



St. Paul's Episcopal Church McHenry, IL



May 10, 2023

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

All are welcome!

Centering Prayer at St. Ann's Saturdays 9:30 a.m.

St. Ann's is resuming Centering Prayer on Saturdays at 9:30 a.m. and will also discuss engaging in some different spiritual practices from time to time. Whether or not you've ever participated in Centering Prayer or any other unique practices of prayer, meditation, or wrestling with Scripture, we'd love for you to come. All are welcome! Questions? contact Bette Chwalisz, 815-236-9193.

Coffee and Conversation

On Sundays, we have resumed an old custom of St. Paul's commonly known as Coffee and Conversation. We will use our coffee time together to discuss the lectionary readings for that Sunday. Each week, as we bring our insights, thoughts, and questions to the table, we will go deeper into what the readings have to offer. No worries! No prior theological study is required. God speaks to us all.



Migrant Ministry

Since August 30, 2022, the State of Texas has bused thousands of asylum seekers through private charter buses to Chicago at regular intervals. Many of these new arrivals have walked hundreds of miles, navigating great danger through multiple countries, in pursuit of safety and opportunity in the United States and arrive with little more than the clothes they are wearing. As a people of faith and conscience we are called to serve as a place of welcome, refuge, and healing for those arriving at our doorstep regardless of documentation.

I have reached out to the Episcopal Diocese of Chicago's Sanctuary Task Force, Illinois Community for Displaced Immigrants (ICDI) and Northern Illinois Justice for Our Neighbors (NIJFON) to see how the Episcopal Churches of McHenry County may assist in welcoming our siblings.

If you are interested in learning more about this ministry, please contact me at dnmike@stmarysepiscopalcl.org or at 815-793-9187.

Peace, Deacon Mike Choquette St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Crystal Lake

Midweek Mass to continue until Pentecost

Wednesdays at noon at St. Mary's, Crystal Lake

Because of its popularity during Lent, Fr. Scott will continue the noon Midweek Mass with traditional language through **May 24.** The service will take place at St. Mary's, but all are welcome!

Join us for Ladies Lunch!

Our next outing will be at Cullom Knoll, located at 3018 Hickory Dr. in McCullom Lake, on **Thursday**, **June 1** at 11:30 am. All women are welcome! Hope to see you there!



<u>Sunday Servants - May 14</u>

Reader/usher - Rick Carlstedt Intercessor - Deacon Deborah Lang Vestry Person of the Day - Patrice Braun

St. Paul's Prayer List

Week of May 14 - May 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.

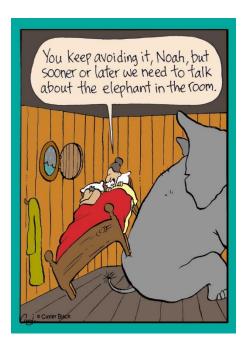
Ongoing prayers: Yasmin, Kay, and Jerry

Current prayers: Rory, Bonnie, Jimmy, Cindy, Todd, Justine, Bobbi, Mike, Patty, Sue,

Colton, Margaret, Pam, and Lenny

For our MCC scholarship recipients: Ashley, Ciara, Yaksi, and Gavin

For those celebrating birthdays: Vincent Linnane (May 17)



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Questions or concerns?

Please contact our church office.

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 Thursday 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

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