

A Sacred Space for Your Busy Life

Sunday, May 24, 2020, the Seventh Sunday in Easter

We especially welcome visitors and newcomers today. 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	Prelude	J. S. Bach
Opening Hymn	335 I Am the Bread of Life	Hymnal
Gloria	S-280 (Service music found in front of hymnal	Hymnal
First Reading	Acts 1:6-14	
Psalm	Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35	BCP p. 676
Second Reading	1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11	
Gradual	S-236	Hymnal
Gospel	John 17:1-11	
Prayers of the People	Form IV	BCP p. 388
Offertory	Give Me Jesus	
Eucharistic Prayer A		BCP p. 361
Sanctus	S-129	Hymnal
Fraction Anthem	S-154	Hymnal
Closing Hymn	You Are Near	
Postlude	Joy of the Lord	Ed Cash

SERVING TODAY

Preacher & Celebrant: The Rev. Christopher H. Martin

Organist: Michael Struck Acolyte: Judy Rowcliffe Tech Support: Jacob Moody

This Week's Announcements

Virtual St. Paul's

There are 5 weekly virtual events at St. Paul's, in addition to our Sunday 9am worship, to which all are welcome:

- Sunday **Coffee Hour** with Virtual Breakout Rooms. Email Michael at <u>mjesgreen@comcast.net</u> for a Zoom invitation.
- Tuesday Morning Prayer at 7:30am. Email Richard at <u>ollipops@comcast.net</u> for a Zoom invitation.
- Wednesday **Bible Study** at 10am. Email Michael at <u>mjesgreen@comcast.net</u> for a Zoom invitation.
- Thursday St. Anne's Guild at 11am. Email Alice at kingba49@hotmail.com for the conference call number.
- Thursday Evening **Bible Study** at 6:15pm. Email Tanner at <u>walter.tanner@gmail.com</u> for a Zoom invitation.

Sunday Worship at 10am. Starting next Sunday, distance worship will be at 10am. Next week only, which is Pentecost, we worship with Nativity. Go to the Nativity, San Rafael Facebook page or to <u>nativityonthehill.org</u> to join our distance worship. In June and moving forward we return to the St. Paul's website and Facebook page.

Great Commandment Groups. In the crisis, isolation and opportunity created by the COVID19 pandemic, Nativity and St. Paul's will convene small groups of parishioners from our two congregations to pray, reflect, lament and plan. Small groups of 4-6 people will meet weekly for six weeks to support one another in spiritual conversations about deepening our faithful commitment to Jesus' great commandment: "love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. . . and to love your neighbor as yourself" in our new context. Each hour-long session will open with spiritual reflection, offer an opportunity to "check-in" on what is happening in our lives followed by a focused discussion about an aspect of the Great Commandment and will conclude with brief prayers for ourselves, our neighbors and our world. Follow the link in Christopher's Weekly Email to sign up, or email him at c.h.mrtn@gmail.com.

Prayer List

Bill O	Felicia D	Linda H	Sandy & Herbert
Catherine C & Family	Frank M	Lincoln P	Scott H
David S	Hasan, Connie & Kids	Marianne Y	Susan F
Don D	Joseph B	Maynard W	Those In Border Cages
Earl	Joseph C	Pandemic Victims	Timothy Y
Emily M	Joshua L & Family	Rebecca R	
Erik von B	Laura G	Ronald L	

