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The Newsletter of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Syracuse

SUMMER ISSUE



St. Paul's Altar Guild

Back Row L to R: Tim Schmidt, DJ Igelsrud, Harry Lambright, Nancy Lambright

Front Row: Ruth Brown, Georgette Schmidt, Julia Fine

*No Matter Who You Are, Or Where You Have Been,
There Is A Place For You At St. Paul's*

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TIME FOR REST

by Fr. Philip

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude.

And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day.

So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.

Genesis 2:1-3

Two years ago we began adding a new section to our weekly service leaflet. It's called *What is the Reason? Understanding Episcopal Liturgy*. Each week I devote a few sentences or paragraphs to answering some sort of question about our worship service. These articles have been popular with our members, and I learn more about each topic as I do research for the answers.

The strange thing is that I never considered adding such a feature to our weekly service leaflet until two years ago. The idea just never occurred to me until the middle of July, 2022. The idea came to my mind as I was hiking through the Jungfrau region of Switzerland. I had come down from the high mountain regions and was walking through the town of Lauterbrunnen.

It was a beautiful summer day, a Sunday, and there were throngs of people walking through the town. I had spent nine weeks travelling through Europe, and this was my ninth Sunday away from St. Paul's. Not only that, this was my ninth Sunday of not attending church, of being in art museums, hiking mountain trails, and sitting in coffee shops instead of being in church.

As you may know, attendance at church services is much lower in most parts of Europe than in the United States. I was not surprised to see that the streets were packed with people, very few of them having any thought of attending a church service. I sat down at a picnic bench to eat my lunch and watched the people go by. That's when I began to grasp a simple fact of our world. Few of the people walking past me would understand much of anything about our worship services if they happened to step into my normal Sunday place: St. Paul's.

During the next days, I began to think about the fact that, even in the United States, where church attendance is higher, most people outside of the Episcopal, Lutheran, and Roman Catholic Churches would not have much understanding of our worship practices. By the time I landed back in Syracuse I was thinking about the fact that many people in our congregation might not have much understanding of the reasons for our worship practices. I realized it might be helpful to offer some explanations.

I'm pretty sure I would not have come to this realization if I hadn't taken some time for rest. I had to stop working for a while in order to understand one of the most important things about my 'work'.

The same thing is true for you. Whether your routine involves travelling to an office to work for eight hours, or spending an hour or two laboring in your garden, or attending the weekly rehearsal of your music group, each of us needs times when we take a break from our routines and rest.

In Holy Scripture we learn that rest is sacred time. The world around us gives us the message we are valued for what we do, for what we accomplish, but in our church community we tell a different story. Each one of us is valued for our being. As a parent loves their child just for being there with them, God loves you simply for your being, for your presence in the world. Following God's example, we strive to be the community where each person is treasured simply for being present.

Philip +

SENIOR WARDEN'S REPORT

by Marion Greenhalgh



Flower Memorials

Starting in September 2024, we will start doing something new for St. Paul's concerning our beautiful flower arrangements and memorials to loved ones.

I will be developing a sign-up sheet for those who would like to have the Flower Guild dedicate an arrangement for a memorial or remembrance on a specific Sunday of the year. It will be similar to the sign-up Tom Cantwell, and others, use for Sunday hospitality, and will be located in a similar location.



If you desire a specific color(s) and/or flower(s), there will be space for you to indicate that, but it is not a requirement. For your information, blues and purples do not show up well on the altar, and if the flower is out of season, it may be impossible to get. This may not be possible on some days that a certain color/arrangement is to be used for a certain service, such as Christmas, Easter and Palm Sunday. I will indicate that on the sign-up. I will also show specific days dedicated to recurring memorials.

A \$50 minimum charge is being requested to cover the cost of the flowers. Should you have any questions, please talk to me or Jim Potts.

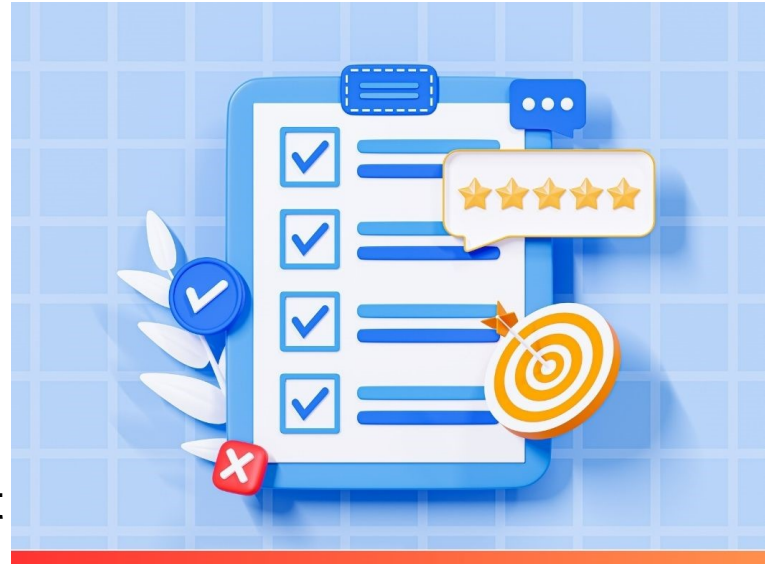
LUNCH AT THE CAVALRY CLUB

June 15



LOOKING AHEAD TO SEPTEMBER

by Fr. Philip



It's been more than three years since we have conducted a congregational survey. Your Executive Ministry Team (Marion, Joe, Doug, Liz, Kira, Jeanne, Laurie, Betsy, and Philip) decided this September might be a good time to ask for your thoughts about life at St. Paul's.

We are hard at work crafting 30 questions to ask our members for a comprehensive survey of Worship, Formation, Fellowship, Pastoral Care, and Mission & Service activities at St. Paul's.

Some of the questions are practical, such as, where would you like to hold fellowship hour when all of the construction is finished? Some of the questions are more subjective and spiritual in nature, such as, which parts of worship are consistently meaningful for you? Some of the questions are multiple choice and some are open response.

The survey is intended to be completed anonymously, although you will find a place at the end where you have the option of adding your name to your survey. The survey will be available in an online format and in a paper and pencil format. For our lay leaders and our staff, it's a large task to create a comprehensive survey such as this, so we will be publishing our St. Paul's 2024 Survey in place of the September edition of *The Courier*.

I trust you will devote 20-30 minutes to read and answer the questions on the survey when it is published in September. It might be most helpful to think of your responses, not as your votes on any particular issue, but as your story of your experience at St. Paul's. When we have collected all of these unique, personal stories your Executive Ministry Team (Marion, Joe, Doug, Liz, Kira, Jeanne, Laurie, Betsy, and Philip) will read each and every one and look for patterns and information in the responses. We'll report back to you about what we have learned. Then we'll use this information to help guide many of our decisions for the next 2-5 years.



JUNIOR WARDEN'S REPORT

by Joe Moorman



At the recent Southern Baptist Convention in Indianapolis, 61% of delegates voted in favor of a proposal to expand restrictions on women in church leadership. This amendment to the denomination's constitution did not meet the required two-thirds majority threshold for passage and their constitution remained unchanged. Their proposal, to me, is not in the spirit of St. Paul's letter to the Galatians that says "...there is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus." (Galatians 3:28)

In contrast to the Southern Baptists, look at the back page of our weekly service leaflet. You will see the names of women at St. Paul's who fill leadership roles vital to our ongoing mission of teaching, serving, and celebrating Christ. These include:

- Marion Greenhalgh, Senior Warden
- Barbara Bell, Vestry Member
- Jeanne Chu, Vestry Member
- Ieva Doyle, Vestry Member
- Jeanne Avery, Children's Ministry Leader & Formation Ministry Team Convener
- Kira Dirghalli, Pastoral Care Team Leader
- Elizabeth Belden-Handler, Community Fellowship Ministry Convener
- Laurie Sanderson, Worship Ministry Team Convener
- Betsy Elkins, Mission and Service Team Convener
- Judy McAdoo-Pelton, Operations Manager

As you look around the church and Parish House and see construction underway, or watch the video updates on the website, realize that the Open Doors Project would not be up and running without the leadership of a group of highly talented women. Three in particular have devoted many hundreds of hours to the effort: Rebecca Livengood initiated and led the task force for ten years, Cathy Wolff is co-chair of our highly successful capital campaign, and Betsy Elkins, in addition to her other roles, is the de facto leader for St. Paul's as we negotiate all aspects of the construction process.

There are many other women I have not mentioned; women who make valuable contributions to worship, service, and outreach at St. Paul's. But I hope we can all appreciate that St. Paul's would not be what it is today without the faith and industry of women throughout all of its nearly two hundred year history.

Did You Know?

St. Paul's website has a live calendar and a list of special upcoming events?
Check out this great resource of all things St. Paul's.

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OPEN DOORS CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

by Cathy Wolff

St. Paul's Episcopal Church



OPEN DOORS

Preparing for our
3rd Century of Ministry in Downtown Syracuse NY

Our Open Doors Capital Campaign is rapidly reaching its conclusion. In just 6 weeks we raised \$91,750! Most of that is thanks to the astounding generosity of St. Paul's members. Not only did we meet the \$50,000 challenge, but we exceeded that goal and raised a total of \$83,425 by the deadline of June 30th - \$33,425 of that since May 17th! That earned us an additional \$50,000 from the loyal supporters of St. Paul's for four generations who issued the challenge.

Our partnership with A Tiny Home for Good (ATHFG) generated a \$5,000 grant from the Richard Mather Fund. Andrew Lunetta, ATHFG's executive director, spoke at Christ Church in Manlius in May. As their rector The Rev. Tim Hannon said in a letter to the people of St. Paul's Church in Syracuse, NY, "He (Andrew) lit the fire of the Holy Spirit in us, and our church wanted to find some way to help your wonderful ministry with Andrew." They sent us a check for \$3,275 that represented donations directed to us by members of their parish and a tithe to their Lenten Fish Fry proceeds. He concluded, "Please know that you are also in our prayers. Thank you so much for your important work. You are a light to the world in what you do!"

SUMMER WORSHIP AT ST. PAUL'S

by Fr. Philip

Here are a few notes about our worship this summer at St. Paul's:

- We are meeting for a single worship service at 9:30 from June 30 through September 1.
- I will be away for six Sundays, from July 21-August 25.
- From August 6-11 I will be attending a Continuing Education retreat in Pennsylvania.

The rest of the weeks will be vacation time for me.

- If you've been counting my vacation time this year you will notice there are two extra weeks of vacation; these are weeks of leave time I was not able to take during 2023. (It turns out it's difficult to take a full 13 weeks of sabbatical time while the church is undergoing a \$2.2 million dollar renovation project.)
- During my time away our worship services will be led by the Rev. Georgina Hegney (August 4 & 18) and the Rev. Perry Mouncey (the four remaining Sundays).

At St. Paul's we are blessed to have many experienced, wise leaders to offer sermons. During the six weeks I am away, the Rev. Georgina Hegney, the Rev. Phyllis Palsma, and Susan Wright will be preaching.

COMMON THREADS

by Georgette Schmidt

Common Threads will not be meeting in the summer months. We will begin meeting again in October. For more information contact Georgette Schmidt at gschmidt@twcny.rr.com.



OPEN DOORS CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

by Betsy Elkins

The June Courier provided a comprehensive reference for Open Doors including a construction review and update. This article will describe what has happened since June and what we expect will be happening in the coming months. Work is happening in many areas simultaneously and will speed up as the summer progresses. This is a many faceted and complex project and it is coming together! Be sure you are watching the short videos we are posting on our webpage to document our construction progress.

Elevator construction is a huge part of this project: The elevator tower constructed of concrete blocks has been completed. The construction of the actual elevator takes 11 weeks to manufacture (off site) and 3 weeks to install.

Montgomery Street lobby work has begun. A new (lower) floor is being constructed.

New bathrooms are taking shape. The floors for the new bathrooms adjacent to the Sargent Foyer have been lowered and new floors have been framed and plywood subfloor installed. Rough plumbing and electric are currently being installed.

Window restoration, another huge part of this project continues. All window sashes have been repaired or fabricated and are waiting for paint. Seven of the nine French doors that face Montgomery Street have been fabricated.

Exterior masonry work is ongoing and about half completed.

Roofing will start in July and will take about 40 days to complete.

New fire alarm, security, entrance, and camera systems will be installed throughout our buildings. These new systems will greatly improve our current systems and allow for expansion into A Tiny Home for Good spaces as well as the third-floor apartments. Plans (drawings) for these new systems are currently underway and will be submitted to the City of Syracuse for the appropriate permit to complete this work.

The third-floor apartments will be renovated by Drulyk construction as they work on the rest of Open Doors. 7



The lobby and elevator shaft as of July 2



St. Paul's kitchen as of July 2



CONGRATULATIONS

GENEVIEVE MORROW

David Riding's granddaughter Genevieve Morrow, graduated Cum Laudi from St. Joseph's Nursing School



CONGRATULATIONS

SAMANTHA KAGER

LIAM KAGER

Samantha Kager graduated from Ithaca High School and will attend SUNY Buffalo. Liam Kager graduated from 8th grade. They are the grandchildren of Betsy and Bill Elkins.



CONGRATULATIONS

JOHN JAKE JONES

Wendy and John Jones' grandson, John (Jack) Jake Jones, graduated from St. Andrew's University, Scotland



CONGRATULATIONS

KIRA DIRGHALLI

Kira Dirghalli's granddaughter, also named Kira Dirghalli, graduated from high school in California and has plans to attend UCLA.

CONGRATULATIONS

TOM MAJOR

Tom Major graduated from Union Theological Seminary in NY, and received a Master of Sacred Theology (STM) degree. Tom is pictured here, right before the graduation ceremony in May, with a friend from the STM program.



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR GRADUATES



CONGRATULATIONS

**CAROLINA
CUELLO**

Tim & Georgette Schmidt's granddaughter, Carolina Cuello graduated from Jamesville DeWitt High School. She will be attending SUNY New Paltz in the Fall.



CONGRATULATIONS

**KIRA
LANE**

Kira Lane, daughter of staff member, Derek Lane, graduated from Henninger High School. She hopes to pursue a career as a storm chaser.



CONGRATULATIONS

**VALERIE
WALES**

Valerie Wales, granddaughter of Betsy and Bill Elkins, graduated from Princeton University and will begin working with the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau in Washington DC.



CONGRATULATIONS

**KATHERINE
SANDERSON**

Laurie & Sandy Sanderson's daughter, Katherine, graduated from the nursing program at OCC.



CONGRATULATIONS

**WILLIAM
MOORMAN**

William Moorman, son to Joe Moorman and Katherine Gerard graduated from Dickinson College with a BA in Political Science.



APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS FROM THE NAN DORR ENDOWMENT FUND

The 2023 earnings amount from this Fund - \$6,216.85 is now available. This Fund was set up in 2011 by the Dorr Family in memory of Nan Dorr, a much-loved member of St. Paul's, who died in 2009. The fund is devoted exclusively to the Women of St. Paul's to be used for an annual project or projects for which members of the congregation are asked to submit proposals annually. A small committee is responsible for deciding on the most appropriate projects submitted and these then go to the Finance Committee and finally to the Vestry for their approval.

We are now asking members of the congregation to submit any project(s) they wish to propose and to send them in writing, with detailed specifics of costs, and the name of the person responsible for overseeing the project. We will only consider those items that are special and unusual, and which would not normally be part of the church budget. We also feel that they would be something that Nan Dorr herself would have liked.

The deadline for submission is Monday, July 29, 2024



Once these proposals have been received, a small committee will review them carefully. If you have any questions please contact me at (315) 440 9521.

Please submit your proposal(s) preferably via email to:
whoblynjones@gmail.com

Wendy Hoblyn Jones, Chair of Special Committee



GENERAL CONVENTION

by Fr. Philip



The 81st General Convention of the Episcopal Church was held in Louisville, KY from June 23-28. Here are few notes about the results of the gathering:

- Bishop Sean Rowe (Diocese of NW Pennsylvania) was elected as our new Presiding Bishop. Bishop Rowe will serve a term of nine years, until 2033. Bishop Rowe was elected on the first ballot, and is the youngest person ever elected to the post of Presiding Bishop.
- The state of Wisconsin has been divided into three diocese* for about 140 years. For the past three years the three diocese have been in conversation about the possibility of joining together again as a single diocese. The reunion was approved by the three diocese in March, and by General Convention in Louisville.
- The Episcopal Church created a mission region to serve Episcopalians in the Navajo regions of Utah, New Mexico, and Arizona in 1978, called Navajoland. At this General Convention the Navajoland Region was elevated to the status of being a *Missionary Diocese*. This allows members of the Navajoland Missionary Diocese to elect their own Bishop. The elevation of Navajoland to Missionary Diocese status might be an intermediate step toward the creation of a Navajoland Diocese.
- The state of Michigan has been divided into four diocese for many years. Two of the four diocese, the Diocese of Eastern Michigan and the Diocese of Western Michigan have been exploring the possibility of merging into a single diocese for five years. Their request to be allowed to merge was approved by General Convention.
- Julia Ayala Harris was elected to a second term as President of the House of Deputies.
- General Convention passed a resolution in support of advancing toward full communion with the United Methodist Church. The United Methodists passed a similar resolution at their nation meeting on April 30. Currently, the Episcopal Church is in full communion (meaning clergy are mutually exchangeable) with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, the Moravian Church, and five other denominations.
- Three resolutions addressing the crisis in Gaza were adopted by General Convention.



* *There are two options of words for the plural form of diocese. The author is following an Episcopal tradition where the term 'diocese' can apply to one or more than one diocese. (This is similar to the way the word 'deer' can apply to one deer or to many deer.) In this tradition there is a difference in the pronunciation. A single diocese is pronounced 'die-oh-siss'. Plural diocese are pronounced 'die-oh-seize'.*

WHO WANTS PIZZA?!

**PIZZA SOCIAL FOR THE YMCA SENIORS
WEDNESDAY, JULY 17 AT 11:30 A.M.**

**ST. PAUL'S WILL HOST A PIZZA SOCIAL AT THE
SENIOR RESIDENCE AT THE YMCA 330
MONTGOMERY STREET ON WEDNESDAY JULY 17
STARTING AT 11:30 A.M. IF YOU LIKE TO EAT
PIZZA AND WOULD LIKE TO MEET SOME OF OUR
DOWNTOWN NEIGHBORS, THEN COME JOIN IN
THE FUN AT THIS SOCIAL.**

**PLEASE CONTACT DEBBIE BOGAN FOR DETAILS
ON THE EVENT.**



APPLIANCES AVAILABLE by Betsy Elkins

The Open Doors Project Management Task Force has decided that the large commercial refrigerator and the freezer which have been in the kitchen for years should be replaced with a single, more energy efficient and serviceable residential refrigerator when we put our kitchen back together later this year. If anyone is interested in either of these appliances or knows someone who might be, please speak with Betsy Elkins for more details.





A TINY HOME FOR GOOD

by Betsy Elkins



On Sunday June 23 Andrew Lunetta, Executive Director of A Tiny Home for Good offered an inspiring presentation to both the 8 and 10 a.m. services. He spoke of the goals of A Tiny Home for Good, what the organization is doing in the community, and how excited he is to be partnering with St Paul's. His presentation was filmed and will be available on our website soon.

While Open Doors construction progresses, A Tiny Home for Good is raising the funds they need and preparing construction drawings for the second floor of our parish house where they will build 10 apartments when Open Doors is complete. The expectation is that demolition of the second floor will begin in the fall and construction of the apartments in early 2025.

FEMINIST THEOLOGY DAY TRIP FRIDAY, AUGUST 2ND

The Feminist Theology Group is organizing a day trip to Seneca Falls, the birthplace of women's rights.

Contact Laurie Sanderson if you are interested in attending.



THE REV. SARAH PALSMASMA ELECTED VICE-PRESIDENT OF RCA GENERAL SYNOD

by Phyllis Palsma & Fr. Philip

The Reverends Phyllis and Nolan Palsma are ordained Ministers of Word and Sacrament in the Reformed Church in America (RCA). They both retired from active ministry a little over a year ago and became part of the St. Paul's family after moving to their new home in Liverpool. While actively participating in life at St. Paul's, they continue to maintain their ties to the Reformed Church in America.

This past June, the General Synod of the RCA met in Tucson, AZ. The annual RCA General Synod gathering is similar to the Episcopal Church Tri-annual General Convention. Phyllis attended as the appointed Chaplain for this General Synod. Nolan attended as a guest. Their daughter, Rev. Sarah Palsma, co-pastor of New Hope Community Church (RCA) in Powell Ohio since 2011 was a minister delegate.

Like the Episcopal Church, the RCA is in a time of discernment and restructuring. Capable leaders of a younger generation are needed to lead the church into the future. The General Synod affirmed that leadership need when Sarah Palsma was elected as vice president for the coming year.

It is truly an honor for someone to be entrusted with this role of denominational leadership. Needless to say, parental pride was evident as Phyllis and Nolan watched their daughter stand before the Synod as the youngest female vice-president elected in the history of the RCA. The vice president is typically the sole nominee for president the following year, meaning Sarah will likely preside over the 2026 General Synod. The next two years of General Synod will continue to be historically significant as restructuring recommendations are considered and implemented.

In her acceptance speech, Sarah honored RCA ministers who have shaped her, including her parents, whose names had just been read in a resolution for clergy who retired in 2023.

As she closed, Sarah returned to a Scripture passage she cited in her speech as a vice presidential candidate. "Let us not grow weary in the work that we're called to do, for we will reap the harvest if we do not give up. (Galatians 6:9) Thanks be to God!"



Would You Like to be Added to Our Directory?

If you aren't in our directory and would like to be included, just email the office and we are happy to send you a questionnaire. offices@stpaulsyr.org

Please note: Our church directory is used for church business and is only available to parishioners. Also, when you are added, you may receive an email about 'privacy changes'. Please note that this is an auto generated email and it just means you've been added to our list.


ST. PAUL'S CHURCH DIRECTORY
Getting To Know You

Family Member #1
Name: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Land Line: _____
Email Address: _____
Birthday: _____
(Birth year optional-if a young child, it's helpful to have the year)
Anniversary: _____

Family Member #2
Name: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Land Line: _____
Email Address: _____
Birthday: _____
(Birth year optional-if a young child, it's helpful to have the year)
Anniversary: _____

Family Member #3
Name: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Land Line: _____
Email Address: _____
Birthday: _____
(Birth year optional-if a young child, it's helpful to have the year)
Anniversary: _____

Use the reverse side to add more family members. If you receive an email stating privacy changes, don't worry. It's just an automatic email that goes out when we add you to our directory. We only use your information for church business.

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June 14, 2024

St. Paul's Church
ATTN Reverend Philip Major
310 Montgomery St
Syracuse, NY 13202

Dear Reverend Major,

On behalf of all those benefited, I would like to thank you for your generous support of the meal program here at the Samaritan Center!

Your donation of \$250.00 helps us provide a nutritious, well-prepared and dignified meal daily, without conditions, to men, women and children.

Your involvement makes it possible to offer a place of safety, hope and opportunity to individuals and families struggling with hunger and poverty. It could not happen without you.

I cannot fully express the difference you make in the lives of those we serve through your support and generosity. I can only offer my sincerest thanks and gratitude for your faith in us and the work we do to help those in need.

With deepest appreciation,

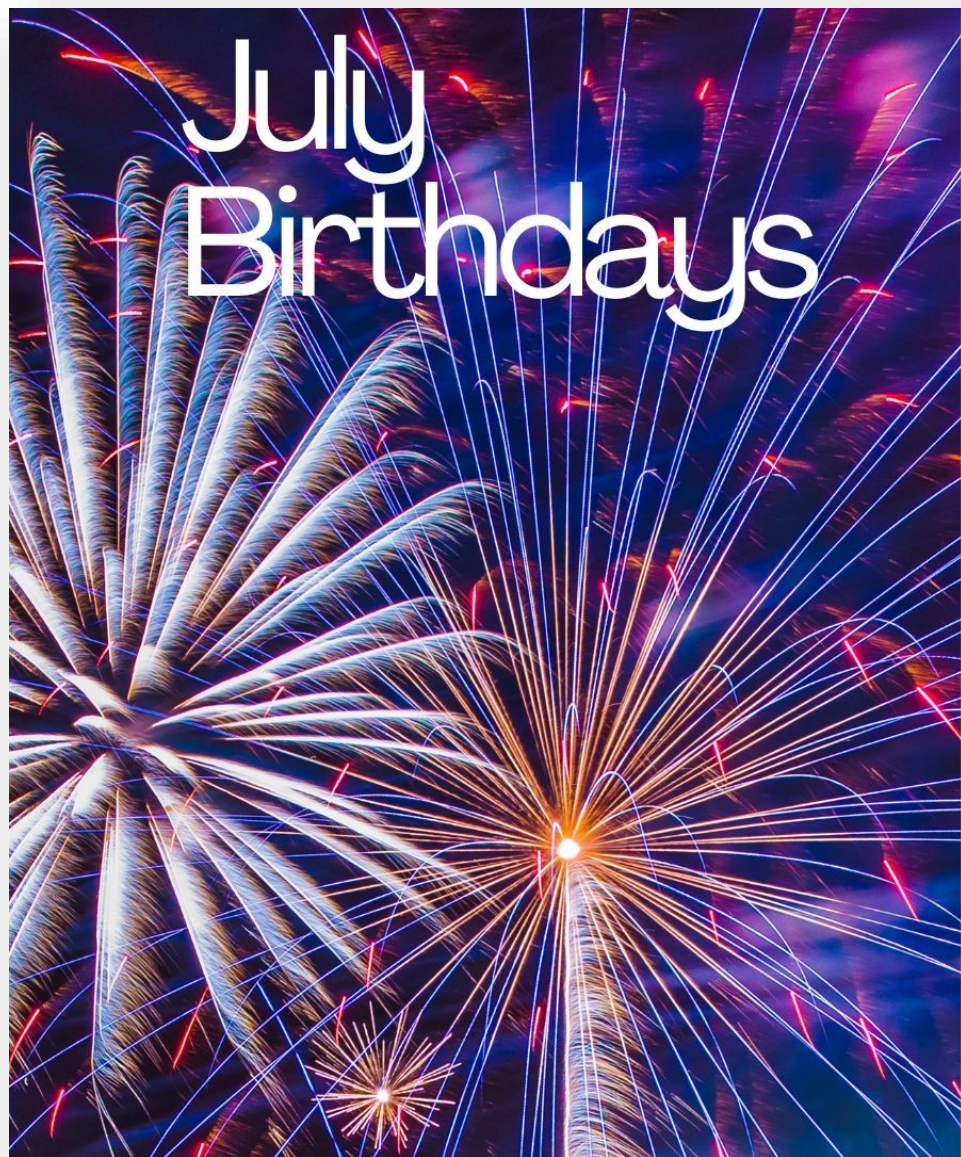
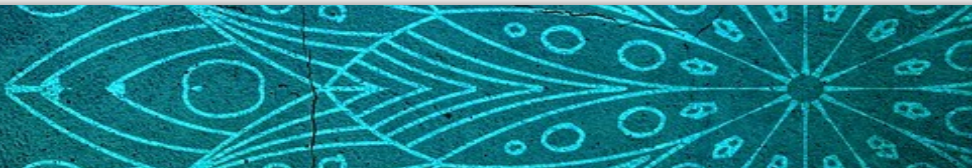


Mary Beth Frey
Executive Director

*Thank you for your
endless support
Keep Cool!*

Your gift to the Samaritan Center is tax deductible. This letter confirms your contribution and that no gifts or services were received in exchange for this gift.





July Birthdays

- TERRI TUTTLE 7/2**
- MARCIA ANDERSON 7/8**
- HARRY LAMBRIGHT 7/9**
- BILL PITCHER 7/12**
- DOUG MOUNCEY 7/13**
- STEVE PEKICH 7/13**
- JANE WOODMAN 7/24**
- SANDI YINGLING 7/24**
- MARK KING 7/25**
- GEORGETTE SCHMIDT 7/26**
- AMANDA FLEDDERJOHANN 7/28**
- JEANNE CHU 7/28**



July Anniversaries



- WILLSON CUMMER & MICHELLE BREIDENBACH
JULY 6**
- JEFF & HARRIET AVERILL
JULY 10**
- SANDY JORDAN-KANDEL & FRED KANDEL
JULY 19**



August Birthdays

THE REV. PHILIP MAJOR 8/11
JOE RUSSO 8/13
JEANNE AVERY 8/18
MAISIE JOHNSON 8/20
CHARLIE JOHNSON 8/24
DAVID MORGAN 8/28
DEBBIE NETTLE 8/28



August Anniversaries

RON & HELEN FERGUSON 8/3
ROY THOMAS & DERINA SAMUEL 8/6
CHRIS & KATHERINE JOHNSON 8/8
JIM & SUSAN MCCLOSKEY 8/9
**REBECCA GRISWOLD & ANTONIO
CARUSO 8/12**
IEVA & JIM DOYLE 8/20
DEBBIE & TOM NETTLE 8/24
NOLAN & PHYLLIS PALSMA 8/25

Have we missed your birthday or anniversary? Please let us know so we can celebrate with you.

JULY CALENDAR



Monday, July 15, 10:00 a.m. Open Doors Capital Campaign—Montgomery Zoom Channel
Tuesday, July 16, 1:00 pm, Open Doors Project Management--Montgomery Zoom Channel
Tuesday, July 16, 7:30 pm, Feminist Theology—Montgomery Zoom Channel
Wednesday, July 17, 11:30 am, YMCA Pizza Social
Wednesday, July 17, 4:30 pm, Contemplative Prayer—Private Zoom Channel
Saturday, July 20, 10:00 am, Open Pantry Drop Off at the East Fayette St Door

Sunday, July 21, 9:30 am, Worship – In Person & Live Stream Single Service with Rev. Perry Mouncey, celebrant
Tuesday, July 23, 1:00 pm, Open Doors Contractor Meeting—Brewster Room
Tuesday, July 23, 5:00 pm, Buildings & Grounds Meeting—Montgomery Zoom
Wednesday, July 24, 4:30 pm, Contemplative Prayer—Private Zoom Channel
Friday through Sunday, July 26-28 Arts and Crafts Festival Downtown

Sunday, July 28, 9:30 am, Worship – In Person & Live Stream Single Service with Rev. Perry Mouncey, celebrant
Wednesday, July 31, 4:30 pm, Contemplative Prayer—Private Zoom Channel

**Always check
St. Paul's website
for the most up to
date calendar.
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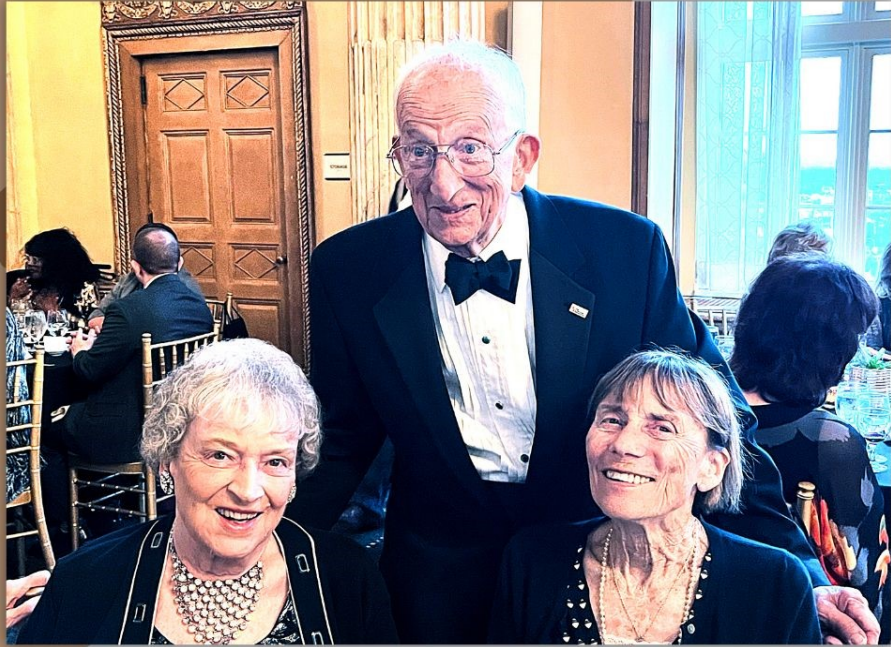
AUGUST CALENDAR

Friday, August 2, TIME TBD, Feminist Theology Field Trip to Seneca Falls
Sunday, August 4, 9:30 am, Worship – In Person & Live Stream Single Service with Rev. Georgina Hegney, celebrant
Monday, August 5, 3:30 pm, Finance Meeting —Montgomery Zoom
Wednesday, August 7, 4:30 pm, Contemplative Prayer—Private Zoom Channel

Sunday, August 11, 9:30 am, Worship – In Person & Live Stream Single Service with the Rev. Perry Mouncey, celebrant
Tuesday, August 13, 5:00 pm, Vestry Meeting—Brewster Room
Wednesday, August 14, 4:30 pm, Contemplative Prayer—Private Zoom Channel
Saturday, August 17,, 10:00 am, Open Pantry Drop Off at the East Fayette St Door

Sunday, August 18, 9:30 am, Worship – In Person & Live Stream Single Service with Rev. Georgina Hegney, celebrant
Monday, August 19, 10:00 a.m. Open Doors Capital Campaign—Montgomery Zoom Channel
Tuesday, August 20, 1:00 pm, Open Doors Project Management--Montgomery Zoom Channel
Wednesday, August 21, 4:30 pm, Contemplative Prayer—Private Zoom Channel

Sunday, August 25, 9:30 am, Worship – In Person & Live Stream Single Service with the Rev. Perry Mouncey, celebrant
Tuesday, August 27, 1:00 pm, Open Doors Contractor Meeting—Brewster Room
Tuesday, August 27, 4:00 pm, Open Doors Steering Committee Celebration
Tuesday, August 27, 5:00 pm, Buildings & Grounds Meeting—Montgomery Zoom
Wednesday, August 28, 4:30 pm, Contemplative Prayer—Private Zoom Channel



David Ridings, Ruth Brown and Kira Dirghalli



Dick Pilgrim and Fr. Philip

The Syracuse Orchestra had a grand gala honoring David Ridings



Betsy Elkins, Tom Cantwell and Bill Elkins



Kathy Major, George & Marcia Anderson



David Webb & Barbara Bell



Jackhammering out the cement pad in the parking lot

Anna Wright Doughty has joined Americorps in Montana, where she'll spend the next five months in Glacier National Park working for the Montana Conservation Corps. Longterm, she's thinking about pursuing a degree in conservation science.

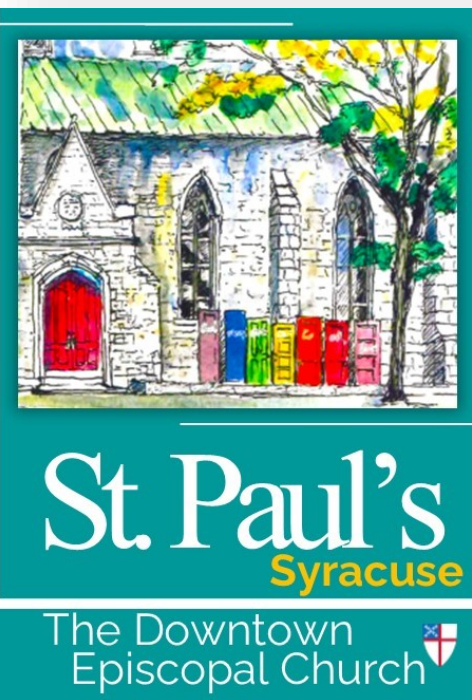


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