

Parish Announcements

Learn About Healing Prayer Have you ever felt called to support someone in a moment of need? Offering healing prayer during communion is a quiet, powerful way to share God's presence and care. On Sunday, May 17, after church, Sybella Pope-Sears will lead a training to help you get started. She'll walk through the basics, offer practical guidance, and help you feel more confident in offering prayer with compassion and grace. All are welcome.

Would You Like to Sing in the Choir? We are looking for more voices to fill out our choir. Please contact Alissa Kirk for more information: ateachout86@gmail.com

Acolytes Needed Assist at the altar and help make our worship beautiful. Acolytes are critical to smooth and seamless liturgies. We're looking for more crucifers (people who carry the cross), altar servers, torch bearers, gospel bearers, and more. For more information, contact Mother Hannah: rector@stpaulssparks.org.

Tech Team Volunteers Help run slideshows on our new TV's, manage cameras, and microphones for zoom or our youtube channel during the service. Training will be provided, please contact John Hannah: jhannah.church@mymail775.net

Meet & Greets with Mother Hannah Our new rector would like to get to know you! Please mark your calendar and plan to attend one of the following. Sign up sheet in Narthex.

- Saturday, May 9, 4:00pm - 6:00pm at the Bouzek home

Ardmore Park Clean Up, May 23, 10:00am to 12:00pm. Please help give back to the community by cleaning up the park; meet friends and keep our neighborhood clean.

Installation & Induction on Pentecost Bishop Elizabeth would like to install and induct Mother Hannah as our new rector on Sunday, May 24, at 10:00am. If you feel so moved, you may wear red to symbolize the movement of the Holy Spirit. Plan to stay afterward for a special coffee hour. This is a good opportunity to invite your friends to church.

Do you speak a language other than English?

We need you on Pentecost, May 24!

Like the first Pentecost in Jerusalem, we will hear part of the reading from the book of Acts in different languages on Sun., May 24 when Mother Hannah is installed as our rector. You don't have to go up front, just stand and read in your language while others are doing the same. If you speak a language other than English and would be willing to help, you can sign up by going to the following link: bit.ly/pentecostlanguages (It opens a preview of the page, and you click to continue to the sign-up form.) Or... scan the following QR code with your phone's camera and click the link that pops up. Rev. Rick will contact you by email with your reading and other information. Questions? See Rev. Rick after the service.



Faith Night at the Aces Friday, May 29, 6:35pm. Gates open at 5:30pm. Come out and support the Reno Aces as they take on the Sacramento River Cats! Tickets are \$22/person and include a hat. Bring the whole family and enjoy fireworks, hot dogs, the ballgame, one of America's greatest pastimes. Look for the link to buy tickets after Easter. Questions? Contact Kathie Dixon: 775-846-9751.

St Paul's Men's Retreat, June 12 - 14 - Join us for a weekend in nature and with each other at Camp Galilee in Lake Tahoe. \$230 per person. All who identify as men are welcome. For more information or to sign up, contact Dick Stufflebeam: realstuff775@charter.net

New Online Calendar If you want to know what's happening at St. Paul's, please check our new calendar: stpaulssparks.org/news/calendar. It has the most up-to-date information.

Wine, Grape Juice, and Gluten Free We offer both wine and grape juice during Communion as well as a gluten free wafer option. The chalice with the grape juice will be identified. We invite you to dip or sip from the chalice as you feel comfortable. If you have questions, contact Mother Hannah: rector@stpaulssparks.org.

Do You Have A Church Key? If you have a key to the church, please consider parking in the back/west side of the church. For security reasons, those glass doors by the trash cans remain locked at all times. If you are able to park on that side Sunday mornings, this will keep others from having to walk all the way around the building to get into the church. Thank you.