



St. Paul's Episcopal Church
McHenry, IL



December 8, 2021

***Worship at St. Paul's
In-person and at home***

Sundays at 10:30 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



All are invited to 1st United Methodist's Christmas Cantata on Sunday, December 19th at 9:00 am. The Methodist choir will be sharing their music of "Gloria, a Christmas Festival of Praise".

COVID-19 Booster Shots Encouraged

The Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) recommends anyone 18 years and older get a COVID-19 vaccine booster dose six months after receiving their second Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine, or two months after receiving the one-dose Johnson & Johnson vaccine.

“For continued, ongoing protection, we are urging everyone who is eligible to get a booster dose of COVID-19 vaccine to get one,” said IDPH Director Dr. Ngozi Ezike. “Scientific and medical experts have reviewed the data and found booster doses are beneficial. While we need more people who are completely unvaccinated to get their first doses, we cannot risk losing some of the protection the vaccines have already provided due to waning immunity.”

Congregations are encouraged to:

- Continue to provide online worship opportunities
- When indoors, gather in spaces that allow for social distancing
- Gather outside whenever possible
- **Review the Illinois Department of Public Health guidance on music**, including singing and rehearsals
- Use the **CDC COVID Data Tracker** to view metrics by county.

Servants for Sunday, December 12

Lector/Usher – Jeff Zabor
Intercessor - Christine Battaglia
Vestry Person of the Day - Jeff Lynaugh

On the Calendar

Sunday, December 12 - Holy Eucharist with Rev. Eileen
Sunday, December 19 - FUMC Christmas Cantata, 9:00 am
Sunday, December 19 - Morning Prayer
Sunday, December 19 - Vestry meeting, 8:30 am
Friday, December 24 - Christmas Eve Service, 10:30 am
Sunday, December 26 - ZOOM Morning Prayer service, 10:30 am

St. Paul's Prayer List

Week of December 12 - December 18

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, Tim, Jenn, and Janice

Current prayers: Paula, Rory, Bonnie, Jane, Claudia, Julie, Arne, Heather, and Melissa

For our MCC scholarship recipients: Autumn, Ashley, Yaqui, Kimberlee, and John

For those celebrating birthdays: Lisa Strandberg (Dec. 12)

For those celebrating anniversaries: Doris and Peter Gaic (Dec. 14)



Cartoon by Inherit the Mirth

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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