Sunday, March 25		
Scripture Readings: Philippians 2:5-11,		
Psalm 22:1	-21, & Mark 14:32-72 15:1-39(40-47)	
All Day	Palm Sunday	
8:00 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.	
10:15 am	Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall	
10:15 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.	
5:00 pm	Middle School Youth	
Monday, March 26		
8:00 am	Centering Prayer	
10:00 am	AA	
12:00 pm	Holy Eucharist Service- CB	
7:00 pm	Venture Crew	
7:00 pm	AA	
Tuesday, March 27		
12:00 pm	Holy Eucharist Service- CB	
6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 730	
7:00 pm	Men's Bible Study	
Wednesday, March 28		
10:00 am	AA	
12:00 pm	Holy Eucharist Service - CB	
4:30 pm	Better Together Study	
5:30 pm	Cursillo Reunion Group	
7:00 pm	AA	

High School Youth

7:00 pm Stephen Ministry Training

### Thursday, March 29 10:00 am AA 11:00 am Healing Prayer Service 11:30 am Al-Anon 5:00 pm Medical Outreach Clinic 6:30 pm Maundy Thursday Service - CB 7:00 pm Boyscout Troop 2 Friday, March 30 12:00 pm Good Friday Service - CB Good Friday Service - Doar Hall 6:30 pm 7:00 pm AA Saturday, March 31 6:30 pm HE Vigil with Baptisms 7:00 pm AA Sunday, April 1 Scripture Readings: Acts 10:34-43, Psalm 118:14-17, 22-24, & Mark 16:1-8 All Day Easter 8:00 am Traditional Service-Church Bldg. 10:15 am Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall 10:15 am Traditional Service-Church Bldg. **11:30 am** Easter Egg Hunt-Plaza

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# March 25, 2018

Psalm 22:1-21 & Mark 14:32-15:1-39(40-47)

# Palm Sunday

# Holy Week 2018

Holy Week is one of the most important times in our church calendar. It is a week filled with extreme emotion ranging from unfathomable joy to painful sorrow. This is one of the reasons we have services every day during Holy Week. It is not just about Easter Sunday. We need to know and understand the events leading up to Easter like Good Friday, Maundy Thursday, etc. to understand why what happened on Easter is so important.

## Palm Sunday

Today we welcome Christ with open arms and waving palms shouting "Hosanna in the highest" as Jesus rides into Jerusalem on a donkey!

# Holy Eucharist Service Monday-Wednesday at 12:00 in the CB

We start our journey Monday with Mary anointing Jesus' feet. We continue setting the stage through Wednesday where we hear the plot to kill Jesus. Tuesday we have special guest Bishop Grant LeMarquand preaching. There will be a small reception following the service in the Atrium to meet and greet Bishop Grant.

# Maundy Thursday 6:30 in the CB

This is my body, broken for you, do this in remembrance of me. The last supper is one of many last things Jesus did before death. He also called us to love one another as he loved us. With this, we do a foot washing just as Christ did for his disciples. You walk into the bright Church Building. By the end of the service you leave a dark, dark room with the altar stripped.

# Good Friday 12:00 in the CB

As you walk into the dark building the weight of the room is nothing compared to the weight of the cross Jesus had to carry and the weight of all the sins he would take on as he was crucified.

# Good Friday 6:30 in Doar Hall

A more contemporary service that follows the path John set out for us in his gospel. Want to hear this story from the perspective of the two thieves? Mary? The centurion and others? Join us as we will journey to the cross in word and song.

# Easter Vigil 6:30 in the CB

As Jesus is laying in the tomb, we look at what the prophets of old foretold about the coming Messiah. We leave celebrating the resurrection of our Lord and an empty tomb. Make sure to bring bells!

# **Easter Sunday**

Why did we just spend a whole week analyzing a man's life and what people have written about him? Join us April 1, Easter Sunday to celebrate the resurrection of our Lord, risen from the Grave!

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# **MEMBERS**

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**PRAYER REQUESTS & COMMENTS** 

If you would like your request concerning health, death, or other concerns to be added to our public prayer, please indicate by marking the box. All others will be put on the confidential prayer list for 3 weeks.

Please place completed form in the offering plate or take to our Welcome Table. Anonymous comments will be discarded.

# **MINISTRY** HIGHLIGHTS 843.873.1991

# **GENERAL INFORMATION FOR THIS MORNING**

Welcome to St. Paul's! We hope to create an atmosphere in which everyone feels welcomed with open arms. Here is the information that you need to know for a successful morning of worship and Sunday School:

• Worship as a Family (all ages): At St. Paul's we encourage families to worship together on Sunday mornings, therefore children in third grade and older will remain with their parents throughout the service. If you or your children are not comfortable with this, please know that we understand and recognize that it might take time to develop the routine. We're here to help, so don't hesitate to ask a priest or Tina Smith about successful family worship.

• Kids Church (K3 –2nd grade) starts the same time as "big church" so bring your child to the Worship Center prior to the service start time. There you will find computers to sign in your children. There will be one computer for families attending services in Doar Hall and another for families attending services in the Church building. Please use the appropriate computers. They will print color coordinating name labels so that our little ones are taken to the correct service.

•Once they enter the Worship Center they will find lots of friendly faces welcoming them along with activity centers that will start their lesson time. They will continue with these until the sermons have ended:

 $\oplus$ If you are attending the Church building service, please pick your child up at the end of the sermon.

✤If you are attending the Doar Hall service, please look for your child entering the sanctuary and wave to them so they can find you.

**Communion**—Anyone baptized in the Christian faith is welcome to receive communion at St. Paul's. Please note: The Communion elements consist of real wine and bread or wafers containing wheat. Please ask the bread server for gluten free wafers. Receiving one or the other of the elements is considered participating as fully in the Eucharist as anyone who receives both.

All guests are invited to visit our Welcome Table after the service today to receive a gift and information about St. Paul's.

**Giving**—Cash and checks may be placed in the offering plates. We have electronic giving centers in Doar Hall for debit and credit cards. St. Paul's does not want anyone to incur debt in order to give to the Lord. We offer the electronic giving centers as a convenience.

Giving Envelopes—are available for your convenience. You may pick up a pack in the church office, in the back of Doar Hall, or the Church Building.

# YOUTH MINISTRY

## Today

✤ No Middle School Youth Group will meet.

## This Week

✤ No High School Youth Group will meet.

## **Upcoming Dates**

✤ There will be no youth groups March 25 through April 4. Enjoy Easter and Spring Break.

✤ April 2-6, Spring Break!

Congratulations to Shannon and Kevin Carlson on the birth of their daughter Evie Vaughn Carlson born March 15, 2018. If you would like to help the family by providing a meal, please sign up online at: https://www.TakeThemAMeal.com/EELQ3469

born March 20, 2018.

Lay Eucharistic Ministers (LEM) and Ushers Needed: St. Paul's is in particular need of LEMs in the church building at the 8 am service. We need ushers particularly at our 10:15 am Church Building service. Ushers help make our worship services run smoothly, and our first-time guests feel loved and cared for. An advanced schedule will be handed out, and training will be offered for both LEM and usher positions. If you are interested in serving the Lord through these ministries, please contact Sue Beson, our parish administrator. If you have ever wanted to be an usher now is the time to consider it. We would love to have you.

All Night Vigil: Sign-up sheets are in place in the church and in Doar Hall for the Maundy Thursday, March 29, 2018 all-night vigil. Please sign up and "keep watch for one hour".

Thank You: All card tables and empty baking dishes that were used by the Tea Room can be picked up in the Atrium today. Thank you to everyone who donated anything.

7,000 Cookies Needed: The next Kairos weekend #58 at Lieber Correctional Institution is April 5 through April 8, 2018. During the weekend 7,000 dozen cookies are consumed by the inmates and team. Team members would appreciate your help by baking cookies and delivering them to Old Fort Baptist Church or St. Paul's Skardon Hall. The team will receive the cookies beginning Wednesday April 4, 2018. No raisins or nuts should be in the cookies.

No Sunday School: There will be no Sunday School today or next Sunday, April 1.

Offices Closed: Our offices will be closed Monday, April 2 following Easter Sunday.

Easter Egg Hunt: Sunday, April 1 - St. Paul's Children's Ministry invites you to an Easter egg hunt April 1 immediately following the 10:15 services, for children grade 5 and younger. Bring your Easter basket and get ready to hunt for Easter eggs.

St. Paul's Men's Hike: April 12-15 - It's that time again! Interested in getting away for a weekend to the North Carolina Mountains. Join us on the Men's Hike, April 12-15, 2018 as we seek to meet the Lord in the mountain wilderness. Contact Tyler Prescott for details (tylerp@stpaulssummerville.org) or sign up online: *stpaulssummerville.wufoo.com/forms/z1eqp47c1yz6d3h/*.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Congratulations to Nikki and Warren Schluter on the birth of their daughter Marin Danielle Schluter

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Honduras Fundraiser: Sunday, April 15 - A group from St. Paul's is going to Honduras at the beginning of August. We are raising funds for those participating and to send to Honduras as well. If you want to purchase tickets for our Frogmore Stew fundraiser on April 15 from 4:00 pm -8:00 pm see Cathie Diggs today or go to the Facebook event page. We will serve Frogmore Stew and hot dogs. If you would like to volunteer please contact Cathie Diggs at 843.486.0009 or *clizad83@qmail.com*.