

June 28, 2026
13th Sunday in
Ordinary Time



Mass Intentions

Saturday June. 27 - 5:00pm

† Agnes L. Haley

Sunday June. 28 - 9:00am

◇ Mass for the People

Monday June. 29 - 8:30am

† Helen Brannon

Tuesday June. 30 - 8:30am

† Helen & Stephen Sefcik

Friday July. 3 - 8:30am

† James Rodek Jr.

Saturday July. 4 - 5:00pm

◇ Mass for the People

Sunday July. 5 - 9:00am

† Amy Olson

Sanctuary Candle
In Loving Memory of
John Roslan

From the Pastor

The Faith and Charity Catholic Appeal continues to experience strong support in our Parish and throughout our Diocese. I am grateful to all who have already made a gift or pledge to this year's Appeal.

If you have pledged, please remember that fulfilling your commitment helps provide essential funding for ministries that serve those in need, support Catholic education, assist our parishes, form future priests and deacons, and strengthen the mission of the Church throughout Delaware and Maryland's Eastern Shore.

If you have not yet participated, there is still time. Every gift, regardless of size, makes a difference. New and returning donors also help St. Paul Parish to receive a special rebate for this year.

Once again, I thank you for your continued generosity and support of the Faith and Charity Catholic Appeal. We have done much better this year as compared to last year's Appeal.

Fr. Dave



Second Collection This Weekend – Peter's Pence Collection

Throughout history, Catholics have shared Christ's mission with the world by proclaiming the Gospel and performing works of mercy. For centuries, Catholics have joined in these works by supporting the Peter's Pence Collection, which helps to fund the Holy Father's mission to proclaim Christ's message in the world. Our gifts to this collection support the Holy Father's mission, which extends throughout the entire world, from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education, peace, and unity among peoples. **Thank you for supporting** the numerous charitable works in aid by your donations to this week's second collection. Your donations help support humanitarian assistance to those in need throughout the world.

Dear Padre

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I raised my children in the faith, but two of them left the Church to embrace another denomination, and two others, although still Catholic, have not committed to regular church attendance. I worry about their salvation.

Your experience is not unknown to many Catholic parents. Many mothers and fathers could probably carry on a good conversation with you about their concerns for the faith lives of their children.

The journey of faith has many paths. An individual may think more deeply about the meaning of life or may find religion after a momentous experience or in the process of gathering with a community in which they find support, clarity, shared beliefs, or guidelines for living morally. For those of us who grew up believing, chances are, we were not introduced to religion through logic. Children are brought to church long before they are aware of their need for God. They learn doctrine and attend worship before questions of faith and religion form within them. Passing on the faith is a great gift that parents give, and it will serve these young people well. Your children have the tools to help them find their way, and God continues to be with them. Follow the example of St. Monica and pray for them. Trust this one to God and continue to be a good example. ●

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