



St. Paul's Episcopal Church McHenry, IL

Weekly ePistle ~ July 14, 2021

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

We are now worshiping 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

Words from Vestry

The following is part of one of the daily devotions that Sarah Young has written in "Jesus Calling":

"Remember that I can fit everything into a pattern for good. Including the things you wish were different." "Your main responsibility is to remain attentive to me, letting me guide you through the many choices along your pathway."

Consider St. Paul's Church. We could no longer afford to keep our beloved building. With sadness we decided to sell and so began our journey, along our pathway. In short order, our church was sold to another church, we found a new home at UMC, we packed our belongings, and moved in. All of this happened very quickly and through a pandemic as well. But the speed of our journey has now slowed.

There are many outreach choices along our pathway, but so far we have not found a choice that has "moved" us. The vestry needs input from everyone. What type of outreach "speaks" to you? What outreach projects would you participate in?

God will give us the "spark" to set our outreach fire blazing. We just have to be patient.

Judy Robel Vestry *"Jesus Calling" by Sarah Young, page 40*

Jim Persons Memorial Service

A memorial service will be held for Jim Persons on Saturday, August 7th, at 2:00 pm. The service will be held in the chapel of Windridge Memorial Park in Cary. Jim and his wife Marty were long time members of St. Paul's serving as wardens for several terms. Jim will always be remembered with fondness and gratitude.



Save the date! <u>St. Paul Parish Potluck!</u>

We will be having a "Welcome Back to Church" potluck on Sunday, **September 26 at 4:00 pm**. A signup sheet will be posted closer to the date. Hope to see you there!!

Servants for Sunday, July 18

Lector/Usher – Jeffrey Zabor Intercessor - Terry Jaworski Vestry Person of the Day - Bill Lan

<u>On the Calendar</u>

Saturday, July 17 – Fiesta Days booth w/1st United Sunday, July 18 – Morning Prayer with Deacon Deb NO July vestry meeting Sunday, July 25 – Holy Eucharist with Rev. Eileen Tuesday, August 3 - Ladies Lunch at Moretti's 11:30 am Sunday, September 26 - Parish potluck 4:00 pm

St. Paul's Prayer List

Week of July 18 - July 24

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, Matt, Craig, and Kim

For those celebrating birthdays: Marilyn Reihansperger (July 20), Robert Vonderohe (July 22)



Questions or concerns? Please contact our Senior Warden - Beth Lukas: Gramlukas2@gmail.com

In need of pastoral care? Please contact Deborah Lang, our Deacon: DeaconDeb@stpaulmchenry.com

> **Office Hours** Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

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