



St. Paul's Episcopal Church McHenry, IL

Weekly ePístle ~September 9, 2020





Words from Wardens

These two pictures warm my heart! Despite the uncertainty in our lives today, both here at St. Paul's and in our communities, these two pictures capture the essence of everything that is RIGHT in our little corner of the world! These pictures show us that we at St. Paul's are kind, generous, and focused on the needs of our community, which is what we all agreed is what we want "Church" to be. While we may not be sure what the coming months will bring as far as Covid and how and where we will worship, we can be certain that because of our commitment to Outreach, there will be families and children who will have food to eat and mittens to keep little hands warm! This is what St. Paul's is all about. It is not our building; it is our compassion and concerns for one another and our community.

There will always be uncertainty in our lives, much that is out of our control, but I am encouraged that we are moving in the right direction by providing hope for those in need and for a future filled with hope for St. Paul's. Thank you for your part in taking the path forward as we continue to make Outreach a certainty and envision our future together in the Glory of God's name!

Beth Lukas (Senior Warden)



Looking for new Vestry members!

St. Paul's future is very much on the minds of all of us right now. What better way to help to steer our future than to become a part of the Vestry. Several members of our current Vestry are nearing the end of their terms which will create open positions in 2021. Please consider volunteering for this important and exciting role as we blaze new paths for St. Paul's. Contact a Warden or Vestry member for information or to volunteer.

Servants for September 13 Holy Eucharist

Rick Carlstedt- Usher Rick Carlstedt- Lector Judy Robel - Intercessor Jeff Zabor - Epistle Reader Bill Lang - Vestry Person of the Day

<u>On the Calendar</u>

Sunday, September 13 - Holy Eucharist with Rev. Eileen Shanley-Roberts Sunday, September 20 - Morning Prayer / Vestry meeting
Sunday, September 27 - Holy Eucharist with Rev. Eileen Shanley-Roberts Sunday, October 4 - Holy Eucharist with Rev. Eileen Shanley-Roberts

Holy Mowers September Schedule

Week 1 - Jeff Zabor Week 2 - Ashley Pecoraro Week 3 - Jeff Lynaugh Week 4 - Bill Lang

St. Paul's Prayer List Week of September 13 - 19

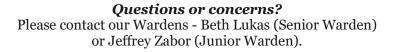
Please keep those on our prayer list in your thoughts during this time. If you wish to add to the list, please contact the church office.

Ongoing prayers: Yasmin, Kay, Edna, Ann, Amy, Tim, Bren, Brady, Jim, Marty, Barb, Marianne, Jim, Lucy, Vic, and Cindy

Current prayers: Jenn, Stacy, Jeff, Keith, Shane, Bobbi, Rory, Brandy, Danielle, Peter, and Debbie

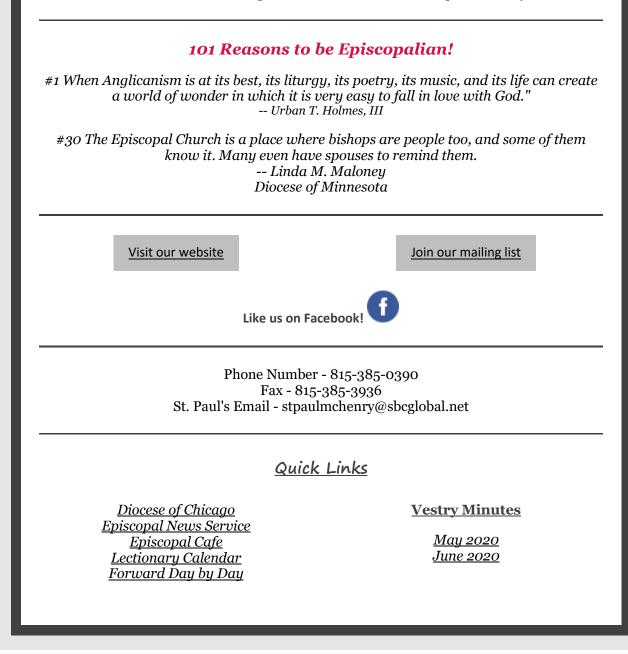
For those celebrating birthdays: Bobbi Fiali (14th), Jim Lukas (15th), Deb Lang (18)

For those celebrating anniversaries: Bill and Deb Lang (Sept. 14)



In need of pastoral care?

Please contact Deborah Lang, our Deacon: DeaconDeb@stpaulmchenry.com



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