



ST. PAUL'S

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

A Sacred Space for Your Busy Life

Sunday, June 22, 2014, the Second Sunday after Pentacost

We especially welcome visitors and newcomers today. Please fill out the newcomer card in the pew and place it in the collection plate or give it to a member of the clergy. Following the service, the clergy will be standing near the doors to greet you. We encourage you to join us for coffee hour in Duncan Hall. For more information about St. Paul's, please visit www.StPaulsSanRafael.org or call our office at 415.456.4842.

At St. Paul's we are all called to follow Jesus together in worship, prayer and service.

WORSHIP

The service begins on page 355 of the Book of Common Prayer (BCP)

Prelude	Duo Concertante	Darius Milhaud
Opening Hymn	423	Hymnal
Gloria	S-280 <i>(Service music found in front of hymnal)</i>	Hymnal
Psalm	8	BCP p. 592
Gradual	S-236	Hymnal
Prayers of the People	Form III	BCP p. 387
Offertory Hymn	482	Hymnal

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion. Whoever you are, wherever you are in your journey of faith, you are welcome to receive initiation into the church through the sacrament of baptism.

Eucharistic Prayer B		BCP p. 367
Sanctus	S-129	Hymnal
Fraction Anthem	S-154	Hymnal
<i>Presider</i>	Behold what you are.	
<i>People</i>	May we become what we receive.*	
Communion Music		
Closing Hymn	401	Hymnal
Postlude	Caprice	Darius Milhaud

* These words come from St. Augustine of Hippo (354-430) in a sermon on the Holy Eucharist in which he reflected on "one of the deep truths of Christian faith: through our participation in the sacraments (particularly baptism and Eucharist), we are transformed into the Body of Christ, given for the world."

THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Basis Discipleship. A month-long course on getting into a rhythm of prayer and learning to tell your own spiritual story continues today, after the 10am service.

Bible Studies. The Tuesday Bible Study is on hiatus until September. Our Wednesday study of Ezekiel at 10am and our Thursday study of John at 6:15pm continue through the summer.

Parish Retreat. This Labor Day weekend we will have a shared parish retreat with Christ Church, Sausalito up at the Bishop's Ranch in Healdsburg. Save the dates, more information coming soon.

Book Reading. Christopher will be giving a reading of his book, *The Restoration Project: A Benedictine Path to Wisdom, Strength, and Love* at Book Passage in Corte Madera on Saturday, June 28th at 1 pm. Invite your friends.

SERVING TODAY

Preacher & Celebrant:	The Rev. Christopher H. Martin
Choirmaster/Organist:	Michael Struck
Acolytes:	Jacob Moody, Jane Santucci, Ann Lisk, Ronnie Dodds
Readers:	Jacob Moody, Jane Santucci, Neville Armstrong
Altar Guild:	Brigitte McCulloch, Wendy Olson, Lena Supsupin, Judy Rowcliffe, Alex Elliot
Ushers:	Larry Santucci, Demelza Rice, Harper Martin
Hospitality:	Katie Taggart, Lena Supsupin, Rose Lapicto

The Altar Flowers are given by Larry and Alex to the glory of God
and in loving memory of Genevieve Allen.

CHRISTOPHER'S WEEKLY MESSAGE

Next Saturday, June 28th, I'll be doing another reading of my book, The Restoration Project. It will be at 1pm at Book Passage in Corte Madera.

Throughout the process of writing, publishing and now sharing my book my heart has been filled with gratitude for you and for St. Paul's. As those of you who have already read the book probably know, the book couldn't exist without our Church. Your stories are in there. It was you who drew out of me some any of the anecdotes and illustrations in the book, many of which first saw the light of day in a sermon here. The book begins with an affectionate description of our sacred space.

Please come. This is also a great opportunity to invite a friend. Maybe you have a friend who is curious about spiritual things or hungry for companionship who may be more comfortable at a popular bookstore than our sacred space. This reading may be just the right invitation to begin new conversations with that friend.

Blessings,
Christopher

*Each week our rector, The Rev. Christopher H. Martin, sends an email message.
Email him at cmartin@stpaulssanrafael.org to get on the list*

PRAYER

Andrea & Werner	Chris & Jennifer M	Ginnette & Jeff	Merlin
Bill B	Dan Pollart	Hollis & Lori	Mr. Denn
Bill M	Daniela A	Jane E & Family	Patricia R
Blaine Marshall	Daphne	Joni Peterson	Rainie Joses
Bret	Debra	Lance	Stephen Topol
Cathy B & Family	Dorothy Miller's family	Liza	Uncle Eberhardt & Family
Charles P. Johnson	Frankie	Lizzie Sommers	Yvonne Andersen
Charlotte & Peter	Gaston Marin	Matt Peterson	Zella Cramer

SERVICE

Teen Success Breakfast: Serve hot breakfast to at-risk youth. Contact Keira Vicente at 684.2670 or keiravicente@yahoo.com.

San Rafael Health Care: Services 1st and 3rd Sundays, 11:00 – 11:25. Help us with the simple service. Children are welcome.

Prison Ministry: St. Paul's has been engaged in regular visitations and correspondence for 17 years with Joseph Cook, a death row inmate at San Quentin who was confirmed by Bishop Swing as a member of our Church. The prison ministry has grown and the rector and four other parishioners are now visiting Joe and three other inmates. In the coming weeks there will be more information about this growing ministry, including opportunities for everyone to be involved in an action heralded by Christ in Matthew 25:36: "I was in prison and you came to visit me." Are you being called to this ministry, perhaps by corresponding with one of the four inmates we've been visiting? For further info contact Richard Olive (415.259.9198 or ollipops@comcast.net).

Young Moms Marin: On Fridays, St. Paul's is now hosting Young Moms Marin, a group for mostly teen moms and their children led by our friend Teresa Ashby. The group meets from 3pm to 5:30pm in Duncan Hall.

ONGOING

Plate Cash: 1st Sunday of the month goes to the Rector's Discretionary Fund; 3rd Sunday goes to Outreach.

Godly Play: Sundays in Room 6. Kindergarten thru 3rd grade. Meet in the courtyard at 9:45am.

Childcare: Sundays from 9:30 to 11:00am, childcare is available in the Basement Level classroom.

Marin Episcopal Youth Group: Sundays from 5-6:30pm at Church of the Nativity in San Rafael. Middle and high school students from 5 Marin churches. Daniel London, youth minister.

Centering Prayer: Meditation in the Christian tradition. Join us in Duncan Hall on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month, 7:00-8:30 pm. Leave a message for Chris Olson at the parish office at 415.456.4842.

Our Spiritual Core: Discipleship Groups are the spiritual core of St. Paul's because they are where we encourage one another to follow Jesus in worship, prayer, and service. Contact The Rev. Christopher Martin.

Altar Flower Dedications: Looking for a way to honor a loved one, give thanks or remember a special occasion? You can by dedicating the flowers at the altar. A donation of \$40 is suggested. Contact Alex Elliot at 415.488.7930.

Memorial Wall Plaques: Contact the office if you would like to purchase a plaque to be inscribed with the name of a loved one who has died.

St. Anne's Guild: St. Anne's Guild meets Thursdays at 11:00am. All are invited - bring a bag lunch.

Bible Studies: Tuesdays from 12:30 to 1:30, Wednesdays from 10 to 11:15; all in Duncan Hall.

Facebook. Did you know St. Paul's is on Facebook. "Like" us to join the fun!