

A Sacred Space for Your Busy Life

Sunday, August 18, 2024, Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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 351 of the Book of Common Prayer (BCP)

Prelude	Clair de Lune Claude Debussy	
Opening Hymn	427	Hymnal
Gloria	S-280 (Service music found in front of hymnal)	Hymnal
First Reading	1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14	
Psalm	111	BCP p. 754
Second Reading	Ephesians 5:15-20	
Gradual	Alleluia, Alleluia	
Gospel	John 6:51-58	
Nicene Creed		BCP p. 358
Prayers of the People	Form VI	BCP p. 392
Offertory Hymn	324	Hymnal
Eucharistic Prayer B		BCP p. 367
Sanctus	S-129	Hymnal
Fraction Anthem	S-154	Hymnal
Post Communion Prayer		BCP p. 365
Closing Hymn	390	Hymnal
Postlude	Presto	Ludwig van Beethoven

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Rosie Heilman.

SERVING TODAY

Celebrant: The Rev. Christopher H. Martin

Preacher: Cara Meredith Pianist: Jack Venezia

Acolytes: Kristen Ibsen, Watler Tanner Doyle Crosby, Owen Sprague Readers:

Ushers: Nina Woods, Gary Towery, Eric Guastavino

Altar Guild: Judy Rowcliffe, Jessica Ruscello Josh Becker, Dennis DeMille Tech Support:

Coffee Hour: Dean-Blume Family

THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Nativity!

Our friends from Nativity Episcopal Church in Lucas Valley will be joining us in worship and other ministries for the month of August. This Sunday they are helping usher, doing readings and coffee hour.

De Colores Preschool Starts Again

The De Colores preschool has started again on our campus after a year-long hiatus in order to open a new classroom. It is an honor to host this Head Start program and some of the staff of Community Action Marin.

Music and Prayers for San Rafael Healthcare Center

Once a month, on the fourth Sunday of the month, join a crew who go down the block to the San Rafael Healthcare Center to lead a brief service right after our 10am worship. We visit the lonely.

Lunches for St. Vincent's

Join us Wednesday, August 21st at 4pm to make 100 bagged lunches for St. Vincent's to share with our hungry neighbors. "Feed the hungry," Jesus said. We do!

Write a Letter a Month to a Prisoner

Our Death Row Ministry consists of about forty people, half of whom are incarcerated. Join those of us on the outside who commit to writing a letter a month. Contact Erin to find out more. We connect with those in prison.

Bible Studies

We have two weekly Bible Studies at St. Paul's. One is in-person on Wednesdays at 10am and the other is on Zoom at 6pm on Thursdays. All are welcome to come and explore scripture.

PRAYER LIST

Bill S	Gary W	Lilibet G	Sarah C & Family
Chris O	Hardin Family	Luanne L	Scarlett W
Chuck S & Family	Joan A	Lynne S	Simon
Constance W	John L	Nancy R	Ukraine Victims
Dan G	Kathleen G	Olivia C & Family	Vicky M & Family
Demelza & Family	Laura G	Richard F	Victims in Israel & Gaza

