



PAUL'S LETTER

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Cary is home to an active, caring, and diverse congregation of the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina. Through corporate worship, spiritual development, fellowship, and service we continue to grow together in faith. We strive to be Christ's welcoming, reconciling, and transforming presence in the world through our many and varied ministries.

Rector's Letter

Dear Friends,

The Season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on February 14. Among the many spiritual practices to engage with during Lent, I'd like to invite you to consider some of the following possibilities that will be offered at Church.

On the Wednesdays of Lent, beginning on February 21, at noon and 7:00 p.m., we will gather for Eucharist/Bible Study in the Chapel. We offered this during Advent and so many of those who attended suggested we do this during Lent. We have set up a prayerful area in the Chapel with chairs set in a semi-circle around a simple small altar, with an icon. The service includes a brief introduction to each of the scripture readings by the priest, followed by conversation after the Gospel among those present. This is then followed by Eucharist.

On Tuesday evenings of Lent, beginning the eve of Ash Wednesday on February 13, at 7:00 p.m. in the youth wing, you are invited to learn more about the Episcopal Church. I particularly want to invite those adults who are discerning a decision to be confirmed or received into the Episcopal Church. But anyone is welcomed to attend. A six session Inquirers' Class will consist of the following listed by topic, date and presenter:

1. February 13- History of the Episcopal Church: Javier
2. February 20- Scripture: George.
3. February 27- The Book of Common Prayer: Javier
4. March 6- Sacraments: Carr
5. March 13- Church Polity: George
6. March 20- Moral Action: Carr

The Sunday Adult Formation Sessions at 10:15 a.m. during Lent will consist of a theme of having better conversation about Christianity and politics. At the writing of this article the final schedule is still being finalized, but will kick off on Sunday, February 18 with a guest speaker, Dr. Luke Bretherton, Professor of Ethics at Duke University. The title of Dr. Bretherton's presentation will be "Healing Babylon: Faithful Politics in a Time of Division." Dr. Bretherton has been the facilitator of two Diocese of North Carolina clergy conferences, and I highly recommend you not miss his presentation. Please look to the parish website and Sunday bulletin for the complete Sunday Adult Formation Schedule and topics.

Another spiritual practice I'd like to suggest is weekly Eucharist. If it is not your practice to be at church each Sunday for Eucharist perhaps make that something to consider for Lent. It may be a source of renewal for you.

Have a Holy Lent.

George

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NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The deadline for the March 2018 Newsletter is
Friday, February 16th
at 10:00 a.m.
newsletter@stpaulscary.org

Warden's Corner



*All Are
Welcome*

2018 is here! Before I write another word, I want to thank Sherri Hubbard for her leadership as Senior Warden in 2017. The parish was blessed to have her thoughtful and dedicated leadership last year. I also want to thank our outgoing vestry members, and welcome our new vestry members. 2017 was challenging on a number of levels, particularly property and facilities. As Junior Warden, I dealt with these issues on a monthly basis. It seemed as if something was either breaking or needed replacement on a weekly basis! And fix and repair and replace and added, we did. The highlight for me was the new lighting in the courtyard, Kids' Club and Memorial Garden. It has created a much safer environment at night. We have a new ice machine in the kitchen, new coffee pots, lawn mower, toilets, new or repaired HVAC, banners in the sanctuary. We took some trees down, took down the light pole in the courtyard, and improved the playground. Lobster Fest 2017 set a new proceeds record which will be dispersed by the Men's Group, In-Reach, and Outreach efforts. ASP sent the largest contingent of St. Paul's high school students and adult sponsors out into the field to date.

2018 will be another challenging year as we continue to grow and maintain/improve the campus. Planning is underway for our new capital campaign, and we are also celebrating the church's 60th anniversary with a celebration currently scheduled for Sunday, September 16, 2018.

Pledging for 2018 is continuing, and I ask everyone reading this letter to prayerfully consider pledging if you have not already done so. The vestry retreat is scheduled for January 26-27, and we would like to finalize the budget at that time. The parish quarterly update meeting was Sunday January 28 (between the 9:00 and 11:15 a.m. services). I hope you came to learn about the budget update and to hear the latest news about the capital campaign.

The endowment program continues to grow. If you have estate plans underway, or a planned gift of some kind, please consider a gift to the St. Paul's Endowment Fund.

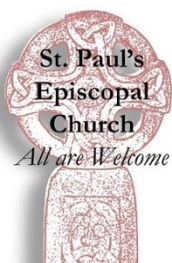
Thank you for all that you do for St. Paul's.

Peace.

Jeff Kager
Senior Warden

Hospitality, Parish Life, and Pastoral Care

About Our Church



We express our sympathy to sympathy to the family of John Stocks, member of St. Paul's; to the family of Hattie Beck, a member of St. Paul's; to the family of Peggy Hines, a member of St. Paul's; to the family of Sherry Wrenn, a member of St. Paul's; to Barbara Brickman for the death of brother, John Ballachey; to Gail Duncan for the death of her friend Mary Beth Fee; to Margie Best for the death of her niece, Ivey Pipkin; to Cindy Kager for the death of her cousin, Michael Mayer; to Lesley and Steve Dinwiddie for the death of their friend, Bob Schmidt; to Larry and Mary Marsha

Cupitt for the death of their friend, Bob Uhl; and to Larry and Mary Marsha Cupitt for the death of their friend, Lee Fuller.

We rejoice for the birth of Lillian Vincent Davis, granddaughter of Ruth and Bob Burnett; and for the birth of Harlock Dieckmann, son of Josh and Shelia Dieckmann.

We rejoice in the baptism of Emerson Magdalene Ockert, daughter of Joe and Melissa Ockert.

Submitted by Melanie Fairbrother
Office Manager

Winter Mini Ministry Fair Coffee Hour – Parish Hall February 4th

Whether you want to get involved in something new or just find out what's happening, come to the Winter Mini Ministry Fair. Each of the three mini fairs during the year highlights different ministries. Here are some of the groups which will be on hand at this fair: Care

and Share, Adult Formation, Newcomer Ministry, Refuge for Refugees, Dorcas Ministries, Pulse, Episcopal Farmworker Ministry, Men's Group, Fellowship Events Team, Wheels for Hope, Endowment Fund Committee, and Ushers.



Ministry of the Week



Feb 4	Winter Mini-Fair
Feb 11	Men's Group
Feb 18	Senior Ministry / Dorcas Ministry
Feb 25	Prayer Stitchers



Senior Ministry Advanced Directives

St Paul's Seniors' Ministry invites you to an "Advanced Directives" event on March 10 at 1:00 p.m. in the chapel. The program will provide practical tips on selecting a healthcare power of attorney and making decisions for future medical care. Rich Gwaltney, the Community Engagement Representative for

Transitions Life Care, will guide participants through a comprehensive document called *Five Wishes*, one step at a time. ALL AGES are encouraged to attend.

Submitted by Marci Swanson

PLAN AHEAD

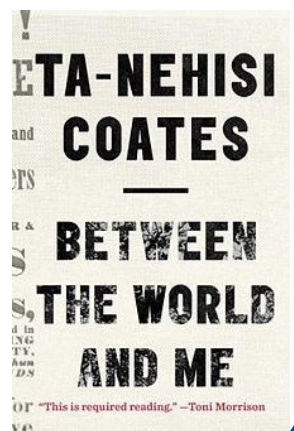
Women's Study Group

The Women's Study Group will meet Tuesday, February 13th from 12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m. in the bride's room to discuss *Between the World and Me* by Ta-Nehisi Coates Brooks. Amazon Books writes, "Written as a series of letters to his teenaged son, his memoir, *Between the World and Me*, walks us through the course of his life, from the tough neighborhoods of Baltimore in his youth, to Howard University to the broader Meccas of New York and Paris. Coates describes his observations and the

evolution of his thinking on race." This will be a very interesting book to discuss so we hope you will join us. Then on March 13th we will meet to discuss *Homegoing* by Yaa Gyasi which has been rescheduled from January. Mark your calendars!

We would love to have you join us for our discussions – even if you haven't finished the book! If you have any questions, contact Leah Dail at LeahDail@gmail.com.

Submitted by Leah Dail



Murder Mystery Dinner and Fundraiser **“Miss Iggy’s Saloon Shindig:** **A Wild West Who Done It** **Saturday, February 17th 6:30 p.m.**

Back by popular demand, the youth of St. Paul’s will be presenting another juicy murder mystery and dinner. This year they will be performing “Miss Iggy’s Saloon Shindig.” Our mystery is set in Deadwood, a downtrodden, almost forgotten town. It once thrived and prospered when folks thought gold was in them thar hills, but the hills contained nothing but dirt. Now Deadwood is just an occasional stagecoach stopover and a haven for outlaws. It also houses the best Saloon around these parts. Someone –

but who?? – is driven to murder. Come help discover who done it.

Dinner will be a scrumptious three course Wild West-themed meal. The event will be from 6:30-8:30 pm and child care will be provided. Tickets are \$20.00 per person and there will also be a wine cash bar. Proceeds will go towards youth mission trips. Please RSVP at: <https://goo.gl/forms/Ylpre2vPeVjpEDzr2>.

Contact Leah Dail at Leah.Dail@stpaulscary.org for more information.



Mystery Book Lovers

For January, we are reading *Flash Mob* by Robert O’Connell. Bob and his wife, Theresa, are new members of St Paul’s. You can purchase the book from [Amazon](https://www.amazon.com) for \$.99 for a Kindle version, or for \$14.99 in hardcover.

Or simply contact Bob for a loaner copy of the book at: ocoman2@bellsouth.net, or 954-592-7506. Just return the book in reasonable condition, or you may purchase the book

for \$10. If you enjoy the book, please leave a review on Amazon, Goodreads, or wherever else you think appropriate.

We will be meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, at 7:00 p.m. at IHOP Restaurant Kildaire Farm Rd, where there is a room set aside for us under St Paul’s.

Any questions please call Sarah Collins at 919-757-2086.

Submitted by Sarah Collins



Love is in the air this month at the Preschool.

The 3rd Annual Snow BALL was a huge success. The children dressed in their snowball finery and danced, played games, posed for pictures, and ate yummy food. Special thanks to the Snow BALL committee for organizing the enchanting evening for the preschool families.

Groundhog Day is just around the corner. The children have started making predictions on whether or not the groundhog will see his shadow. Most of the children wish for more winter and snow...I think their parents might have a different wish this year!

Everyone is looking forward to celebrating Valentine's Day. The children especially love creating Valentine's Day cards for their friends and family. Red and pink hearts and glitter will soon fill the hallways!

Several of the classes will enjoy Pancakes and PJ's day this month as they learn about the letter "P." The preschool always smells so delicious on cooking days!

Additionally, some of the classes will celebrate Mardi Gras by making beignets, eating King Cake, and participating in a Mardi Gras parade!

Registration for the 2018-2019 school year is now open. Please help spread the word to your friends, neighbors, and co-workers about our wonderful preschool!

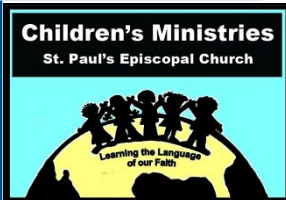


Anyone interested may call the preschool office at 919-467-3788 or send an email at stpaulspreschoolcary@gmail.com for information or to schedule a tour.

Registration forms for Summer Fun Camp will be distributed in March. Please mark your calendar for Summer Fun Camp May 29th – June 1st and June 4th – June 7th.

Blessings,
Brooke Bowersox

Children's Ministries



Christine Ingram
Children's Ministries
Director
919-467-1477, ext. 19

Are you in touch with "What's Happening in Children's Ministries?"



Be in the know about Children's Ministries events at St. Paul's. Email Christine Ingram

(christine.ingram@stpaulscary.org) and request to be added to the weekly email distribution about all that is happening for children at St. Paul's.

Communion Classes

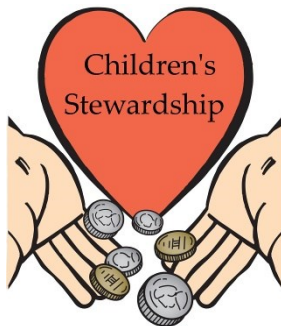
Communion Classes will be taught April 15, 22, and 29 during the Sunday school hour (place to be announced). Classes are taught by clergy and are open to all children in 1st grade and up that have not received prior communion education. Classes are cumulative and children are expected to attend all 3 classes. Participants must be baptized prior to

communion class participation. Participant registration forms will be available at the beginning of March.

A special communion celebration will be held on May 6 at the 9:00 a.m. service for those children that have completed the classes (dress attire is recommended) and a coffee hour to honor the children will immediately follow the service.



Communion Class



Stewardship Update

The generosity of our children is adding up! The June 2017-May 2018 children's offering basket collection will be donated to sponsor our own Note in the Pocket Sort Day on June 3, 2018. So

far our children have collected over \$1100.00 in their basket toward our goal of \$3000-all those quarters and dollars count! Thank you!



Teddy Bear Tea-Feb. 3

St. Paul's fourth annual Teddy Bear Tea will be held on February 3, 2018 at 10:30 a.m. in the parish hall. This gathering is for our youngest parishioners (preschoolers and lower elementary students) and their favorite stuffed animal. Children need to be escorted by a parent, grandparent, or

guardian. Light refreshments will be served and teddy bears will receive special pampering. Please RSVP by January 30 to www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C094DA4A623A4F58-teddy.



PJ Service

Back by popular demand! As a treat for all the children, Sunday, March 11th (the Sunday when Daylight Savings begins) will be "wear your pajamas to

church" Sunday. Please follow the dress code restrictions established by Wake County Public Schools. Parents are invited to participate too!

Lenten Activities

- Pancake Supper – Visit Children's Ministries at the Pancake Supper on February 13. We will have a craft table for the children to enjoy! Hope to see you there!
- Ash Wednesday Service for Families- Join our clergy on Wednesday, February 14 at 5:45 p.m. for a brief "child friendly" Ash Wednesday Service and distribution of ashes.
- Journey to Jerusalem – pick up your Easter countdown sticker activity,

complete with daily devotionals for Lent.

- Mite Boxes – Mite boxes are a wonderful way to instruct children about God's call to stewardship. Mite boxes are available by the Children's Ministries bulletin board in the education building. All funds collected in this year's mite boxes will be donated to our Note in the Pocket Sort Day.



Pre-EYC

Pre-EYCers continue to meet and stay very busy with outreach and fun! This spring they will be volunteering for Food Bank of Eastern NC, Urban Ministries, and Note in the Pocket. They will also do a little "spring cleaning" on the St. Paul's playground. And, we will have fun, too, by going bowling with EYC

and on our Spring Retreat in April. All 4th and 5th graders are welcome to join us- see the Children's Ministries calendar for all our meetings and activities. Contact Christine Ingram christine.ingram@stpaulscary.org for more information.



Easter Candy Donations Needed

Easter is on its way and that means it is almost time for our Annual Easter Egg hunt! We will be using the same process as last year, where we hide empty eggs for the children to hunt. Children can collect one egg or 100 eggs. All eggs will be turned in to the egg hunt collection area in the courtyard, where the children will receive a bag of treats in exchange for their egg or eggs.

But, we need your help with donations of nut-free candy and other small Easter trinkets (stickers, etc.) to put in the treat bags. Donations are needed by March 15 and can be brought to the church office or given to Christine Ingram. Thank you so much for your help!



Easter
Candies
Needed

Children's Ministries Calendar

Date	Event	Date	Event
Feb. 3	Teddy Bear Tea 10:30am-12noon	Apr. 1	Easter Sunday / Easter Egg Hunt / Note in the Pocket Drive Ends / No Sunday School
Feb. 4		Apr. 8	Spring Break Sunday - No Sunday School
Feb. 11	Pre-EYC meets at Urban Ministries 2 -4 PM	Apr. 14-15	Pre-EYC Retreat
Feb. 13	Pancake Supper 5-7PM	Apr. 15	Communion Class #1
Feb. 14	Ash Wednesday Service for Families 5:45 PM	Apr. 22	Communion Class #2
Feb. 18		Apr. 29	Communion Class #3 / Pre-EYC meets
Feb. 25	Pre-EYC meets	May. 6	Communion Celebration 9 AM Service / Last Day of Sunday School
Mar. 4		May. 13	Mother's Day
Mar. 11	Pre-EYC meets / Note in the Pocket Drive begins / PJ Sunday	May. 20	
Mar. 18	Note in the Pocket Drive	May. 27	Memorial Day / No Children's Chapel
Mar. 24	Pre-EYC Volunteers at Food Bank of NC 2-4 PM / Note in the Pocket Drive	June. 3	5 th Grade Recognition / Note in the Pocket Sort Day
Mar. 25	Palm Sunday / Note in the Pocket Drive / No Sunday School	June. 10	Summer S(f)undays Begin
Mar. 30	Good Friday Service for Children 10 AM		

Youth Coordinator
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*Fostering the love of
Christ in the youth of
St. Paul's.*



Registration

Please check the youth page on the St. Paul's website (www.stpaulscary.org/ministries/youth/) for registration forms or contact Leah Dail (leah.dail@stpaulscary.org) for hard copies forms. The following must be turned in to participate in any youth events: information form, youth covenant, medical release, media release, and behavior agreement.

The mission of the Youth Ministry is to develop a spiritually rich community of young people through fellowship, fun, education, service, and worship. Our Core Development Values are the foundation of our ministry and define what is most important. They are:

✦ Fellowship ✦ Education ✦ Fun ✦ Growth
✦ Spiritual Development ✦ Service ✦
Inclusiveness ✦ Respect

Youth Formation

Come join us for Youth Faith Formation! There is a middle school class for 6th-8th graders and another for high schoolers, grades 9-12. The formation hour is from 10:15-11:00 a.m. (between services). Middle schoolers meet in the youth wing – and no need to go by coffee hour. We will have snacks for you there. High schoolers meet in Room 10 of the education building.

Our curriculum is *Episcopal Curriculum for Youth*, from Virginia Theological Seminary. The upcoming lessons are:

- 2/4 Peace & Justice: Environmental Issues: Saving for Later
- 2/11 Peace & Justice: Apathy: Surrounded by Apathy
- 2/18 Peace & Justice: Apathy: Refusing to Hear
- 2/25 Peace & Justice: Apathy: Ignoring



Episcopal Youth Community

Every young person in grades 6-12 who attends St. Paul's is welcome to be a part of the Episcopal Youth Community (EYC). The youth group is divided into middle school and high school programs, though sometimes activities are combined. Friends are always welcome to attend. EYC gathers on Sunday nights for fellowship and fun activities from 5-7 p.m. with a shared meal at 6:30 p.m. We combine lots of zaniness – games, songs, lots of action – with worship and service. Our mission is to develop a spiritually rich community of young people through our programming and the presence of faith-filled adults. It's organized chaos, but it works!



Confirmation Classes for Youth

Confirmation is an opportunity for youth to make a personal decision and recommitment to the promises that were made for them at their baptism. Someone spoke for them when they were baptized, since they were so young. But now in the sacrament of confirmation the youth can make a mature decision themselves. Confirmation preparation will consist of six sessions held during the Sunday morning education hour beginning with an orientation session (parents and youth) on Sunday, February 4 and classes starting Sunday, February 11 and running through March 18. Classes will meet at the Curry Center. At this time, we do not have a date for the Bishop's visitation when the sacrament of confirmation will take place. Stay tuned for that date. The classes are offered to teenagers who are at least in the 9th grade and who have not yet been confirmed. The only prerequisite is baptism. Please contact Leah Dail (leah.dail@stpaulscary.org) to enroll in the class or if you have any questions.

February EYC Schedule

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February 4, 4-5 PM – Souper Bowl Food

Pick-Up

We will go back through the neighborhoods near St. Paul's to pick up food donations for our Souper Bowl food collection. **Note the change in time: we will not be staying for a meal** so everyone can watch the Super Bowl (or just the commercials!). Make sure dress for the weather and walking and bring a flashlight.



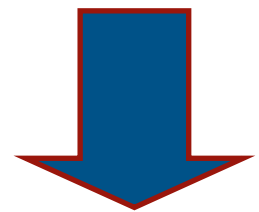
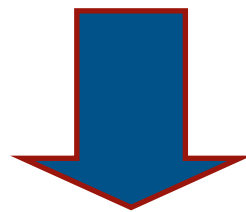
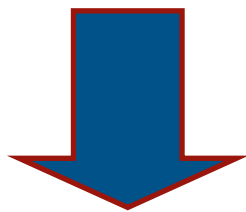
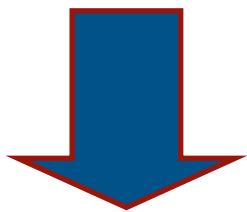
February 11 – Regular EYC for HS & MS

February 18: No EYC

We will be resting after the Murder Mystery Dinner (see attached article), so it's a night off to catch up on homework or SLEEP!

February 25: No EYC

We will be resting after the Bishop's Ball Diocesan Event (see the article below about this awesome event!).



Bishop's Ball Feb. 23-25

The theme is "One Body, Many Hearts." This Diocesan event is full of awesome activities and workshops – and the bishops. There is a formal dinner, followed by a celebration Eucharist and dance with a DJ Saturday night. New this year, the dance will be a danceathon fundraiser for Episcopal Relief and Development Hurricane Relief. Most participants dress up for Saturday evening's festivities. The cost is \$100 and some scholarships are available. Register online at http://www.dionc.org/digital_faith/events/3174983. This is an amazing event!



Dorcas Ministry Update



Maggy Awards

Dorcas Ministries was named best non-profit and best resale shopping in the [2018 Maggy Awards](#) by *The Cary Magazine*.

Toilet Paper Collection News

Just as a reminder, St. Paul's has signed up for half a shelf of toilet paper for the Dorcas Food Pantry which equates to 200 rolls a month (or 2,400 a year). As of the end of 2017, we collected 3,219 rolls of toilet paper and 12 boxes of Kleenex for the Dorcas Food Pantry. So far for 2018 we've collected 118 rolls. Thank you for supporting this effort. Our normal collection is the 2nd Sunday of each month but you can donate any time since we have a permanent collection box located in the hallway outside the choir room.

General Volunteer Needs

Cashiers: Wednesday (3 p.m.-6 p.m.), Thursday (3 p.m. – 6 p.m.), every Saturday (various shifts);

Receptionist for Admin offices: 10-1 and 1 – 4 p.m. Fridays, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. every other Wednesday;

Receptionist for Outreach office: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Mondays;

Scheduling for Outreach appointments 9 a.m. – 12 p.m., various days; and

Dorcas Thrift Shop helpers: 2 – 6 p.m. (areas vary from day-to-day, but most common is pricing, sorting, cashiering, crafts, and books).

Individuals wishing to volunteer should fill out the Online Volunteer Form or pick one up in the Dorcas Thrift Shop or from Nancy Fierke. Once an application is received, a meeting will be scheduled with you and Ellen Frazier the Marketing and Volunteer Manager to match your schedule and interests with the volunteer slots available. A regularly scheduled commitment of about 3 hours per week is desirable but more hours are even better (for example: every Sat from

9 to noon or every Tues from 3 to 6).

Calling All Quilters

Dorcas Ministries will celebrate its 50th anniversary in 2018, and the celebration theme is "Stitching Together A Community - 50 Years of Service." As a part of the 50th anniversary celebration, we are looking for volunteer quilters to sew a quilt inspired by our 50 years of service to the community. We are asking quilters to donate quilts to be auctioned off at the commemorative event in November 2018. The funds raised will support our outreach services.

To support our effort, Dorcas Ministries will:

- Provide sketches, pictures and themes to assist in the creation of quilts;
- Assist in the cost of quilting supplies if a quilter is unable to afford the quilting materials;
- Cary Quilting Company will provide a 10% discount on quilting supplies for Dorcas quilts. Please see Ellen Frazier at Dorcas Ministries or email Bob Stapleton at quilt@dorcas-cary.org to get your 10% discount coupon.
- Acknowledge quilters for their gift of time and talent at our commemorative event.

Thank you for considering being a Dorcas Quilter Volunteer to celebrate our 50th year! If you are interested in volunteering to make a quilt, please contact Bob Stapleton at quilt@dorcas-cary.org.

The Dorcas Thrift Shop is located at 187 High House Road in Cary. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer or learning more about Dorcas Ministry, contact me at nfierke@bellsouth.net or call me at 919-467-8807.

*Submitted by Nancy Fierke
Dorcas Ministry Leader*

Thank You St. Paul's for your warm welcome of St. Nicholas' Visit

Thank you to the congregation of St. Paul's for your generosity and kindness! Every year the congregation's support for this ministry seems to blossom wider. It is immense, astonishing, and appreciated by people from all across North Carolina!

You, the St. Paul's community brightened the lives of 394 needy children (and their parents, too) this year.

Some of the St. Nicholas team travelled back to CommWell Health in Newton Grove to help with the distribution of presents. Let me assure you that the gratitude and beams of joy from the parents getting gifts for their children was overwhelmingly heart-warming.

Again, St. Paul's, THANK YOU.

Submitted by Colette Hibberd



St. Paul's donates over \$6700 to Heifer International in 2017

A big "Thank You" to everyone who donated to Heifer International in 2017. St. Paul's total donation for the calendar year was \$6790.92, surpassing the parish's 2016 donation of \$6317. This wonderful contribution will purchase an entire "Gift Ark" of animals, and many more besides. The \$5000 Gift Ark provides pairs of livestock – including cows, sheep, goats, oxen, water buffalo, camels, llamas, donkeys, pigs, and beehives – to needy families around the world, along with education and training. These gifts promote sustainable farming, reliable incomes, and good nutrition. Thank you for so generously supporting Heifer International in its mission to transform people's lives and to help eradicate hunger and poverty.

If you have any questions or want to learn more about Heifer International, contact Alison Arnold at alisonarnold@gmail.com or 919-605-0761.



Liturgy

Changes in Music Ministries Rehearsal Schedule

Starting on January 25, 2018, the three ensembles that formerly met for rehearsals on Tuesdays (Bells of St. Paul's, Canterbury Bells, and Canterbury Choir) will move to Thursdays at the same times. The catalyst for this change was Rusty McKinney's appointment with the Oak City Voices (see below), but it is

hoped that it may also solve a conflict with Canterbury Bells and the local scout meeting night. The rehearsal table has been amended and the folks currently participating in those groups have made the shift, however, for future planning it is good to note.





Join Music Ministries in 2018

We have many good things happening all across Music Ministries, but we can use more musicians. At St. Paul's we depend upon volunteers of all ages to make music at our services. Do you sing? Do you play an instrument? We can use your talent.

While all voice parts are welcome in all of the choirs, there is a particular need for sopranos and male voices in the 9:00 Choir and alto and bass singers in the St. Paul's Choir at this time. If you have talent for and experience with choral singing, or are an instrumentalist with a

good choral singing voice, we need you. Likewise youth who sing or want to learn should join Canterbury Choir. Advent and Epiphany Choirs are the easiest places to start to be singing for life. They will be our adult singers in the future. See elsewhere in this section for rehearsal schedules.

Contact Rusty McKinney, Minister of Music at rusty.mckinney@stpaulscary.org or call 919-467-6241 the music office. (Please leave a message if no answer.)

Rusty McKinney Named Artistic Director of Local Women's Chorus

I am pleased to announce that after a local search, I have been named Artistic Director of the Oak City Voices. As described on their [website](http://www.oakcityvoices.com), "Oak City Voices is a new women's chorus in the Triangle area, welcoming women from all cultures, backgrounds, and walks of life who wish to raise their voices in a community of song. We will be performing a richly varied repertoire from swing to folk, and from classical to contemporary." The group was established in 2016, and I am pleased to be chosen to lead them. Please visit the website www.oakcityvoices.com and look for us on Facebook to learn more. I will continue my duties as Minister of Music here at St. Paul's, with no changes, other than the schedule adjustment noted above. And of course if you are interested in singing, let me know!

Rusty



Music Ministries Weekly Schedule - February 2018





Wednesdays			
6:00 - 6:45 p.m.	Epiphany Choir (Children Gr. K- 2)	Choir Room / Church	Grades K-2
6:00 - 6:45 p.m.	Advent Choir (Children Gr. 3-5)	Choir Room / Church	Grades 3-5
6:45 - 7:15 p.m.	Advent Bells (Children Gr. 3-5)	Church	Grades 3-5
7:30 - 9:30 p.m.	St. Paul's Choir	Choir Room / Church	Adults
Thursdays			
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Bells of St. Paul's (Adult)	Church	Adults
7:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Canterbury Bells (Youth Gr. 6-12)	Church	Grades 6-12
8:00 - 9:00 p.m.	Canterbury Choir (Youth Gr. 6-12)	Choir Room / Church	Grades 6-12
Sundays			
8:30 a.m.	9:00 Choir <i>No mid-week rehearsals</i>	Choir Room	Adult / Youth
10:30 a.m.	St. Paul's Choir	Choir Room / Church	

Sunday Schedule		
7:30 a.m.	Eucharist Rite I	11:15 a.m. Eucharist Rite II
8:45-12:30	Kids' Club	11:15 a.m. Pre-EYC (2 nd & 4 th Sunday)
9:00 a.m.	Eucharist Rite II	
9:00 a.m.	Children's Chapel	5:00 p.m. Middle School EYC
10:00 a.m.	Fellowship-Coffee	5:00 p.m. High School EYC
10:10 a.m.	Education Hour	

Wednesday Schedule		
10:30 a.m.	Prayer Stitchers	
12:15 p.m.	Liturgy Meeting	
6:00 p.m.	Epiphany Choir	
6:00 p.m.	Advent Choir	
6:45 p.m.	Advent Bells	
7:30 p.m.	St. Paul's Choir	



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4 SUNDAY SCHEDULE MINISTRY MINI FAIR 5:00pm <i>Proud Shoes</i> Book Study	5 7:00pm AA	6 7:00pm Lean In Circle 7:00pm PACCT	7 WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE WEDNESDAY CHOR SCHEDULE 10:00am Prayer Stitchers 12:15pm Liturgy Meeting 7:00pm Baptism Class 7:00pm Adult Formation	1 9:00am Volunteers fold Bulletins 7:00pm <i>Proud Shoes</i> Book Study	2 10:30am Teddy Bear Tea 	3 10:30am Teddy Bear Tea
11 SUNDAY SCHEDULE 10:15am Youth Confirmation Class 2:00pm Pre-EYC at Urban Ministries 5:00pm <i>Proud Shoes</i> Book Study	12 7:00pm Finance Committee 7:00pm AA 7:00pm V&MO	13 SHROVE TUESDAY 12:00noon Women's Study Group 5:00pm Pancake Supper  7:00pm Youth Committee 7:00pm Adult Confirmation Class	14 WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE ASH WEDNESDAY WEDNESDAY CHOR SCHEDULE 7:30am Ash Wed. Service 9:15am Julian Gathering 10:00am Prayer Stitchers 12:00pm Ash Wed. Service 12:15pm Liturgy Meeting 5:45pm Family-Oriented Ash Wed. Service 7:00pm Adult Formation 7:00pm Ash Wed. Service	15 9:00am Volunteers fold Bulletins 6:00pm Bells of St. Paul's 7:00pm MLRC 7:00pm Canterbury Bells 8:00pm Canterbury Choir	16 7:00pm Rainbow Gathering	17 6:30pm Murder Mystery Dinner 
18 SUNDAY SCHEDULE 10:15am Youth Confirmation Class	19 PRESIDENTS' DAY NO PRESCHOOL 7:00pm Vestry 7:00pm AA 	20 10:00am Com Com 7:00pm Adult Confirmation Class	21 WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE WEDNESDAY CHOR SCHEDULE 10:00am Prayer Stitchers 12:00pm Lenten Service 12:15pm Liturgy Meeting 7:00pm Lenten Service	22 9:00am Volunteers fold Bulletins 6:00pm Bells of St. Paul's 7:00pm Canterbury Bells 8:00pm Canterbury Choir	23	24 9:00am Day of Mindfulness
25 SUNDAY SCHEDULE 10:15am Youth Confirmation Class 11:15am Pre-EYC	26 7:00pm Care & Share 7:00pm IT 7:00pm Adult Formation Committee 7:00pm AA	27 7:00pm Adult Confirmation Class	28 WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE WEDNESDAY CHOR SCHEDULE 9:15am Julian Gathering 10:00am Prayer Stitchers 12:00pm Lenten Service 12:15pm Liturgy Meeting 7:00pm Lenten Service			

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