

What's Happening at St. Paul's ...



A Concert to Celebrate Juneteenth Friday, June 14th at 7:30 pm

Hazell Jefferson, Kedron Miller and Friends will present a program combining spirituals and storytelling ...

Juneteenth is the oldest known celebration commemorating the ending of slavery in the U. S. On June 19, 1865, two-and-a-half years after the official implementation of President Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation, Union soldiers landed at Galveston, Texas with news that the war had ended and that the enslaved were now free. Come and listen and learn what happened ...

Pentecost

is a principal feast day, and is the day on which we celebrate the arrival of the Holy Spirit. It is next Sunday, June 9th, a most festive day, and the color for the day is **red**. The church will be decorated in red and everyone is invited to wear whatever red clothing they might have. We will be truly "Spirit-filled!"



The students of St. James School need your support to go to camp this summer! St. James' enriching 4-week summer program ensures that their intercity students continue to learn (STEAM skills) and have the opportunity to explore places outside their classroom on field trips and overnight camp. By making a donation to St. James School, you are keeping their students safe and challenged this summer! Please join in by donating to their goal of raising \$50,000 to send 85 students to 4 weeks of summer camp.*

*All gifts of \$50 or more receive a St. James' "Making School Count" aluminum water bottle.

To give, mail your donation to St. James School, Attn: Advancement, 3217 W. Clearfield St., Philadelphia, PA 19132, or make a gift online at www.StJamesPhila.org. For more information, speak with Abby Zalimas at church next Sunday, June 9th.



begins on Sunday, June 23rd with a combined service at 9 AM. Sunday Breakfast, the Adult Forum, Sunday School and Children's Chapel will resume in September.



The 2019 Coatesville "Back to School" backpack distribution event will be held on Friday, August 2nd. This year, it is our goal to distribute 1,500 bookbags filled with age-appropriate school supplies to students in our community in order to prepare them for a successful start to the 2019-20 school year. You can help make this event a success by providing filled book bags (shopping supply list will be provided), donating financially to help cover the cost of the event, volunteering beforehand to prepare donated bookbags, and/or volunteering during the event. Please see <https://coatesvillebacktoschool.org> or contact Deedee McPeak at deedee.mcpeak@outlook.com for more information.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Women's Group W3	Saturdays, June 8 & 22 ~ 9am
Vestry Meeting	Monday, June 10 ~ 7pm
Juneteenth Celebration	Friday, June 14 ~ 7:30pm
Men's Bible Study	Saturday, June 15 ~ 7:30am
Women's Writing Circle	Saturday, June 15 ~ 9am
Golden Girls Luncheon	Monday, June 17 ~ 12:30pm
Frizzled Hens	Wednesday, June 19 ~ 7:30pm



St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Exton

The Reverend Maxine Maddox Dornemann, *Rector*
Peggy LaGarde, *Rector's Warden* ~ Kedron Miller, *Organist & Choir Director*
Kathryn West, *Office Administrator* ~ Paul Heinmiller, *Treasurer*
Karen Kowalewski, *Accounting Warden* ~ Greg LeBlanc, *Auditor*
John Gillespie, *Property Chair* ~ Sarah Freed, *Dir. Communications*
Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 9:30 am—2:30 pm; Friday 9:30 am—1:30 pm



Seventh Sunday of Easter

June 2, 2019

THE GLORY THAT YOU HAVE GIVEN ME
I HAVE GIVEN TO THEM
THAT THEY MAY BE ONE EVEN AS
WE ARE ONE.



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"How good it is to sing praises to our God!" Psalm 47: 1
 Welcome! We are happy to have you worship with us. Please be sure to ask an usher for our **Welcome Packet** before you leave today. If you have restless little ones, child care is provided in the Nursery in the Lockwood-Reilly Building. You may also make use of the rocking chair and soft toys in the Narthex.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
HOLY EUCHARIST Rite I: 8 AM ~ Rite II: 10:30 AM

PRELUDE

ENTRANCE HYMN *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* Hymnal 450

GLORIA

Glory be to God in heaven,
 songs of joy and peace we bring,
 thankful hearts and voices raising,
 to creation's Lord we sing:
 Lord, we thank you,
 Lord, we bless you,
 glory be to God our King.
 Lamb of God, who on your shoulders
 bore the load of this world's sin,
 only Son of God the Father,

you have brought us peace within:
 Lord, have mercy, Christ have mercy,
 Now your glorious reign begin.
 You, O Son of God, are holy,
 you we praise with one accord;
 None in heav'n or earth is like you,
 only you are Christ the Lord
 with the Father, and the Spirit,
 Ever worshipped and adored.

COLLECT *See Insert*

~ Children leave for Children's Chapel ~

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING Acts 16:16-34 *See Insert*

This reading tells of the imprisonment of Paul and Silas after Paul had healed a slave girl who was possessed by a spirit. This is among a series of many adventures that happened to Paul in his missionary work. It illustrates both his fortitude and the manner in which he seized every opportunity to spread the gospel.

PSALM 97 *See Insert*

SECOND READING Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21 *See Insert*

In his final vision John the Seer pictures the glorious Lord Jesus coming to judge and to save. The passage closes with one of Christianity's oldest prayers: "Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!"

SEQUENCE HYMN *O Christ the Word Incarnate* Hymnal 632
 (vv. 1-2 before the Gospel, v. 3 after)

GOSPEL John 17:20-26 *See Insert*

SERMON The Rev. Maxine Dornemann

NICENE CREED *Rite I* BCP 326
Rite II BCP 358

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE *See opposite page*

THE PEACE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *What Brings Us Together* Jay Althouse
 Adult Choir

DOXOLOGY Hymnal 380 (v. 3)

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING *Rite I* BCP 340
 EUCHARISTIC PRAYER *Rite II* BCP 369

SANCTUS Hymnal S128

THE LORD'S PRAYER *Rite I* BCP 336
Rite II BCP 364

BREAKING OF THE BREAD *Rite I* BCP 337
Rite II BCP 364

FRACTION ANTHEM Hymnal S171

HOLY COMMUNION
Everyone who is hungry for spiritual food is welcome to be fed at this altar.

COMMUNION HYMN *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus* LEV 108

POST COMMUNION PRAYER *Rite I* BCP 339
Rite II BCP 366

BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN *Crown Him with Many Crowns* Hymnal 494

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

* Please return your nametags to the designated baskets.*

Listen live to Sunday worship; visit <http://stpaulsexton.com/stream/>



The altar flowers are given by the LeBlanc Family
 in celebration of Max's 13th birthday today.



SERVING AT THE LITURGY

Officiant The Rev. Maxine Dornemann
Organist Kedron Miller



Ushers

Peggy LaGarde & Kristy Grekila 8:00
 Dave & Donna Maier 10:30

Acolytes

Brady McSwain, Nancy McSwain,
 Billy McSwain & Ethan Dewees

Eucharistic Ministers

Jeff Sivek 8:00
 Nancy Pollock, Mark Greenawalt
 & Susan Mislick 10:30

Lectors

A. Christensen & Peggy LaGarde 8:00
 Susie Banet & Donna Maier 10:30

Communion Bread Baker

Barbara Painter

Breakfast Team

St. Lucy
 Alice Banet, Team Leader

Counters

Greg LeBlanc

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

You have healed us and called us to walk in your ways, O God: Hear our prayers for your whole creation, as we pray: Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous; and give thanks to his holy Name.

You have freed and empowered your Church and stirred us to action in your loving name. Guide the work of our leaders, especially our Presiding Bishop Michael, our Diocesan Bishops Daniel and Rodney, all Priests, Deacons and Lay Ministers, especially those who maintain the Stevick Diocesan Theological Library. Fill our companion Diocese of Guatemala with your life-giving Spirit and bless those who worship in the Church of the Annunciation in Santa Lucia. Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous:

And give thanks to his holy Name.

You lead the nations to walk by the light of your holy city. Inspire all who serve in positions of power or authority, O God, that they may be servants of your healing justice. Cast out fear and trouble from all hearts and lead us ever closer to your generous heart. Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous:

And give thanks to his holy Name.

You bless the world with the light of your countenance: Empower us with your vision, O God, that we may speak to others of your goodness and grace and may draw them into your community. Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous:

And give thanks to his holy Name.

Bless this community of St. Paul's that we might be a conduit of your love and grace. Let your love bind us together in the communion of the Holy Spirit that our actions and ministries would be pleasing to you. Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous:

And give thanks to his holy Name.

Holy Lord, you are the root and the descendent of David, the bright morning star. Comfort those in need under the shade of the tree of life, especially those on our prayer list. I invite your own petitions at this time, either silently or aloud. Hear our thanksgiving and praise for all of your blessings, especially on the occasion of Max LeBlanc's 13th Birthday. The altar flowers are given by his parents in celebration. Bring into your eternal presence those who have died and write their names into the Lamb's book of life, especially Joel Goodman. Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous:

And give thanks to his holy Name.

You have given us a vision of the holy city where you, O God, will be our temple and our light, and the Lamb will be our lamp: Strengthen and empower us with your Spirit that we may live in your love and dwell in your peace until all the ends of the earth stand in awe of you, for ever and ever. **Amen.**



Please include the following parishioners in your prayers:

Veronica Grosch, Alex, Dolores Berridge, Peter Liebert, Michael Tate, Olivia, Paul Getman, Sarah Farrugia, Debbie Markowitz, Paul Longua, Marion Goodman, Michael Dockery, Esther Dusinger

Please keep these families & friends of our parishioners in your prayers:

Candy Jones, Chris Lance, Logan Dayton, Billie, Debbi J., Pastor Ebot Jumo, Cindy Ziegler, Marna Keller, Rose Wall, Debbie P., Dylan S, Barbara Zahay, Denise Acker-Kalata, Charlie Detweiler, Bob Kissane, Patricia Patton, Christina, Amy Teodecki, Evelyn Teodecki-Lotti, Dominic Perrini, Anne Damon, Family of Joel Goodman, Linda Holmes, Karen & Richard Lombardi, Mary Mingle, Allen Smith, the Lofgren family

If you would like to add a loved one or friend to the prayer chain, please contact Peggy LaGarde at marlag56@gmail.com or 484 459 8078.