# ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, DULUTH, MN

# THE MESSENGER

#### SEPTEMBER, 2023

## **Looking Forward to Rally Day!**

When St. Paul's published your parish profile in March of 2022, the first story in the profile was about Rally Day in 2021. It was a hard-won celebration, that felt different from all other kick-off celebrations in the past: controlled by covid restrictions, full of joy, but also full of anxiety about what would happen next for this community that was so dearly loved. Despite all that, though, a few things were clear to me. This community sees the spiritual path as one of joy and celebration, and that St. Paul's is resilient in pursuing a hopeful future on the path to which God has called us.

Now, we are preparing for Rally Day 2023 on September 10. So much has taken place over the last two years to celebrate and rejoice in. We're welcoming new members and curious seekers every week. We celebrated a powerful confirmation, reception, and reaffirmation in August, and young people are learning about God's love for them in children's church again. COVID took so much from us. We've also said goodbye to beloved elders, mourned countless losses that will not return, but we have together—learned what it looks like to walk the path of resurrection and rebirth after crisis.

We know now that we will not be able to return to what was in exactly the same way that we had it before, but we stand at the edge of a different bright future, with an inkling of the joy that lies ahead. Rally Day this year is an opportunity to celebrate this.

This year, we are simplifying things a little bit: having a joyful picnic with fun for the kids and good company among adults. We need all hands on deck to make this event happen, and you'll receive in your email ways to sign up to support the event. We will not be having the traditional "Ministry Fair," so we can allow ministry leaders to meet people organically. Rally Day traditionally kicks off the academic year at St. Paul's, when Sunday School and Faith Formation Classes return. As I write this, we are still in process with our position for Children & Youth Formation, and so our plans may take a little longer to solidify than in years past. However, we do have a fair amount of information to share with you now, so please check this out on page 3.



Some of my colleagues in the wider church complain that churches need to have "Rally Day". They say that church takes place all summer—why would we celebrate that we were gone all summer? I don't think that's fair, though. Many of us go out into the world during our summer into the wild, into a good book, into a time of rest and recouperation, and we learn from what God has to tell us out there. We celebrate our return home because we have learned so much from our adventures, and we get to gather once more in our faith community to share what God has had to show us. I hope to see you, and hear all about your summer, on September 10!

Peace,

Maggie, Rector



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# Help Needed at the Soup Kitchen

#### Hands-On Outreach to Prep and Serve Meals at Damiano

Feeding hungry people is one of the most tangible examples of Christian charity. For forty years, St. Paul's parishioners have volunteered at the Damiano Center at 206 West Fourth Street, preparing and serving food. Pre-pandemic, the crew from St. Paul's numbered 12-15 people, but now we are down to five! WE NEED HELP! It is incredibly rewarding work. Additional help is needed for the first Monday and the third Wednesday of each month. A complete shift runs 8:30 am—1:00 pm, but half-shifts are available. If you can help, please call Zabelle Stodola 218-728-8048 (or email <u>kzstodola@ualr.edu</u>) or Nelson Thomas 218-525-5785.

Respectfully submitted,

Nelson Thomas and Zabelle Stodola

#### From www.DamianoCenter.org:

On March 15, 1982, the Community Kitchen was the Damiano Center's founding program. This is currently the largest on-site meal program in Northeastern Minnesota, serving sixteen meals each week.

No questions are asked of the people who come for a meal, and everyone is welcome to eat. In addition, we make available dayold bakery products and produce for people to take home.

For safety reasons, volunteers must be 16 years of age or older.

West Duluth. Each Tuesday is staffed by volunteers from

different area faith congregations. St. Paul's is responsible for the second Tuesday. The volunteers serve from 8:15

am to about noon. We truly need more volunteers to

vital ministry to assist those in need.

keep this program going. Please prayerfully consider this

# About Laundry Love

One of my simple pleasures in life is putting on clean clothes. Imagine having to make a choice between a necessity and washing your clothes. Recently a service for low/no income people has been started in Duluth, it is called **Laundry Love**. The program pays for washing/ drying of clothes, two loads per person. The washer is loaded by the client; the payment is put in the machine by the volunteers. Clients are then responsible for trans-

ferring the clothes into the dryer. Currently this service is offered every Tuesday at Spin City in



Peace, Lynnea Hultkrantz

## **Faith Formation This Fall**

Monthly calendar dates are subject to change, and not all meetings are planned far enough in advance to meet deadline. Please check the website or the church bulletin for the most up-to-date calendar as the season progresses.

#### Children's Church

Children's Church will resume with a Godly Play story in worship on September 10 and time to play games on the lawn in between the Psalm and the Baptism.

On September 17, we will have 'regular' children's church again with two classes:

pre-K to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and

 $3^{rd} - 6^{th}$  grade.

Toddlers are welcome in the younger class with one of their grown-ups.

#### **Other Formation Opportunities**

The Bishop has invited the entire Episcopal Church in Minnesota into a study of the Gospel of Luke, and Deacon Pat is looking into planning small group gatherings that read this gospel and reflect on it.

Nat Constance is also planning a fun "gap-year" class for our 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> grade students on Wednesday nights around the Gospel of Luke, where our kids can dig into this curious gospel to learn more about what Jesus actually did, said, and taught.

#### **Diocesan Youth Event**

St. Paul's is hosting the annual Diocesan Youth Event, where all youth grades 9-12 in ECMN gather for a retreat! This will be an all-hands-on-deck opportunity for adult leaders to support this effort, from cleaning class-rooms to chaperoning, and more. All high school youth are invited. This takes place over MEA weekend, October 20 - 22.

#### Wednesday Night Programming

Wednesday night programming will return on Wednesday, September 13 with a new schedule. Wednesdays will have more opportunity for multigenerational formation where kids, teens, and adults can learn together. We will also bring back adult formation opportunities. In the month of September, we will try a new schedule for worship, eliminating the 5:30 Eucharist and adding in 7:30 Compline. This is a month-long experiment, so your feedback is appreciated.

6:00 pm – Home Cooked Supper 6:30 pm – Formation Classes or Multigenerational Program

7:30 pm - Compline on the Lawn (September)

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the Month, we will have informal, intergenerational bring-your-own board game nights where church members can just enjoy each other's company around a fun game. Mark your calendars for Sept. 20, Oct 18, and Nov. 15. Multigenerational programs will be on October 4 for St. Francis Day, and November 1 for All Saint's Day. For All Saint's Day, we will have a "Recipes of the Saints" Potluck, a Godly Play story for all, and a discussion among the adults about the Saints of St. Paul's.

Typically, the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of the month will have classes for different age groups, children to adults. First Wednesdays will be multigenerational formation gatherings, and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays will be board game night.

Deadline for submissions to the October issue of *The Messenger* is 8:00 am, Tuesday, September 19, 2023. Please email items to: <u>office@stpaulsduluth.org</u>

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#### From Your Senior Warden



At the 10:00 am service on Sunday, August 13, 2023, Rev. Maggie Nancarrow invited all the children to come to the steps in front of the altar to hear the story of Joseph as a first reading in a **Godly Play** presentation.

The story was told from memory and used props to enhance important messages. I found it fascinating because most of the ancient stories were traditionally taught this way long before books were available. She had every child's attention and asked questions that drew thoughtful responses. I could tell the adults wished they were up there, including me, to see what props were being utilized to tell this popular bible story. Suddenly a brilliant idea hit me! I pulled out my iPhone and went online to **St. Paul's Episcopal Church YouTube** site and followed along via the livestream. From my phone, I was able to see every prop clearly through our high visibility cameras and felt as if I was sitting up front with the kids. I was so excited that I started passing my phone around to my pew neighbors. We are fortunate to have quality livestream capability that was installed while we were away from the building during Covid. But utilizing it during Godly Play reminded me of those who rely on it for other reasons. There are currently dozens of parishioners on the prayer list who cannot attend Sunday Service. There are nine more who are in long-term care or are homebound. Three members serve in the armed forces. There are friends who travel or live elsewhere during the winter months. And some move from Duluth to be closer to family. Though they are not with us physically, our virtual connection brings us together spiritually.

For this, I am grateful to Jay Austin, Rick Lyle, and David Barthel, who operate the livestream on Sundays. Jay and Mark Brown spent many hours installing the cameras and wiring, crawling up the pillars and under the church floor to connect the system to the back audio controls. My sincere thanks to all of them.

Perhaps I would be shirking my responsibilities as Senior Warden if I didn't remind you of another impressive technology: Electronic Giving. You can donate online at stpaulsfaithformation.org by clicking "Give" using the "Secure Payment Option" or access it by scanning the QR Code found in the Sunday Bulletin. Your continued pledges, along with the volunteer ministry of parishioners, help extend our reach to the entire community, no matter where we are located.

Faithfully submitted,

Eirik Rennan, Senior Warden



#### Show Our Support for the Pride Festival Saturday, September 2, 2023, 11 am - 7 pm

Duluth Superior Pride Festival will celebrate its 37th anniversary in Bayfront Festival Park. With beer tents, food trucks, exhibits, information booths, merchandise vendors, an area of fun games and activities for children & families, and a full day of entertainment on the main stage. People from a network of affirming faith communities will be present with a booth as well. Contact Deacon Pat or Natalie Constance if you'd like to help at the booth.

## From Your Bookkeeper

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Dear Parishioners,

Due to banking issues occurring nationwide, our bank is cracking down on their own processes. They have begun to carefully scrutinize how checks are written and rejecting checks not correctly issued.

Please make all checks payable to: St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Note on the **memo line** of your check if those funds are for a specific program, such as Altar Guild or a memorial gift, etc.

July 2023 financials were presented to the Finance Committee at their August 2023 meeting. Here is a summary of the **July General Fund** results.

MONTHLY FIGURES: July	This Month	Year to date	
Total Pledges collected	\$23,597.20	\$199,561.73	
Total non-pledged collection	\$2,573.93	\$27,839.22	
Investment support	\$7,876.50	\$56,441.72	
Total Income	\$34,047.63	\$283,842.67	
Total Expenses	\$47,368.67	\$334,408.93	
amount over/(short)	(\$13,321.04)	(\$50,566.26)	
General Fund Balance 1/1/2023		\$77,036.78	
fund balance year to date		-\$50,566.26	
General Fund Balance 7/31/2023		\$26,470.52	

- The pledge collection amount for July was \$2054.00 under budget. Please note that pledge collection is under budget not because people are not meeting their pledges, but because we did not meet our pledge goal during the fall stewardship campaign.
- Total income is under budget \$26,690.00 through the end of July. Please keep in mind that our pledges did not meet our pledge goals.
- Expenses were \$2540.91 under budget for the month of July and under budget \$20,040.43 year -to date, which is good news.
- Our bottom line, income over expenses, for July is -\$13,321.04 and -\$50,566.26 year-to-date. This not a cause for concern at this point, since we budgeted to utilize the surplus from the prior 3 years as we rebuild our programs.

Please prayerfully consider additional giving to St. Paul's to support our mission and ministries and offset the deficit.

If you have any questions, please call my office or email me at <u>bookkeeper@stpaulsduluth.org</u>.



## The Deacon's Stoop

In May 2023 the Surgeon General issued a statement about a public health crisis of loneliness. You can find a brief summary on page 7, and the full pdf here: <u>https://</u> www.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/surgeon-general-socialconnection-advisory.pdf

I have often said that I'm a Covid refugee, because for me the pandemic included job loss and a move. Until I read the Surgeon General's statement I hadn't fully reflected on how my move to Duluth was different from the many other times I've moved. This time the new habits I developed when arriving in this community included church, but during lockdown. I spent the better part of two years socially isolated except for limited-exposure gatherings of family, at church, and at work, all followed by a weekly Covid test. I built new habits around my Covid reality, and am just starting to get back to social gatherings.

Bishop Craig Loya has repeatedly reminded us that the foundation of the church is small groups of dedicated followers of Jesus. He has invited us as a diocese to join in a study of the Gospel of Luke this fall, and at St. Paul's we are gathering small group leaders for day and evening sessions with hybrid options. I invite you to consider becoming a small group leader or to host a group either at church or in your home, or to join a small group. Covid has taught us that we can create fellowship even when we don't share the same geography, and for folks who are isolating for health (or other) reasons, we will offer a hybrid option. All are invited! Staff from the bishop's team offer training for those who would like to facilitate the studies.

In the Book of Acts, Luke describes the characteristics of Christian life in the early church. The St. Paul's family has faithfully kept to these practices in so many different ways. I've heard members of the Search Committee describe how close they became on the journey to find Rev. Maggie, so much so that they could live together. I've heard members of the Altar Guild describe how much they enjoy each other and working together. I witnessed the choir's love as they joined in the laying on of hands

with the bishop as Sarah was received as a member of St. Paul's. I've heard stories of small, multigenerational groups meeting in homes for a potluck meal and fellowship. Have you heard of the ROMEOs (Retired Old Men Eating Out) who meet at Bridgeman's for breakfast and fellowship? Movie night, game night, makers night... lots of opportunities to gather with and for each other, and along the way become closer to Jesus on our life journey together.



As a congregation we've also experienced many changes. We miss some old familiar faces while we welcome many new ones. We celebrate gathering again around the altar for Eucharist, and also around the table at coffee hour. We join with each other in volunteer capacities at Vestry, Altar Guild, and a variety of committee meetings and service in the community. Last weekend we had a lot of fun serving up root beer floats at Loaves & Fishes' Jefferson Street Block Party, and visited with many of our neighbors. In September we will reconvene our Wednesday night meals, worship, meetings, choir practices and faith formation classes. During Lent we learned about several different spiritual practices, some of which were personal prayer practices. In the life of the church we also have spiritual practices we share in community. As Episcopalians we are often called "People of the Book", referring to the Book of Common Prayer. We are also a people who gather, who walk together, who come to the table together, at the altar and in the dining room. It's good for your mental health, your physical health, and your spiritual health. And it's just good fun!

Submitted by Patricia Benson

They committed themselves to the teachings of the apostles, the common meal and the prayers.

Acts 2:42

#### New Surgeon General Advisory Raises Alarm about the Devastating Impact of the Epidemic of Loneliness and Isolation in the United States

#### Surgeon General Dr. Vivek Murthy Calls for Action to Address Public Health Crisis, Lays Out Framework for a National Strategy to Advance Social Connection

"Our epidemic of loneliness and isolation has been an underappreciated public health crisis that has harmed individual and societal health. Our relationships are a source of healing and well-being hiding in plain sight – one that can help us live healthier, more fulfilled, and more productive lives," said **U.S. Surgeon General Dr. Vivek Murthy**. "Given the significant health consequences of loneliness and isolation, we must prioritize building social connection the same way we have prioritized other critical public health issues such as tobacco, obesity, and substance use disorders. Together, we can build a country that's healthier, more resilient, less lonely, and more connected."

The physical health consequences of poor or insufficient connection include a 29% increased risk of heart disease, a 32% increased risk of stroke, and a 50% increased risk of developing dementia for older adults. Additionally, lacking social connection increases risk of premature death by more than 60%.

In addition to our physical health, loneliness and isolation contribute substantially to mental health challenges. In adults, the risk of developing depression among people who report feeling lonely often is more than double that

of people who rarely or never feel lonely. Loneliness and social isolation in childhood increase the risk of depression and anxiety both immediately and well into the future. And with more than one in five adults and more than one in three young adults living with a mental illness in the U.S., addressing loneliness and isolation is critical in order to fully address the mental health crisis in America.

While the epidemic of loneliness and isolation is widespread and has profound consequences for our individual and collective health and wellbeing, there is a medicine hiding in plain sight: social connection.

Social connection is beneficial for individual health and also improves the resilience of our communities. Evidence shows that increased connection can help reduce the risk of serious health conditions such as heart disease, stroke, dementia, and depression. Communities where residents are more connected with one another fare better on several measures of population health, community safety, community resilience when natural disasters strike, prosperity, and civic engagement.

You can find the full pdf here: <u>https://www.hhs.gov/sites/</u> <u>default/files/surgeon-general-social-connection-</u> <u>advisory.pdf</u>

## **Block Party Volunteers**

Thank you to everyone who helped our local Loaves & Fishes community host a block party for the neighborhood on Saturday, August 19. It was a hot day! The L & F community sent us a nice note "You all are the <u>BEST</u> neighbors. Thank you for the ice cream floats, chairs and tables, grill storage, years of friendship. It sure was a fun party." A marvelous example of hospitality for our neighbors. Great job!



L to R: Tanis Halverson, Nancy Diener, Kathleen Smith, and Deacon Pat Benson

### Stewardship — A Fundamental Understanding

In the Church, we hear the word "stewardship" used in a number of contexts and with a number of specific and slightly different meanings. I think that it is important, as Rev. Maggie has said before, to understand stewardship in its full theological and spiritual meaning as a form of ministry—a calling to steward, to take care of, to properly use and not waste and destroy all of creation which has been entrusted by God our creator to our care.

For many of us, however, when we hear the term stewardship, we immediately think of the fall campaign that most all Episcopal Churches engage in each year to reach out to members to ask for contributions to meet upcoming yearly operating budget needs. This, however, is only a part of what Christian stewardship is all about, but it is an important part. As Henri Nouwen, renowned Christian spiritual writer has said, "[Fundraising] is a way of announcing our vision and inviting other people into our mission. It is, ...proclaiming what we believe in such a way that we offer other people an opportunity to participate with us in our vision and mission." (Henri J. M. Nouwen, Spirituality of Fundraising, Upper Room Books, 2010.)

The book I have just quoted from is a book that is being read and reflected upon by our fall giving campaign committee led by Kathy Leonard. You will be hearing more from Kathy and the committee as we enter the end of our calendar year, looking back to celebrate our joys and accomplishments this past year while looking ahead



A Spirituality of Fundraising

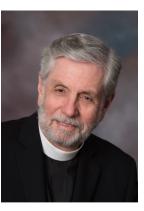
Henri J. M. Nouwen



John S. Mogabigab, Series Editor

to the challenges of the upcoming year.

As we look to the future, while it is important to remember that stewardship *is* a spiritual practice: it is a practice that takes many forms, and fundraising and financial giving is only one of those practices. How we give to our church and our community can be manifested in a variety of ways, both in treasure and talent. There are a variety of gifts that God has given to each and every one of us. We each have individual gifts of love and compassion and ministry in all of its forms that we can each give generously to the building up of the church and God's kingdom. These are all practices of stewardship.



Recognizing that "stewardship" is a ministry that takes many forms, Rev. Maggie has asked me, along with others, to form an overarching Stewardship Committee to coordinate all of St. Paul's various stewardship efforts -efforts as diverse as renewing our capital campaign, efforts to improve and utilize our building and grounds, an educational program to encourage and foster planned giving, and searching for opportunities and applying for grants. All these efforts and more are vitally important and needed to continue to foster the miniseries of every one of our disciples at St Paul's.

This overarching committee being formed will not be engaged in the "hands-on" supervising or implementation of all these various programs and projects but will instead be coordinating with the separate committees, groups, and individuals whose efforts and ministry are involved. The vision for this overarching committee is to have representatives from each of these separate committees and groups along with other parish leaders to ensure that we are efficiently meeting the needs of St. Paul's and maximizing, to the extent possible, all our efforts towards the goal of fostering a vital community of disciples.

More to come...

Faithfully, Fr. Rick

### Notes of a Different Kind...

#### Friends in Christ:

I was driving in from the cabin over the weekend, and I noticed that, even though the trees are still green, you can tell they're about to change. The angle of the sun is changing. I even saw a post on Facebook last week that said we won't have another sunset after 8 pm until next May. I love living in a place where the passage of time is so clearly marked. In the church we also see a shift on the horizon with the coming program year resuming.

If you're waiting for a sign to come and sing in the Chancel Choir, here it is. The choir is doing well in rebuilding following the pandemic, but we can always use your voice. It's really a great community of folks who love to sing and care for each other. We will sing for worship for Rally Day on September 10, so feel free to join us at 9 am that day. Our Wednesday practices resume on September 13 at 6:15 pm in the chancel.

St. Paul's Bells will also resume rehearsing that evening. The handbells are a fun way to make music as well. The bell choir plays approximately once a month in addition to festival services. We rehearse on Wednesday evenings as well at 7:45 in front of the baptismal font.

Last but certainly not least, the St. Paul's Brass plays for festival services and rehearses on an asneed basis, usually a



couple Sundays before they play. It's a very nonthreatening place to play because the organ is usually playing in the background. If you would like to play, please contact me, and we'll get you set. We especially need a trombone player as the great Evan Erspamer graduated from high school and is going away to college this fall, but all are welcome.

I look forward to seeing you involved in music at St. Paul's this fall.

Peace,

Tom Hamilton Minister of Music

## **Confirmation and Reception**

It was a joyous celebration for all on August 6, 2023. The Rt. Rev. Craig Loya, X Bishop of ECMN, visited St. Paul's for a service of Confirmation and Reception.



L to R: Olivia Morin-Swanson, Jack Morin-Swanson, Bishop Craig Loya, Rev. Maggie, Caitlin Cox, Graham Hartlieb, Ernie Barthel, Joe Bauer, and Connor Albertson.



L to R: Rev. Maggie, Bishop Craig Loya, Susan & Matthew Cox, Tammy Bain, and Sarah Erickson.

## 2024 Annual Giving Campaign

It is with much excitement that I introduce you to the team who will be leading us forward in the Annual Giving Campaign (Stewardship). Jim Ransom, Holly Hansen, John Pastor and myself will be guided by Reverends Maggie and Rick as we prayerfully approach a campaign that will be thoughtful and usher us into the future at St. Paul's.

Our goals are grounded in a well-planned budget and a wealth of information gathered from the "Faith In Our Future" forums. Our budget reflects who we say we want to be as a congregation. St. Paul's is cultivating a growing and loving community that is ready to assume more opportunities within the church, our neighborhood and the greater community.

Our ministry includes opportunities to participate in the church's vision and mission and support these with our financial resources. We have a vision that is amazing and exciting. Our team will provide you with the information you need as you consider your contributions to St. Paul's. Along with the financial donations, the pledge cards will include an area for you to offer your time, talent and treasures. These are all invaluable and instrumental to the success of our church.



Thank you all for your previous contributions and commitments to St. Paul's and we look forward to all the great things we can do in 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Leonard, Chair Annual Giving Campaign

## What to Expect in our Annual Giving Campaign for 2024

This year, our goal for fundraising will be \$385,000. We hope to meet this goal by December 1, 2023. This is a similar ask to our 2023 goal, which allows us to meet the needs of our growing faith community.

#### **Important Dates:**

- Sunday, October 8 Annual Campaign Kick Off
- Sunday, October 15 Celebration of St. Luke's Day and all Healthcare Workers
- Sunday, October 22 Celebration of the Diocesan Youth Event and Formation Ministries
- Sunday, October 29 Commitment Sunday and the Conclusion of the Campaign



Pledge cards will be due earlier than is typical this year, on October 29, allowing us to plan ahead and prepare transparently for 2024. Pledge cards will also, for the first time, include a place to pledge time and talent in addition to financial resources, so that all households regardless of income may feel confident in making a pledge in 2024.

In the early weeks of October, each household in the church will be contacted by a member of the vestry or stewardship team as a way to make a connection, share our exciting vision, and be invited to make a pledge. These will not be 'follow up' reminder calls, but invitational calls—certified guilt-free and excitement-oriented. We are really energized, proud, and inspired by what is happening at St. Paul's, and we are eager to make connections with everyone who worships here that we might go forward with our vision together.

Maggie Nancarrow, Rector

#### LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE – SEPTEMBER 2023

Please find a sub if you are unavailable for your scheduled date.

	September 3	September 10	September 17	September 24	October 1
ALTAR GUILD	K Leonard	S M Anderson	C Miller	R Ballou-Buck	K Leonard
	S Cox	S Hall	L Hultkrantz	D Kolquist	S Cox
	J Harvey	A Sadowski			J Harvey
	S Sommer				S Sommer
LECTOR 8:00 am		N Diener	A Mackenzie	M Gustafson	Pastor
LECTOR 10:00 am	MSponcor	Z Stodola	W Copeland	R Butler	M Chilson
LECTOR 10:00 am	M Spencer C Andrews	L Brunfelt	C Miller	H Hansen	A Sadowski
ror	CAldrews				A Sadowski
CHALICE	M Spencer	N Diener	N Constance	R Butler	S M Anderson
	S M Anderson	Z Stodola	W Copeland	P Enenbach	M Chilson
	P Enenbach	J Stromquist	M Gustafson	K Smith	M Spencer
ACOLYTES	L Gustafson	A Dodge	G French	L Fellman	A Rennan
	C Gustafson	C Butcher		M Butler	A Barthel
	I Denney	A Keto	J Bauer	J Shambour	E Barthel
LIVESTREAM	J Austin	D Barthel	R Lyle	J Austin	J Austin
COFFEE HOST	S M Anderson and N Constance	M & B Minter	T & C Conrad	Fait-Rennan Family	Barthel- Rosenberger
USHERS	B Dinan	M Brown	D Morin	R Lyle	B Dinan
	C Dinan	S Brown	K Swanson	G Olson	C Dinan
	N Schuldt	D Kolquist	D Barthel	P Waite	N Schuldt
				M Gustafson	
LOCK UP	B Stapp	C Fellman	M Brown	T Diener	J Austin

#### Altar Guild Other Duties for September:

SeptemberLinens:

**Brass Cleaning for September:** 

J Harvey, L Hultkrantz Subs: C Conrad

D Kolquist, A Abraham, A Slattery



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# Sunday, September 10

Start off another great Fall season of faith activities at St. Paul's! Rally Day is coming soon. Mark your calendar and pray for perfect weather that day! During the 10 am service, children will be invited outdoors for games and activities. The Rally Day Team will host lunch after the 10 am service for us all to enjoy and connect. We want to see you there!