

# St. Paul's Episcopal Church

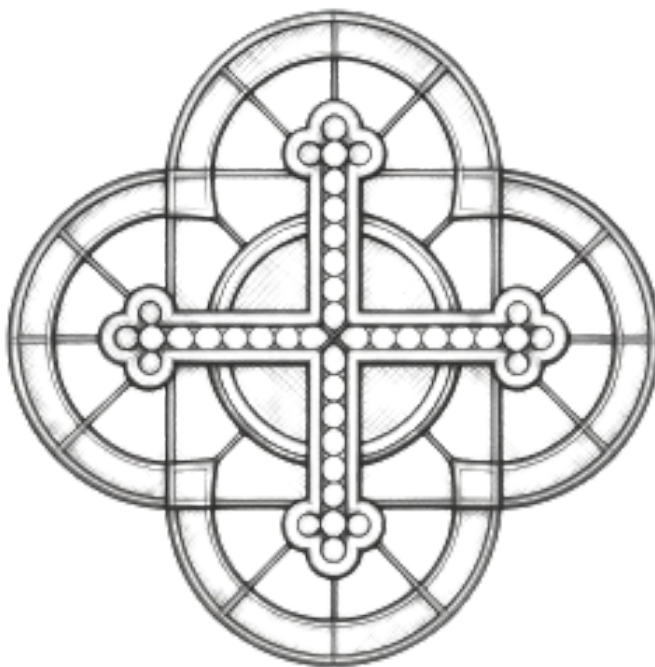
Brunswick, Maine

The Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, August 16, 2026

Holy Eucharist Rite II 8:00 a.m.

A Quiet Eucharist



## St Paul's Territory Acknowledgement

*In accordance with Diocese resolution and approved by Vestry in winter/spring '23*

We acknowledge that we stand on territory that was taken from the Abenaki people of the Wabanaki Confederacy, the people of the Dawnland. May we always remember that the Earth does not belong to us, that we belong to the Earth, and that we are all companions in life. May we learn from our past sins and be instruments of justice and peace for all people in today's world. We ask for inspiration that we might be compelled to take action and support our native neighbors as they continue to seek their sovereignty here in Maine.

Welcome

The Word of God

*Celebrant:* Blessed be God: Creator, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People:* And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

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| GLORIA                               | BCP 356               |
| COLLECT OF THE DAY                   | see Lectionary Insert |
| THE LESSON                           | see Lectionary Insert |
| PSALM                                | see Lectionary Insert |
| THE EPISTLE                          | see Lectionary Insert |
| THE GOSPEL                           | see Lectionary Insert |
| SERMON                               |                       |
| THE NICENE CREED ( <i>standing</i> ) | BCP 358               |
| PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE                |                       |
| CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION            | BCP 360               |
| THE PEACE                            | BCP 360               |
| WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS            |                       |
| THE OFFERING                         |                       |
| THE COMMUNION EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A   | BCP 361               |
| THE LORD'S PRAYER                    | BCP 362               |
| POST COMMUNION PRAYER                | BCP 365               |
| BLESSING                             |                       |
| DISMISSAL                            |                       |

*BCP refers to the red Book of Common Prayer*



| Ministries            | 8:00 a.m.                                                                                                 | 9:30 a.m.                                                                    |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Celebrant             | The Rev. Matthew Scott                                                                                    | The Rev. Matthew Scott and<br>The Rev. Katie Holicky                         |
| Preacher              | The Rev. Matthew Scott                                                                                    | The Rev. Matthew Scott                                                       |
| Eucharistic Ministers | Dana Baer                                                                                                 | Lois Kwantz and<br>Cliff Ruprecht                                            |
| Lectors               | Pat Young 1 <sup>st</sup> Lesson<br>Pat Young Ps.<br>George Young 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lesson<br>Dana Baer Pr. | Intergenerational Reader 1st Lesson<br>Phil Studwell Ps.<br>Jerome Brown Pr. |
| Music                 |                                                                                                           | Susan Brown                                                                  |
| Greeter               |                                                                                                           | Ariel Elwell                                                                 |
| Ushers                | Rebecca and Joel Wegner                                                                                   | Jerome Brown and<br>Phil Studwell                                            |
| Acolyte               | Bill Edman                                                                                                | George Walter                                                                |
| Altar Guild           | Bonny Labonte and Leslie Walter                                                                           |                                                                              |
| Fellowship Host       |                                                                                                           |                                                                              |

The Diocese of Maine, The Rt. Rev. Thomas James Brown, Bishop

#### St. Paul's Staff and Vestry

The Rev. Dr. Matthew R. Scott, Rector  
The Rev. Katie Holicky, Associate Rector

Melissa Carbajal  
Lead Administrator

Patsy Oehl  
Senior Warden

Andrea Lauerman  
Sacred Ground Coordinator

Sunshine Spaulding  
Administrative Assistant

Nancy King  
Junior Warden

Amy Webb-Prosser  
Organist/Accompanist

#### Vestry

Term ending 2027 — Michael Anne Banks, Jonathan Bolton, Mike Sullivan  
Term ending 2028 — Roger Barras, Michael Turner, John Bilodeau  
Term ending 2029 — Dieuwke Zolas, Leslie Walter, and Elizabeth Davis