



St. Paul's Episcopal Church  
McHenry, IL



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## Weekly ePistle ~ June 16, 2021

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### ***Worship at St. Paul's In-person and at home Sundays at 8:30 am***

We are now worshipping in person here at St. Paul's, but for those who prefer at home worship below is the link for live-stream Zoom:

<https://zoom.us/j/98034316249>

Meeting ID: 980 3431 6249

To dial in: 312-626-6799

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### ***BYO Coffee Hour!***

St. Paul's has resumed Coffee Hour! To accommodate current restrictions, we will make a few adjustments. Please bring your own beverage and snack. We are gathering after our worship in the "Parlor". Weather permitting, we'll gather at the picnic tables outside. We have truly missed our social time. Let's gather together!

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### ***United Methodist Women Ice Cream Social***

The UMW of First United have invited the women of St. Paul's to an ice cream social on **Wednesday, June 23 at 1:00 pm**. We'll gather in the small fellowship hall downstairs. Please let Lisa know in the office if you'd like to attend. Or you can reach out to Pat Wilson at [patmwilson72@comcast.net](mailto:patmwilson72@comcast.net). Hope to see you there!

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### **Words from Vestry**

At the Vestry meeting this Sunday the main topic of conversation will be Outreach. When we sold our former building, we agreed that our expenses were preventing us from being involved in serving our community. Now that we have the resources to expand our outreach ministries, it is time to take action. For many years we have focused on feeding the hungry. Is this the direction that we want to continue to go, or is it time to look at another form of outreach?

Please think about where your sympathies lie; what calls you to action? If you have ideas or suggestions, reach out to a Vestry member and let us know your thoughts. You will be hearing much more about this topic in the future. For now, think about what ministry you would like to see St. Paul's involved in.

Beth Lukas, Senior Warden

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### **Fiesta Days - Art in the Park** **Saturday, July 17**

As part of our shared ministry with First United, we have an opportunity to help with their food booth on **Saturday, July 17**. Sign up sheets are now up at church. Jobs include:

Set up crew 7-9 am

Take down crew 4-4:30 pm

Cashiers, Cooks, Order Takers, Assemblers, Bake Sale Workers

Shifts: 9-11:30 am, 11:30 am-1:30 pm, 1:30 pm-4 pm

If you'd like to contribute to the bake sale, food may be dropped off at church by 1:00 pm Friday July 16th or at Veteran's Park on July 17th prior to 9 am. All baked goods must be labeled with ingredients and pre-packaged. For more information, please call the church office.

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### **Servants for Sunday, June 20**

Lector/Usher – Jeff Zabor

Intercessor - Terry Jaworski

Vestry Person of the Day - Bill Lang

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### **On the Calendar**

Sunday, June 20 - Morning Prayer with Deacon Deb

Sunday, June 20 - Vestry Zoom meeting at 10:30

Wednesday, June 23 - UMW/St. Paul Ladies Ice Cream Social, 1:00 pm

Sunday, June 27 - Holy Eucharist with Rev. Eileen

Tuesday, July 6 - Ladies Lunch 11:30 am at Village Squire

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## **Food for Thought Ministry continues through the summer**

The mission of Food for Thought is to provide hope and dignity to high school children by discreetly supplying food to students in need. There are food pantries located at both East and West Campus. To further our ongoing and growing ministry to children, we are asking for your support in donating food to our grocery cart to supply these pantries. The items requested are:

Canned tuna, chicken or salmon  
Canned vegetables  
Canned fruit  
Canned soup  
Peanut butter  
Hot and cold cereal  
Healthy granola bars and snacks  
Pasta and rice  
Pasta meals and sauce

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### **St. Paul's Prayer List**

***Week of June 20 - June 26***

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, Amy, Tim, Eleanor, and Erin

**Current prayers:** Jenn, Debbie, Shawn, Paula, Kurt, Darlene, Patrice, Christian, Cindy, Rocky, and Joe

**Those celebrating birthdays:** Eleanor Crump

**Those celebrating anniversaries:** Robert and Anne Vonderohe

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### ***Questions or concerns?***

Please contact our Senior Warden - Beth Lukas: [Gramlukas2@gmail.com](mailto:Gramlukas2@gmail.com)

### ***In need of pastoral care?***

Please contact Deborah Lang, our Deacon: [DeaconDeb@stpaulmchenry.com](mailto:DeaconDeb@stpaulmchenry.com)

### ***Office Hours***

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
8:30 am - 1:30 pm

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