

St Paul's Nantucket

6th Sunday of Easter

Sunday at St. Paul's

Sun., May 21st

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I
10:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite II
10:00 am Sunday School &
Nursery Care during service
Coffee Hour in Gardner Hall
5:00 pm Youth Group Meeting in
Parish House

This Week at St. Paul's

Daily

8:00 am-7:00 pm The Church is open for prayer

Mon.-Thurs.

8:30 am-12:30 pm Parish Office is open

Tues., May 23rd

5:00 pm Lectionary Group
5:30 pm Capoeira in Gardner Hall

Wed., May 24th

8:30 am Mid-week Service
9:30 am Staff Meeting

Thurs., May 25th

11:30 am Book Group
5:30 pm Capoeira in Gardner Hall

Fri., May 26th Office Closed

Sat., May 27th

9:00 am Centering Prayer
10:00 am Youth Choir Rehearsal
10:45 am Church School Singers
Rehearsal
4:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

Sun., May 28th

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I
10:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite II
10:00 am Sunday School & Nursery Care
during service
Coffee Hour in Gardner Hall

The office will be closed Monday, May 29th.

Happening Soon

St. Paul's Ships Inn Spring Dinner/Fundraiser

Thursday, June 1st at 6:30 pm Join fellow St. Paul's parishioners for dinner at Ships Inn to celebrate the beginning of summer. All proceeds from this dinner will go to St. Paul's through the generosity of Ships Inn. Your ticket of \$100 includes all food, wine and gratuities. Wine will be provided throughout the reception and meal, and a cash bar will be open for mixed drinks, beer, and cordials. Make your reservations ASAP. Please pay for your tickets before Sunday, May 26th, at the Church Office or put your check made out to St. Paul's in the plate marked in the memo "Ships Inn Dinner." Reservations can be made by contacting: the Church Office at office@stpaulschurchnantucket.org or 508-228-0916



Rev. Beach on Nantucket NPR

Be sure to tune in to hear Reverend Beach on the new Nantucket NPR public affairs show, "Cross Currents." Hosted by St. Paul's member Scott Widmeyer, Reverend Beach will be interviewed for the show which will air on WNCK (89.5 FM) at 1:05 pm on Saturday, May 20 and Sunday, May 21. The topic for the May 20-21 show is "Religion in Today's World."



Scott's show on Nantucket's NPR station launches this weekend and will feature lively public affairs and lifestyle topics. The show also can be streamed at www.soundcloud.com/nantucketcrosscurrents.

The Coffee Hour needs volunteers who can bring muffins, cookies, bread etc. to share, help put them out or stay and clean up afterward. Each week there are monthly co-leaders who coordinate and oversee the process making sure that there is enough food. There is a sign-up sheet in Gardner Hall kitchen.



Discussion on May 28th

There will be a meeting May 28th after the 8:00am service in the Parish House to discuss Liturgy used during the service. Please join us.

Children's Sunday and Sundaes Sunday, June 18, 2017

On Sunday, June 18 during the 10 a.m. service, the Children will led the service. After the service, we will continue the celebration with Sundaes Sunday.

Christian Education Opportunities

Tuesday Lectionary Study

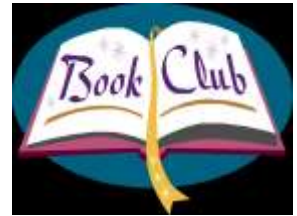
Everyone is invited to join John in the Parish House on Tuesdays at 5:00 pm. We will discuss the upcoming week's lessons. Join us

Thursday Afternoon Book Group

Thursdays, 11:30 am -12:30 pm

St. Paul's Parish House

During this month of May we are celebrating Gardening, reading two books by British writer and avid 1930's Gardner Beverly Nichols, and



winding up this month of May with a visit to Heritage Museum and Gardens in Sandwich.

For more information, please contact Lucy Bixby: bixbyphoto@gmail.com

Centering Prayer Group

Saturdays, 9:00 am -10:00 am

St. Paul's Parish House

Led by Sister Susanna Margaret

This weekly group includes an opening prayer or meditation, a 20-minute practice of Centering Prayer (silent sitting), a scripture reading, and a time for discussion.

Sunday Morning Forum

June 4, Vicky Goss, will discuss the outreach groups mission after the 10:00 am service, in the Chapel.

June 18, Lou Gennaro and Stacy Stuart, will discuss the workings of the vestry after the 10:00 am service, in the Chapel.

St. Paul's Youth Group~ Rescheduled

Due to the CPS school dance, we have moved Meeting to Sunday!

All youth 6th grade or higher are invited to our next meeting on Sunday, May 21st from 5:00pm to 6:30pm in the Parish House for a light dinner, scripture reading, and some fun games.



Youth Ministry

Remember, they can bring a friend with them too! Please email or call the St. Paul's office, or email Deanna McCormack directly at deannamccormack@gmail.com or 508-325-1509, to let us know if you will or will not be able to attend. Sorry, but we do need a good idea of who is coming so we can be prepared with enough food and activities for everyone.

Let's Pray!

We pray for: Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael our Presiding Bishop; Alan, our Bishop; Gayle, our Suffragan Bishop; Bud and Barbara, our retired Suffragans; and John, our Rector.

We pray for: Stewie, Georgina, Henry, Nancy, Deb, Luke, Andrew, Sue and Henry, Michael, Rob, Fallon, Eileen, Justin, Will, Beatrix, Anna, Lexi, Ted, Barb, Andrea, Marianne, Vi, Pat.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Rev. Christian Ebisike, Bishop of Ngbo.

The Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Trinity Church, Haverhill; Grace Church, Lawrence; Esperanza Academy, Lawrence; Congregations: Lectors, Worship Leaders, Eucharistic Ministers & Visitors.

We pray for: The men and women serving in our Armed Forces; easing of racial tensions in our country; those with mental illness and their families; healing and peace among peoples and nations throughout the world; the President of the United States, the United States Congress, the Supreme Court and all in authority; our brothers and sisters from other faiths; our local Food Pantry, the Rental Assistance Program; and the God's Child Project in Guatemala.

This week's Scripture Reading

- [Acts 17:22-31](#)
- [1 Peter 3:13-22](#)
- [John 14:15-21](#)
- [Psalm 66:7-18](#)

