

ST. PAUL'S

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

A Sacred Space for Your Busy Life

Sunday, February 2, 2020, the Presentation of the Lord

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	Aria	Max Reger
Opening Hymn	436	Hymnal
Gloria	S-280 <i>(Service music found in front of hymnal)</i>	Hymnal
Psalm	84	BCP p. 707
Gradual	Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia	
Prayers of the People	Form III	BCP p. 387
Offertory Anthem	Agnus Dei	Charles Gounod
Doxology	<i>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen</i>	

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion. If you would like to receive a blessing instead, cross your arms across your chest when you are at the altar rail. 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. Gluten free bread available.

Eucharistic Prayer A		BCP p. 361
Sanctus	S-129	Hymnal
Fraction Anthem	S-154	Hymnal
Communion Hymns	259, 26	Hymnal
Closing Hymn	657	Hymnal
Postlude	Carillon-Sortie	Cesar Franck

THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Annual Meeting is today after the 10:00 service. Join us in Duncan Hall for lunch and a summary of the year that has past and a look at the year to come.

Cursillo Sunday, February 9. More than 35 St. Paul's parishioners have experienced a three-day Cursillo weekend. Two of them, Christopher Martin and another, will make announcements about upcoming weekends at both services on "Cursillo Sunday." This interdenominational experience for all baptized adults originated 70 years ago in Majorca, Spain. It is a unique opportunity to learn new ways to live one's Christian life at home, church and the world. The next weekends at the San Francisco Theological Seminary, San Anselmo, are April 16-19 for the women and April 23-26 for the men. Information will be available in Duncan Hall after each service and/or you may contact Richard Olive, one of St. Paul's Cursillo reps. (415) 259-9198.

Ash Wednesday is Wednesday, February 26th. After the 6:30pm worship service Christopher begins **With Gladness and Singleness of Heart** where he teaches playful practices all building on a daily prayer "O God, send me this day to do the work you have given me to do, to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart."

The PrayWorshipServe Seminar is Saturday, March 7th. The full retreat is cancelled. Instead, we will have a two hour gathering, from 9am to 11am in Duncan Hall, where we will share the results of our survey of the 28 Discipleship Groups from around the country and then learn together.

SERVING TODAY

Preacher & Celebrant:	The Rev. Christopher H. Martin
Choirmaster/Organist:	Michael Struck
Acolytes:	Jacob Moody, Pamela Barnes, Nan Marie Wollam
Readers:	Jacob Moody, Pamela Barnes, Jack Beggs
Ushers:	Eric Guastavino, Larry Santucci
Altar Guild:	Michael Green, Linda Danford, Katie Taggart, Jane Santucci

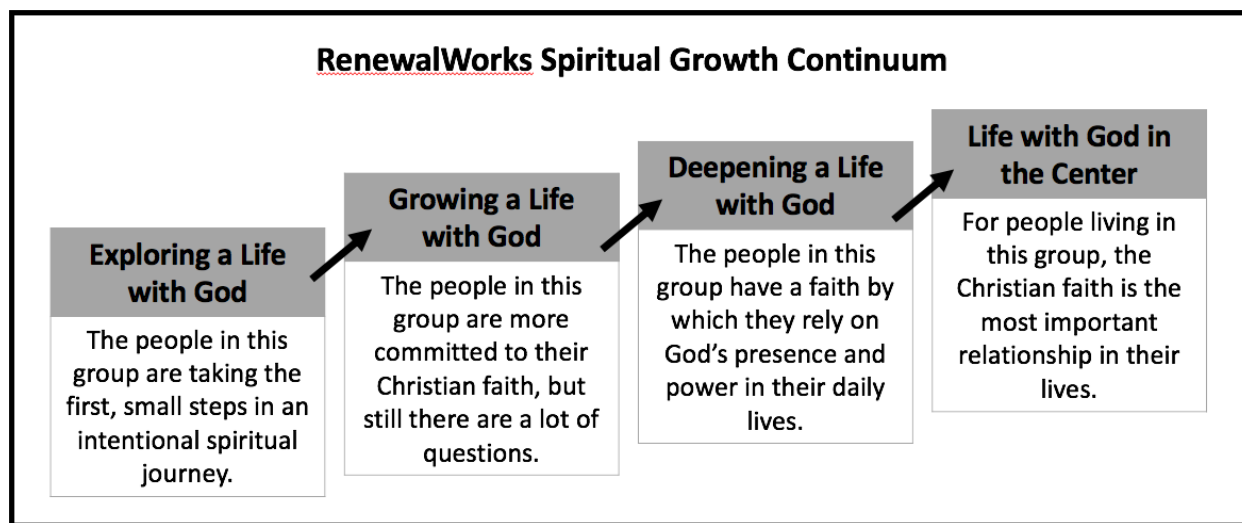
WEEKLY MESSAGE

RENEWALWORKS: THE JOURNEY CONTINUES

Last week the RenewalWorks Group re-presented its Roadmap with its Landmarks and Signposts. It is important to have just a bit more knowledge of its origins.

After taking the Spiritual Inventory from Renewal Works St. Paul's Vestry commissioned Jacob Moody, Judy Rowcliffe, Joan Adams, Michael Green, Kate Sprague, Walter Tanner with Christopher to analyze the data sent to us from Renewal Works and to enter into the process it recommended to move the data from observation to action. The suggested Renewal Works Process while interesting did not really fit St. Paul's and sent the RWG in a slightly different direction for its implementation work.

However, one key element of the work that Renewal Works has done with the hundreds of churches that have given it data in this process is the development of a framework for understanding the spiritual growth of individuals within the community of Christians. This framework and the stages it presents are the foundation upon which the Roadmap is built and the goals toward which the Roadmap is heading. The framework is as follows:



As we move into this second year of work with the Roadmap the above framework allows us to locate ourselves on it and invites us, once located, to engage with the question of where do you want to go in your spiritual development? The Roadmap is designed to allow you to both engage in the question and support growth with others in the congregation towards reaching deeper into our own faith.

Next week we look at the first Landmark.

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REGULAR PRAYER AND STUDY - OPEN TO ALL

Spiritual Forum	Sundays at 9am in Duncan Hall
Book Group	Sundays at 11:30am in the Upper Room
Centering Prayer Group	2nd and 4th Sundays at 7pm in Duncan Hall
Morning Prayer	Tuesdays at 7:30am in the Church
Bible Studies	Wednesdays at 10am in Duncan Hall Thursdays at 6:15pm in the Downing Library

WHO'S WHO AT ST. PAUL'S

The Governing Board (called the Vestry)

Walter Tanner (Senior Warden), Buzz Wollam (Junior Warden), Libby Silvestri, Richard Micheli, Katie Taggart, Michael Welcome, Patrick Bowen and Janie Burtch (Secretary)

Campus Care Steve Avanzino, Keatin Holly, Pat Curtis, David Hardin, Eric Guastavino and Larry Santucci

Finances Holly Pritchard, Lorrie Bugatto and John McDermott

Music Michael Struck

Acolytes and Readers	Dawn Rice
Ushers	Gary Towery and Larry Santucci
Altar Guild	Judy Rowcliffe
Altar Flowers	Alex Elliot

Children's Ministry Karin Holsinger
Youth Group David Hardin

Downing Library	Tom Witt
Epistle (Monthly Newsletter)	Chloe Martin
Service Bulletins and Centering Prayer	Chris Olson
St. Anne's	Alice King
Monthly Book Group and St. Paul's History	Joy Moss

Death Row Ministry	Richard Olive
Teen Success Breakfast	Ginny Horton
San Rafael Health Care Worship	Sue Adamson
St. Monnica's Mutual Housing Community	Jacob Moody and Kati Dombrosky
Our Homeless Neighbors	Bobby Owen and Ginny Horton

PRAYER LIST

Anne Wilms	Earl	Joseph Cook	Nancy S (surgery 1/23)
Australia	Eva Anderson	Mary	Norton Family
Bill Osuna	Felicia D	Joshua Lindsay & Family	Olivia Monforte
Catherine C & Family	Fredi Stevens	Justin Merriman	Sandy & Herbert
Connie	Gary (surgery 2/4)	Laura Gordon	Susan Fischer
Dale	Hasan, Connie & Kids	Maynard W (surgery 12/5)	Susan Parkinson
David S	Jaime K	Mike A	Those In Border Cages
Dennis Rowcliffe	Joan Peterson	Mike R	Timothy Yoke
Don D & Marianne Y	Joseph Brown	Mike Z	Y.A.H.