

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.

Christy, Ryan & family, John, Bob, Kathy, Skip, the Blackburn family, Lollie, Elizabeth, Lynda, Teresa and family, Betty, Nancy B., Sandy, and Meghan

Victor, Nate, Priscilla, Garrett, Elliot, David, Donald, Matthew, Ray, Diane, Carolyn B, Dorain, Ada, Nancy and Dave, Ralph, Dick, and Sarah Faith

Sarah, Susan H., Lynn, Brittany, Mark, Tom, Monica, Bill M, Adam and family, Pat, Jim B., E. Cragin, and Joanne T.

- ◆ Pray for St. Giles', Jefferson and for Saint Mary's, Falmouth
- ◆ Pray for postulants and candidates for Holy Orders in the Diocese of Maine.
- ◆ Pray for Jason, Anderson, Cedric, Michael, Richard, Peter, Wolf and Cameron and all in the military.
- ◆ Pray for those who have died, remembering especially David T. McCabe, brother of Michael McCabe, who died this week.

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, May 14— The Sixth Sunday of Easter

- 8:00 Quiet Eucharist in the Nave
- 9:00 Non-Traditional Eucharist in the Great Hall & on Zoom
- After worship Family Group
- 10:30 Choral Eucharist in the Nave
- After worship Fellowship time in the Great Hall
- Noon Youth Group

Mother's Day Greeting — The community of St. Paul's offers our love and affection to all who are worshiping with us this morning. To celebrate Mother's Day today we invite you to offer your gift of love to the people that have nurtured you, cared for you and cherished you, for Jesus said, "Love one another as I have loved you."

Next Sunday, May 21— The Seventh Sunday of Easter

- 8:00 Quiet Eucharist in the Nave *
- 9:00 Non-Traditional Eucharist in the Great Hall & on Zoom *
- After worship Family Group
- 10:30 Choral Eucharist in the Nave *
- After worship Fellowship time in the Great Hall

*** Clergy Commissioning for Rev. Katie Holicky at all services**

The Live Stream of the services in the Nave can be found on our website homepage, www.stpaulsmaine.org

Healing Prayers on 1st and 3rd Sundays: The St. Paul's Healing Prayer Team offers laying on of hands and anointing during the 10:30 service. If you wish healing prayer, come to the back of the church (near the Pleasant Street entrance) right after you receive Holy Communion.

Sunday WiFi Policy: To help in live stream connectivity, please disconnect from all St. Paul's wifi or put your phone on airplane mode. Thank you!

Ascension Day—Thursday, May 18th
11:00 a.m. Healing Eucharist in the Great Hall & on Zoom

Pentecost Sunday—May 28TH

We will celebrate the power of Christ's Spirit at all three services of Holy Eucharist. **Wear the color red** and join us for this spirited day of joy! **It's a great day for baptism. If you or a loved one wish to be baptized into Christ's body the Church, contact the rector or assistant rector.**

Sunday, June 4th we will recognize and thank **Jean Mulligan and Susan McCracken** as they retire from leading the Lay Pastoral Visitor Ministry.

During the month of May St. Paul's will host our neighbors who live in 65 Union Street while the first floor of the home is being renovated due to pipes bursting in the winter. The family will be cooking in the kitchen and using the nursery as their dining room. We welcome Milagre, Arlindo and family. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Whitehouse (nancyw797@gmail.com) or Tobey Lee, Hospitality Co-chairs.

Save a Life—Train on Use of our AED (Defibrillator)

St. Paul's is sponsoring training for volunteers to learn how to use our AED (Defibrillator). A minimum of 10 volunteers are needed for the class. CPR training will also be given. This class will take about 3 hours and cost \$50.00. Scholarships will be available. Contact the parish office if you are interested and we will contact you when we have a Saturday date.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A ST. PAUL'S DEMENTIA SUPPORT GATHERING
Sunday, June 11, St. Paul's Library
After 10:30 am Choral Eucharist (11:45)

This will be a follow-up gathering to gauge interest in starting a group that supports one another as we travel this path in faith.

LARGE PRINT WORSHIP BOOKLETS

Please ask the ushers for a large print worship booklet if you need one. PLEASE be sure to let us know what you think about your experience with the booklets by emailing carolyneklund@stpaulsmaine.org I would love to hear from you.

Parish Office Hours:
8:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m. Monday—Friday
Parish Office Closed on Monday, May 29th for Memorial Day

St. Paul's Yard Sale, June 3rd from 8—2 in the Memorial Garden

Outreach proceeds to help Brunswick Town GOFUNDME support of six New Mainer families. **Sign up on the bulletin board in the Great Hall to volunteer.** Please set aside items and contact Nancy Johnson for donations. 978-387-6058, johnsonne2@hotmail.com.



Camp Bishopswood Weekend Open House, June 2 – June 4

This is a great time for families to come and spend one or two nights and experience camp with their children. This weekend, highly recommended for kids attending Mini Camp or for first-time campers, is a great opportunity for campers to learn the routines and try some of the fun activities, all with the comfort of their families. Learn more at <https://bishopswood.org/open-house-weekend/>

Registration is open for Community Change Inc's Confronting White Supremacy virtual Symposium on Saturday May 20th, 2023 from 10am - 2pm.

Here are some of the **speakers and workshops:**

- Muslim Justice League's executive director, Fatema Ahmad
- local award-winning investigative journalist, Phillip Martin
- professor and antifascist community organizer, Mimi Arbeit
- SURJ Director of Political Education, Hilary Moore

For more information and to register visit Community Change Inc's website at <https://communitychangeinc.org/> and go to the Events page.

Tedford Housing Expanded Emergency Housing Project Update

Tedford Housing, Inc. has recently purchased property on Thomas Point Road near Wal Mart and is developing plans for an expanded building that will house 64 people including families in apartments and social services on site. I serve on the board and am aware that I serve in the shadow of many people from St. Paul's who volunteer regularly to support Tedford Housing. St. Paul's members have served on the board as well, Andree Appel, President, and the Rev. Dan Warren. St. Paul's gives generously from proceeds of the Christmas Fair every year and was one of the founders. FMI contact me or visit <https://tedfordhousing.org/newbuilding/>

We give thanks to an anonymous donor who named one of the Adult Shelter rooms for St. Paul's Church.



Current COVID Safety Guidelines

Masking is strongly encouraged, not required. We will continue to keep masks on hand for those who would like one. If you are feeling unwell, please stay home and join us via Live Stream or Zoom.

See the St. Paul's email to join any of the Zoom meetings with one click.

Sunday, May 14—Sixth Sunday of Easter

- 8:00 a.m. **Quiet Eucharist** in the Nave or join our live stream at www.stpaulsmaine.org
- 9:00 a.m. **Non-Traditional Worship** in the Great Hall and on Zoom
(ID: 966 1711 1762, Passcode: 828473)
- 9:00 a.m. **Choir Practice**
- 10:30 a.m. **Choral Eucharist** in the Nave or join our live stream at www.stpaulsmaine.org
- After worship **Fellowship time** in the Great Hall
- Noon **Youth Group**

Tuesday, May 16

- 10:00 a.m. **Holy Stitches** in the Great Hall and on ZOOM
(ID: 864 0983 3360, Passcode: 234199)
- 12:30 p.m. **Women's Bible Study** in the Library and on ZOOM
(ID: 812 9714 3262 Passcode: 365571)

Wednesday, May 17

- 8:00 a.m. **Men's Group** (Contact Rick Wile at 756-0095)
- 1:00 p.m. **Bible Study** in the Library

Thursday, May 18—Ascension Day

- 11:00 a.m. **Ascension Day Healing Service in the Great Hall and on ZOOM**
ID: 844 7491 3273, Passcode: 151904
- Noon **Prayer Group on ZOOM** (ID: 813 6491 4581 Passcode: 345489)
- 4:00 p.m. **Spiritual Writing Group** on ZOOM
- 6:30 p.m. **Finance Committee Meeting** on ZOOM

Sunday, May 21—Seventh Sunday of Easter

- 8:00 a.m. **Quiet Eucharist** in the Nave or join our live stream at www.stpaulsmaine.org
- 9:00 a.m. **Non-Traditional Worship** in the Great Hall and on Zoom
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- At all services **Clergy Commissioning for Rev. Katie Holicky at all services**