PARISH PRAYER REQUESTS

** 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.

Cameron, Milagre & family, Donald, Laurie, and Darlene	Ralph, Sally, Betsey, Alison,	Anuja & family, Kevin, Kate, Briana, Stellan, Nancy, Marcia, Sonja, Sandy, Izzy, Rick, Carla, and Bob K.
	Courtney, Mary Lou, and Joan	

- Pray for those who have died, remembering especially Bob Jackson, who died last week.
 - Pray for guidance for Good Shepherd and Saint Paul's exploratory committee.
 - Pray for Jason, Anderson, and Cameron and all in the military.

From the Episcopal Diocese of Maine Cycle of Prayers:

- Pray for St. Andrew & St. John, Southwest Harbor, and St. Saviour, Bar Harbor.
 - Pray for the priests of our diocese.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Check out our website for more details! 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.

This Sunday, October 26, The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 Ouiet Eucharist in the Nave

9:00 Non-Traditional Eucharist in the Great Hall

10:30 Eucharist with Music in the Nave

After worship Town Hall Meeting and Fellowship time in the Great Hall

Stewardship/Budget Town Hall Meeting Today

Following 10:30 worship, Dana Baer, St. Paul's Treasurer, will present the details of the 2026 budget and relate it to our Stewardship goal.

Next Sunday, November 2, The Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost Celebrating All Saints' Sunday, Baptism, Special Music from the Choir at 10:30

8:00 Celtic Morning Prayer in the Nave

10:30 Life Together Eucharist with Music in the Nave

After worship Fellowship time in the Great Hall

We will Celebrate All Saints' Sunday on November 2

If you haven't already done so, please email the Parish Office at <u>admin@stpaulsmaine.org</u> today if you have loved ones who died in the past year that you would like remembered.

Join us for **Life Together worship at 10:30 a.m.** for a celebration of All Saints' and All Souls' day. We will start in the Memorial Garden for a Blessing of the Graves <u>and then</u> process to the Nave for worship.

We also invite you to bring photos and mementos of deceased loved ones as we celebrate all the saints who gather with us in worship.

Daylight Saving Time—Remember to turn your clocks back one hour before bed on **Saturday, November 1st!**

Save the Date for the Ordination of The Rev. Myrna Koonce

Saturday, November 15, 10:00 a.m. at St. Luke's Cathedral

Do you need a ride?

We are considering organizing a van so please contact the office to let us know by this Tuesday at noon. Call the office or fill in this form online: stpaulsmaine.breezechms.com/form/November15

Holy Conversations around Holy Dying

Saturdays: November 1 & November 8 at 1:00 p.m. in the Great Hall If you were not able to participate in our previous sessions, you can still participate in the sessions scheduled for November 1st and November 8th at 1:00 p.m. in the Great Hall.

Window Dressers-Thank you

To all who volunteered or donated food for those building window inserts, a BIG thank you! Many neighbors will be warmer this winter thanks to your efforts.

Christmas Fair Preparations Underway. You can help!

Get the basics below and then go to https://stpaulsmaine.org/ and click on the "Christmas Fair" page for all the details.

Donations for Christmas Shop and Jewelry/Small Treasures Shop Sunday mornings, November 2, 9 and 16, 8–12:30 p.m.

Contact Lee Caesar and Bonny Labonte (you can find us in Breeze!) with any questions. If the above collection times don't work for you, we'll make special arrangements.

Calling All Fiber Arts Crafters!

If you are handy with a needle and enjoy making hand-crafted goods, contact Charla Spann or Lee Caesar for more information about drop off or pick up dates and times.

Silent auction donations sought, please help!

The Christmas Fair silent auction depends on the generosity of St. Paul's members and the local business community. Past donations have included trade and professional services, art, antiques, gift baskets, music, meals, adventures and outings, and other wonderful and fun items. If you have an idea or donation, please contact Travis Wiggett or Dana Baer.



Bake Table Contributions Welcome!

Donations may be delivered to the **Quiet Room**, located in the right corner of the main hallway (adjacent to the Great Hall), **anytime on Friday, December 5**, or by **9:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 6**.

Stewardship at St. Paul's



We hope you will feel called to contribute generously to funding our future.

2026 Individual/family Pledges so far: 55 pledges totaling \$195,037 towards our goal of \$485,000

Thank you to all who have made a pledge to St. Paul's for 2026.

Printed pledge cards are available each Sunday and online at https://stpaulsmaine.breezechms.com/form/stewardship2026

Stewardship Ingathering now set for Sunday, November 9th

Thursday Healing Prayer Worship

St. Paul's offers weekly healing prayer worship on Thursdays. **The 3rd Thursdays of each month's worship is in-person** Eucharist in the Great Hall at 12:15 p.m. All other Thursdays are lay-led prayers on Zoom at 11:00 a.m.

Memory Matters Fall Meetings

Next meetings: Thursdays 11/6 and 11/20 from 1:00-2:00 p.m. at St. Paul's in the Old Nursery. As a reminder, we are a peer-to-peer support group for people living with dementia. We use our time together to share some good food, drink tea and talk about the challenges and opportunities that come with living with a progressive illness.

Any questions please reach out to Elizabeth Davis 207-310-4418.

Sacred Ground Circle for St. Paul's and Good Shepherd

This group will use the Episcopal version of the Sacred Ground curriculum - which asks how we find ourselves in our current situation around race in this country, and also explores the spiritual dimension of this issue for us as Christians. It will be a time to connect with others in an open, supportive conversation.

The group will meet roughly one Monday a month starting on November 3rd.

Please email <u>Andrea.H.Lauerman@gmail.com</u> for more information or to register.

<u>Parish Office Hours:</u> 8:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m. Monday—Thursday

To Reach our Staff by Email:

The Rev. Matthew R. Scott, Rector, matthewscott@stpaulsmaine.org
The Rev. Katie Holicky, katieholicky@stpaulsmaine.org
Melissa Carbajal, Parish Administrator, melissacarbajal@stpaulsmaine.org
You may also call the office at (207) 725-5342 during normal office hours.

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9:00 a.m. **Non-Traditional Eucharist** in the Great Hall

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After worship **Town Hall and Fellowship Time** in the Great Hall

Tuesday, October 28

10:00 a.m. **Holy Stitchers** in the Old Nursery

12:30 p.m. **Bible Study** in the Library and on ZOOM (ID: 886 1094 2637, Passcode: 922670)

Wednesday, October 29

8:00 a.m. **Men's Group** (contact Rick Wile at 207-756-0095, Paul Womer at 207-449-7425)

1:00 p.m. **Bible Study** in the Library (contact Pam Nugent at 207-737-2369)

Thursday, October 30

11:00 a.m. **Healing Worship** on ZOOM (ID: 814 7443 6170, Passcode: 828654)

Noon **Prayer Group** on ZOOM (ID: 853 4554 6115, Passcode: 664455)

Sunday, November 2 — The Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 a.m. **Celtic Morning Prayer** in the Nave or join our livestream at

www.stpaulsmaine.org

10:30 a.m. Life Together Eucharist with Baptism and Special Music in the Nave

or join our livestream at www.stpaulsmaine.org

After worship **Fellowship Time** in the Great Hall

*The Livestream of the services in the Nave can be found on our website homepage, <u>www.stpaulsmaine.org</u>

St. Paul's offers a recording of the Sunday 10:30 a.m. service to the public through the Town of Brunswick local access channel 3 and On Demand site. It is a free service.

Here is the link: http://tv3hd.brunswickme.org/CablecastPublicSite/?site=1

Find St. Paul's service and click on it.