

# **August 11, 2019**

The ninth Sunday after Pentecost Romans 9:1-5; Psalm 29; and Matthew 14:22-23

Next Week—The tenth Sunday after Pentecost Romans 11:13-24; Psalm 67; and Matthew 15:21-28

# Faith@Home Sunday, August 18th

By: The Rev. J. "Tripp" Jeffords

Dear Parish Family,

#### FAITH@HOME SUNDAY A BLESSING FOR ALL

I hope y'all have enjoyed a great summer and that you are ready to face the fall with thankfulness and faithfulness. Sure, the fall is a busy time, but time is our gift from God. Time is also a limited commodity for us. Each of us is called to be stewards of this precious gift. So, let's start the year off right on Sunday, August 18th as we soak our parish family in prayer for the upcoming

As part of our **FAITH@HOME** initiative, we want to bless our parish, all people and all ages. St. Paul's will always strive to teach and preach God's good new of Jesus Christ during worship, youth groups, in Sunday School, Bible studies and Life Groups, we know that the most important impact that any of us can have on the people we love is in our homes. We want to bathe all those involved in ministering to our families in prayer.

On Sunday, August 18, we want to bless our educators and administrators, those in our Children's Learning Center, our new ministry partner Trinity Classical Academy, as well as our public school system. We also want to bless our Christian educators: Mrs. Shannon Reed (our children's minister), our new nursery coordinator Mrs. Melissa Poelker, and their wonderful volunteers. Each of them has a high calling from God to tend to the little lambs entrusted to us by God. They need our prayers.

Let's not forget our children! In a world fraught with violence, bullying, depression, anxiety and all the ills that often come along with social media, our kids need prayers of protection for God's grace both to precede and follow them all this year!

# "...'TILL I DECLARE YOUR POWER TO THE NEXT GENERATION"

So **FAITH@HOME** is about teachers and parents and students. But, what about the rest of us? What if I am beyond child-rearing days? What if I never had children in the first place? What if my children are grown? Please hear me...It is easy to conclude that **FAITH@HOME** has nothing to do with you. But here is the Bible's truth - YOU have a calling too. You may think that you moved here to play golf, live near the coast, and enjoy your golden years - NOT SO!

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# 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.

#### WORSHIP AT ST. PAUL'S SUMMERVILLE

Our worship is similar to that of Anglicans across the world and through the ages. We are a warm and loving congregation We enjoy traditional 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

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

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.

To reserve a cover or if you have a submission for the Sunday News please contact John Chaconas - comms@StPaulsSummerville.org



FEATURED EVENTS



AUGUST 12TH, 6:30 PM IN THE CONNECT ROOM BE A PART OF OUR FIRST MEETING

Contact: Shannon Reed (ShannonR@StPaulsSummerville.org) or 843-873-1991 ext 20



#### Kid's School Closet

We get lists from each child's school and provide each child with everything on the list in order to start the school year fully stocked. As the year goes on, we continue to provide our kids with supplies as they need new things.

Needs include but are not limited to: binders, pencils, pens, backpacks, paper, scissors, markers, crayons, rulers, pencil sharpeners, calculators, and pencil holders. Doar Hall WiFi





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### ANNOUN

# Wednesday, August 14 10:00 am AA—SK 11. 12:00 pm Men's Bible Study & Lunch—AT. 5:30 pm Cursillo Reunion Group—SK 5 7:00 pm AA—AH 7:00 pm Boy Scouts—SK 8 7:00pm Stephen's Ministers—SK 7

#### Thursday, August 15

10:00 am	AA —SK 11
11:00 am	Healing Service—CB
11:30 am	Al-Anon—SK 11
7:00 pm	GriefShare—SK Library
7:00 pm	Boy Scouts—SK 7

#### Friday, August 16

10:00 am	AA—SK 11
7:00 pm	AA—AH

#### Saturday, August 17

Hall

1:00 pm	GriefShare —SK Library
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# **7:00 pm** AA—AH

#### Sunday, August 18 Faith@Home

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7:30 am	Sunday Scriptures Studies—AH
8:00 am	Traditional Worship—CB
9:00 am	The Calling to Engage the Family—
	SK Connect Room
9:00 am	Sunday Scripture Studies—AH
9:00 am	DOK training—SK5
10:15 am	Traditional Worship—CB
10·15 am	Contemporary Worshin—Doar

#### **Building/Room Abbreviations**

7:00 pm Men's Bible Study—SK Library

Sunday, August 11

8:30 am

9:00 am

10:15 am

6:00 pm

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**7:00 pm** AA—AH

**10:00 am** AA—SK 11

**12:00pm** AA—AH

6:00 pm NA-AH

**10:00** am AA —SK 11

Monday, August 12

8:00 am Centering Prayer—CB

9:00 am Counting Teams—SK 7

10:30 am Pastoral Care—SK 5

6:30 pm Venture Crew—CY

Tuesday, August 13

Life Group—SK 5

7:00 am Men's Bible Study—SK 7

11:15 am NO Total Body Class

6:30 pm Cub Scouts—C/Y

2:00 pm Grief Share—SK Library

9:15 am Women's Bible study—Library

7:30 am Sunday Scriptures Studies—AH

DOK training—SK5

7:30 am Warden's Meeting—SK Library

**10:30 am** Women's Bible Study—Library

Anglican's for Life—SK 7

Stone Soup Coalition—CY Rm 212

Traditional Worship—CB

Contemporary Worship—Doar

AH	Ambler Hall
AT	<b>Atrium of Doar Hall</b>
СВ	<b>Church Building</b>
CY	Children & Youth Buildi

Library Skardon Conf. Room



## OUR CLERGY AND STAFF

The Rt. Rev. Mark J. Lawrence, Bishop of South Carolina, XIV

The Rev. Julian "Tripp" Jeffords, Rector
The Rev. B. Tyler Prescott, Associate Rector
The Rev. John Scott, Pastoral Assistant
The Rev. Korey L. Kincaid, Youth Minister

Sue Beson, Parish Administrator
Cathy McGrew, Community Impact Coordinator
Bonnie James, Worship Arts Director
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# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ST. PAUL'S CHILDREN'S CHOIRS**—The Children's Choirs are formed to provide and teach developmentally appropriate songs and music based activities which aids in personal and corporate worship of God and in encouraging the saints. The Children's Choirs meet once each week and sing for worship services four or five times throughout the school season. **The Primary Choir**—Is for K4—First grades and will practice for 30 minutes once each week (children must be four by September 1).

**The Elementary Choir**—Is for second through fifth grades and will meet for 45 minutes each week.

For more information, contact Bonnie Lowry at <a href="mailto:bonnielowry@bellsouth.net">bonnielowry@bellsouth.net</a> or 843-327-2439.

**NEW PHOTOS**—We'd love to have an updated photo of you for our directory! Email individual or family photos to **HeatherJ@StPaulsSummerville.org**.

**ACOLYTES—BECOME A SERVANT FOR GOD AT ST. PAUL'S—**Children 3—12<sup>th</sup> grades are encouraged to serve as acolytes during the Sunday services. Email **Kevin Szostak** <a href="mailto:szostakkevin@gmail.com">szostakkevin@gmail.com</a> to learn more about this ministry and how you can be involved.

**ALL SUNDAYS SERVICES RETURN NEXT SUNDAY**—Starting Next Sunday, August 18 we will hold 8 am and 10:15 am services in the Church Building and a 10:15 am service in Doar as we return to our regular schedule.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

ANGLICANS FOR LIFE—AUGUST 12 AT 6:30 PM—CONNECT ROOM—a deeper journey through the Bible as we study "The Gospel Project". Be a part of Anglicans for Life ministry here at St. Paul's. We will be discussing initiatives for the upcoming season and the Walk for Life coming in November. Contact Shannon Reed at <a href="mailto:shannon@stPausSummerville.org">shannon@stPausSummerville.org</a>

FAITH AT HOME SUNDAY—SUNDAY, AUGUST 18TH— (SEE TODAYS COVER STORY) At the 10:15 Doar Hall service. All educators & children welcome.

LOSS OF SPOUSE SEMINAR—SATURDAY AUGUST 17<sup>TH</sup> AT 1PM—Skardon Library You can discover how: Other people understand and have found ways to make it through. Why it won't always hurt so much. Reasons for hope and practical tips for coping with the death of a spouse

**SUNDAY SCHOOL STARTS SEPTEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup> AT 9 AM**—Birth - 5th grade will take a deeper journey through the Bible as we study "**The Gospel Project**". Children will be presented with a weekly bible story, along with age appropriate activities, videos, crafts, and journaling. This is a great time for each child to learn in various ways while in a smaller, more intimate environment.

INTERESTED IN JOINING ST. PAUL'S—11:30 AM, SEPTEMBER 15—ATRIUM OF DOAR HALL -Connect 101, Our new member class! Enjoy a delicious brunch and learn more about St. Paul's — Who we are, what we believe, and how you can get connected. Childcare and brunch provided. Register at: <a href="mailto:bit.ly/2YqtHwh">bit.ly/2YqtHwh</a> by September 10 or email <a href="mailto:HeatherJ@StPaulsSummerville.org">HeatherJ@StPaulsSummerville.org</a> with name, phone, email and children's names/ages.

## GET INVOLVED

Panel 3

LifeGroups—We are a church of small groups where we devote ourselves to God's teachings, fellowship, sharing meals and praying together so that we may grow as disciples and authentically impact the world in Jesus' name.

Giving—Cash and checks may be placed in the offering plates. Secure giving is available on-line. We have electronic kiosks for credit or debit 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**—Available in the office, or in the back of Doar Hall, or the Church Building.

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# Faith@Home Sunday (Continued from Panel 1)

These things are great, but as long as you have breath in your lungs and a beating in your chest, God has a calling on your life. As the Psalmist says, "Even when I am old and gray, do not forsake me, O God, till I declare your power to the next generation, your might to all who are to come" (Psalm 71:18)

#### LEARN HOW TO CONNECT WITH THE NEXT GENERATION

Having said all of this, we want to invite grandparents, parents of older children, aunts, uncles, anyone who has never had their own children, godparents and etc. to join us on August 18th for a **FAITH@HOME** teaching in Skardon Hall's Connect Room. This teaching is for anyone from an older generation desiring to make an impact on the younger generations...even pregrandparents are welcome!

Come join Mrs. Cathy Jacobs in our Connect room in Skardon Hall at 9 am - 10 am for a continental breakfast and a short teaching on: The calling of grandparents, godparents, and more mature family members to engage their families in the life of faith.

Come hear about an exciting 5 week grand-parenting series that will be coming to St. Paul's in September as well as a winter teaching on "The Blessing" by John Trent (available online: <a href="mailto:amzn.to/31nMdrd">amzn.to/31nMdrd</a>). Cathy Jacobs is a wonderful speaker and conference leader, so come for food, coffee, fellowship, and an engaging talk on how to make a KINGDOM difference for others in your life.

May God bless us all as we make an impact on all people "loving our neighbors as ourselves."

God's Grace and Peace,

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