

A WARM WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S

AT CAPITAL SQUARE, RICHMOND, VA

PROCLAIMING CHRIST IN THE HEART OF THE CITY

GRACE NOTES

UPDATES ON WORSHIP, FELLOWSHIP, EDUCATION, AND
OUR FAITH IN ACTION AT ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
AUGUST 8, 2010

Welcome to St. Paul's Episcopal Church! We are grateful to all who worship and celebrate with us this Sunday. St. Paul's welcomes people of all faiths and perspectives and we invite you to share in our commitment to create a more hopeful and compassionate world. For more information about the notes in this bulletin or any other matter, please feel free to email us at stpauls@stpauls-episcopal.org, call the church offices at 643-3589 or visit us online at www.stpauls-episcopal.org. Thank you again for your presence and prayers as we carry out our ministry of proclaiming Christ in the heart of the city!

LITURGICAL TIDBIT: FROM MANY TO ONE TO MANY

You can read the "liturgical tidbits" from past weeks online at:
www.stpauls-episcopal.org/elevation.

Prior to the 16th Century and the Reformation, there were innumerable ways that the Western (European) Church celebrated Eucharist. Then, during the Reformation, each new denomination that formed would establish its own unique way to worship. Anglican worship took a distinctive form when Thomas Cranmer wrote the first English Prayer Book. Soon after that publication, the Roman Catholic Church wrote their own Latin Missal at the Council of Trent, resulting in a single Mass that was used world wide for about 400 years, until 1965.

The first Anglicans to break away from the Church of England and create their own liturgy were those in the United States, who did so soon after Independence. That is the way it stayed until the last half of the 20th Century when still other new liturgies began to appear. The Roman Catholic and the Anglican churches developed liturgies in the various languages and branches of the church. Many Anglican Provinces developed multiple versions. The 1979 American Episcopal *Book of Common Prayer (BCP)* has six forms for the Great Thanksgiving compared to one form in the 1928 *BCP*. The *BCP* supplement, *Enriching our Worship*, which we use at the 10 a.m. service, has three more forms.

Though there are many forms of The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharist everywhere, and throughout history includes these four actions: (1) taking, (2) blessing, (3) breaking or pouring and (4) distributing the bread and wine, the body and blood of Christ, echoing the action of Jesus at the Last Supper.



TODAY ON GRACE STREET

LEMONADE & COOKIES This summer, please enjoy lemonade and cookies in the Memorial Garden after both services.

TODAY'S FEATURED GROUP: MICAH MENTORS & MENTEES

Greeters, readers and other lay ministers at the 10 a.m. service today are drawn from those who support our Micah ministry by volunteering their time and talents to the members of the Woodville Elementary School community and alumni. Assisting them are some of the students of Woodville Elementary.

REGISTER YOUR CHILD(REN) FOR CHURCH SCHOOL

Please visit the Gathering Space to fill out a form after church or visit the St. Paul's Web site to register your child(ren) for church school and other children's activities this fall. The form is available from the homepage and from the "Children's Education" section of "Education." Everyone is asked complete a form for their 5th

graders and younger. This helps ensure we have accurate records. Questions? Please contact Leslie Choplin, 545-5418 or lchoplin@stpauls-episcopal.org.



DEBRIEF: MCV & ST. PAUL'S SUMMER PARTNERSHIP As the summer MCV Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) program winds down, we would like to thank the students and St. Paul's members who participated. We will have a brief review of the experience today after the 10 a.m. service in the Norwood Room.



FLOWERS THIS SUNDAY

Altar flowers in loving memory of
Mr. & Mrs. Herman Mensing and Charles L. Sale, Jr.

The Altar Guild Chair August 7 - 8 is Mary Holly Bigelow.



PRAYERS OF ST. PAUL'S

For Rowan, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Katharine, our Presiding Bishop; Shannon and David, our bishops; Wallace, Kate, Fletcher, Bill, Ben, Gene and Roger, our clergy; for all the people of St. Paul's; and for the clergy and congregations of Christ Church (Middlesex) and Vauter's Church (Loretto)

For all those people who make up the Woodville community, especially for parents, children, teachers; we give thanks for the ministry of all those who offer their gifts of learning, love, energy, time and compassion to the members of the Woodville community

For the Clinical Pastoral Education program and all who participated in it, especially students Katie Boykin, Sheryl Johnson, Herbert Jones, and Joshua Trautman

For all who suffer from any illness, grief or trouble, especially Betty Currin, Ronda Ferdinand, Sally Anna Evans, Callie Proctor, Neal Shingleton, Barry Kirkpatrick, Bill Manning, Lynn Evans, and Xavier Blackman; for Semora Killings, Joyce Glover, Helen McDonald, Elizabeth Barmer, Chris Tompkins, Ellen Boyd & Bill Miller, Susan Pastore, Nancy & Jim Todd, and Henry Martin

Give to the dying peace and a holy death and uphold by the grace and consolation of your Holy Spirit those who are grieving, especially Brianna Pizzino and her family

For all those in our Armed Forces, especially: Matthew M.C. Smith, Sean Breit-Rupe, Ed Ledford, Justin Mayer, Tom Booker, and Robert Bertrand

For the workplaces and businesses of Metropolitan Richmond: For owners and managers, for servant leadership, civic responsibility and ethical decision-making

For all the baptized in their daily work, especially those of our congregation and community who are in accounting, including accountants, bookkeepers, and support staff

EDUCATION & MINISTRY

TUESDAY THEOLOGY ON TAP is **August 10 at 6:00 p.m.** We will gather at Capital Ale House for a discussion of an article published in the *Washington Post's* Sunday Outlook section. Please sign up with Leslie Choplin, 545-5418 to receive the reading. Wondering what this discussion is like? Ask any of those who attended our first gathering in July: Jeff Sadler, Lew and Barbara Holley, Dick Carlton, Janet Schwarz, Brian Levey and J.J. Flores.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT THIS FRIDAY Join us for pizza, a movie, and reflection this **Friday, August 13 (Up)** and next **Friday, August 20** (Viewer's choice), 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. \$5 per family. Please sign up with Leslie Choplin, 545-5418 or lchoplin@stpauls-episcopal.org, by the day you plan to attend.



NEXT SUNDAY: DISCUSSION GROUP FOR OUR SUMMER "PARISH READ" This summer, as a parish, we are reading *The Great Emergence* by Phyllis Tickle. The Rev. Wallace Adams-Riley and Bryan Appel led an excellent group discussion about the book last Wednesday. The Rev. Kate Jenkins and Leslie Choplin will lead our discussion on **Sun., Aug. 15**, from 8:30 a.m. - 10 a.m. Coffee and continental breakfast will be provided. Questions? Contact Leslie Choplin at 545-5418.

LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MEN AND WOMEN FOR THE FALL Teachers and Shepherds are needed for Children's Church School this fall. This ministry is a wonderful opportunity to engage with the children and adults in our church community. Adults explore scripture, church history and liturgy in new ways to help children engage in the material creatively. We have a group of talented, thoughtful and fun kids who are a joy to work with. There is a one semester commitment (Sept. 19-Dec. 19 and/ or Jan. 9-May 22) for Shepherds and Pre-school teachers; and a three-week commitment for the Rotation teachers. Contact Christie Montgomery, christie.montgomery@lexisnexus.com or 878-8612.



FAITH IN ACTION

LOOKING FOR A SUMMER FAMILY OUTREACH PROJECT? Come help with the Emmaus lunch on **Thursday, August 12**. Young children help cook. Older children help cook and serve. Please bring a hat for hygiene. Please arrive at 9:30 a.m. Sign up with Leslie Choplin, 545-5418, or Jenny Bliley, 545-5416.

THANK YOU SUMMER CAMP VOLUNTEERS Thanks to our sixth-week (Jul. 25 - 31) volunteers riding the van with students going to and from Micah summer camps: **Susan Brooks, Al Lacy, Page & Adrian Luxmoore, Tricia & Josiah Pearsall, and Jane & Bill Reeves**. With your help, 77 students attended 9 camps that week! We're especially excited that ten students attended camps through our newest partner, The Steward School. Five students attended Steward School Cheerleading Camp and five attended Steward School Football Camp.

THANKS TO OUR EMMAUS/POINT-IN-TIME COUNT VOLUNTEERS LAST WEEK

Special thanks to all those who volunteered during the Homeward Point-in-Time Count and Service Fair last Thursday, July 29 at St. Paul's. We'd like to specially recognize our first-time volunteers: Roger and Sandra Whitfield, Suzanne Spooner-Munch, Michelle Whitehurst-Cook, and Chris Hilbert. During the lunch and service fair, 279 guests received a hot lunch; 52 haircuts were provided; 14 confidential HIV screenings; and 15 free glaucoma screenings.



AUGUST SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE FOR WOODVILLE St. Paul's is collecting school supplies for students at Woodville Elementary School and items purchased today are tax free! Most needed items are packs of computer paper, composition books, pencil boxes, crayons, and glue sticks. Drop them off with Betsy Carr at St. Paul's or email Carol Sabatino, csabatino@cisofrichmond.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY THIS WEEK St. Paul's clergy and caring groups provide pastoral care around the clock. If you or someone you know needs help, the **Pastoral Caregiver on Duty August 9 - 15 is Sally Ray Griffith (285-7124)**. In an emergency, call The Rev. Kate Jenkins at (804) 836-5109.

FREE GUIDED TOURS OF ST. PAUL'S Thanks to our tour guide ministry, every Sunday, following the 10 a.m. service, a parish member will be at the front of the church to meet all those interested in the history, art and architecture of St. Paul's. Questions? Contact **Mary Fran Lowe**, mfranlowe@aol.com.

ARE YOU CALLED BY THE SPIRIT INTO A HEALING MINISTRY? This summer, we offer the laying on of hands for healing at the 10 am service. If you feel called to assist in this ministry, please contact **The Rev. Roger M. Robillard** at rev@cheerful.com or 737-6685. There's still another month left this summer! Thank you for your interest in this outreach to those who seek healing in Christ.

NOONDAY PRAYERS AND COMMUNION This 20-minute service takes place weekdays (Monday - Friday) at 12:05 in the Chapel (enter on 9th Street). Our Wednesday service includes healing prayers and the Thursday service is a Celtic-style liturgy. Questions? contact The Rev. Fletcher Lowe (jflowe@aol.com).



COMING UP ON GRACE STREET

Downtown Ministry on Weekdays (Monday - Friday)
Noonday Prayers & Communion (Chapel) 12:05 p.m.

<i>Tuesday</i> 8/10	7:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Reflection & Prayer in the Library Weekly AlAnon Meeting in the Undercroft Leslie & Bryan's Excellent Adventure (off-site) Theology on Tap at Capital Ale House St. Paul's Book Group at Home of Anne Repp
<i>Thursday</i> 8/12	9:00 a.m. 12:05 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	Emmaus Children & Youth Volunteer Day * Prepare/Serve Walk-In Lunch in Parish Hall Weekly AA Meeting in the Undercroft Leslie & Bryan's Excellent Adventure (off-site)
<i>Friday</i> 8/13	6:00 p.m.	Family Movie Night in Parish Hall
<i>Sunday</i> 8/15	THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST	
	8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	8:30 a.m.	Parish Read Book Discussion & Continental Breakfast in the Norwood Room
	9:00 a.m.	Lemonade & Cookies in the Memorial Garden
	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist with Choir
	11:15 a.m.	Lemonade & Cookies in the Memorial Garden
	5:00 p.m.	Sunday Wind Down with the Eightfifteen Squirrels vs. Sea Dogs at The Diamond

SAVE THE DATE

- Fri., Aug. 20: Family Movie Night (*Viewers' Choice*), 6 p.m.
- Mon., Aug. 23: Global Missions/MDG Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
- Sat., Aug. 28: Sabbath Retreat at Roslyn for Youth Mentors & Children's Volunteers, 9 a.m.
- Fri., Sept. 10: Remembering 9/11 Prayer Service, 12:05 p.m.
- Sun., Sept. 12: Homecoming Sunday, Combined 10 a.m. Service
- Fri., Sept. 17: Eyes on Richmond 2010 Season Begins, 12:30 p.m.

Check www.stpauls-episcopal.org for additional calendar updates.

A VOICE FROM THE PEW

If you would like to share your reflections, ideas, or suggestions, learn more about or volunteer with any of our ministries, request a prayer, or simply let us know you visited, you are welcome to **contact us** in any of the following ways:

- Submit the below **Tear-off Sheet**
- **Email us** at: stpauls@stpauls-episcopal.org
- **Call us** at: (804) 643-3589
- **Write us** at: 815 East Grace Street, Richmond, VA 23219
- **Speak with** Wallace, Kate, any of the Vestry or St. Paul's staff, **in person**

Your St. Paul's "To-Do List" may give you some ideas for your tear-off sheet.

"MY" ST. PAUL'S TO-DO LIST

(Use the Tear-off Sheet below to complete your list)

- Join us for **Lemonade & Cookies in the Memorial Garden** after church
- Take a **Tour of St. Paul's** led by a member of our Tour Guide Ministry
- **Register your child(ren)** for Church School (5th graders and younger)
- Ask one of today's lay ministers about **Volunteering with Micah this Fall**
- Join the **St. Paul's Book Group** or **Theology on Tap** this Tuesday
- Parents: Attend our **Friday Family Movie Night** this Friday (watching *Up*)
- 20- and 30-somethings: **RSVP for the Sunday Wind Down** next Sunday

-----TEAR-OFF-----

"A Voice From the Pew" Tear-Off

Please tear off & place in the alms basin or give to the celebrant

Your Name _____
tel _____ e-mail _____ date _____

Sign-up for: ministry / event / function:

Thoughts:

Comments / suggestion / sermon request / hymn you'd like to sing / info needed:

Message: _____

Prayer Request:

check: ___ for printing in bulletin (4 weeks) (w/permission)
 ___ for the "St. Paul's Prayers", a prayer chain
 (StPPrayers@aol.com) (6 weeks)

Name: _____

Reason (i.e., ill, hospitalized, death in family, etc.):

Is this person a relative _____?

GROUPS & ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

ST. PAUL'S MONTHLY BOOK GROUP The St. Paul's Book Group selection for August is *Olive Kitteridge* by Elizabeth Strout. Anne Repp will host the meeting on **Tuesday, August 10, 7:30 p.m.** Her address is 2221 Monument Ave. RSVP to Anne at 355-3804. Questions? Contact Phil Schwarz at pjshcwar@vcu.edu.



HOMERUNS AND CRACKER JACKS WITH THE EIGHTFIFTEEN AND THE FLYING SQUIRRELS All 20- and 30-somethings are invited to join us for the Sunday Wind Down on **Sunday, August 15** when the Richmond Flying Squirrels take on the Portland Sea Dogs. Sign up with Leslie Choplin, lchoplin@stpauls-episcopal.org or 545-5418, by Wed., Aug. 11. \$7 per person.

SOCIAL NETWORKING & ST. PAUL'S Are you on Facebook? If so, join the St. Paul's community by searching St. Paul's Episcopal Church (Richmond, VA). Share prayers, photos, and updates with fellow parishioners and friends of St. Paul's. St. Paul's is also on Twitter at www.twitter.com/stpaulsrva.

THANK YOU TO OUR WORSHIP MINISTRIES & SUPPORT TEAMS

Thank you to all those in our worship ministries and support teams whose contributions year-round are invaluable. In particular, we are grateful to our music directors, liturgical coordinators, choirs, lectors, lay eucharistic ministers, lay eucharistic visitors, prayer leaders, acolytes, greeters, ushers, altar guild, and those administering Godly Play and the Children's led worship. To get involved, call the church at 643-3589.



ST. PAUL'S CLERGY, STAFF & LAY LEADERS

CLERGY

The Rev. D. Wallace Adams-Riley, Rector
The Rev. Kate Jenkins, Associate Rector

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

John Hirschman,
Director of Administration and Finance
Aliesha Hart, Financial Administrator
Margaret Rush, Executive Assistant to the Rector
Kathy Coleman, Parish Secretary
Mimi Berry, Parish Receptionist
Kimberly Allen, Communications Director
Linda Pitts, Facilities Manager
Butch Griner, Kitchen Manager
John Royall, Sexton
Deon Harrison, Sexton

PROGRAM STAFF

David Sinden, Minister of Music
Karen Harris, Assistant Organist
Leslie Choplin, Minister of Christian Formation
Bryan Appel, Youth Minister
Betsy Carr, Outreach Director
Jenny Bliley, Social Worker at St. Paul's
Carol Sabatino, Social Worker at Woodville

PRIESTS-IN-RESIDENCE

The Rev. Ben Campbell
The Rev. Canon Fletcher Lowe
The Rev. Gene Moritz
The Rev. Bill Reeves
The Rev. Roger Robillard

VESTRY

Wilson Whitehurst (Senior Warden)
Doug Callaway (Junior Warden)
Joyce Smith (Treasurer)
Helen Ilnicky (Registrar)
Charlie Diradour (Class of 2011)
David Wofford (Class of 2011)
Christie Montgomery (Class of 2011)
Jane Baird (Class of 2012)
Scott Carr (Class of 2012)
John Davis (Class of 2012)
Scott Sirls (Class of 2012)
Harry Burt (Class of 2013)
Dick Ritsch (Class of 2013)
Anne Rusbuldt (Class of 2013)
Don Switz (Class of 2013)
Jean White (Class of 2013)

ARE YOU RECEIVING WALLACE'S WEEKLY E-MESSAGE? To sign up to receive "A Word from Grace Street," a weekly theological reflection from The Rev. D. Wallace Adams-Riley, and other electronic messages, call 545-5405, email kallen@stpauls-episcopal.org, or sign up in the Gathering Space.

DO YOU HAVE A ST. PAUL'S ANNOUNCEMENT? Email Kimberly Allen at kallen@stpauls-episcopal.org or call 545-5405. Deadline is Tuesdays at 5pm.