



# ST. PAUL'S

## EPISCOPAL CHURCH

### A Sacred Space for Your Busy Life

Sunday, February 4, 2024, Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

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We especially welcome visitors and newcomers today. For more information about St. Paul's, please visit [www.StPaulsSanRafael.org](http://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	Adagio	Charles Widor
Opening Hymn	47	Hymnal
Gloria	S-280 ( <i>Service music found in front of hymnal</i> )	Hymnal
First Reading	Isaiah 40:21-31	
Psalm	147:1-12, 21c	BCP p. 804
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 9:16-23	
Gradual	S-236	Hymnal
Gospel	Mark 1:29-39	
Nicene Creed		BCP p. 358
Prayers of the People	Form VI	BCP. p. 392
Offertory Anthem	God Be in My Head	John Rutter
Eucharistic Prayer A		BCP p. 361
Sanctus	S-129	Hymnal
Fraction Anthem	S-154	Hymnal
Communion Hymns	339, 508	Hymnal
Post Communion Prayer		BCP p. 365
Closing Hymn	590	Hymnal
Postlude	Toccata	Charles Widor

The altar flowers are given by Holly Pritchard to the glory of God and in loving thanksgiving for William D. Sims.

## SERVING TODAY

Celebrant & Preacher:	The Rev. Christopher H. Martin
Choirmaster/Organist:	Michael Struck
Deacon:	Erin Wiens St. John
Acolytes:	Lex Bernier, Michael Green
Reader:	John Ibsen
Ushers:	Steve Avanzino, Larry Santucci
Altar Guild:	Michael Green, Linda Danford, Pamela Barnes
Tech Support:	Josh Becker, Dennis DeMille
Coffee Hour:	Kari Simpson

## THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **The Annual Meeting**

The Annual Meeting of St. Paul's is this Sunday starting right after the 10am service. The meeting will run just over an hour and include lunch. We affirm the budget for the coming year, elect new board members (Vestry) and Diocesan representatives, and hear reports of the last year and plans for the coming year.

### **Help us feed our hungry neighbors**

Join us in Duncan Hall at 4:00pm on 2/14 to make sack lunches! We take them to St. Vincent's, and they hand them out to the hungry. What better way to follow in Jesus' footsteps?

### **Ash Wednesday and Lent**

Lent and Easter are early this year. Ash Wednesday services are on February 14th at noon and 6pm. Sunday, February 18th, is then the first Sunday in Lent. In Lent, Basic Discipleship returns on Sundays after church and we're organizing weekly check-in phone calls for all who would like them.

### **Only Connect**

Our theme for Lent this year is Only Connect and the invitation is to intentionally connect with other people. Since COVID, so many people are more isolated. Let's each of us make an extra effort to connect with others. Two ways to connect are within the St. Paul's family. These are St. Paul's Calls and Discipleship Groups. Two ways reach beyond St. Paul's. These are Chloe's Communities and Bring-A-Friend Sunday on March 10th.

## PRAYER LIST

Bede H	Dennis	Lynne S	Scarlett W
Colette M & Family	Hannah A	Nancy F	Theresa R
Corrina & John	Inge B & Family	Olivia C & Family	Ukraine Victims
Daniel	Joan A	Peter W & Family	Victims in Israel & Gaza
Dave H	John M	Roseanna M	

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