



St. Paul's Episcopal Church  
McHenry, IL



August 10, 2022

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***Sunday Worship with St. Paul's  
In-person and on Zoom  
10:30 am***

***Zoom link: <https://zoom.us/j/98034316249>***

Meeting ID: 980 3431 6249  
To dial in: 312-626-6799

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***Sunday Servants for August 14***

Reader/Usher - Rick Carlstedt  
Intercessor - Deb Lang  
Vestry Person of the Day - Bill Lang

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***Road Cleanup***

Our next St. Paul's road cleanup will be Monday, August 15 at 9:00 am. We will be walking along scenic Keystone Road to clean up the roadside. All supplies are provided. You may want to bring garden gloves and wear comfortable shoes and long pants. We'll park and meet on the North side of Norgard Road at the intersection of Keystone Road. Please let Al Robel know if you have any questions: alanrobel@att.net.



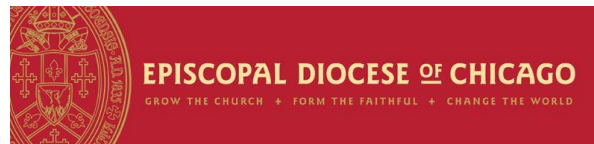
*The* **ORDINATION & CONSECRATION** *of*  
PAULA E. CLARK

Anticipation and excitement is building as we get closer to celebrating the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Paula E. Clark as the Thirteenth Bishop of Chicago on Saturday, September 17. The Consecration Committee has been working hard to plan an event that will be inclusive and representative of our diocese.

Although the venue, the Grand Ballroom at the Westin Hotel in Lombard, is larger than St. James Cathedral, the originally proposed venue, it is still not large enough to seat our entire diocese. With that in mind, the Standing Committee is inviting each congregation to send up to eight individuals as representatives to the service. Please be aware that this will be a well-attended event, with up to 1,500 people in the space. COVID precautions dictate that all attendees and liturgical participants must be masked at all times. Additional precautions may include a security check upon entering the building.

For those who are unable to attend in person, the Ordination and Consecration Service will be livestreamed. Watch the service live on the diocesan website: <https://episcopalchicago.org/>. The procession begins at 10:30 a.m. Central, and the service begins at 11 a.m. Central.

**If you are interested in attending, please contact the church office  
by August 14.**



**From Bishop-elect Paula Clark**

August 8, 2022

Dear People of God in the Diocese of Chicago:

I write to you from Canterbury, England, where the Lambeth Conference has just concluded. In the last two weeks, I have met bishops from across the world, many who have prayed for the Diocese of Chicago and me over the last two years. I enjoyed a personal conversation with Archbishop Justin Welby, and learned a great deal from the members of my Bible Study group and other bishops serving God with courage and conviction across the globe. The Anglican Communion is indeed "God's Church for God's World." You can see **my photo album from the conference on Facebook**.

It has been life-changing to connect with bishops from across the Episcopal Church and the Anglican Communion. Wherever I go, whether it be Lambeth, General Convention, or other smaller gatherings, I am so proud to represent the mission and ministry of the Diocese of Chicago. Our good work is known and appreciated by so many people. As I prepare for my consecration as your bishop on September 17, I am filled with gratitude for being called to do ministry with you.

In June, I sent **a letter** inviting you to support our shared ministry by **making a generous gift to the Bishop's Appeal**. As my ordination and consecration on September 17 approaches, I am even more excited to discover where the Holy Spirit will lead us, and I am grateful for **your support of the Bishop's Appeal** as we follow that call.

Faithfully,  
The Rev. Paula E. Clark  
Bishop-elect

***Almighty and merciful God***, we come to you with heavy hearts and troubled minds over the mass shootings that plague our land. We bring before you all the innocent men, women and children who are victims of these senseless and vicious acts. May the souls of all the departed find eternal safety and rest in your loving arms. Please send your peace and comfort upon the surviving families and friends who are living with the pain of unimaginable sorrow. We pray for the perpetrators of these crimes. Please send your divine help and mercy upon our nation for only in you do we trust. In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

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### ***Our Latest Worship Service***

Our worship services are now online. We have our own YouTube channel now, and you can access it **here** to watch the latest worship service. Previous services are available as well. Check it out!

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### ***On the Calendar***

Sunday, August 14 - Holy Eucharist  
Monday, August 15 - **Road cleanup**, 9:00 am  
Sunday, August 14 - Holy Eucharist  
Sunday, August 21 - **Vestry meeting**, 8:30 am  
Sunday, August 21 - Holy Eucharist  
Sunday, August 28 - Morning Prayer

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

#### ***Week of August 14 - August 20***

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, Janice, and Jerry

**Current prayers:** Rory, Bonnie, Jane, Claudia, Nicole, Carol, Don, Helen, Eileen, Rebecca, Kelly, Sena, Ben, Selma, Gene, Kathy, Josh, and Arne

**For our MCC scholarship recipients:** Ashley, Ciara, Julia, and Yaksi

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Cartoon by Rev. Bill McLemore

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**Questions or concerns?**

Please contact our Senior Warden - Beth Lukas: Gramlukas2@gmail.com

**In need of pastoral care?**

Please contact Rev. Eileen Shanley-Roberts: shanleyroberts@gmail.com

or

Deborah Lang, our Deacon: DeaconDeb@stpaulmchenry.com

**Office Hours**

Tuesday 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

Wednesday 8:30 am - Noon

Thursday 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

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