

Sunday Bulletin

Parish Prayer
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Today, August 12, 2020

The Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost, August 16, 2020

10:00 a.m: Morning Prayer, Rite II

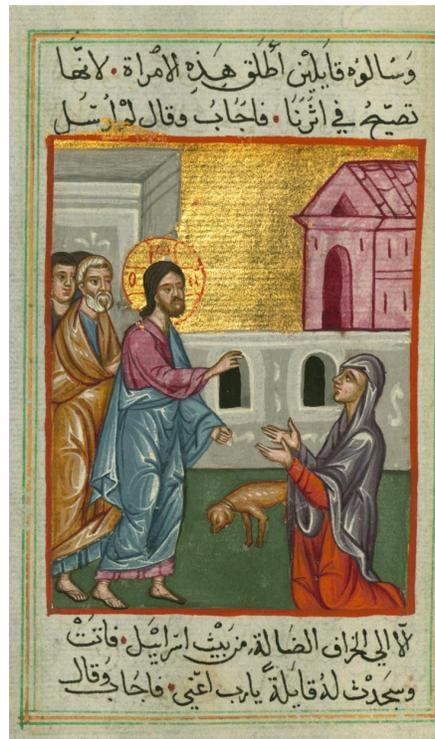


Image: The Canaanite Woman asks for healing for her daughter, Ilyas Basim Khuri Bazzi Rahib, illuminated manuscript, 1684. Naskh is the caligraphic style for writing in the Arabic alphabet that the biblical text is written in for this manuscript. The artist was an Egyptian scribe, and most likely a Coptic monk, in late 17th century Egypt. Collection of the Walters Art Museum, Baltimore.

Sunday Service

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

St. Paul's Facebook

St. Paul's YouTube

Messages from St. Paul's

Music Ministry Messages

Mark Kavanagh is a member of the Trinity Choir at St. Paul's. He has gone further into his role as Music Minister, by serving as Virtual Choir Manager. This video gives a "behind the scenes" look at how he builds a St. Paul's virtual choir so that you can hear multiple singers at one time on your computer. The video is available [here](#).

Zoom Coffee Hour

St. Paul's Church is inviting you to the Coffee Social Hour Zoom meeting. No coffee class will be held this week, but please join in at any time, for any amount of time, to say hello and connect during the coffee social hour this weekend.

- August 16, 2020, at 12:00 p.m.



Bishop Candidate Walkabout at St. Paul's

The finalist candidates to become our next Bishop were interviewed at St. Paul's today by the Search Committee from several surveys of the Diocese. Please share your thoughts or questions with our voting delegates:

Mother Anne+
Father Andy+
Toni Phipps
Mary Forner

Martin Loring
Ray Phipps
Myrrh Beirne
Sue Dauer

Alternate delegates are: Gary Forner and Roy Bryan. Please pray for our candidates, and our Diocese.

Wednesday Community Dinners

The next Wednesday Community Dinner is August 19. The menu is Baked Rigatoni (Vegetarian). If you would like to order, please complete an order form [here](#) by Monday, August 17th at 11:59 p.m. to help us plan accordingly.

St. Paul's Apparel Has Arrived!

Thank you to everyone who placed an order for a St. Paul's t-shirt or hoodie (or both!). Orders may be picked up from the church office or delivered to your home. Please contact Kati to arrange a pick up time from the office or Amy at amygoerger@stpaulsoregon.org to arrange for delivery. If you missed out placing an order this time around, you may be in luck.

We have extras in a few sizes of both t-shirt and hoodie. Contact Amy to see what is in stock or to place your order for the next round.

Keeping Pledges Current

The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted nearly every routine, but we here at St. Paul's remain committed to our mission and are striving to be resourceful, creative, and steady in our proclamation of the Gospel and caring for our community. Although the building remains closed, our ministry continues and depends on your support. Contributions can be mailed to the church at 1444 Liberty St SE, Salem 97302, or you can donate online by visiting www.stpaulsoregon.org today.

September Evensong Concert

The rescheduled May Dudley Memorial Organ concert will be played by Salem native, Zachary Duell on September 13, 2020 at 4 p.m. The concert will be live-streamed on St. Paul's YouTube channel. He recently completed the masters degree in organ performance at the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, New York where he studied with Nathan Laube. Zachary grew up at St. Paul's, attended Sprague High School and Willamette University. A former student of Paul Klemme, Zachary is now completing his tenure as Director of Music/Organist at Our Lady of Victory/St. Joseph's church in Rochester. Mr. Duell will play solo works for the organ by Dietrich Buxtehude, J. S. Bach, Jehan Alain and Maurice Duruflé.



Celebrating the Ministry of Bishop Michael & Marla Hanley

You are invited to celebrate the ministry of Bishop Michael and Marla Hanley! Mark your calendar for the place, date, and one-hour time slot most convenient for you, then contact Terri Hoffmann thoffmann@web-ster.com or 503-982-4825 to reserve your spot! Reservations will be limited to 25-40 people and accepted in the order received.

Sept. 6, St. Francis of Assisi, Wilsonville, 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

Sept. 13, St. Mark, Medford, 2 p.m.-5 p.m.

Sept. 17, The Bishop's Close, Lake Oswego, 3 p.m.-7 p.m.

If you would like to contribute funds to the Bishop's Purse or wine or other beverage to the Hanley's new wine cooler, you can do that at a party (above), through the Diocesan Office, or through St. Paul's [online giving](#) (please select Bishop's Fund in the drop-down menu).

Children and Youth

FAITH HOME

Faith at Home

[Faith-at-Home](#) continues to release a weekly lectionary-based devotion on Wednesdays. Check out the offerings and subscribe [here](#).

St. Paul's Children's Ministry

Summer of Saints

This summer, during our Sunday morning Children's Ministry Online gatherings, we will be learning about some of the great saints of God. These saints have much to teach us about living lives in faithfulness to God, even and especially, during hard and difficult times. Join us as we celebrate the saints of history and not-so-long-ago as well!

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.) Come say hi, friends! We miss you and want to know how YOU are and what you're doing while we're all staying home and staying safe. All are welcome! This Zoom is not just for the Godly Play class. It is a wonderful way for ALL the children of St. Paul's (and friends) to stay connected while we gather together-apart.

Thank you for your feedback on how we should continue to gather over the next few months. We will continue to check in and keep you up-to-date on our meetings as information is changing rapidly.

St. Paul's Youth

SPY will be breaking from our regular weekly meetings for the summer months. Don't worry. We are still here and available! Look for updates for special events over the summer here and on Instagram. Contact Amy Goerger amygoerger@stpaulsoregon.org with any questions or for more information.

YMT 2020

The Diocesan Youth Commission announced today they have made the difficult decision to cancel YMT 2020. Those who have already registered to participate will receive a full refund. More information is available on the [YMT 2020 page](#).

Children's Bulletins

Here are some fun ways for children to engage with the scripture readings each week. The bulletins may be printed off and games accessed online.

- [Ages 3-6 A Woman's Faith](#)
- [Ages 7+ A Woman's Faith](#)

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 to reinforce the message for the week. 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!



St. Paul's EfM Study Group Registration Open

Do you have questions about your faith?

Join a group of parishioners as they read and study using the Education for Ministry study program developed by The University of the South, School of Theology.

- Learn how to articulate your faith
- Learn how to shape your faith into action
- Gain the confidence to take on outreach that is meaningful to you
- You can make a difference

Contact [Mary Forner](#) or 503-363-0551 with questions or to register. The deadline to register for this upcoming study group is August 31.

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 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Especially in this time of increased economic anxiety for many families, your generosity is needed and appreciated.

Get "Forward Day by Day" at Home!

Forward Day by Day is a daily devotional resource much loved by Episcopalians and widely available in parishes across the country. Each page contains a reflection by guest writers based on the Bible readings for every day of the year. But if recent closures and uncertain re-opening timelines have you wondering how to get your next edition, never fear! You can subscribe and have the quarterly issues delivered directly to your home. Large-print, Spanish, and e-Book editions are available. Or, you can sign up for free daily emails! Visit [Forward Movement](#) and order your preferred version today!

This Week's Birthdays

AUGUST 13

Benjamin Espana
Mary Milbrath
Ramona Morris

AUGUST 16

Alex Giovanoni
Bob Morris
Abiane Stroebel

AUGUST 14

Gwendolyn Gage
Madi Kenyon
Ava Miekle

AUGUST 18

Douglas Carney
Daniel Hoagland

AUGUST 15

Leah Rife

AUGUST 19

Olivia Curry
Colton Klobes

Pledge Now

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 a.m. - 4 p.m., 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 a text to stpauls@stpaulsoregon.org by **Wednesday at 10 a.m.** for it to be included in the 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.

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