



## The CLOD & the PEBBLE

Love seeketh not itself to please,  
Nor for itself hath any cure;  
But for another gives its ease,  
And builds a Heaven in Hell's despair.

So sang a little Clod of Clay,  
Trodden with the cattle's feet;  
But a Pebble of the brook,  
Warbled out these merry notes.

Love seeketh only Self to please,  
To bind another to his delight;  
Joy's in another's loss of ease,  
And builds a Hell in Heavens despite.

# Welcome to St. Paul's Episcopal Church!

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## Lay Ministry

### **8:00 AM LECTOR/LEM**

10/31: DAVID CLEGG

11/07: DAVID CLEGG

### **10:30 AM LECTOR**

10/31: DAVID STIPE

11/07: JOHN STACHNIAK

### **ACOLYTES**

10/31: MATT WOLFF

11/07: BOB BIRD

### **ALTAR GUILD**

10/31: LAURA FUNK, GEORGIANNA HARRISON,  
GAIL ROLSTON

### **VESTRY PERSON OF THE DAY**

10/31: ELIZABETH PORTER, MARIE AUGHTRY

11/07: FRANK MCKEE, JEFF FAUNCE

### **INTERCESSORY PRAYER (WEEKLY)**

10/31: SUZANNE TAYLOR

11/07: ELIZABETH PORTER

## Service Times

### **SUNDAY**

8:00AM . . . . . HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I

10:15AM to 12:00PM . . . NURSERY OPEN

10:30AM . . . . . HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

### **WEDNESDAY**

10:30 AM . . MORNING PRAYER (VIA ZOOM)

## Morsel for Meditation

When we honestly ask ourselves which person in our lives mean the most to us, we often find that it is those who, instead of giving advice, solutions, or cures, have chosen rather to share our pain and touch our wounds with a warm and tender hand. The friend who can be silent with us in a moment of despair or confusion, who can stay with us in an hour of grief and bereavement, who can tolerate not knowing, not curing, not healing and face with us the reality of our powerlessness, that is a friend who cares.

Henri Nouwen, *Out of Solitude: Three Meditations on the Christian Life* (Ave Maria Press, 2004), 38.

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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

## 8:00 — HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I

### Introduction to Worship

Opening Sentence . . . . .	BCP 323
Collect. . . . .	BCP 183
The Lessons	
First Reading . . . . .	Ruth 1:1-18
Psalm . . . . .	Psalm 146
Epistle . . . . .	Hebrews 9:11-14
Gospel . . . . .	Mark 12:28-34
Sermon . . . . .	The Rev. Dr. Bill Shaddox
Nicene Creed . . . . .	BCP 326
Prayers of the People . . . . .	BCP 328
The Confession. . . . .	BCP 331
The Peace. . . . .	BCP 332
Announcements	

### **Holy Communion**

The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer I) . . .	BCP 333
The Lord's Prayer . . . . .	BCP 336
<i>Agnus Dei</i> . . . . .	BCP 337
The Presentation . . . . .	BCP 338
Post Communion Prayer . . . . .	BCP 338
The Blessing & Dismissal . . . . .	BCP 339

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion.*

BCP = Book of Common Prayer (black)  
H= Hymnbook (red)  
A3 = Alleluia III (yellow)

## 10:30 — HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

### Prelude

Processional Hymn . . . . .	<i>H #411</i>
<i>O bless the Lord, my soul! (St Thomas)</i>	
Opening Sentence . . . . .	BCP 355
<i>Gloria in excelsis</i> . . . . .	<i>H #280</i>
Collect. . . . .	BCP 235
The Lessons	
First Reading . . . . .	Ruth 1:1-18
Psalm . . . . .	Psalm 146
Epistle . . . . .	Hebrews 9:11-14
Gospel Hymn . . . . .	<i>H #671</i>
<i>Amazing grace! how sweet the sound</i> <i>(New Britain)</i>	
Gospel . . . . .	Mark 12:28-34
Sermon . . . . .	The Rev. Dr. Bill Shaddox
The Nicene Creed . . . . .	BCP 358
Prayers of the People (Form III) . . . .	BCP 387
The Confession. . . . .	BCP 360
The Peace. . . . .	BCP 360
Announcements	

### **Holy Communion**

Offertory . . . . .	<i>H #314</i>
<i>Humbly I adore thee (Adoro devote)</i>	
Offertory Anthem . . . . .	<i>A3 #221</i>
<i>Doxology (Old 100th)</i>	
The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer A) . .	BCP 361
<i>Sanctus</i> . . . . .	<i>H #S129</i>
The Lord's Prayer . . . . .	BCP 364
<i>Agnus Dei</i> . . . . .	<i>H #S157</i>
The Presentation . . . . .	BCP 364
Communion Hymns	
<i>You Are My All in All</i> . . . . .	<i>A3 #194</i>
<i>They'll Know We Are Christians</i> . . .	<i>A3 #175</i>
Post Communion Prayer . . . . .	BCP 365
The Blessing & Dismissal . . . . .	BCP 366
Recessional Hymn . . . . .	<i>H #388</i>

*O worship the King, all glorious above!*  
*(Hanover)*

## *Pray for the Church, the Body of Christ*

Please pray for those on our prayer list this week: Ken Gunter, Marie Hale, Ginger Higgins, Dana Medford, Father Gordon, and Mike Lavigne. 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.**

### *Upcoming Events*

- Wednesday, November 3:** No morning prayer; Bible Study in Clardy Hall at 7pm - pizza provided
- Saturday, November 6:** ECW ballot meeting at 10am in Clardy Hall, breakfast provided
- Wednesday, November 10:** Morning Prayer at 10:30am; Bible Study in Clardy Hall at 7pm - pizza provided
- Thursday, November 11:** All Veterans are welcome to attend a special Veterans' Day breakfast and short program put on by the students of St. Paul's Episcopal School at 8am in Clardy Hall. If you plan to come, please call or email the church office or call the school at (903)455-8775 so that we can be sure to prepare plenty of breakfast!

***Thank you to all who came out on Saturday and helped make our St. Paul's Episcopal School Fall Festival and 50th Anniversary Bash a success!***



The Outreach Committee invites you to donate to the children of St. Paul's Episcopal School by using the link below:

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In addition, your gifts of love may be made by check marked as restricted donations to "Angel Wishes" to St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Thank you for your continued love and support of these precious children!

#### **Donate Digitally!**

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**October 24**

Offering: \$2,414.00 ~~ Attendance: 53