



St. Paul's Episcopal Church

We follow Jesus, nurture ministries and welcome all.



Online Bulletin

The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

Annual Meeting Sunday

Year C

January 27, 2019 10:15 a.m.

Welcome to St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Whether this is your first visit or you have been a member for years, we're glad you're here! This bulletin is designed to guide you through the service. Hymnals, Bibles and the Book of Common Prayer are in the pews and available for your use as well.

Our youngest guests are welcome to attend services or may join Miss Wendy in the nursery (room 2) where we have toys, Bible Stories, music and art projects available.

Our Sunday school program (K-grade 5) begins at 10am on the Labyrinth. After joining the procession in the church, our program continues in room 14 where they participate in Children's Chapel, hear a Bible story, and enjoy fun and engaging activities related to that story. Children return to the church to join their families for Eucharist.

Youth Group (grades 6-12) meets in the Youth Center at 10am for the opportunity to explore the Bible, express their faith through art and discuss important questions. They join us for Eucharist.

Again, welcome and please let us know if there's anything we can do to make your time with us more enriching and enjoyable.

Holy Eucharist ***Liturgy of the Word***

Prelude *These are the Holy Ten Commandments* *arr. J.S. Bach*

Please stand as you are able at the sound of the bell.

Entrance Hymn **O Christ, the Word Incarnate** **Hymnal 632**

Opening Salutation *Book of Common Prayer p. 355*

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

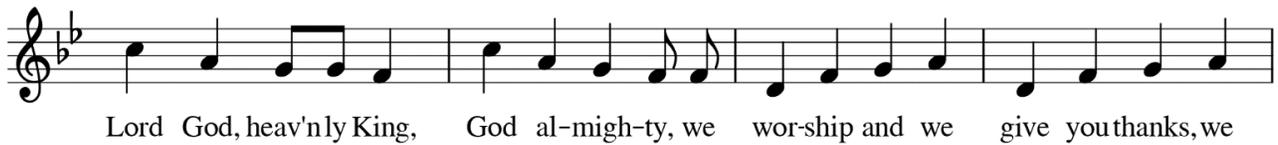
Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.



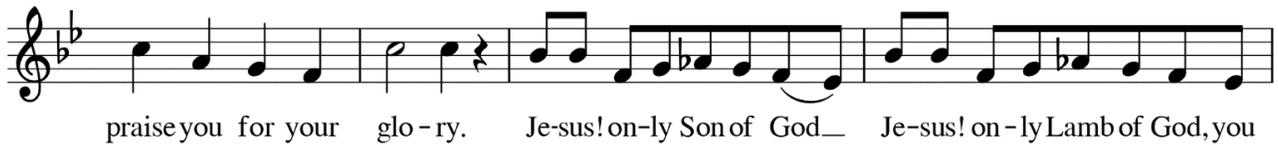
Gloria! Gloria! in ex-cel-sis-De-o!



Gloria! Gloria! peace to all peo-ple on the earth.



Lord God, heav'nly King, God al-migh-ty, we worship and we give you thanks, we



praise you for your glo-ry. Je-sus! on-ly Son of God... Je-sus! on-ly Lamb of God, you



take a-way the sin of the world: Je-sus! have mer-cy on us,



Je-sus! you are seated at the right hand of God, re-ceive our prayer. you are ho-ly,



you are Lord... most high with the spi-rit in the glo-ry of God!



Gloria! A-men!... Gloria! A-men!... Gloria! A-men!

Today's Gloria is the fourth of five movements from St. Paul's Mass, a new mass being composed by Music Minister Dr. Felix Eisenhauer for St. Paul's. The music is linked thematically to the other movements of the mass and the text was carefully written to be inclusive of all genders and people.

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

As Episcopalians, our custom is to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest Holy Scripture. You are invited to do so right here in your bulletin.

First Reading

1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

Just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body--Jews or Greeks, slaves or free--and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. If all were a single member, where would the body be? As it is, there are many members, yet one body. The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you." On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it.

Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? But strive for the greater gifts.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

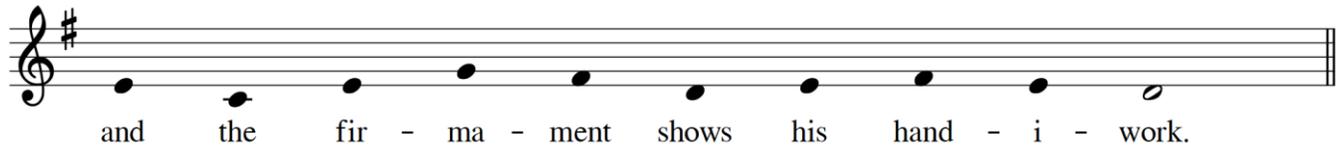
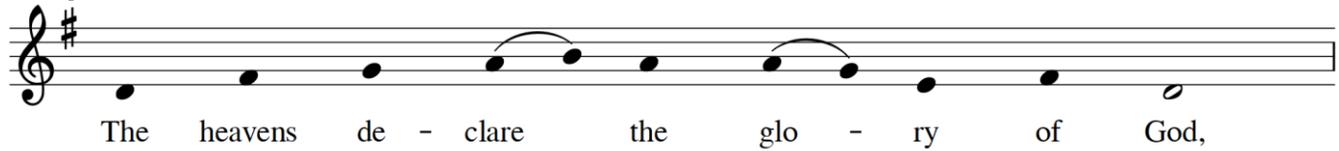
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 19:7-14

The choir will sing the Psalm today.

The choir will lead the Antiphon first, followed by the congregation singing the Antiphon.

Antiphon



- 7 The law of the LORD is perfect
and revives the soul; *
the testimony of the LORD is sure
and gives wisdom to the innocent.
- 8 The statutes of the LORD are just
and rejoice the heart; *
the commandment of the LORD is clear
and gives light to the eyes.
- 9 The fear of the LORD is clean
and endures for ever; *
the judgments of the LORD are true
and righteous altogether.
- 10 More to be desired are they than gold,
more than much fine gold, *
sweeter far than honey,
than honey in the comb.
- 11 By them also is your servant enlightened, *
and in keeping them there is great reward.
- 12 Who can tell how often he offends? *
cleans me from my secret faults.
- 13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;
let them not get dominion over me; *
then shall I be whole and sound,
and innocent of a great offense.
- 14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my
heart be acceptable in your sight, *
O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.

Gradual Hymn

All stand as able to sing.

The stars declare his glory (V. 1-2)

Hymnal 431

Holy Gospel

Remain standing and face the Gospel.

Luke 4:14-21

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon

The Reverend Dr. Richard Swanson

A period of silent reflection follows the sermon.

Prayers of the People

Book of Common Prayer p. 392

Please stand or kneel as is your custom.

Deacon In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Leader For all people in their daily life and work;
People **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

For this community, the nation, and the world;
For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;
For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all those who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble, especially those recovering from recent violence, fire and floods;
For those who minister to the sick, the friendless and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;
For all who proclaim the Gospel and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, John and Diane our Bishops; and for all bishops and other ministers;
For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

The people may add their own petitions either silently or aloud

Hear us Lord;
For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

The people may add their own thanksgivings either silently or aloud

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

The people may add their own petitions either silently or aloud

Lord, let your loving kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

Deacon We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

**Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;
in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown,
things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your spirit
that we may live and serve you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Deacon Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Peace

All stand as they are able.

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Announcements

Please be seated.

Prayers for birthdays and anniversaries.

For other prayer requests, trained lay prayer ministers will be available in the chapel during Eucharist to pray with you. Briefly state the particular concern, burden, thanksgiving, or transition you bring for yourself or someone else. Confidentiality is observed.

Liturgy of the Table

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

Ephesians 5:2

Offertory Anthem

Ain'-a That Good News

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Presentation Hymn

Please stand as you are able.

Spread, O spread, thou mighty word

Hymnal 530

Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B

The people remain standing.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord

Hymnal S128

The Service Music can be found in the front of the hymnal.

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Please stand or kneel as is your custom.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Mary, Joseph, Paul and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

This is the Banquet of the Lord. It is made ready for those who love him and for those who want to love him more. So, come, you who have much faith and you who have little, you who have been here often and you who have not been here long, you who have tried to follow and you who fear you have failed. Come, because it is the Lord who invites you. It is his will that those who want him should meet him here.

Wherever you are in your journey of faith, you are welcome at communion. Our custom is to receive the bread in your open palm. Please tell the priest if you prefer a gluten-free wafer or sulfite-free juice. Sip the wine, if you wish it, from the common cup, guiding the chalice gently with your hand or the Eucharistic Minister will dip the bread for you. Otherwise, cross your arms over your chest as a sign you wish a blessing from the priest.

After you receive communion, you are invited to meet with our lay prayer ministers in the chapel. Briefly state the particular concern, burden, thanksgiving, or transition you bring for yourself or someone else. Confidentiality is observed. Rejoin the other worshipers for the post communion prayer.

Communion Music

Adagio

W.A. Mozart

Eat this Bread

Words and music on the following page.

Taizé

Eat this Bread



Postcommunion Prayer

Please stand or kneel as you prefer.

Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

When the Eucharist is being taken out to those who are sick or shut-in, we will pray together.

In the name of this congregation, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. We who are many are one body, because we share one bread, one cup. Amen.

Blessing

May God give you grace to never sell yourself short, grace to risk something big for something good, grace to remember that the world is too dangerous for anything but truth and too small for anything but Love.

The Blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son and Holy Spirit be with you and remain with you this day and always. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

Hymnal 616

Please follow the altar party as we process to Kahler Hall for the Annual Meeting.

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Welcome! We're so glad you're here.

- Our ushers welcome your inquiries. They can provide assisted listening devices, information about our ministries, as well as directions to the restrooms, nursery, and classrooms.
- Please take the brochure from the pew and learn more about St. Paul's and our traditional worship, dynamic preaching and a call to serve.
- You are invited to join us for coffee and refreshments following the service and we hope you will stay for Fellowship & Formation from 11:30-noon. For information on today's topic, please see the announcements below.
- Infants and children are welcome here. Children under five years old may receive care in the nursery (room 2) from 10-noon. Parents are also welcome to keep their children with them and may have access to the nursery for their convenience. The service can be heard from the narthex (lobby) and activity bags for children can be found there.

Check out next Sunday's readings at www.lectionarypage.net

	<p><i>Want to get involved at St. Paul's?</i> THE FOLLOWING MINISTRIES ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS: Right now, we are most in need of volunteers to serve with Altar Guild and Ushers. the following small groups would love for you to join: Monday Evening Bible Study, Daughters of the King, Men's Group Breakfast and Bible Study, Women's Group Bible Study, Wednesday Morning Bible Study, Ladies Lunch Bunch If you would like further information, please let us know. Thank You!</p>
	<p><i>Since we walk this journey of faith together...</i> WE'D LIKE TO STAY IN TOUCH – Here are some suggestions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check out our website. New things are posted every week. www.saintpaulsventura.org • Read our weekly E-Newsletter. If you aren't receiving it, please provide your email address in the Guest Book at the Welcome Table or send a note to the office. office@saintpaulsventura.org • Share your prayer requests with us and remember us in your prayers too. • Comment, share, like or post on Social Media. <p>Website: www.saintpaulsventura.org Email: office@saintpaulsventura.org Call: 805 643-5033 Facebook: St. Paul's Ventura Twitter: @StPaulsVentura</p>

Serving This Week

Acolytes	Judy Wareham, Ti Nahabedian
Chalice	John Borneman, Guadalupe Guillen
Lay Readers	Bridget Wareham
Prayers of the People	Joseph Wareham
Eucharistic Prayer Ministry	Rose Hayden Smith
Ushers	Tamara Nerdrum, Woody Bretz
Welcome Ministry	Ernie Fickerson
Sunday School Leaders	Sarah Lamola, Bridget Wareham
Hospitality	Bridget Wareham, Bill & Kathleen Crookston, Lori Redding
Altar Guild	Pauli Powers, Ruth McCool, Rose Hayden-Smith, Rob Butler
Flower Guild	Heidi Trevisan, Valerie Ortiz, Rose Hayden Smith
Counters	David Hill, Kathy Loest
Facility Lock Up	Miles Sexton

Highlights of This Week at St. Paul's

Today 1/27	8:00 am	Rite I Sunday Service
	9:30 am	Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)
	10:15 am	Rite II Sunday Service
	11:30 am	Annual meeting(Kahler Hall)
	4:30 pm	Abundant Table Farm Church (Chapel, Kahler Hall)
	8:00 pm	AA Meeting (Kahler Hall)
Mon. 1/28	11:30 am	Beginning Tai Chi (Kahler Hall)
	1:00 pm	Intermediate Tai Chi (Kahler Hall)
	8:00 pm	AA Meeting (Kahler Hall)
Tues. 1/29	10:00 am	Sack Lunch Distribution (Office)
Wed. 1/30	9:00 am	Healing Service (Chapel)
	10:30 am	Bible Study (Library)
	11:30 am	Beginning Tai Chi (Kahler Hall)
	1:00 pm	Intermediate Tai Chi (Kahler Hall)
	6:30 pm	AA Meeting (Community Room)
	8:00 pm	AA Meeting (Community Room)
Thurs. 1/31	10:00 am	Sack Lunch Distribution (Office)
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)
Fri. 2/1	6:30 am	Men's Bible Study (Main Street Restaurant, 3169 Main Street)
	9:15 am	Women's Bible Study (Library)
Sat. 2/2	6:45 pm	AA Meeting (Community Room)
Sun. 2/3	8:00 am	Rite I Sunday Service
	9:30 am	Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)
	10:15 am	Rite II Sunday Service
	11:30 am	Fellowship and Formation (Kahler Hall)
	12:00 pm	Daughters of the King (Community Room)
	4:30 pm	Abundant Table Farm Church (Chapel, Kahler Hall)
	8:00 pm	AA Meeting (Kahler Hall)

Prayer Intentions for the Week of January 27, 2019

Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury
Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop
John Taylor, Bishop Diocesan
Diane Jardine Bruce, Bishop Suffragan

Our Clergy: Susan Bek, Ed Steever, Dick Swanson
President Donald Trump, Congress, Federal Courts
Governor Gavin Newsom, Legislature, State Courts

HEALING IN BODY, MIND & SPIRIT:

Lillian, Wayne, Adele, Babs, Brenda, Grace, James, Jacob, Carolyn, Barbara, Duncan, Frank, Julie, Liz, Bruce, Charly, Paul, Carol, Stacy, Mary, Kathie, Tom, William

THOSE ENDURING A LONG TERM ILLNESS:

Virginia, Margery, Sheila, Carrie, Linda, Judy, Michelle, Kevin, Mary, Kathy, Doug, Rachel, Kim

FOR GOD'S BLESSING ON:

- + The spiritual and moral development of our children and youth; the children, youth and adult leaders of our Sunday school, Youth Group, Boy Scout Troop 179, La Famiglia Preschool and VCSAGE.
- + U.S. Armed services personnel serving around the world and wounded warriors cared for in medical centers and those returned home

GIVE THANKS FOR:

- + Our partners in the Diocese of Los Angeles: *Hillsides-the Episcopal Home for Children, Pasadena; Neighborhood Youth Association, West LA; Holy Family Services, Ventura County*
- + Our World Mission Companions: *the Cathedral Church of the Ascension, in the Diocese of Wiaowo, Ghana*
- + The Ventura Interfaith Ministerial Assoc.: *Unitarian Universalist, Center for Spiritual Living, An Lac Mission (Buddhist), Mormon Church*

IN MEMORIUM

Joanne Cummings

Parish prayers for healing are listed for one calendar month. Contact the office with your request which may be added at any time. If you prefer your prayers to remain confidential, the Daughters of the King will add them to their daily prayer list for one month. They may be requested and/or renewed by using the prayer cards in the pews.



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Announcements

*Thank you for joining us today!
As Ventura works to recover and find the way forward after fire and flood,
St. Paul's is here to help.
We're praying for you every day.
Please let us know what else you need. God bless you!*



Please help us thank the following people for our refreshments this morning:
8:00 am-Jo Ellen Heil,
10:15 am- Bridget Wareham, Bill & Kathleen Crookston, Lori Redding
(Next week for hospitality: 8:00am-Wes Cullins
10:15 am-Dan & Joanne Wakelee, Jennifer Golland, Judy Wareham)
If you would like to serve on our hospitality team, please let us know.

Please join us again next Sunday!

MUSIC at ST. PAUL'S



TODAY: Thank you to our Cantor, Natalie Epelone.
NEXT SUNDAY: The Choir will sing *Write Your Blessed Name* by K. Lee Scott, one of the world's most well-known contemporary choral conductors, at the 10:15 service.

Annual Meeting



ANNUAL MEETING—TODAY! Please join us immediately after the 10:15 service as we elect our new Vestry and delegates to Diocesan Convention. Enjoy some coffee, check out some ministry reports and participate in the life of our parish!



SOUPER BOWL IS HERE: It's time for the Souper Bowl fundraiser to support purchasing the food and paper goods for our monthly Family to Family lunch ministry, we are asking for donations to fund our ministry for the year. We serve 250 lunch plates for about \$2.50/plate and have used up last year's fund. Our goal is \$4,400 to carry us through until Fall. This ministry is entirely dependent on your generous donations and is not funded with pledges. *Donate in person, on the website, use PayPal or send in a check. It all is appreciated!*



THANK YOU—to the Family to Family crew for all your hard work this past Monday. We appreciate all of your hard work in helping to feed our hungry neighbors! Our next opportunity for serving is Monday, February 18, President's Day, so mark your calendars, we can always use more help!



VENTURA COUNTY CONCERT BAND—FREE CONCERT
Song and Dance will be presented today, Sunday, January 27, at 3pm in the Ventura High School Auditorium. Come prepared to sing along and tap your toes to familiar tunes!



OUR NEW ASSOCIATE RECTOR—The Rev. Liz Williams, will be here soon! Her first Sunday at St. Paul's will be March 3rd. Please join us as we welcome her and her family and celebrate their coming!



FIRST MONDAY BOOK CLUB – February 4, 2019

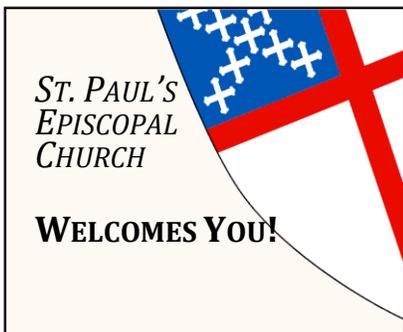
The January selection, to be discussed in February, is Becoming by Michelle Obama. Meet at Panera Bread on Telephone Rd at 5pm for food and 5:30pm for discussion. All women are welcome! *Sponsored by Daughters of the King.*



SAVE THE DATES

Sunday, March 3—The First Sunday with our new Associate Rector, The Reverend Liz Williams
Tuesday, March 5—Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
Wednesday, March 6—Ash Wednesday
Sunday, March 17—Saint Patrick’s Day Dinner
Sunday, April 14—Palm Sunday
Sunday April 21—Easter Sunday

Newcomer Information Series



SUNDAYS 11:45-12:15 PM IN THE LIBRARY

(off the parking lot next to the school entrance gate)

- 2/3 Getting to Know Each Other and the Episcopal Church
- 2/10 Understanding our Worship and Exploring our Ministries
- 2/17 Giving and Serving in the Name of Christ

You're also invited:

2/24 New Member Welcome and Blessing in Church (optional)

Meet people, Ask YOUR Questions, EXPLORE THE FAITH

All are welcome!

St. Paul's is learning Sign Language.

Why? Because all are welcome here!



A portion of each of our services is presented in ASL (American Sign Language). As we learn more, more signing will be included.

Classes in ASL are offered at St. Paul's. Please contact us for upcoming opportunities. Past classes have included: Introduction to ASL (fingerspelling, vocabulary and deaf culture), Song Signing for Children, Song Signing Christmas Hymns, and Signing the Lord's Prayer.

This sign means, "I love you."

A current feature of our weekly announcements includes the "ASL Minute" – an opportunity to learn a few signs. Please let us know if there are specific signs you'd like to learn.

Help us feed the hungry.

ST. PAUL'S LUNCH PROGRAM FEEDS HUNGRY PEOPLE THROUGH THE WEEK

Tuesday and Thursday, 10am – 1pm, we handout sack lunches to those who are hungry. Thank you for all of your donations and support for this ministry. The wish list for this month includes juice, water and protein drinks. If you would like to make a cash donation, note "Food Pantry" on the memo line of your check. Our shopper, Bill Brewer, will spend it wisely.

Thank you for helping us feeding our hungry neighbors!

