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## ST. PAUL'S EPISTLE





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WE NEED PICTURES/NEWS FROM YOU: We appreciate all the ways our family helps the community. We want to remind ourselves that it takes all of us.

We are starting a new way to feature the people that make up the community of St. Paul, please send us photo/news at office@stpaulsanangelo.org



A big thank you to Rev. Laurie Barker, Pastoral Presbyter, Tres Rios Presbytery, for ordaining and installing Susan Gregonis, Essence Sanchez, and Gretchen Smith as Elders. We also celebrated the installing of Mike Burnett, Dian Cook, and Dowlan Smith as elders. We are grateful for Sarah Stroh to be one of our Trustees. Gretchen Smith will be joining the Class of 2025. Dowlan Smith will be joining the Class of 2026. Our Class of 2027 will be Mike Burnett, Dian Cook, and Essence Sanchez. Sarah Stroh is our 2027 trustee.

With this we thank the Class of 2024 - Chris Hagelstein, Dana Lee, Michael Richeh, Sarah Stroh. Your service was needed and appreciated. We look forward to us continuing our ministry going forth. Thank you!!

## St. Paul Youth Fellowship, Sunday School for Children to return!

Thursdays 4:30-6 PM - SPYF

Sundays - Adult Sunday School (St. Paul Room Class at 9:15 am)

Children's Sunday School - 9:15 am-9:45 am.

Coffee and Conversations in Fellowship - Sunday 8:45am



The Oasis is open Monday-Thursday, 1:30-3:30 PM

Want to volunteer? We can use you at the Oasis. Check with Michelle Gonzalez.



#### PRAISES . . .

Carolyn Jordan - good test results.

Bernie Coffee - great test results.

For the life of Roger Anderson.

Giving thanks and prayers for St. Paul Presbyterian Church.

Thank God for everything.

Griffin Ice – home recuperating – praise the Lord!!

Beth (Kathleen Wylie's friend) - home recovering well from Covid.

LET US PRAY FOR . . .

Dennis Haralson's father - in the hospital. (Member of Tres Rios Presbytery)

John Coffee - day surgery.

Jaci Henderson (John and Bernie's daughter) - flu.

Anna Margaret Anderson on the passing of Roger and Eric.

Friends and family of Scott Butki (Gretchen Smith's friend) as he is laid to rest. Dusti Wilmoth. William and Diana Rodriguez. Marjorie Isaac (Essence Sanchez's mother) in Shannon. Prayers for change in life with finances. Prayers for Tati's family on the loss of her grandmother. Prayers for Tim and family. Continued prayers for St. Paul Church. Prayers for those traveling over the holidays. Prayers for those struggling. Prayers for the peace of the world. Prayers for children that are on vacation this holiday season. Tammy and James Fox. Albert Flores - Melanoma returned. Gabby Reyes. Shell and Janet Barth. Gwen - cancer (friend of Chris Hoffman) Those who are grieving these holidays. Praying for those that can use our help this holiday season. Continued prayers for our government and all people in power. Prayers for Jacoby, Shawnsay, friends, and family.

Continued prayers for our Oasis.					
Prayers for faculty and students at ASU and Howard College.					
Jeff Beeson.					
Verna Shaw.					
Forever prayers for St. Paul Presbyterian Church.					
Prayers for the Calderon family - Eli and Andreya.					
Gail Smith's friend, Marcy, has brain cancer and will start radiation soon.					
The homeless, our government, family, friends, and peace all over the world.					
For Ki Johnson-Thomas, a friend of our congregation, who is starting chemo, as well as their children and extended family as they go through this process.					
Dian Cook and Sonny Asbury's friends: Eddie Martin, recovering from a bad auto accident; and Glenda, recovering from a bad fall that broke her left arm, kneecap, and nose.					
Families dealing with challenges					
Those that have no voice.					



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## Subscribe to St. Paul's YouTube Channel

Sermon: Elder Peggy Tharp

Liturgist: Elder Mike Burnett

Elder of the Week: Elder Bernadette Coffee

Communion Leader: Elder Peggy Tharp

Usher: Elder Bernadette Coffee/Nicole Hoffman

Scripture Reader: Rosanne Girton

Musician: Lynn Milborn

Music Director: Kim Abel Snell

Song Leader: Elder Gretchen Smith

Technology Team: Jeremy Miles, Elder Mike Burnett, & Elder Rosanne Girton

Director of Christian Education: Elder Gretchen Smith

Secretary: Sandra Harris

Nursery Attendant: Dusti Wilmoth

Janitor: Joanne Martinez

Interim Administrative Manager: Elder Bernadette Coffee

#### WELCOME HOME TO ST. PAUL!

You are truly welcome at St. Paul and celebrated as a wondrous and beloved person made in the Image of God. Every time we worship, we are joining in with then everending worship of the angels and faithful people of God in every generation. And YOU are an important part of the great company of saints!

Please sign the Census Binder and let us know if you have any prayer requests by putting them in the offering basket using the papers provided.

If you have any prayer needs or would like to talk about getting more involved (or anything), please call or text Bernie Coffee 325.653.5691 or 325.262.7276 or email us at <a href="mailto:office@stpaulsanangelo.org">office@stpaulsanangelo.org</a>

There's a place for everyone at St. Paul!

God Calls Us Together

PRELUDE

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Jesus comes to proclaim good news to us all! Jesus releases those who are captive, gives sight to the blind, helps the oppressed, and declares the year of the Lord's favor! May we go and do likewise, offering hope to a hurting world. And may it all begin with our worship of God.

\*HYMN "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit" No. 408

#### **CALL TO CONFESSION**

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we are far from the people you have called us to be. We are mired in self-centeredness, seeing things only in terms of how they relate to us and our happiness. Turn our hearts, bent as they are towards ourselves, out to the world around us. Make us more concerned with others, with their welfare and happiness, leaving our own concerns to you, O God. Forgive us for our many mistakes and make us anew we pray. (silent prayers) Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SUNG RESPONSE "Blessed Assurance" (verse 1 and chorus) No. 839

\*PASSING THE PEACE

We Encounter God's Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSONS I Corinthians 12:12-31 and Luke 4:14-21

CHILDREN'S SERMON

\*HYMN "There is a Balm in Gilead" No. 792

SERMON Elder Peggy Tharp

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (I Timothy 3:16)

Without any doubt, the mystery of our religion is great: Jesus was revealed in flesh, vindicated in spirit, seen by angels, proclaimed among Gentiles, believed in throughout the world, taken up in glory. This is the story of our faith, and it fills us with hope. Thanks be to God! Amen.

We Respond & God's Word is Enacted

\*HYMN "We Are One in the Spirit" No. 300

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

**DOXOLOGY** 

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

COMMUNION Elder Peggy Tharp

#### **INVITATION**

All are invited to share in the Lord's Table without regard to any worldly condition. Come, eat -because you are loved by God, and it is God that invites you!

#### PRAYER & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

The Lord be with you!

And also with you!

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right and good to give God thanks and praise!

#### SHARING THE MEAL

All people are welcome to share in communion. If you are joining us remotely, please lift the elements of bread and wine/juice at home as we pray. In the sanctuary, wine is red, and juice is pale. Water and gluten-free options are also available.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION & 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

God Sends Us into the World

#### \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*RESPONSE "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit" (Verse1 and Chorus) No.408

#### \*POSTLUDE

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#### Session

Moderator: Rev. Allen Cross

Class of 2025 - Michelle Gonzalez, Brent Jenkins, Kay Long, Donna Mallernee,

Gretchen Smith

Class of 2026 - Rosanne Girton, Bernadette Coffee, Dowlan Smith

Class of 2027 – Mike Burnett, Dian Cook, Essence Sanchez

Trustees: L'Tanya Williams (2024), Susan Gregonis (2025), Rosanne Girton (2026),

Sarah Stroh (2027)

#### **CALENDAR**

OFFICE HOURS — 10 AM - 1 PM, Tuesday-Friday

OASIS HOURS — 1:30 - 3:30 PM, Monday-Thursday

- 9:15 AM Sunday School for Adults "Spiritual Development" led by Norm Stroh in the St. Paul Room
- Card and Letter writing in the office 11 AM-1 PM, Wednesdays
- St. Paul Youth Fellowship meets Thursdays 4:30-6:00 PM
- Sunday school for children 9:15 AM
- Adult Coffee and Conversations 8:45 AM, Sundays

Jan 27 - Session meets in person and via Zoom – 5:30 PM

Feb 3 - Worship Committee via Zoom - 6:00 PM

Feb 3 - Christian Education Committee via Zoom – 7:00 PM

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

• NEED VOLUNTEERS TO HELP AT THE OASIS MONDAY-THURSDAY 1:30-3:30 PM.

• There is a place for everyone at St. Paul – send cards, make phone calls, help with Sunday School and youth group, liturgist, usher, music, etc.						
MONTHLY FOOD DISTRIBUTION IS CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.						

# 4 WAYS TO "GO" TO CHURCH AT ST. PAUL



### Zoom

St. Paul uses Zoom every Sunday morning to bring church to you in your home. You can connect with your tablet, computer, or phone.

Download the Zoom App and then put in the Meeting ID. This ID is sent out every week through our newsletter. Info about that is below.

BONUS: If you join via Zoom you can join early or stay after to chat with your church family!



## YouTube

St. Paul records and posts the
Sunday service on YouTube. You can
view any previous service by going
to bit.ly/StPaulSAWatch
BONUS: You can also watch just the
worship music!
Do us a huge favor and subscribe to
our YouTube channel!



## **Facebook**

Every week St. Paul livestreams its service onto Facebook. If navigating Zoom gets you down you can still be a part of the live action on Facebook! facebook.com/stpaulsanangelo



## **Call Service**

Do you want to join by phone? We have a new service just for you!

Call 1-888-449-4991

Press 1

That's it! Now every Sunday we will call you! You don't even have to remember. Just answer your phone! BONUS: Following us on Facebook means you can find other ways to connect with you church family! BONUS: If you don't pick up you can always call the number (don't press 1) and join or hear the sermon from the previous week!



## Other Ways To Connect With St. Paul

Sign up to receive St. Paul's email - bit.ly/StPaulEmail

Text Messages - Text @11npark to 81010 OR join with class code @11npark if you already have Remind



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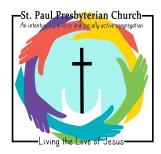


Your tithes and offerings are what enable us to do ministry 24/7.

Your support enables us to feed the hungry, provide space for community groups, have worship, care for our young people, respond to hurricane victims, and much more.

We serve you, our community, and the world!

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