



# ST. PAUL'S

## EPISCOPAL CHURCH

### A Sacred Space for Your Busy Life

Sunday, November 16, 2025, Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

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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	Impromptu	Franz Schubert
Opening Hymn	615	Hymnal
Gloria	S-280 <i>(Service music found in front of hymnal)</i>	Hymnal
First Reading	Isaiah 65:17-25	
Canticle	9	BCP p. 86
Second Reading	2 Thessalonians 3:6-13	
Gradual	S-236	Hymnal
Gospel	Luke 21:5-19	
Nicene Creed		BCP p. 358
Prayers of the People	Form III	BCP p. 387
Offertory Anthem	Prayer	Lloyd Pfautsch
Eucharistic Prayer A		BCP p. 361
Sanctus	S-129	Hymnal
Fraction Anthem	S-154	Hymnal
Communion Hymns	632, 331	Hymnal
Post Communion Prayer		BCP p. 365
Closing Hymn	371	Hymnal
Postlude	Fugue	Benjamin Cooke

*Worship services may be live-streamed for our online congregation. Cameras focus primarily on vested ministers, but others in the church may also be visible in live or archived video.*

## SERVING TODAY

Celebrant and Precher:	The Rev. Christopher H. Martin
Curate:	The Rev. Ern Wiens-St. John
Organist/Choirmaster:	Michael Struck
Acolytes:	Lex Bernier, Judy Rowcliffe
Readers:	Walter Tanner, Jacob Moody, Jessica Ruscello
Ushers:	Gary Towery, Eric Guastavino
Altar Guild:	Judy Rowcliffe, Jessica Ruscello
Tech Support:	Josh Becker, Dennis DeMille
Coffee Hour:	Kari Simpson

## THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Christmas Cards for Death Row.** This afternoon is our annual Christmas Card writing party for condemned inmates. We provide cards, stamps, mailing labels, food and music. You just need to come and write some simple cards. It will be 3pm to 6pm in Duncan Hall.

**O Antiphons** begin this week. These ancient texts are sung each week in the six weeks leading up to Christmas, as a way to prepare our hearts.

**The Angel Tree** will soon be going up in the Narthex. Please grab a card with one of the fifty requests for Christmas gifts from students at our De Colores Head Start Preschool. On December 17th we will have an event with music and family photos to hand out the gifts.

### All Are Welcome to:

#### • Participate in Bible Studies

We have two weekly Bible Studies. One is in person in Duncan Hall at 10am on Wednesdays, the other is on Zoom at 6pm on Thursdays. We read, mark, learn and inwardly digest scripture.

#### • Offer 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.

#### • Write a Monthly Letter for Death Row Ministry

Write a letter a month to an inmate on California's Death Row. There are over 50 people in the ministry, and those on the outside meet every other month on Zoom to support each other. We visit the prisoners.

#### • Make Lunches for Vinnies

Join us twice a month at 4pm on a weekday afternoon when we make 100 bagged lunches for St. Vincent's to share with our hungry neighbors. We feed the hungry. November 5th & 19th.

**To find out more, contact Christopher at [cmartin@stpaulssanrafael.org](mailto:cmartin@stpaulssanrafael.org) or 415 464 7108.**

## PRAYER LIST

Bennett	Jill H	Linda S	Orfelina P
Cheryl A	Joan A	Lisa S	Simon C
Cynthia W	Joe N	Lokita	Simon W
Daniel P	John M	Lynne S	Steve R
Eleanor E	Karl S	Michael W	Walker Family
Felicia D	Kathleen G	Olivia C & Family	

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