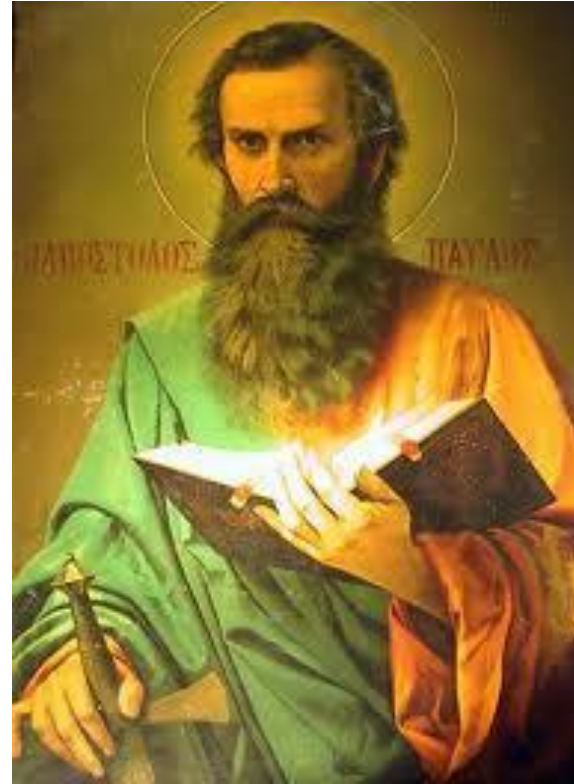


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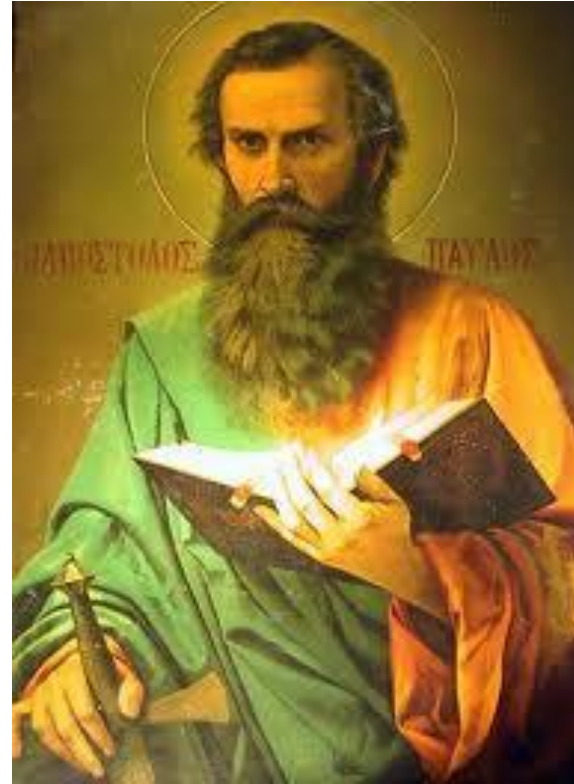
Who are these men?



St Peter and St Paul



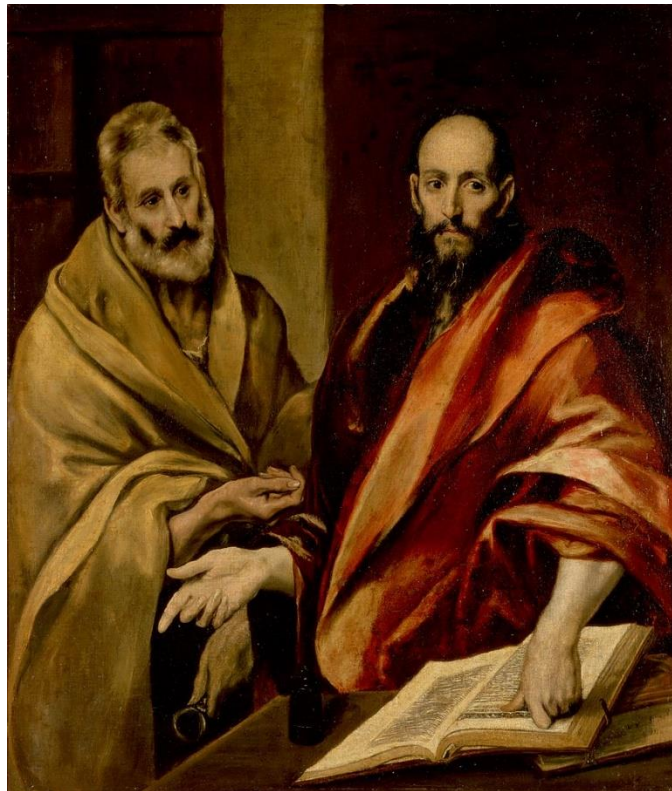
St Peter



St Paul

The Feast Day of St Peter and St Paul

29th June



St. Peter

- A disciple of Jesus
- A fisherman who threw down his nets to follow Jesus
- Very important to Jesus. Jesus relied on him and trusted him
- He was afraid when Jesus was taken away and denied he knew Jesus
- The Holy Spirit gave him the strength to go out and tell everyone about Jesus

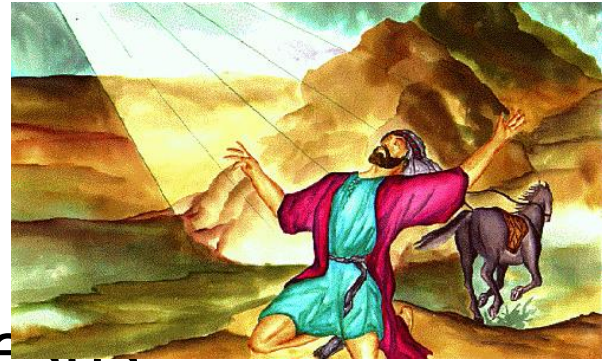


The Rock

- Jesus called him ‘the rock upon which I will build my church’
- Peter was the first Pope, the first leader of the church.
- The cathedral in the Vatican city is called St. Peter’s



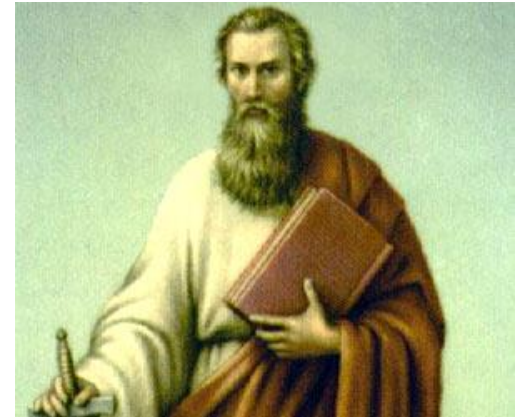
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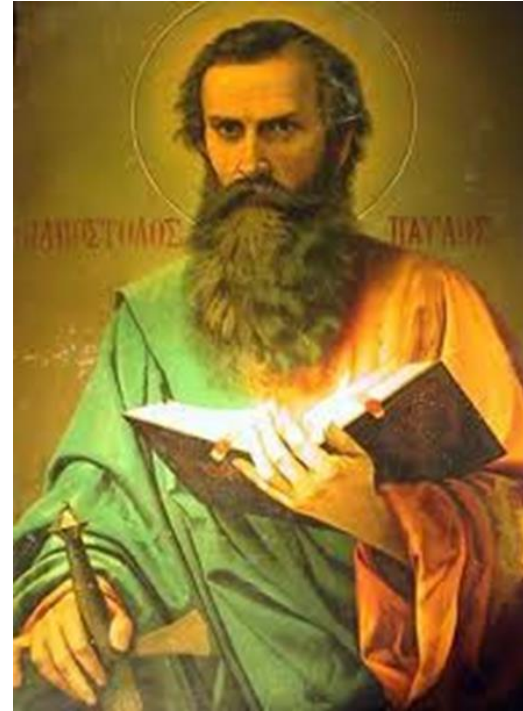
- St Paul was not a disciple of Jesus
- He became a Christian after Jesus had died
- He was called Saul and he was a tax collector
- He caught and killed the early Christians
- He was converted on the road to Damascus

The Teacher

- He became a dedicated follower of Jesus and travelled far and wide teaching people about Jesus
- He wrote lots of the New Testament including the Acts of the Apostles and lots of letters to people explaining all about God and Jesus



We know about Jesus today because of the FAITH of these two men.



Without these two men, Christianity would not look like it does today.

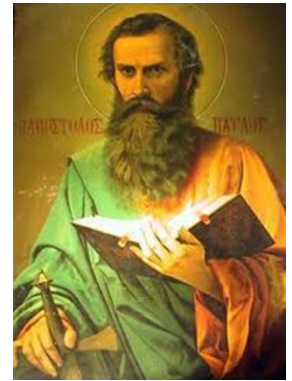
Forgiveness

- Peter and Paul both did wrong things and made mistakes
- They were sorry
- They were shown love and forgiveness- they were given another chance
- They went on to achieve great things in the eyes of the church.





Let us pray



Dear Lord,

Help us to understand the importance of St Peter and St Paul. Help us to know the sacrifice they made so that we might know you.

- Like Peter and Paul, we make mistakes, Lord have mercy.
- **All: Lord, have mercy.**
- You call imperfect people to serve you, Christ have mercy.
- **All: Christ, have mercy.**
- We are always held in your care, Lord have mercy.
- **All: Lord, have mercy.**
- Let us say together the prayer that Jesus taught to St Peter and all the disciples.