

Sunday Bulletin

Parish Prayer
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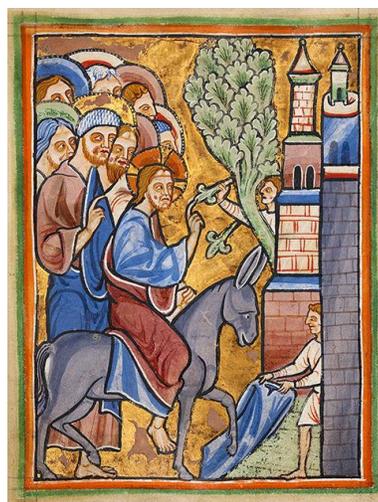
Give Online

Today, April 1, 2020

The Sunday of the Passion,
Palm Sunday, April 5, 2020.

10:00 am: Morning Prayer, Rite II

Image: Entry into Jerusalem, manuscript illumination, Circa 1190-1200. Collection of the Getty Museum, Los Angeles.



Evening Prayer Wednesday

Join us on [Facebook](#) live at 6:10 for healing prayer, a reflection and music. We are commemorating John Donne, who is now best known as a poet, but in Jacobean England he was most famous for the powerful oratory of his sermons, and for his public role as Dean of St Paul's Cathedral in London.

Join the Palm Sunday Procession!

While we can't gather in person for our usual Palm Sunday Procession, thanks to creative minds in the Diocese of Oregon, Episcopalians from across the state can participate in a virtual parade! Follow this [link](#) for simple instructions on how to submit a video clip to be edited into a presentation the diocese will release on Palm Sunday. The catch? The deadline is **TOMORROW, April 2, 2020**. We hope to see you there!

Sunday Service

Join us for our Sunday service at 10:00 am on Facebook live and on our YouTube channel. A link to our bulletin is at the top of this email.

St. Paul's Facebook

St. Paul's YouTube

HOLY WEEK



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Please note the dates listed in this E-Board are correct, but unfortunately not in the letter that you will be receiving by mail this week. As our team is working through this crisis, many remotely at home, we appreciate your grace as we encounter the occasional error or oversight.

Sunday, April 5, Palm Sunday

10:00 am Online Sung Morning Prayer, Rite II
12:00 pm **Zoom Coffee Hour**

Thursday, April 9, Maundy Thursday

7:00 pm Online Reflection with music

Friday, April 10, Good Friday

7:00 pm Online Reflection with music

Saturday, April 11, Holy Saturday

7:00 pm Online Diocesan Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 12, Easter Sunday

10:00 am Online Sung Morning Prayer, Rite II
12:00 pm **Zoom Coffee Hour**

Easter Offering!

You will be receiving Mother Anne's Easter letter soon. You will find an offering envelope that you can seal with water (no licking) or go to our website and [GIVE ONLINE](#).

St. Paul's Zoom Coffee Hour

St. Paul's Church is inviting you to Coffee Social Hour Zoom meetings.

- April 5, 2020 12:00 pm
- April 12, 2020 12:00 pm

Join in at any time for any amount of time to say hello and connect. Check your E-Board for a link or watch for more information about joining the Zoom meeting in the coming week.



Worship Resources

Please click the below blue links to access worship resources:

[Daily Prayer](#)

This site offers the daily selections from Forward Day by Day, a liturgical calendar, and more resources to strengthen your faith and heart.

[Episcopal Church Prayer Wall](#)

Pray with us. Pray along with our community... or submit your own.

[Faith at Home](#)

A year-round weekly email that will include four separate lectionary-based reflections and prompts for families (however that is defined) and friend groups.

[The Book of Common Prayer](#)

The Book of Common Prayer is a treasure chest full of devotional and teaching resources for individuals and congregations, but it is also the primary symbol of our unity, as Armentrout and Slocum note in their An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church, that "Anglican liturgical piety has been rooted in the Prayer Book tradition since the publication of the first English Prayer Book in 1549."



Grab and Go

Please contact Fr. Andy.

Right now, we have a "Grab and Go" in the office entry for supplies you might need.

- **Toilet paper** (one roll at a time, please)
- Individual hand sanitizer (approximately 6 available)
- **Frozen meals** (vegetarian and meat-based) Shauna has prepared about 40 meals that are ready now, and will be cooking more to freeze..... 13 vegetarian pasta bakes, 8 roasted garlic chicken w/



broccoli & rice, 14 Indian butter chicken w/ green beans & rice, 4 smaller butter chicken w/ rice, 4 butter chicken sauces (to make your own at home, this is vegetarian without adding the chicken) 4 marinara sauce (vegetarian)

- **Prayer shawls** made by our Knit, Pray, Crochet ministry.
- **The food bank donation cart** is at the office entrance near the grab and go. Especially welcome would be spaghetti noodles and sauce.

Evensong :

The May Dudley Memorial Organ Concert scheduled for April 5th at St. Paul's **has been postponed**. Organist, Zachary Duell is looking forward to playing his recital at a future date yet to be determined.



Holy Week @ Home

This year our observation of Holy Week will look a bit different. If you are looking for ways to make Holy Week special for yourself and your family, Church Publishing Inc. has compiled a wonderful collection of resources to help. [Holy Week Resources for Families](#) includes prayers and reflections, coloring sheets, recipes and stories for each day during Holy Week. Click the link for a free download and look for daily posts on the St. Paul's Facebook page.

Talking to Your Kids About COVID-19

This is a great resource for helping the little ones in your life manage the stress and anxiety they may be feeling as a result of the COVID-19 crisis. Cheri Lovre, the director of the Crisis Management Institute, is a former St. Paul's parishioner. Visit <https://parents.cmionline.com/> for this and other useful resources.

FAITH @ HOME

Faith at Home

In response to COVID-19 [Faith-at-Home](#) now has daily offerings on ways we can Read, Listen, Watch, Do, and Pray as we do faith at home. Check out the first edition [here](#) and subscribe on their website to have each new day sent straight to

your inbox!

Children's Bulletins

Since we can't offer our youngest parishioners the usual activity bags to engage with scripture while you worship with us (or another one of our branch offices!) each Sunday morning, here are links to the children's bulletins that are always included.

- [Ages 3-6 Jesus is Crucified](#)
- [Ages 7-11 Jesus is Crucified](#)

There is a secret code on the front cover page that is unique to our church and allows SAFE and secure access to online games that reinforce the message for the week. You can continue Bible learning and discussion at home - while protecting children from the hazards of general Internet game sites. Several games are rotated - Memory Match, Word Search, Gems of the Bible and Coloring Book - so each week kids will have something new to play. The games are geared toward all age levels so everyone can join in the fun!

Step 1: Print the age appropriate bulletin with a secret code on the front.

Step 2: Enter the secret code at Games.ChildrensBulletins.com

Step 3: Pick a game and play!

Godly Play

We miss you! Seeing the faces of all the St. Paul's children is one of the things most missed while we are unable to gather together in person. (We miss their grown-ups too.)

Each Sunday morning at 11:30 am we'll gather via Zoom for story-time, wondering and checking in with each other. Check your E-Board for a link to use on Sunday morning to join us for Godly Play. This Parent Page goes along with the [Faces of Easter VII](#) to continue the conversation with your family at home. See you soon!

St. Paul's Youth

You are LOVED! We may not be able to meet in person but Father Andy and Amy Goerger would love to see your faces and check-in. Can you handle one...more...zoom....meeting?? Check your E-Board Sunday afternoons at 4:00 pm. Follow us at SPYgram1444 on Instagram for more info.

Announcements

Food Bank Donation Updates

St. Paul's has been a long-time proud supporter of the Marion-Polk Food Share program. Unfortunately, because our building is closed for the time being, we are unable to accept donations at the parish until further notice. However, you can take donations directly to their site at [1660 Salem Industrial Drive, NE](#), Monday-Friday between 8:30-4:30. Especially in this time of increased economic anxiety for many families, your generosity is needed and appreciated.

St. Paul's Business As Usual?

St. Paul's is doing what is the new "norm" for business as usual. Mail is being forwarded and bills and offerings are being taken care of. If you have any questions, please call Kati at 503-269-5644 or email katiarp@stpaulsoregon.org.

You Are Not Alone!

We are establishing a "Phone Tree" to connect us. You will get a call from one of our Vestry members soon to check on your well-being and to pray with you. If you would like to make some calls to others, please email the church and let us know: stpauls@stpaulsoregon.org.

Building

The building is closed to all meetings, consistent with Governor Brown's guidelines. We have essential staff on campus, and are maintaining safety protocols of distance and hygiene. Employees who can are working from home.

Zoom

Zoom online conferencing will be a great way for us to see each other and connect through the computer. We are in process of getting information to our committees and ministry groups about how to schedule meetings and share links to access them.

The Word

The Word is on hiatus. We'll be putting all of our effort into regular email communication and social media.

Ponchos and Tarps Drive

For our homeless neighbors trying to find shelter during this rainy season. Only gently used or new items, please. Many may already have these sitting in their garages or sheds, just waiting to be used. Please call Brenda Hux @ 503-559-7287 for pick up, or bring to the Salem Leadership Foundation if before March 19th (Address: 1300 Broadway St NE, Ste 409, Salem, OR 97301, Phone: 503-315-8924).

This Week's Birthdays

APRIL 2

Oliver Watson

APRIL 5

Pat J. Doran Wright

APRIL 4

Susan Clark

Amy Goerger

Irena Preppernau

Lena Desiree Prine

CONTACTING ST. PAUL'S CLERGY: Clergy can be reached by phone or email. If you need their contact information, call the St. Paul's office between 9 am - 4 pm, Monday through Thursday, 503-362-3661. Leave a message and we'll respond as soon as we can. You can also reply to this email and we'll let them know.

SUBMISSIONS: If you have an announcement for the weekly email or bulletin, please send text to stpauls@stpaulsoregon.org by **Wednesday at 10 am** for it to be included in that week's edition.

ONLINE PRAYER REQUEST FORM: [We have an online prayer request form available on our website.](#) You can click the link above to submit a name. You can also navigate to that page by visiting stpaulsoregon.org and click "Church Forms" on the homepage, then click Prayer List Request.

