



ST. PAUL'S

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

A Sacred Space for Your Busy Life

Sunday, February 23, 2020, the Last Sunday after the Epiphany

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	The Light of Christ	Donald Fishel
Opening Hymn	490	Hymnal
Gloria	S-280 <i>(Service music found in front of hymnal)</i>	Hymnal
Psalm	2	BCP p. 586
Gradual	Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia	
Prayers of the People	Form III	BCP p. 387
Offertory	Prayer of St. Francis	Sebastian Temple
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 Hymn	Many Are the Lightbeams	<i>Insert</i>
Closing Hymn	Sing to the Lord	<i>Insert</i>
Postlude	Never Grow Old	James Moore

The Altar Flowers are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of Ann Hanson.

THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chloe and Christopher are hosting a **Mardis Gras party** at our home in San Anselmo today from 4pm to 6pm. If you don't already have our address, contact me at c.h.mrtn@gmail.com.

Counters Needed. The counters meet after the 10:00am service to count and record the week's pledges, gifts and other income for deposit. The process usually takes a 1/2 hour. Contact Nan Marie at nmwollam@gmail.com if you're interested.

Ash Wednesday services, on February 26th, are at 8am, noon and 6:30pm.

With Gladness and Singleness of Heart begins that evening after the 6:30pm service. It continues in the Wednesdays of Lent, through early April, at 7pm.

The **Mom's Mini-Retreat**, put on by the Martha Collective, is Sunday, March 1st from 3:00pm to 4:30pm. Childcare and a light dinner to take home to the family will be provided.

The **PrayWorshipServe Seminar** is Saturday, March 7th from 9am to 11am. We will be releasing the results of our Discipleship Groups survey and teaching on recommended steps forward.

SERVING TODAY

Preacher & Celebrant:	The Rev. Christopher H. Martin
Choirmaster/Organist:	Michael Struck
Acolytes:	Brigitte McCulloch, Chris Olson, Chris Hammond
Readers:	Brigitte McCulloch, Evelyn, Hadley
Ushers:	Steve Avanzino, Katie Taggart, Camilla, Aidan, Finn
Altar Guild:	Brigitte McCulloch, Kathleen Minor, Ann Lisk, Alex Elliot

WEEKLY MESSAGE

FROM THE RENEWALWORKS GROUP

This is the last pre-Lent word from the RenewalWorks Group.

In the past few weeks we have shared out thoughts and encouragement with you on engaging with the First Landmark, Becoming the spiritual leader of your own faith and its companion Signposts. During this Lent we have the opportunity to strengthen our ability to move towards the goal of Landmark 1. The classes being taught by Christopher, our Bible study in John, fasting as ritual, these all contribute to our deepening in faith and becoming the spiritual leader of our own faith. It is the sincere prayer of the RWG that you have a meaningful Lent where your preparation for the upcoming liturgical season rekindles our love of Jesus whom we follow in worship, prayer and service.

Thank you, RenewalWorks Group!



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)

Buzz Wollam (Senior Warden), Kati Dombrosky, Michael Green, Richard Micheli, Katie Taggart, Michael Welcome, Patrick Bowen and Alex Reynolds (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	Felicia D	Joseph Cook	Norton Family
Australia	Emily Monforte	Joshua Lindsay & Family	Olivia Monforte
Bill Osuna	Erik von Buchau	Justin Merriman	Sandy & Herbert
Catherine C & Family	Fredi Stevens	Laura Gordon	Susan Fischer
David S	Gary (surgery 2/4)	Marianne Y	Susan Parkinson
Dennis Rowcliffe	Hasan, Connie & Kids	Mary	Those In Border Cages
Don D	Joan Peterson	Maynard W	Timothy Yoke
Earl	Joseph Brown	Mike A	