



The Parish of St. Paul's on the Green

A PROGRESSIVE, DIVERSE PARISH OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OFFERING
A RADICAL WELCOME TO ALL!

Trinity Sunday- May 31, 2015

The Trinity

Christians have been trying to understand the *mystery* of the Trinity for centuries, the doctrine that our one God is Three Persons. *Mystery*, not as a “whodunit”, but as truth that cannot be fully known, except by revelation. St. Patrick used the image of the shamrock to express the equality of Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Others have used specific words to speak to the functions of the Three Persons: Creator, Redeemer, Sanctifier. Ancient theologians described the persons of the Trinity being in a mutual dance. But words are always inadequate. The Trinity is about God who is for us all the time. And God is first about relationship—relationship between the Three Persons, and their relationship with each of us.

The Three Persons of the Trinity are in *mutual relationship* with one another, a relationship of *love* and *reciprocity*, a relationship of *love* and *equality*. And that relationship is further expressed in the boundless, unshakable, eternal love God has for each of us. Unclear? Maybe the simplest thing we can say about the Trinity is that God's love for us never changes.

On this Trinity Sunday we welcome Jameson Joseph Drozd to be baptized into this fellowship, using the words Jesus taught us: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. As we gather around the Font, and then around the Table, we are reminded that God's love embraces each of us no matter where we are on our journey of faith.

About Our Worship

If you are here for the first time today, welcome! The style of our worship is Anglo-Catholic which draws upon ancient liturgical practices of the Christian Church. You'll see graceful ritual and colorful vestments, hear chant and wonderful music, and even smell a little incense. We try not to make our worship stuffy or stodgy and, so, you might see our acolytes in sandals or sneakers! We hope that you will come away refreshed and renewed - and that you'll return often.

Phones

Please turn them off.

Holy Communion

All are welcome to receive the Holy Eucharist - toddlers, children, people of faith and those unsure of their direction, without regard to politics, race or orientation. *Consecrated grape juice* is available in the glass chalices.

Kneeling

The majority of our congregation observes the ancient position of standing for prayer. Kneeling cushions are available in the back of the church.

Children

Children through 3 years of age are welcome to find a safe space for play in the Nursery, which is staffed from 8:45AM to 12:15PM.

The Chapel of the Angels, located on the right side of the church, a safe and quiet space for **infants and toddlers with their parents**. “Busy bags” are available in the back of the church.

Children's Sermon Activity

Children ages 4-7 are invited to gather in the center aisle near the main door to listen to the Gospel and then follow the adult leader to the Guild Room where they will participate in a special worship activity. They will return to the church at the Passing of the Peace.

Restrooms

Through double doors on left aisle, downstairs, and also in the Warner Center.

This Week

Sunday, May 31, Trinity Sunday

- 8:45AM Nursery Care available until 12:15PM
- 9:00AM Solemn Eucharist
- 10:10AM Coffee Hour, PH
- 10:10AM Sunday School, WC #1
- 10:10AM Baptism Reunion GR
- 11:00AM Solemn Eucharist
- 11:10AM Coffee Hour, PH
- 5:00 PM Seabury Spring Concert*
- 9:00PM Compline

Monday, June 1

- 10:00AM Staff Meeting GR
- 12:00 PM Holy Eucharist LC

Tuesday, June 2

- 6:00PM Marketing & Communication CHH

Wednesday, June 3

- 11:30AM Holy Eucharist, LC
- 6:30PM Gentle Yoga* PC

Thursday, June 4

- 6:00 PM Celtic Eucharist

Saturday, June 6

- 9:30 AM Vestry GR

Sunday, June 7

- 8:45AM Nursery Care available until 12:15PM
- 9:00AM Solemn Eucharist
- 10:10AM Coffee Hour, PH
- 10:10AM Sunday School, WC # 1
- End of Season Party*
- 11:00AM Solemn Eucharist
- 12:10PM Coffee Hour, PH
- 9:00PM Compline

CHH - Chittim-Howell House; GR - Guild Room;
LC - Lady Chapel; PH - Parish Hall; N - Nursery;
WC - Warner Center; SHR - St. Hilda Room

* see inside for more details



Today's Liturgy

Prayers for the Episcopal Church in Connecticut

St. John's, New Milford; Grace Church, Newington; Trinity, Newtown; St. John's, Niantic; Students of all ages who are graduating

Please consider including these persons in your prayers throughout the week

Prayers for Healing

Anthony	Audrey	Bea	Betsy
Camilla	Charlie	Clare	Daniel
Deneb	Dorothea	Douglas	Elizabeth
Eva	George	Gina	Holley
John	Johnny	Joseph	Kathryn
Kim	Margaret	Michael	Mary Catherine
Mona	Penny	Remy	Rosie
Sandy	Sarah	Sharmin	Sharon
Shelly	Susan	Terry	

Prayers for Birthdays:

Arthur Primps (6/02)	John Curry (6/02)
James McNutt (6/03)	Rob Marino (6/05)
Sussie Walkes (6/03)	James Muldowney (6/06)
Gilles Latuner (6/06)	

Prayers for Anniversaries:

Heather & Victor Autore (6/01)

If you have a birthday or anniversary which is not listed, please be in touch with Marsha Dunn - admin@stpaulsnorwalk.org - so that we can update our records.

Prayers for those who have died:

Robert White
Frank Minucci

Altar Flowers and Presence Lamp

Altar flowers may be given in memory of or to honor a particular person or in thanksgiving for God's gifts. Suggested donation is \$70/vase. The Presence Lamp is the candle that burns continuously before the reserved sacrament in the Lady Chapel. Suggested donation is \$10 per week. Call (203.847.2806) or email the parish office (admin@stpaulsnorwalk.org) to reserve your week for either.

The Altar Flowers this week are given by Connie and David Drozd in Thanksgiving for the Baptism of Jameson Justin Drozd

The Presence Lamp is given this week in Memory of Frank Minucci, beloved father of Debbie Minucci Stella & Carl Stella

Compline

A 20-minute candlelit service of Gregorian chant with Prayers. Peaceful, private, meditative.

Pastoral Care If you or a family member is seriously ill or in the hospital, our clergy and Pastoral Care Team would like to support you. Please contact Mother Kalemkerian at (203) 536-9259 or Lilian Revel at (203) 858-1243.

Pride Weekend June 13&14

The weekend of June 13th is an extremely important one for the LGBT Community and for St. Paul's on the Green.

On **Saturday, June 13**, Triangle Community Center will host "**Pride in the Park**" as celebration recalling the long and difficult journey from Stonewall to the present and the radical shift we have experienced in achieving equality.

Then on **Sunday, June 14**, at 5 pm, St. Paul's will celebrate its second annual **Pride Service- a Celebration in Song, Word, and Sacrament**.

A reception will follow on the labyrinth.

We are in need of some help to be both a presence at Pride in the Park and create our celebration and festivities on Sunday, June 14. Would you consider supporting Pride Weekend by participating in one or more of the following ways: Staffing the St. Paul's Table on Saturday, June 13; Providing finger foods for our Pride Celebration on Sunday after the 5 pm Service, Serving during the reception, or setting and/or cleaning up?

Please sign up at Sign up Central, or Email the office at admin@stpaulsnorwalk.org if you are able to help.

Person2Person - Food Pantry

This week we are seeking to collect

Oatmeal

As always, paper and plastic bags are also most welcomed. Thank you for your generosity.



Music Notes



The Music Notes this morning focus on the anthems at 9 AM, which are not listed in the Service Leaflet this morning.

At the Offertory, we hear the *Esurientes* from Vivaldi's *Magnificat*, sung by

sopranos Brie Cornwell and Rebecca Johnson. Vivaldi best known choral work is the *Gloria* but he set many sacred texts and the *Magnificat* is just as lovely, with exciting choruses and lyrical solos and duets. During communion, Brie and Rebecca are joined by mezzo-soprano Natalie Kikkenborg to sing *Lift thine eyes* from *Elijah* by Felix Mendelssohn. This sublime setting of Psalm 121 is intended for three boy sopranos but is equally effective with women's voices.

Hosting Coffee Hour

All of us share in the hospitality provided to ourselves and our guests. You may sign up for a particular week on the sheets at Sign-Up Central in the Parish Hall or wait to be assigned. Each household is asked to offer refreshments twice each quarter.

Hosts for next week, **June 7: Fruit & Coffee Cake**

Taber Hamilton, Sam Hallowell, Lodrick Barton, Diane Behringer, Don Bello, Jeanette Boccuzzi, Ellen Bradshaw, Sandy & Kendra Bria, Abby Browning & Matt Gande, Hans Bulteryst & Jimi Napoli, Carol Burgess, Carlton & Geri Byrd, Eugenia & Shola Chinsman, Jeffery & Sofia Chow, Adriana Clesidor, Denise Cogliandro, Annie Collier & Lisa Lake

News and Upcoming Events

Godly Play to Take a Break

- Today is the last day for Godly Play to meet this season.
- A big **thank you** to our teachers and everyone who makes this program so special.
- We will celebrate the end of this session with a party next **Sunday, June 7**, during **Godly Play** time (10:10 am)
- **All Godly Play and Joyful Path Students are welcome!**

Seabury Spring Concert, Tonight, 5pm

- Join St. Paul's Choristers and friends for a delightful concert featuring some of our favorite sacred music.
- The concert will also include arias, show tunes, instrumental numbers and more!
- The concert is free, but donations are appreciated and will go to support the Choristers program

"Gentle Yoga" classes meet this week.

- Stay flexible, relaxed, and joyful with a mix of stretching, breathing, and meditation techniques.
- "Gentle Yoga" is for men and women of all ages and abilities.
- The class will meet **Wednesday, June 3**, at 6:00 pm and **Saturday, June 6** at 10:30 am in the Parish Hall
- Please contact Audrey Cozzarin at cozzarin@snet.net

Exploring Music and the Arts Camp June 29-July 3, 2015

- Hosted by Seabury Academy, this fun-filled 5-day camp will include introductory piano lessons, basic singing lessons, and the opportunity to meet different musicians and learn about their instruments.
- In addition, there will be professional artists to work with children in a variety of artistic media, such as drawing, painting, and pottery.
- Applications can be downloaded at seaburnorwalk.org or call (203) 847-2806 ext. 13 for more information.

Farmers' Market at St. Paul's Beginning July 9

- St. Paul's will be hosting the Food Access Coalition' Farmers' Market this summer, **Thursdays, 9am - 2 pm**
- The FAC strives to provide fresh locally grown produce to everyone within the community.
- They also offer programs that will double the value of family food coupons such as those provided for WIC, SNAP, and seniors. This enables more people to enjoy the benefits of fresh fruits and vegetables.
- The Market is open to all, be sure to come out and support this great program and take home some freshness.

Feeling Called to Help, but Find Yourself Short on Time?

- We are blessed to have our own linens to use at parish events, but we are in need of a few volunteers who are willing to be in charge of washing them after events.
- There are facilities here, we just need someone willing to donate a couple of hours to wash and fold.
- Please contact Marsha in the office if you can help admin@stpaulsnorwalk.org
- This is a seldom seen, but **very important** ministry.



Seabury Academy of Music and the Arts - a 501(c)(3) corporation resident at St. Paul's dedicated to promoting music and the arts within St. Paul's and the wider Norwalk community, with its own separate finances and no strain on the church budget.

- **ARTWorks on the Green:** New exhibit opens **June 9th**. Amy Schott: On and Off the Grid; Mapstractions & Shadowboxes. *All are welcome to the **Opening Reception at 6:30 pm***
- **Stew Leonard's Cards** - An easy way to support the **St. Paul's Choristers** is by purchasing Stew Leonard's cards for your shopping needs. Seabury Academy receives a percentage on each card sold and there is no additional cost to you. The cards can be used for groceries and Stew's **Garden Center!** Available at St. Paul's Central!

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WEEKDAY WORSHIP

Monday 12 NOON – Holy Eucharist (Sept – July)
Tuesday 6PM – Holy Eucharist / Choristers (Sept – May)
Wednesday 11:30AM – Holy Eucharist (Year-round)
Thursday 6PM – Celtic Eucharist (Sept – July)

CLERGY STAFF

The Reverend Nicholas G. Lang
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ASSOCIATE CLERGY

The Reverend Louise Kalemkerian
The Reverend Holley B. Slauson, II
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PARISH OFFICERS

Wardens: **Kate Adamson, Jeff Koller**
Treasurer: **Paul Hunter** Clerk: **Jennifer Hudson**

VESTRY MEMBERS: **Matt Brooks, Rod Davis, Bob Giolitto, Ginny Green, Shannon Spence, Liz Wernqvist**

MINISTRY COUNCIL MEMBERS: **Pending** (*Adult Ed/formation*), **Ellen Tully** (*Children's Ed/formation*), **Anthony Crisci** (*Evangelism & Marketing*), **Joyce Davis** (*Pastoral Care*), **Ellie Nardelli** (*Social Justice & Outreach*), **Scotty Galganowicz** (*Worship & Music*)

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9AM&11AM SOLEMN EUCHARISTS

CELEBRANT: (9AM) & (11AM) Father Nicholas Lang
PREACHER: (9 AM) & (11AM) Father Nicholas Lang
DEACON: (9AM) & (11AM) The Reverend Liz Skaleski
SUBDEACON: (9AM) Harper Gande (11AM) Henry Rapp
MINISTER OF CEREMONIES: (9AM) Lilian Revel (11AM) Rob Marino
CHILDREN'S WORSHIP LEADER:

(9AM) Rob Marino (11 AM) Valentina Campillo

THURIFER: (9AM) Ed Moran (11AM) Diane Jellerette

CRUCIFER: (9AM) Gay Loudon-King (11AM) Barbara McCabe

SERVERS: (9AM) Patsy Rupp, Kate Adamson
(11AM) Gisella Foster, Logan Arias

CHALICER: (9AM) Gay Loudon-King (11AM) Diane Jellerette

SACRISTANS: (9AM) Mary Roman (11AM) Patsy Rupp

LECTOR: (9AM) Barbara Bancroft (11AM) Sarah Johnson

INTERCESSORS: (9AM) Natalie Kikkenborg, Lynden Magnoli
Gil Watkins

(11AM) None- Baptism

MINISTERS OF HEALING:

(9AM) (E) **Susan Leggitt**, Rosemary Dellinger, John Rivera

(P) **Cindy Vail**, Anne Watkins, Lynden Magnoli

(11AM) (E) **Wally Frey**, James McNutt, Nancy Hill

(P1) **Donna Lewis**, David Garlock, Sandy Bria

(P2) **Patsy Rupp**, Jo-Anne Schultz, Norine Harris

USHERS: (9AM) Serafino Carri, **Gil Watkins**

(11AM) Greg Lico, **Trevor Viechweg**

MINISTER OF WELCOME: (9AM) Susan Leggitt, Anne Watkins

(11AM) Anne Watkins, John Harris

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Godly Play

COFFEE HOUR: **Doughnuts/Cheese & Crackers**

Stephanie Boccuzzi, Thomas & Julie Cofone, Susan Cole, John Curry, Erica & Michael DePalma, Nicole DiBella, David Garlock & Greg Semkow, Stephen Gustafson & Brian McGunagle, John Harris, Marybeth & Todd Jordan, Ellen Kirtland, Scott Kuykendall, Marc & Lynden Mangoli, Katerina Martinez, & Ken Wong, Bill & Susan Murphy

COUNTERS: Liz Wernqvist, Jeff Koller

ALTAR BREAD: Shannon Spence

ALTAR FLOWERS: Annette Nauraine, Denise Cogliandro

PERSON TO PERSON FOOD DELIVERY: Wilma Meyers

9:00PM COMPLINE

SETUP & LIGHTING/GREETERS: Don Buxton, Don Sileo

**Thank you to all who served
and worshiped with us today.**



SEPTEMBER – JULY

OPEN: WED-FRI: 10AM-3PM, SAT: 10AM-1PM

SUN: 10-11:00AM, 12NOON-1PM

Contact Ginny Green, Gift Buyer, at
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