

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON
THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF EAST CAROLINA



THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2026

8:00 AM HOLY EUCHARIST
10:30 AM CHORAL EUCHARIST

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Welcome to St. Paul's Episcopal Church, celebrating 167 years of service and worship in Wilmington.

8:00 AM EUCHARIST RITE II ACCORDING TO THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER

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Please silence all electronic devices before the liturgy begins.*

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SERVICE PARTICIPANTS at 8:00 AM

Celebrant

The Reverend Caleb J. Lee

Preacher

The Reverend James H. Green

Server and Lector

Herb Gant

Greeter/Usher

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The hymns can be found in the blue 1982 Hymnal. Other hymns will be marked accordingly.
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Voluntary *Ich ruf zu dir, BWV 639* J.S. Bach

Processional Hymn 401 *The God of Abraham praise* Leoni

THE WORD OF GOD

The Penitential Order **BCP 351**

Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People: *God's mercy endures forever.*

The Decalogue *The people kneel* **BCP 350**

The Celebrant recites the Decalogue and after each commandment the people respond, "Amen. Lord have mercy".

Celebrant: If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. *1 John 1:8,9*

The Confession of Sin and Absolution **BCP 352**

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Minister and People:

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your name. Amen.

The Celebrant concludes with an absolution.

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Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: *And also with you.*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: Be gracious to all who have gone astray from your ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of your Word, Jesus Christ your Son; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Please be seated.

The First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a

Reader: A Reading from the Book of Genesis.

The Lord said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm 121

Levavi oculos

H. Walford Davies

I lift up my eyes to the hills; *
from where is my help to come?
My help comes from the Lord, *
the maker of heaven and earth.
He will not let your foot be moved *
and he who watches over you will not fall asleep.
Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel *
shall neither slumber nor sleep;
The Lord himself watches over you; *
the Lord is your shade at your right hand,
So that the sun shall not strike you by day, *
nor the moon by night.

The Lord shall preserve you from all evil; *
it is he who shall keep you safe.
The Lord shall watch over your going out and your
coming in, *
from this time forth for evermore.

The Second Reading: Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

Reader: A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans.

What then are we to say was gained by Abraham, our ancestor according to the flesh? For if Abraham was justified by works, he has something to boast about, but not before God. For what does the scripture say? "Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness." Now to one who works, wages are not reckoned as a gift but as something due. But to one who without works trusts him who justifies the ungodly, such faith is reckoned as righteousness. For the promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation. For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations") —in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Gradual Hymn 448

O love, how deep, how broad, how high

Deus tuorum militum

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 3:1-17.

People: *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

There was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God." Jesus answered him, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above." Nicodemus said to him, "How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, 'You must be born from above.' The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" Jesus answered him, "Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things? "Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. "Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him."

Gospeller: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

The Sermon

The Reverend James H. Green

The Nicene Creed *(Please stand)*

BCP 358

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and
the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and
glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of
sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

adapted from Form II

BCP 385

In the course of the silence after each bidding, the People offer their own prayers, either silently or aloud.

Intercessor: I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for Rob our Bishop, Sarah our bishop-elect, and Sean our Presiding Bishop. We pray for the ministry of the Clergy of St. Paul's, for this gathering; and for all ministers and people. In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for St. Peter's, Sunbury and St. Christopher's, Elizabethtown. In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Japanese Holy Catholic Church. Pray for the Church.

Silence

Intercessor: I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

Intercessor: I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. We pray for all in our parish family in need of healing, (*the intercessor reads the names of those in our parish who need our prayers*). Are there others? Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

Intercessor: I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him. Pray that we may find and be found by him.

Silence

Intercessor: I ask your prayers for the departed, especially Janet Dillon. Pray for those who have died.

Silence

Intercessor: Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored. Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Silence

The Lenten Collect *(said together)*

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing you have made and forgive the sins of all who are penitent: Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, may obtain of you, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: *And also with you.*

Announcements

Offertory Anthem

God so loved the world

John Stainer

God so loved the world, that He gave His only-begotten Son, that whoso believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through Him might be saved. Amen.

Members of the congregation will present the offerings and oblations of our life and labor to the Lord. Today's loose offering goes to the Rector's Discretionary Fund. If you would like to give electronically, please turn to page 11 for the QR code.

Presentation Hymn

Doxology

Rockingham

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below.
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer A)

BCP 361

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: *And also with you.*

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: *We lift them to the Lord.*

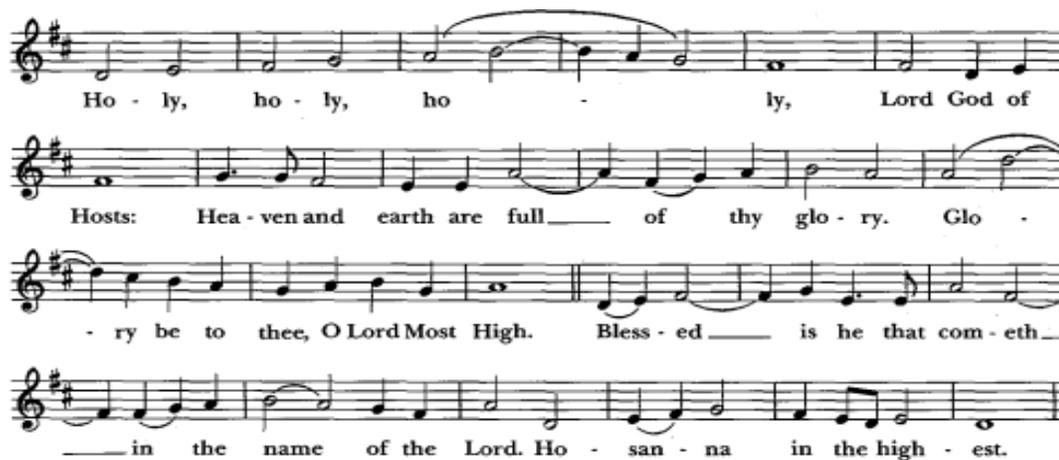
Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: *It is right to give God thanks and praise.*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

You bid your faithful people cleanse their hearts, and prepare with joy for the Paschal feast; that, fervent in prayer and in works of mercy, and renewed by your Word and Sacraments, they may come to the fullness of grace which you have prepared for those who love you.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of
Hosts: Hea - ven and earth are full of thy glo - ry. Glo -
ry be to thee, O Lord Most High. Bless - ed is he that com - eth
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. *AMEN.*

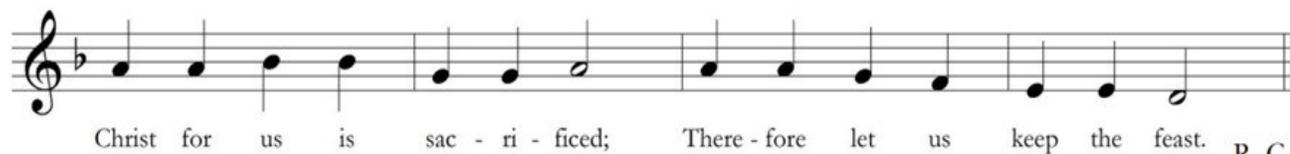
And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy Name,
 thy kingdom come,
 thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread.
 And forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us.
 And lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread**Fraction Anthem***Paschal victim, bread of life*

Aus der Tiefe rufe ich

**The Prayer of Humble Access** *(said together)*

We do not presume to come to this your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Invitation to Communion

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Agnus Dei S-158*O Lamb of God*

Healey Willan

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
 O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
 O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

Communion of the People**Communion Anthem***Come, ye sinners, poor and needy*

Southern Harmony

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity,
 love, and power.

I will arise and go to Jesus He will embrace me in His arms; In the arms of my dear Savior; Oh, there are ten thousand charms
 Come, ye thirsty, come and welcome, God's free bounty glorify; true belief and true repentance, ev'ry grace that
 brings you nigh.

Refrain

Come, ye weary, heavy laden, lost and ruined by the fall; if you tarry till you're better, you will never come at all.

Refrain

Communion Hymn 603

When Christ was lifted from the earth

St. Botolph

Communion Hymn 691

My faith looks up to thee

Olivet

The Post Communion Prayer

BCP 366

The people stand or kneel.

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Processional Hymn 379

God is Love, let heaven adore him

Abbott's Leigh

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Voluntary

Voluntary in F

John Bennett

SERVICE PARTICIPANTS at 10:30 AM

Celebrant

The Reverend Caleb J. Lee

Gospeller & Preacher

The Reverend James H. Green

Assisting

The Reverend Judy Breny

Vergers

Leon Tillery

Altar Server

Hazel Lee

Crucifers

Hazel Lee

Charlie Nipper

Gospel Book Bearer

Amelia Thomas

Torchbearers

Kate Anlyan

Turner Tait

Lectors

Lindsay Joines

Barbara Bucci

Intercessor

Cynthia Smallwood

Eucharistic Ministers

John Fonda

Cabe Lee

Carolyn Demorest

Organist

John Sullivan

Ushers

Al Cannon

Tori Cannon

Isaac Kuykendall

Ashley Kuykendall

Dick Rowe

Greeters

Jessica Shiplett

Merrilee Crafts

Flower Guild

All Members

Altar Guild

Sally Pope

Zona Tounsley

Valerie DeJarld

ST. PAUL'S PRAYER LIST

In Our Parish

Earl Craig
Catherine Thompson Allan
Eileen Searle
Lloyd Olsen+
Tammy Pollock
Teddy Kraszeski
JoAnn Summey
John Efthemis
Mack Umphlett
Ashley Eason
Renée Patrick
Beth Richards
Isaac McDowell
Don Curran
Carrie Anderson Kincaid
Bonnie Cawthorne
Susan McGee
Sue Stevenson
Ron Miller

Carroll Joines
Michele Ryan
Bill Garmon
Katherine Ramsey
Barbara O'Rourke
Richard Banks+
Jeffrey Sackrison
Retha Deaton
Brandon Adkins
Ronald Miller
Gladys & Bob Remillard
Sara Fruechtenicht
Candace Halecki
Norman LaSalle
Maryelle Jones
Peggy Gordon
Lois Moore
Carla Ortiz
Joe Farri

People Requesting Prayer

Lisa Wilson
Elise Harney
Tracy Sorrenti
Whitney
Sara, friends & family
Neil Bucci
Jeff
Randy Watts
Jerry T.
Matt
Tom & Susie Marta
Kate Maclay
Michael Stroud
Laurel

Kirk Conyers
Mary Lou Homestead
Shannon
Peter
Lee Tillery
Diana Williams
Michelle
Jackson Howard
Sylvia List
Cindy Kitterman
Amira Eggers
Irish & Matthew Moulden
Richard Mulliner

The Departed

Janet Dillon

About the Prayer List

Included in our prayers are the names of those for whom prayer has been requested by a parishioner or family member. The reason for being listed is kept confidential. If you would like to add yourself or someone else to the prayer list please reach out to Fr. Caleb Lee or make a prayer request online at our website, www.spechurch.com.

Hospitalization or Pastoral Issues

Please notify us if you or a family member is hospitalized and/or in need of a pastoral call or visit. Please speak with Fr. Caleb or call the church office at 910-762-4578.

Sharing Holy Communion

If illness prevents you or a loved one from joining us for regularly scheduled services, Fr. Caleb or a Lay Eucharistic Minister can share Holy Communion either in your home or at a health care facility. Please speak to Fr. Caleb or contact the church office at 910-762-4578.

With Gratitude

I, along with the family of Marcia Elaine Tillery, want to express our deepest gratitude for your cards, texts, and phone calls during this incredibly difficult time. Your prayers and words of encouragement have been a powerful balm to our sorrowing hearts. We want you to know that the love and comforting support you have shown mean the world to us. We truly appreciate your presence and offer you our sincere gratitude and love.

Bro. Leon Tillery

Vanco Online Giving



ST. PAUL'S CALENDAR

Today, Sunday, March 1

The Second Sunday in Lent

8:00am Holy Eucharist

(Coffee Klatch to follow in the Parish Hall)

9:15am - 12pm Nursery open

9:30am Adult Faith Formation *(Parish Hall)*

9:30am Children's Sunday School *(Upstairs)*

9:30am EYC Coffee & Conversations *(Downstairs)*

10:30am Choral Eucharist

(Reception to follow in the Parish Hall)

1:00pm Janet Dillon Celebration of Life

5:00pm EYC @ St. Paul's

Tuesday, March 3

7:30am Companions in Faith Book Group *(Online via Zoom)*

9:00am Morning Prayer *(Online via Zoom)*

Wednesday, March 4

12:10pm Holy Eucharist *(Lunch to follow in Parish Hall)*

5:30pm Lenten Soup Supper *(Parish Hall)*

7:00-8:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 5

8:30am Gentlefolk of Noble Poverty *(Parish Hall)*

9:00am Morning Prayer *(Online via Zoom)*

11:00am 'Rector's Bible Study *(Parish Hall)*

Friday, March 6

8:00am Mensgroup *(Library)*

Next Sunday, March 8

The Third Sunday in Lent

8:00am Holy Eucharist

(Coffee Klatch to follow in the Parish Hall)

9:15am - 12pm Nursery open

9:30am Adult Faith Formation *(Parish Hall)*

9:30am Children's Sunday School *(Upstairs)*

9:30am EYC Coffee & Conversations *(Downstairs)*

10:30am Choral Eucharist

(Reception to follow in the Parish Hall)

11:45 Tour of St. Paul's

5:00pm EYC @ St. Paul's

'Join Fr. Lee in the Parish Hall as we walk through the Book of Hebrews. Bring your lunch, your perspective, and your Bible.

Seeking soup & salad makers, bread bakers & buyers!

We also need extra help for serving and cleaning up.

Individuals, families and ministry groups
are encouraged to assist!

ARRIVAL: 5:15 PM

BREAK BREAD TOGETHER: 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM

PROGRAM: 6:00 - 7:00 PM

CLEAN UP: 7:00 PM - 7:15 PM

Please review the available slots and submit your name to provide soup, salad, bread, or additional help. Your faithful willingness to help Parish Life with our famous hospitality and fellowship events is very much appreciated.

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Want to get involved?

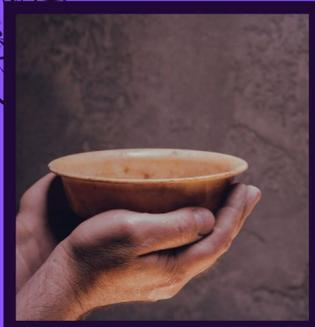
**SIMPLE
LENTEN
SUPPERS**

Seeking soup & salad makers,
bread bakers & buyers,
plus extra help!

- SOUP
- SALAD
- BREAD
- EXTRA HELP

SIGN UP

February 25-March 25, 2026



ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

**ST. PAUL'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

**Wednesdays in Lent
Famous Preachers
in
the Church**

16 N. 16th St., Wilmington, NC
www.spechurch.com

WHEN 5:30 P.M. - 7:00P.M.

WHERE PARISH HALL
*NURSURY PROVIDED

WHAT SIMPLE SOUP AND SALAD SUPPER
FOLLOWED BY A VIDEO SERMON FROM A FAMOUS PREACHER
WITH DISCUSSION AFTER AS TIME PERMITS

*IF CHILDCARE IS NEEDED, PLEASE CONTACT MEAGHAN THOMAS AT SPECKIDS@SPECHURCH.COM

**ST. PAUL'S
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**Adult Faith Formation
The Characters
in Lent**

16 N. 16th St., Wilmington, NC
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WHEN 9:30 A.M., SUNDAYS

WHERE PARISH HALL
*Nursery provided

WHAT A LOOK AT THE BIBLICAL CHARACTERS ASSOCIATED WITH LENT

St. Paul's Episcopal Church + St. Andrew's On-the-Sound Episcopal Church

SUMMER ARTS CAMP

June 22-26, 2026
9am-12pm

- Art, music, movement and daily worship
- Age 4 - Rising 6th grade
- Cost is \$45 per camper
- Daily snack is included
- Culminates with music performance and art show!

CAMP LOCATION:
St. Andrew's On-the-Sound 101 Airline Rd. Wilmington, NC 28403




SAVE THE DATE!

Glory Ridge | June 28-July 3, 2026

Click on the link below to register and view the flyer to find out additional information for this year's camp!

Summer_Arts_Camp_2026 Registration Link



2026 Foster Pantry Easter Baskets

St. Paul's is partnering with the Foster Pantry to provide Easter Baskets to 50 foster children in our area.

There are children of a variety of ages being supported in foster care. You can sign up to provide a basket with age appropriate treats and fun items

Easter Basket Ministry Sign Up

Sign up in the Parish Hall after the 10:30 service TODAY!

Please drop off your baskets by Sunday 3/22 at 12:00pm.

Questions can be directed to Cecelia Peers or Michael Jonik.

Thank you for your support of this special ministry!

FORMATION IN LENT

Wednesdays in Lent

12:10 pm - Holy Eucharist with lunch to follow

5:30 pm - Lenten Soup Supper

6:00 pm -7:00 pm - Adult program

Famous Preachers in the Church

Each week we will watch a sermon from a famous preacher in the church and have discussion

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal

Sunday Adult Formation in Lent @ 9:30 am

The Characters in Lent - Parish Hall

A look at the biblical characters associated with Lent

All are encouraged to follow the daily reflections in our Lenten Reflections Book:

Wander and Ponder

Lenten Reflections

Please enjoy St. Paul's Lenten Reflections via subscribing to our E-news or in booklet form at either entrance to the church.

Sundays

8:00am Holy Eucharist

Followed by Koffee Klatch

10:30am Choral Eucharist

Followed by reception

Wednesdays

12:10pm Holy Eucharist

Followed by community lunch

ST. PAUL'S WELCOMES YOU

We are glad you are with us today. If you are new to St. Paul's, please fill out a guest card and place it in the offering plate or give it to a greeter or an usher. Here are some quick facts that may be helpful.

Welcome: All are welcome to receive communion. If you prefer not to receive, you can remain seated, or come forward with your arms crossed to receive a blessing. If you are allergic to wheat products, gluten-free communion bread is available. Please let your request be known to the priest as you approach the altar rail.

Help: Please see any of our ushers for assistance when you enter the worship area.

Handicapped Parking: Our facility is handicapped accessible with multiple handicapped parking spaces available in the lot off Market Street and the lot off Princess Street. Handicap ramps serve both parking lots.

Live-Streamed: Our service is live-streamed on YouTube on Sundays at 10:30 am Please subscribe to St. Paul's on YouTube to view live-streamed services and concerts.

Worship: St. Paul's follows the services outlined in the Book of Common Prayer 1979. The services include Old and New Testament readings, a reading from the Gospel, a sermon and traditional communion.

Children: All children are welcome and encouraged to attend any of our services.

Worship Kits: Bags and boxes are located in the back of the church for different ages to use in the pew. Please return when church is over.

Nursery: The nursery is open most Sundays from 9:15 am to Noon upstairs in the Children's wing. The nursery is for infants to age 5.

Sunday School: Sunday School meets from 9:30-10:15 am upstairs in the Children's Wing for ages 4-11.

Episcopal Youth Community (EYC): EYC meets Sunday from 9:30-10:15 am in the conference room for 6th grade and older.



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