). At least he can remind us to use it or lose it.

—Tom Schmidt

Titles of Mary

OUR LADY OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE
November 19

Devotion to Our Lady of Divine Providence originated in Italy in the thirteenth century, and was carried to Puerto Rico in the 1850s by Bishop Gil Esteve Tomás. The original statue at the cathedral there was eventually replaced by a wooden carving in 1920 that has become the most familiar image of the patroness of Puerto Rico.

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