

St. Paul's by-the-Sea

Weekly news & updates

September 1, 2023



From the Pastor's Desk

My Dear and Wonderful St. Paul's by-the-Sea Family,

Every once in a while, a group of people are called to embark on a life giving journey together. For all of us at St. Paul's by-the-Sea, we have arrived recently at such a time. This parish has come through years of significant and important story. Meanwhile, elsewhere in the world, I have also come through my own years of story. In May, our stories merged when I accepted the call to be the Priest-in-Charge of St. Paul's by-the-Sea. And now we have the chance to celebrate this together!

Everyone is invited to come to church on Saturday, September 9th at 1:00 PM, for a very exciting event - The Celebration of a New Ministry. This is a very special service in the Episcopal Church where the members of the parish gather together, along with the clergy and the greater community, and our journey forward is blessed by the Bishop. For many, many years to come, the people of St. Paul's by-the-Sea and I will live out God's mission in the world, and through this beautiful and holy ritual that happens through The Celebration of New Ministry, we will bind our lives together with love, mercy, worship, and faith, in order that we might all be sanctified to do such work together.

Each of us is an important part of this parish family and I hope to see you all there on the 9th so we can celebrate together!

Love,
Pastor Jill

THE WARDENS, VESTRY, AND CONGREGATION OF
ST. PAUL'S BY-THE-SEA

REQUEST YOUR PRAYERS AND PRESENCE AT

**THE CELEBRATION
OF A NEW MINISTRY**

FOR

THE REVEREND JILL WILLIAMS
PRIEST-IN-CHARGE

1:00 PM

SATURDAY 9 SEPTEMBER

2023

INSTALLATION BY

THE RIGHT REVEREND SANTOSH MARRAY
BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE OF EASTON

THE VERY REVEREND DAVID MICHAUD, PREACHING

CLERGY: WHITE STOLES

RECEPTION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING IN DEWEES HALL

Parking for the Celebration of a New Ministry

In consideration of the attendance expected for this very special service, we have arranged for additional parking in the following places:

1. Third Street from Baltimore Avenue to the alley.
2. Behind City Hall
3. The first two rows in the city's Fourth Street parking lot.



You must have a SPBTS parking pass to park in these places. An usher will be on the corner of Third Street and Baltimore Avenue giving out passes that afternoon.

PLEASE do not park in any of the spaces on the east or north sides of the church as they are reserved for our special guests/clergy.



Donations Are Greatly Appreciated

The Shepherd's Crook would like to say "Thank You" to the parishioners of St. Paul's by-the-Sea and the larger community. The month of August was designated Shepherd's Crook month and many generous donations were received!

Please keep the pantry in mind throughout the year. Donations of food, toiletries, and money are always needed and appreciated.

Shepherd's Crook will resume their normal schedule of operations, being open on Saturdays, beginning September 16th.

September 4 - Church Office Closed for Labor Day
September 5 - First Day of School in Worcester County
September 9 - Walk for Recovery on the Boardwalk 9am
September 8 & 9 - Wine Fest on the Beach
September 9 - Celebration of a New Ministry Service 1pm
September 11 - Vestry Meeting 5:30 pm
September 13-17 - OC Bike Fest
September 17 - Bilingual Holy Eucharist Service 10am
September 17 - Worship Committee Meeting, 12pm
September 20 - Shepherd's Crook Board Meeting 12pm
September 21 - NOEL Hot Lunch/Shepherd's Crook
Sept 29 & 30 - Oceans Calling Festival
October 1 - COHS Crab & Chicken Feast



Crab & Chicken Feast

On Sunday, October 1st, 2-5pm, Church of the Holy Spirit (10001 Coastal Hwy. OC) will be holding their annual crab and chicken feast. The cost is \$45 for adults, \$20 for children ages 6-10, and free for kids under 6. Proceeds benefit Church of the Holy Spirit.

The DINE IN meal includes: crabs, fried chicken, corn on the cob, hush puppies, lemonade, ice tea, soda, desserts. PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN MALLET!!

The CARRY OUT meal includes: 6 crabs, 2 pieces of fried chicken, corn on the cob, hush puppies, drink and dessert.

There will also be a chance auction and 50/50 raffle.

For tickets, contact the church office at 410-723-1973 or Monica at 443-235-8942.

Refunds will be provided only in the event we need to cancel the crab feast.

[Click here](#) for a PDF of the 9/3/2023

English bulletin.

[Click here](#) for a PDF of the 9/3/2023 Spanish bulletin.

[Click Here](#) to watch the 8/27/2023 Holy Eucharist, Rite II service.

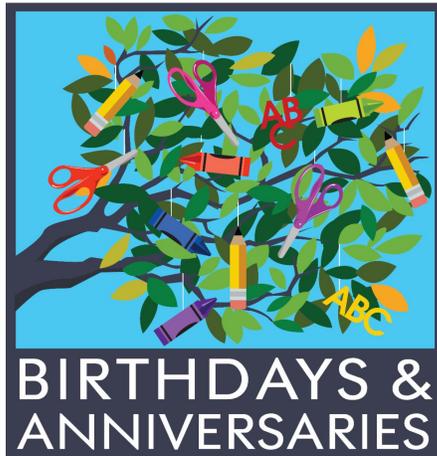


Prayer List

Please keep those on our prayer list in your daily prayers.

Robbie Whittington Joyce, Cindy Dreslin, Kyle Harmon, Shirley Connor, Jose Cabrera, Ryan Fischer, Katlyn, Letty Trimper Hurst, Fr. Joe Rushton, Connie Mayers, Doug Dryden, Brian Friedman, Grace, Randy Hastings, Frank Candeloro, Jr., John Seward, Stephanie Hill, Douglas Allan, Yvetta Henry Tull, Jean Charles, Jimmy Farley, Alex Hoffman, Jonathan Jones, Larry Lorton, Dee Toms, The Lecates Family, The People of Ukraine, Michael Hallett, Hannah Johnson, Hugh Smith, Ralph Hastings, Cathy Wist, Frank Avallone, Mary Wright, Andy Diaz, Alan Farley, Liana Wallman, Betty O'Key, Susan Lewis, Presiding Bishop Michael Curry, Christine Zellner, Brian, Nicoyia, Tom Belle, Cami Rogers, Aaron Call, Christine Bauerdorf, Victims of the Hawaiian Wildfires, Lynn Anstatt

SEPTEMBER



Happy Birthday

9/1 Cheryl Nottingham
9/6 Mary Rutka
9/11 Suzy Young
9/13 Colbourne Connor
9/19 Kylie Nottingham
9/20 Brian Connor
9/24 Tom Shuster
9/28 Savannah Hallon
9/30 John Townsend

Happy Anniversary

9/20 Mike & Cheryl Nottingham

Worship Leaders Schedule

This Week—September 3, 2022

Celebrant: Pastor Jill Williams
Reader: Dan Harris
Altar Guild: Kay Ayres, Amanda Cropper
Usher: Kay Ayres
Counters: Shirley Aydelotte, Lynda Azar

September 17, 2022

Celebrant: Pastor Jill Williams
Reader: Mark West
Altar Guild: Kay Ayres, Amanda Cropper
Usher: Karen Cramer

September 10, 2022

September 24, 2022

Celebrant: Pastor Jill Williams

Reader: **Need a reader**

Altar Guild: Kay Ayres, Amanda Cropper

Usher: Dan Harris

Counters: Amanda Cropper, Amy

Rothermel

Celebrant: Pastor Jill Williams

Reader: Nancy Knotts

Altar Guild: Kay Ayres, Amanda Cropper

Usher: John Knotts

Counters: Nancy Knotts, Debbie Shuster

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