

## St. Paul's Episcopal Church

### Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

### The Week Ahead

Monday	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts
Tuesday	6:30 p.m.	MLK Jr. Committe
Wednesday	12:00 Noon	Morning Prayer
	5:00 p.m.	Children's Choir, Age 7 & Up
	5:30 p.m.	Children's Choir, Age 4 & Up
Thursday	5:00 p.m.	The Arc
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Holy Communion
	8:45 a.m.	Parish Choir
	10:30 a.m.	Sunday School - Pre-K
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Communion

### Welcome to Our Visitors!

We hope you have felt at home and among friends. If you are visiting just for today, we bid you Godspeed on your journey. If you are seeking a church home, we would be delighted to welcome you into our church family. Please be sure to pick up from the tract rack at the back of the church a packet of information about St. Paul's; and after the service, please join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall. If you make yourself known to our Greeters, they will be happy to show you the way.

## St. Paul's Episcopal Church

Kathleen Prevost, Organist & Music Director  
Nicole Dunn / Tricia Perry, Sunday School Superintendents  
Jimm Wetherbee, Treasurer  
Sarah Palmer, Bookkeeper

### The Vestry

Henry Jenkins, Sr. Warden	Lisa Hilbish, Clerk
Gary Noles, Jr. Warden	Jim Becker
Ronnie Cutler	Kyle Dunn
Jan Lochary	Scott Rushing
Tara Steffen	

### Sunday Schedule of Services

#### 8:00 a.m. (Spoken Service)

Holy Eucharist Rite 1, Every Sunday

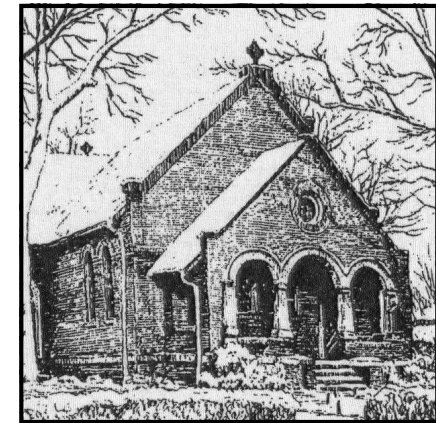
#### 10:30 a.m. (Choral Services)

1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month	Holy Eucharist, Rite 1
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Month	Morning Prayer
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Month	Holy Eucharist, Rite 2
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month	Holy Eucharist, Rite 1
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month	Holy Eucharist, Rite 2

### Serving Today

<b>Altar Guild</b>	Lilian Arkwright, Carole Richards, Elaine Vincoli
<b>Lectors</b>	Chris Anderson, Jo Singer
<b>Crucifer</b>	Jimm Wetherbee
<b>Torches</b>	Charlotte Jenkins, Vida Wolter
<b>Ushers</b>	Kyle Dunn, Tommy Steffen
<b>Coffee Hosts</b>	Jo Singer & Jenny Gale Tsering
<b>Lock-Up</b>	Becker/Cutler
<b>Wed. Server</b>	Charlotte Jenkins

*The Fifth Sunday  
after the Epiphany*  
*10:30 a.m.*  
*February 8, 2009*



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10:30 a.m.  
Morning Prayer

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- Prelude: "Partita on 'St. Anne': Adagio,"  
Paul Manz (b. 1919)
- + Opening Sentences
- \* **Processional Hymn**  
***St. Anne* .....Hymn 680**
- \*41 Invitation to a General Confession
- +41 Confession of Sin  
*Almighty and most merciful Father...*
- +42 The Declaration of Absolution
- +42 Invitatory
- \*44 **Canticle: *Venite, exultemus Domino***  
***O come, let us sing unto the Lord...***
- After each Canticle and the Psalm, the Gloria Patri shall be sung:  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy  
Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever  
shall be, world without end. Amen.*
- \*804 Psalm 147
- First Lesson: I Corinthians 9:16-23
- \*49 **Canticle: *Benedictus es, Domine***  
***Blessed art thou, O Lord God...***
- Second Lesson: St. Mark 1:29-39
- \*45 **Canticle: *Jubilate Deo***  
***O be joyful in the Lord...***
- \*53 The Apostles' Creed  
*I believe in God the Father Almighty...*
- +54 The Prayers
- +58 The General Thanksgiving  
*Almighty God, Father of all mercies...*
- +58 A Prayer of St. Chrysostom  
*Almighty God, who hast given us grace..*

Announcements

\*Please Stand

+Please Kneel

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- \* **Office Hymn**  
***Slane* ..... Hymn 488**
- Homily
- Offertory: "Brightest and Best of the Stars of the Morning,"  
Hymn
- Ushers will bring the Almsbasins along the center and side aisles.*
- Doxology**  
*All things come of Thee, O Lord,  
And of thine own have we given thee. Amen.*
- + **Kneeling Hymn**  
***America* ..... Hymn 716**
- + Parish Prayers
- +51 **Canticle: *Nunc Dimittis***  
***Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart...***
- + The Blessing
- \* **Recessional Hymn**  
***Pleading Savior*.....Hymn 586**
- Voluntary: "Partita on 'St. Anne': Theme,"  
Paul Manz (b. 1919)

### ***A Prayer of St. Francis***

Lord, make us instruments of thy peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. ***Amen.***

\*Please Stand

+Please Kneel

### ***A Prayer for the Parish***

Almighty and everliving God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayers for this parish family. Strengthen the faithful, arouse the careless, and restore the penitent. Grant us all things necessary for our common life, and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### ***In Memoriam***

- George Albert Ayscue, February 8, 1991
- Emily Dehn Wellborn, February 8, 2001
- Olivia Camille Cloud, February 10, 1995
- Eunice Bigger Anders, February 11, 2003
- Julia Britt Dresser, February 12, 2007

### ***Altar Flowers***

The Altar Flowers are given to the greater glory of God and in thanksgiving for the birthdays of our daughter, Patti Kerley; our son, Michael Rushing; and uncle, Bob Murphy.

### ***African Crafts Ministry***

Be sure to visit the Parish Hall after the 10:30 service for fellowship and a chance to get some really wonderful African-made jewelry and crafts (just in time for Valentine's Day). Proceeds from the sales go to help the churches in East Africa. You may pay by cash or check (made out to **African Team Ministries**).

### ***More Fellowship and Fun***

Save the date! The Outreach Committee is planning a Chili Supper and Game Night for 6:30 p.m., Saturday, February 21. There will also be a Silent Auction. Donations and other monies received that evening will benefit Outreach Programs. A Nursery will be available for a small fee. Reservations are a **must**—so please call the church office by February 16 to reserve your spot.

### ***ECW Meeting***

All women are invited to the 10:30 a.m. ECW meeting on Saturday, February 21. We'll have coffee, tea, and pastries—come early for more fellowship time. If you need to bring children, call Doris Rushing (704.201.7260) before February 16.