

## PARISH PRAYER REQUESTS

Christy, Mathew, Rodney, Nick, Jeanie, Ryan & family, Betsey, Lucas, Anne Marie, Noelle, Mary Lou, Kyle, Shelby, and Becky.	Norma, Ray, David, Trent, Judi, Pat E, Anne, Bob, Carolyn B, James, Angelina, Anne, Matt, Bob, Ally, Matt, Gabe, Jane, and Glen.	Victor, John, Edyth, Lisa, Mark, Diane, Hope, Robert G., Cathy, Frannie, Cheryl, Sophia, Felicia, Craig, Cyndi, Norm, and Ben+.
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*Please select a group of names to pray for and feel free to pray for them at home. Call the parish office if you would like a name to be placed on the prayer list. The names will be removed after three months, unless otherwise notified.*

Pray for the congregations of St. Matthew's, Lisbon and Good Shepherd, Rangeley. Pray for the mission and ministry of Camp Bishopswood, its staff and campers, in the 2018 season. Pray for Andrew, Cedric, Cody, Jason, Anderson, Michael, Richard, and all in the military. Pray for Andrew B., in the Peace Corps.

Diocese of Maine Bishop Search collect:

*God of Grace, we give you thanks for all of the blessings of our common life and ministries as the Episcopal Diocese of Maine, and for our leaders who are guiding us through this season of change. Grant to the Discernment and Transition Committees open hearts, minds, and spirits as they receive the Holy Spirit's gifts of faith, hope, and love to aid their work. We ask also that you send courage and vision to our next bishop of Maine as she or he discerns your call.*

### **THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S**

Check out our website for more details! [www.stpaulsmaine.org](http://www.stpaulsmaine.org)

Also on our website are the instructions for electronic giving. Please consider enrolling for a convenient way to provide consistent financial support to the church.

### **Today, Sunday, June 10**

On the second Sunday every other month the plate offering is designated to the Rector's Discretionary Fund.

A huge thank you to Susan Martens and Abigail Patterson Manny and all who made the Caribbean Carnival possible! It was a fun time for all.

### **This Week**

#### **Blood drive at St. Paul's next Friday, June 15th.**

Call the Red Cross to make your appointment. Walk-ins are also welcome. There is an urgent need for volunteers from St. Paul's to assist with the blood drive. The blood drive will be from 1 pm-6 pm. If you can spare a few hours to help out please call me at 729-7326. Assistance is needed to register donors and to provide refreshments. Thanks for your help. Bill Edman

Please submit your articles for the next edition of *The Messenger* by Friday June 15. They can be emailed to [susantylor@stpaulsmaine.org](mailto:susantylor@stpaulsmaine.org) or dropped off in the church office.

## FUTURE DATES

**Sunday June, 24, 1-2:30 pm.** Newcomer's Brunch. The Rector, The Rev. Carolyn Eklund's house, 43 Spring St., Brunswick, Maine. Sponsored by the Vestry. Please RSVP parish office, [stpauls@stpaulsmaine.org](mailto:stpauls@stpaulsmaine.org) or 725-5342.

### **3rd Annual Summer Music At St. Paul's**



Come to church for a brief 20-30 minute rehearsal at 8:45; then sing the Offertory Anthem at the single 9:30 worship. Please, contact Randy Day if you're planning to participate and let him know what Sundays you have available.

- July 8 Solo or Duet
- July 15 Vestry and Family and Friends  
All available Vestry members, their spouses or significant others, children, and house guests.
- July 22 Solo or Duet
- July 29 Men of St. Paul's  
All males of school age and above
- Aug. 12 Solo or Duet
- Aug. 19 Women of St. Paul's  
All females of school age and above
- Aug. 26 Chamber Ensemble  
A group of mixed voices (soprano, alto, tenor, and bass)
- Sept. 2 Invitational Choir (Labor Day Weekend!)  
Includes those who've sung on any Sunday, continuing choir members, and newcomers to St. Paul's.

For more information contact Randy Day, Music Ministry Director  
[randyday@stpaulsmaine.org](mailto:randyday@stpaulsmaine.org)

## Summer at St. Paul's

Beginning July 1—Sept 2, One service at 9:30 am

July 1 and Aug 5, First Sundays, Life Together, Outdoor Service

## Summer in the Diocese



At Bishopswood, our diocesan camp near Camden

### Adult Retreat

Step away from the busyness of everyday life and be refreshed!

Learn more and register at [www.tinyurl.com/2018MaineRetreat](http://www.tinyurl.com/2018MaineRetreat)

FMI email Jane Hartwell at [jhartwell@episcopalmaine.org](mailto:jhartwell@episcopalmaine.org)

### Summer Finale Camp

For the second year, Maine Episcopalians of all ages are invited to Bishopswood to unplug, relax, grow, play, and enjoy life in God's creation.

Learn more and register at [www.bishopswood.org/finale-week](http://www.bishopswood.org/finale-week)

FMI email Mike Douglass at [mike@bishopswood.org](mailto:mike@bishopswood.org)

Sunday, June 10

8:00 Quiet Eucharist  
9:30 Family Eucharist  
10:30 Eucharist with Choir

Tuesday, June 12

10:00 Holy Stitchers Needlework Group Charla Spann 844-8220  
Noon-1:30 Women's Bible Study Terry Howell 729-9306

Wednesday, June 13

7:30 Men's Group Al Niese 406-2396  
Ted Petterson 729-8472  
1:00 Lay Pastoral Visitors  
7:00 Choir Randy Day 318-5536

Thursday, June 14

11:00 Holy Eucharist  
Noon Intercessory Prayer Group Nancy Hawkins 442-7759  
2:00 Women's Group

Friday, June 15

1-6:00 pm Red Cross Blood Drive

Sunday, June 17

8:00 Quiet Eucharist  
9:30 Family Eucharist  
10:30 Eucharist with Choir