

Sunday, March 3

- 8:00 am Traditional Service-Church Bldg.
- 9:00 am Sunday Scriptures Class—AH
- 9:00 am **Sunday School—The Gospel Project—C/Y Bldg—ALL AGES**
- 10:15 am Traditional Service—Church Bldg.
- 10:15 am Contemporary Worship—Doar Hall
- 12:00pm AA—AH
- 4:00 pm Small Group—Skardon Library
- 6:00 pm NA—AH
- 6:30 pm Ephesians Teaching—AT

Monday, March 4

- 8:00 am Centering Prayer
- 10:00 am Grandparents at Prayer G@P—CB
- 10:00 am AA —SK 11
- 10:30 am Women's Bible Study—Library
- 10:30 am Pastoral Care—SK 5
- 4:00 pm Life Group—SK Library
- 6:30 pm **First Monday—CANCELLED**
- 6:30 pm Life Group—SK 5
- 7:00 pm AA—AH

Tuesday, March 5—Shrove Tuesday

- 7:00 am Men's Bible Study—SK 7
- 9:15 am Women's Bible study—Library
- 10:00 am AA—SK 11
- 11:15 am Ronna's Total Body Class—SK Hall
- 5:00 pm **PANCAKE SUPPER—AT**
- 6:30 pm Cub Scouts—C/Y
- 7:00 pm Men's Bible Study—SK Library

Wednesday, March 6—Ash Wednesday

- 6:30 am **ASH WED. SERVICE—CB**
- 9:00 am Tea Room & Gift Shop Mtg—SK Library
- 10:00 am AA—SK 11
- 10:00 am Women's Bible Study—SK 7
- 12:00 pm **ASH WED. SERVICE—CB**
- 12:00 pm Men's Bible Study & Lunch —AT
- 3:00 pm The Villages—Communion/Ashes
- 5:30 pm Cursillo Reunion Group—SK 5
- 6:30 pm **ASH WED. SERVICE—Doar Hall**
- 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal—CB
- 7:00 pm AA—AH

Thursday, March 7

- 10:00 am AA—SK 11
- 11:00 am Healing Service—CB
- 11:15 am Ronna's—Total Body Class – SK Hall
- 11:30 am Al-Anon—SK 11
- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts—SK Hall and SK 7

Friday, March 8

- 8:00 am Men's Bible Study
- 9:00 am Women's Discipleship—SK 7
- 10:00 am AA—SK 11
- 7:00 pm AA—AH

Saturday, March 9

- 7:00 am Men's Breakfast—AT
- 8:00 am Kairos—Amber Hall
- 9:00 am **Food Distribution—SK Hall**
- 7:00 pm AA—AH



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- The Rt. Rev. Mark J. Lawrence, *Bishop of South Carolina, XIV*
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Biblically minded—Christ centered—Holy Spirit driven



March 3, 2019

The Last Sunday After The Epiphany—The Transfiguration

Revelation 3:14-22; Psalm 99 and Luke 9:28-36

(Next Sunday)

The First Sunday in Lent

Deuteronomy 26: (1-4), 5-11; Psalm 91: 9-16 and Luke 4:1-3

Lent and Holy Week Worship at St. Paul's

By the Rev. J. Tripp Jeffords

Lent is the season where the church calls her people to an ever-deepening walk with Jesus through repentance, fasting, self-denial, prayer and reading and meditating on God's word.

The word "Lent" is traced etymologically to an Old English word *lencten* (which simply refers to the "lengthening of days" during the 40 days of this season).

Please consider making Lent a high priority for you and your family. Consider walking with Jesus through this season and thereby drawing closer to our Lord and Master.

Walk with Jesus, by considering your sin and subsequent need for a savior on Ash Wednesday. Come to grips with your own mortality through the Imposition of Ashes. Make a commitment to amend sinful ways, and draw near to Christ in faith.

Continue, now, the journey with Jesus to Palm Sunday. Join the adoring crowds as they celebrate the Triumphal Entry of the Jewish Messiah into Jerusalem with shouts of "Hosanna in the Highest," only to turn on Jesus a few days later—as we cry out, "Crucify Him!" Take your place among the fickle crowd who calls for a criminal to live and a sinless man to die.

Continue your journey with Jesus through Maundy Thursday as you observe Jesus' call for us to embrace servant leadership through the washing of His disciple's feet. Be there to witness the Institution of the Lord's Supper. "This is my body, broken for you." Be there to break bread with Jesus. Be there to witness His friends abandoning Him with sleepy eyes and fearful hearts—as we strip the altar of all the finery and celebratory trappings—leaving everything stark and lifeless.

Come into a church on Good Friday that is bare and darkly veiled—the heaviness of an execution surrounds us. Watch as the Cross is erected, our savior is killed, and all for Love's sake. Here we remember: "No greater love has a man than this, that he lay down his life for his friends." John 15:13

Come now, joy is about to rush back into the church! We arrive on Saturday night for the first of our Easter services called The Great Easter Vigil. The church is still in mourning. Jesus' body is still entombed. But there are readings from prophets of old who foretold of a day when resurrection life would bring one back from the dead. See the light beginning to grow in the darkness? Witness the church as it is transformed from death to life. Ring in the church's Easter Season with joyous bells and shouts of "Alleluia! He is risen!" Watch new Christians receive new life through the waters of Baptism.

Finally, come into the church on Sunday morning. The dank smell of death has been fully replaced by the perfume of sweet smelling lilies. Oh! The glory of Easter morn! Christ has overcome death and the grave, trampled the plans of Satan under His feet and risen victoriously, never again to die!

Please consider walking with us as we walk with Jesus this Lenten Season. Post this schedule of service times and dates in a conspicuous place in your home to remind your whole family to walk with Jesus. As the Book of Common Prayer says...

"I invite you, therefore, in the name of the Church, to the observance of a holy Lent, by self-examination and repentance; by prayer, fasting, and self-denial; and by reading and meditating on God's holy Word. And, to make a right beginning of repentance, and as a mark of our mortal nature, let us now kneel before the Lord, our maker and redeemer."



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Guests



WELCOME, We're glad you're here!

Date: _____

8:00 am CB 10:15 am CB 10:15 am DH

1st Time Guest New to Area

Looking for a church home

Regular Attending Non-Member

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

I would like to receive emails from St. Paul's

AGE
 ___13-19 ___20's ___30's ___40's ___50's ___60's ___70's+

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

NAME _____ DOB _____

NAME _____ DOB _____

NAME _____ DOB _____

I would like more information about:

- ___ A new life in Christ
- ___ Membership at St. Paul's
- ___ LifeGroups
- ___ ALPHA
- ___ Other _____

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.

Place form in the offering plate or take to our Welcome Table to receive more information and a gift.

MEMBERS

Date: _____

8:00 am CB 10:15 am CB 10:15 am DH

NAME _____

SPOUSE _____

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

NAME _____

NAME _____

NAME _____

CHANGES ONLY

ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

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

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS 843.873.1991

WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S

We hope to create an atmosphere in which everyone feels welcomed with open arms. All guests are invited to visit our **Welcome Table** after the service today to receive a gift and information about St. Paul's.

TO PARENTS OF YOUNG CHILDREN - Relax! God put the wiggles and sweet little noises in children - don't feel like you have to suppress them in God's house.

- Consider sitting toward the front where children can more easily engage.
- Quietly explain the parts of the service and actions of the priests, musicians, acolytes, and leaders. While in Children's Church, your children learn: about bowing when the cross passes and why, as Anglicans, we do this; who the acolytes are; how the colors of the stoles match the liturgical calendar, prayers, etc. Now is a great time to show them what we are going over in Children's Church.
- Sing the songs and pray. Children learn behavior by mimicking you.
- If you have to leave the worship with your child—please feel free to do so, but please do come back.

NURSERY AND CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Childcare is available for ages birth through 3 years of age. You will find a greeter there to assist you with check-in. We ask that you please check your child in at one of our check in kiosk located in Doar Hall and in the CY building. There you will receive a matching security tag that will need to be shown when you pick up your child.

Children's Church is provided for children ages 3-7. Please follow the check-in instructions above. The children will be dismissed for chapel during the 10:15 service. While there, your child will enjoy a time of chapel, bible lesson that follows the lectionary, learning our Anglican traditions, and, crafts and games.

CHILD CHECK-IN—(BIRTH TO SEVEN YEARS,) for both the Church Building and Doar Hall: Check-in at the C/Y building or Doar Hall. A volunteer will walk them over to the C/Y Building and a volunteer will bring them back to pick up.

CHILD PICK-UP—Please come to the back door of St. Paul's Central and present your matching security tag to pick up your child.

COMMUNION—Anyone baptized in the Christian faith is welcome to receive communion.

WORSHIP AT ST. PAUL'S SUMMERVILLE

While our worship is similar to that of Anglicans across the world and through the ages, we are also a warm and loving congregation. We enjoy ancient hymns, as well as, modern worship songs produced by popular Christian artists. Worship that is biblical and draws hearts to the praise, honor, and glory of our Lord is the goal at all our services.

Our traditional worship with hymns is held in the historic Church Building. The contemporary worship, with a user-friendly screen and modern music, is in Doar Hall. We invite you to join us. All baptized Christians are welcome to join us for Holy Communion at the Lord's table.

Giving—Cash and checks may be placed in the offering plates. We have electronic kiosks 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 kiosks as a convenience.

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

Doar Hall Communion—Communion wafers will be dispensed at the side aisle communion stations. Leavened bread is available at the altar. Feel free to choose either element/station.

For more information, visit our website at www.StPaulsSummerville.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TEA ROOM GIFT SHOP GIFT CERTIFICATES—Available in the rear of the Church Building or in the Atrium after today's services. These make wonderful gifts for anyone! They are \$10 each.

PRAISE & GLORY JARS—Available today for Lent through Easter Sunday. You are encouraged to join us in this offering and time of giving. **Proceeds benefits St. Alban's Chapel at the Citadel and Gloria Kwasi's "Safe Haven" ministry.**

7,000 DOZ COOKIES NEEDED—Kairos Weekend # 59 at Lieber is April 4-7. Kairos team members would greatly appreciate your help by baking cookies and delivering them to Sakrdon Hall starting April 4th. **No fruit or nuts may be added to the cookies.** Questions? Contact: Doug Harrison nghdeh@yahoo.com

LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED FOR DOAR HALL—TRAINING IS PROVIDED—If you're interested in serving this ministry contact Terry Sullivan at tjs3366@aol.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS

JOYS OF ANGLICANISM—(4 Sundays) Mar. 3-24, 9am, Connect Room— for new folks and anyone who wants a refresher on why we do what we do!

TEA ROOM AND GIFT SHOP—MAR 25—29 & APRIL 1—5, 11am—2pm—\$10 Gift Certificates available after the services or at the church office during the week. Sign-up on-line to volunteer and donate your attic treasures.

CONNECT 102—Mar. 31 & Apr. 7, 9am, Connect Room—Discovering Your Shape for Ministry (2 Sundays) — A spiritual gifts workshop .

GRANDPARENTS AT PRAYER G@P—MONDAY, March 4—10:30 am in the Church Building. All grandparents are welcome to come to the altar in the Church building to pray for their loved ones.

FIRST MONDAY PRAYER & PRAISE—March 4—CANCELLED— We encourage everyone to attend one of the Ash Wednesday services on March 6. First Monday Prayer & Praise resumes April 1.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER—TUESDAY, MARCH 5—The Atrium, 5 –7 pm. Sponsored by Cursillo. Donations are welcome. Contact: Todd Barnum todd.barnum@gofilta.com

ASH WEDNESDAY—MARCH 6—Church building at 6:30 am and 12 pm (noon). Doar Hall at 6:30 pm. Holy Communion and imposition of Ashes at each service.

MEN'S BREAKFAST—SATURDAY, MARCH 9—Atrium at 7 am. A study on Hosea chapters 1 - 3 (God's grace in pursuit of a prostitute) will follow the meal.

IMPACT MINISTRIES FOOD DISTRIBUTION—SATURDAY, MARCH 9 AT 9 AM IN SKARDON HALL. Come help set-up Friday, Feb 8th at 9:45 am.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME—Spring Forward—Sunday March 10—Set your clocks 1 hour ahead.

ANDERSON UNIV. CHOIR—FREE CONCERT—MONDAY, APRIL 1 AT 6 PM IN THE CHURCH BUILDING. Volunteer hosts are needed to house 20 female and 12 male students after the concert (and their dinner) and return them to St. Paul's Tuesday morning. Contact: JamieH@StPaulsSummerville.org