# SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

November 1, 2015 • 9:30 AM All Saints' Day

Welcome to the House of God. As is the Episcopal tradition, and as a courtesy to others, please use the time before the service for quiet reflection and for preparing your heart for worship.

Musical Prelude

Rebecca Hendricks & Carlyn Grantham

Preparation for Worship

(The People Stand)

Processional Hymn 287: 1,2,3,4

(Musician will play all hymns through once before The People begin singing.)

-The service begins on Page 355 of the Book of Common Prayer-

#### The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

The Gloria S 280

Hymnal

(Lyrics also found in Book of Common Prayer, Page 356)

Celebrant

The Lord be with you.

People

And also with you.

Celebrant

Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

(In unison)

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

The Cantor will chant the verses. The People will then chant the Antiphon:



Lift up your heads, O gates;

lift them high O ever-last-ing doors.

#### The Lessons

The First Lesson: Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them forever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

At the conclusion of The Lesson:

Lector The Word of the Lord. People Thanks be to God.

The Second Lesson: Revelation 21:1-6a

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

At the conclusion of The Lesson:

Lector The Word of the Lord. People Thanks be to God.

(The People Stand)

Gospel Hymn 178 (vv. 1-2 before; vv. 3-4 after)

Celebrant The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according

to John.

People Glory to you Lord Christ.

#### The Gospel: John 11:32-44

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

At the conclusion of The Gospel:

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you Lord Christ.

(The People Sit)

The Sermon

The Rev. Brian Palmer

A brief time of reflection follows the sermon.

(The People Stand)

The Nicene Creed

Book of Common Prayer, Page 358

(The People Kneel)

Prayers for the Commemoration of the Dead

See insert

Prayers of the People- I Book of Common Prayer, Page 383

The People's response is "Lord, have mercy."

...For the special needs and concerns of this congregation and those in our extended church family: Georgianne Jackson, Anne Harris Smith, Bill Baker, Anna Mae Wagner, Alva Jahnes-Smith, The Coopers, Ann Cichowski, Stevely Anderson, The Fenns, The Golowkas, The Stimsons, Dan and Sara Blair Field, Connie Gannon, The Wilsons, Judy Olson, The Costa Family, The Linihan Family, Jack and Jane Gibson, Brian Nordwick, The Schutz Family, Tony Holderman.

...For those neighbors and friends whose needs are on our hearts today: (Please offer names verbally.)

...Those serving in the military: T.C. Dallmann

... We give thanks today for: wonderful memories of loved ones, for hospice & medical workers, hospital chaplains & organ donors; loving caregivers, and grief counselors.

(The People Kneel)

The Confession & Absolution Book of Common Prayer, Page 360

(The People Stand.)

The Peace

Welcome to Visitors; Birthdays & Anniversaries See Page 5 for birthday list. Celebration prayers are found inside the back cover of the Prayer Book.

The Holy Communion

All who seek God and are drawn to Christ are welcome to God's table.

The Offertory

(The People Sit)

Offertory Music Make Me a Channel of Your Peace St. Paul's Choir (Sebastian Temple)

Gathering of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Response (The People Stand and Ushers come forward):

The Doxology #380-v. 3

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer <u>C</u> Book of Common Prayer, Page 369

**Sanctus S 130** (Holy, holy... highest.)
(Lyrics also found in Book of Common Prayer, Page 371)

Hymnal

(The People Stand or Kneel.)

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal: Inside Cover

The Communion of the Faithful\*

\*Those desiring individual healing prayers may join the Prayer Leader in the front corner of the church (near St. Paul mosaic) immediately after receiving Communion. Those wishing only a blessing may cross their arms over their chest as they arrive at the communion rail.

Prayer for Eucharistic Ministers (If applicable) *Please refer to Prayer Book's inside back cover.* 

The Post-Communion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

People Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn 293

Special Postlude Music

Rebecca Hendricks & Carlyn Grantham

Today's Flowers are Offered in Memory of
Patricia Rodriguez, John Rodriguez
Anthony, Lois, Valerie & Jasmine Costa
Shannon, Dena & David Gorski
By the Costa Rodriguez Family

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# An Important Reminder:

Your electronic updates are the most efficient way of getting important announcements. For those without email, please make sure to check the Parish Hall bulletin board where a paper copy is found for your reading convenience.



# **Mark Your Calendars!**

# Nov. 15th - Stewardship Pie Social

One service only, at 9:30 am

# Dec. 1st - Stewardship Gathering

Please bring your pledges back to church by Dec. 1. Many thanks to Chair Joni Michel.



# The Best of Birthday Wishes to:

Dick DeLauer • Lesley Hochschild • Rhea Wong David Pearson • Esther Laver • Frank Michel • Susan Foreman

# Many thanks to our Hand bell Players Rebecca Hendricks & Carlyn Grantham



## St. Paul's Church Cares!

We invite you to our

#### Blue Christmas Service

For those who grieve & who may find the holidays challenging.

Tuesday, December 22 7:00 PM



### ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Rev. Brian Palmer Parish Priest

Michelle Costa

Parish Administrator

Kate Hepworth

Music Director

# Thank You For Serving Today

The Rev. Brian Palmer Celebrant

Van Jahnes-Smith Acolyte & Chalice

Julian Crocker Reader/Intercessor

Julian Crocker **Healing Prayers** 

Frank Johnson Usher

Barbara Marks • Betty Malone Altar Guild



Please join us after the service for birthday cake, hosted by Hospitality.

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Serving Christ by Loving Others.

#### **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

November 1-7, 2015

Note: Community group meeting times include 20 min. early set up and 20 min. clean-up, to ensure privacy for group members.

#### Sunday, November 1

HE Service at 9:30 am

Monday Office Closed
5-7 pm Adult Children of A.A.– L/C

Tuesday Office Open \*
10 am Grief Group

Wednesday Office Open\*

11:30 am-1:20 pm Women's AA (Closed)- L/C 6 pm Bible Scholars

Thursday Office Open \*

10:30 am Choir 2:15 pm Food program-SRCC

Friday Office Closed

Saturday Office Closed

9:40-11:20 am Al Anon-Library/Chapel 2:30-4:20 pm AA Meeting- Library/Chapel

Mon-Fri Sr. Nutrition
11:45 am Reservations: 927-1268

#### \*Office Hrs Parish Admin.

9 am-3 pm Public office hours
3 pm-5 pm By appointment only\*
\*Reserved for private meetings & confidential work.

Pastoral Care Father Brian

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# <u>Sunday, November 8</u>

8 am & 10:30 am Services

#### November 8 readings

Ezekiel 36:24-28 Corinthians 5:17-20 Mark 1:9-11