



The Sunday of the Resurrection - Easter: April 12, 2020

Welcome to St. Paul's Episcopal Church!

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Office Hours: Tuesday - Thursday 8am - 2pm

Lay Ministry

10:30 AM OLD TESTAMENT AND PSALM LECTOR

04/12: ROBB HORN

04/19: CJ CATHEY

NEW TESTAMENT LECTOR / LEM

04/12: CJ CATHEY

04/19: SUZANNE TAYLOR

ACOLYTES

04/12: JEFF FAUNCE

04/19: JEFF FAUNCE

ALTAR GUILD

04/12: BETH LACHNITT, MIKE LAVIGNE

04/19: GAIL ROLSTON, LAURA FUNK

VESTRY PERSON OF THE DAY

04/12: STEVE RAMSEY, MIKE LAVIGNE

04/19: JOE BLEIER, DANA MEDFORD

CIRCLE OF CARE (WEEKLY)

04/12: ELAINE HODGE, BILL SHADDOX

04/19: MIKE LAVIGNE, SUZANNE TAYLOR

INTERCESSORY PRAYER (WEEKLY)

04/12: ELIZABETH PORTER

04/19: MARIE AUGHTRY, NANCY WYANT

Service Times

SUNDAY

10:30 AM HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

WEDNESDAY

Noon NOONDAY PRAYERS

Morsel for Meditation

Palm Sunday by Malcolm Guite

We ask our daily bread, and God never says you should have come yesterday, he never says you must again to-morrow, but to-day if you will hear his voice, to-day he will hear you... He brought light out of darkness, not out of a lesser light, and he can bring thee summer out of winter, though thou hast no spring. Though in the ways of fortune, understanding, or conscience thou hast been benighted till now, wintered and frozen, clouded and eclipsed, damped and benumbed, smothered and stupefied, now God comes to thee, not as the dawning of the day, not as the bud of the spring, but as the sun at noon, to illustrate all shadows, as the sheaves in harvest, to fill all penuries, all occasions invite his mercies, and all times are his seasons.

John Donne, *Sermons* (John W. Parker, 1839), 25. Emphasis original.

Jesus Christ, *Head of the Church*

The Rt. Rev. Dr. George R. Sumner, *Bishop*

The Rev. Dr. Nicholas Funk, *Rector*

The Rev. Gordon Miltenberger, *Assisting Priest*

David Gish, *Music Director*

John Shasteen, *Organist*

Angela Dryer, *Parish Administrator*

Order of Worship

10:30 — HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

Prelude

Lighting of the Paschal Candle BCP 285

Processional Hymn **H #191**

*Alleluia, alleluia! Hearts and voices
heavenward raise (Lux eoi)*

Opening Sentence. BCP 355

Collect for Purity BCP 355

Summary of the Law BCP 351

Trisagion **H #S101**

Collect. BCP 357

The Lessons

First Reading Acts 10:34-43

Psalm Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

Epistle Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel Hymn **H #180**

He is risen, he is risen! (Unser Herrscher)

Gospel John 20:1-18

Sermon The Rev. Dr. Nicholas Funk

Renewal of Baptismal Vows BCP 292

Prayers of the People - Form I BCP 383

The Confession. BCP 360

The Peace. BCP 360

Announcements

Holy Communion

Offertory **H #208**

The strife is o'er, the battle done (Victory)

Offertory Anthem **A3 #221**

Doxology (Old 100th)

The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer D. . . BCP 372

Sanctus BCP 373

The Lord's Prayer BCP 364

Agnus Dei BCP 407

The Presentation BCP 362

Communion Hymns

Holy Ground. A3 #117

Shout to the Lord A3 #143

Post Communion Prayer BCP 365

The Blessing & Dismissal BCP 366

Recessional Hymn. **H #207**

Jesus Christ is risen today (Easter Hymn)

BCP = Book of Common Prayer (black)

H= Hymnbook (red)

A3 = Alleluia III (yellow)

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion.

Pray for the Church, the Body of Christ

Please pray for those on our prayer list this week: Wes Archer, Judy Shaddox, Chris Bynum, Lily Stipe, Chris Wiltz, Allen Clegg Sr., The Clegg Family, Jo Dodson, Elaine Hodge, Beverly Gish, Cyndi Sehr, Faye Hamann, Dana Medford, Bob Lanier, Alice Cooney, Wayne and Lillian McHenry, Eileen Jenkins, Father Gordon, Dolores Miltenberger, Dru Ann Jamison, Mike Lavigne, and Paula Reeves. We also pray for our Daughters of the King Ministry as they bring their strength and service together by praying for friends and for the people.

Contact our church office to add a name to our prayer list: 903-455-5030.

Highlights/Announcements

- Per the directive of Bishop Sumner, the St. Paul's Church office is closed for the foreseeable future. Angela Dryer, our Parish Administrator, will check the office voicemail and email daily and respond to any messages.

Upcoming Events

- 04/12: Sunday - Tune in to the Church's Facebook Live or YouTube at 10:30am for the Easter Sunday morning service
- 04/12: Sunday - Virtual Coffee Hour following the morning service via Zoom
- 04/15: Wednesday - Noonday prayer at Noon via Zoom (also posted live on the Parish's Facebook page)
- 04/15: ***Wednesday - 8am & 6pm - Tune in to GEUS community Channel 34 for a broadcast of the previous Sunday's service at St. Paul's - a weekly event!***
- 04/17: Friday - Interactive Bible study via Zoom at 8:00am
- 04/19: Sunday - Tune in to the Church's Facebook Live or YouTube at 10:30am for the morning service
- 04/19: Sunday - Virtual Coffee Hour following the morning service via Zoom

To Join Zoom Meetings, use the following information:

Website: <https://zoom.us/j/9037772020>

Meeting ID: 903 777 2020

Password: 7777777

One tap mobile: +13462487799,,9037772020#

Dial by your location: +1 346 248 7799

Stewardship Today

Today, we gather to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ. We have sung wonderful hymns that speak of our praise, adoration, and joy! But in reality, every Sunday in the Christian Church is an Easter Sunday, because we remember Christ's resurrection each week. I Thank You for your generous weekly offerings, your stewardship of your time, your ability, and your money. They make it possible for St. Paul's to be able to preach the Easter message every day.

One Minute Stewardship Sermons, by The Rev. Charles Cloughen, Jr.

Frank McKee- Stewardship Committee Chair

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April 5 - Offering: \$1,900.00