



HOLY FAMILY

HOLY ROSARY MISSION

FATHER INNOCENT SUBIZA, PASTOR

Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles



The joint celebration of these two iconic apostles is important as a **symbol of Church unity**. As recorded in the Book of Acts and expressed in the letters of both Paul and Peter, the early Church was growing dramatically. It was **Paul of Tarsus who added a new dynamic** to the mission of the Church by bringing the Good News to the Gentiles.

Christianity was first seen as branch of Jewish faith. Jesus was the fulfillment of the law and the prophets. **Peter** and most of the twelve apostles **saw this connection to Judaism as essential** to the message of Jesus. **Paul had a vision** for Christianity **that transcended its Jewish roots** and appealed to the Gentiles. In large part because of Paul's charismatic personality and preaching, Christianity gained a substantial foothold.

~ Ken Canedo in Today's Liturgy

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Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

STARTS MONDAY, JULY 7
6:00 - 7:30 P.M. and will meet every
other week



Over the next few months we'll be covering the Bible by focusing on the narrative thread that reveals God's plan of salvation. Because this is an overview of the Bible from a distinctly Catholic perspective, anyone can attend, not just those preparing to become Catholic.

Think you know the Bible? Think again! This Bible study may surprise you!

For More Information You May Call James Cavanagh at 916-701-1543

Mass Intentions

Sunday, June 29th.:

8:30 a.m.: Amy Grubbert+

Tuesday, July 1st.: Fr. Burns+

Wednesday, July 2nd.: Chuck Howes+,
Elizabeth Murray+

Thursday, July 3rd.: Hazel and
Lawrence Martini+

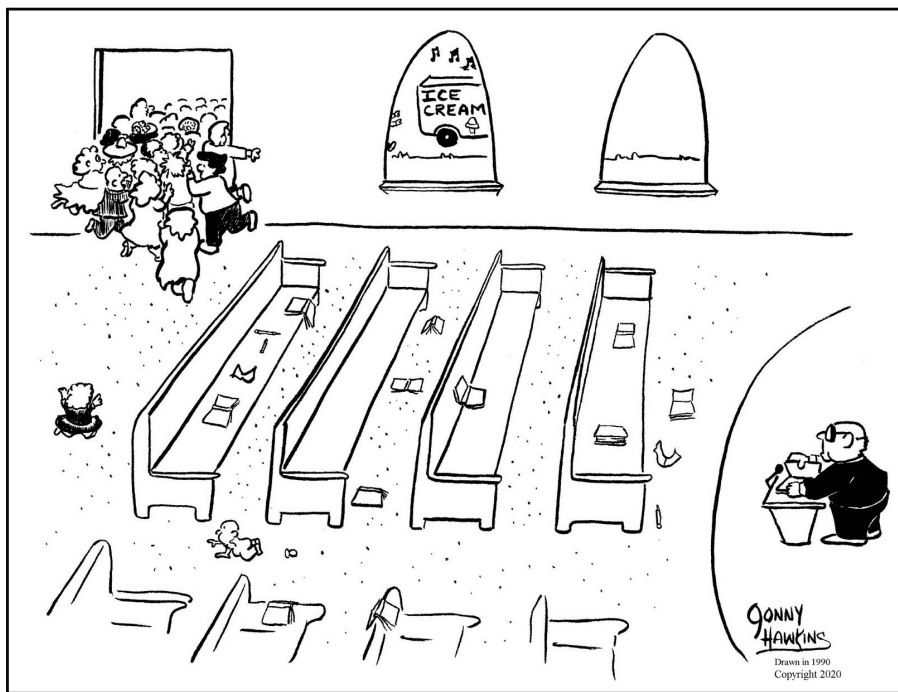
ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Growing up in a low-income family, I remember by mother saying she would have to **"rob Peter to pay Paul"** when trying to balance the family weekly budget. **Where did this expression originate?**

In the mid-1700s the ancient Cathedral of St. Paul's in London was falling apart, and the strain on the treasury was so great that it was decided that it would merge with the diocese of the newer St. Peter's Cathedral in order to absorb and use their funds to repair the crumbling St. Paul's. The

parishioners of St. Peter's resented this and came up with the rallying cry, **they're "robbing Peter to pay Paul."**

~ Now You Know BIG Book of Answers



HAPPY
FOURTH
of
JULY



Wednesday July 2: Pastoral Council Meeting at 9:15a.m. in Portola Parish Hall.

Friday, July 4: First Friday, and Independence Day Mass at 8:30 a.m. and Adoration at 7:30 a.m.

Wednesday, July 30: Community Dinner, 6:00 p.m., Portola