



On The Road to Damascus...

Weekly Email Blast

January 11, 2019



For those celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries:

Robert Strain, Bryant Rawls, Celina Stubbs, Michael Macak, Jeff Kutner, Tanya White, Gertrude Isaacson, Tara Tumbarello.

**St. Paul's Annual Meeting will be
Sunday, February 10, 2019 following the 10am service.**

**Pot Luck Lunch afterward in the Parish Hall. Everyone is always invited! Please plan to attend as
you are able – Thank You!**

If you have a report to submit for the Annual Report, please begin thinking about your article for this year. Feel free to see Mother Megan with any questions you may have. Rita Carver will be assembling the report again this year and will be reaching out to each of you, via email where possible, with copies of last year's articles.

All articles are requested to be returned, by February 1st, via email for ease of integration into the report if possible. Please send your ministry reports to stpaulspv@gmail.com and mothersanders@gmail.com.

Thank you!!



Sad News: A Death in the Parish Community

To the St. Paul's Parish Community:

Gordon McCanlis, longtime parishioner at St. Paul's, died Saturday, January 5, 2019 at Vassar Brothers Medical Center in Poughkeepsie, NY.

All of us at St. Paul's are privileged to offer our love, prayers, and support to Janet, Scott, and Sean especially at this time of great loss. Further arrangements will be announced as they are made available.

We ask God's blessing upon Janet and Scott and Sean, and upon all those who mourn.

God of all, we pray to you for Gordon, and for all those whom we love but see no longer. Grant to them eternal rest. Let light perpetual shine upon them. May his soul and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen.



Parish Movie Nights!

[In our ADA accessible Parish Hall](#)

JANUARY

January 13th at 6pm in the Parish Hall - **THIS WEEK** "Lars and the Real Girl"

FEBRUARY February 3rd "Super Bowl Party"



Vestry Meeting on January 14th at 7pm in the Sepe Room- **THIS WEEK** *(Email has gone out with minutes from last month, Please review, if possible, prior to the meeting.)*

Epiphany: What Does It Reveal?



"The birth of Jesus is not the end of the story. Our church year has just begun and we continue to tell the story of God's love."

Baptism & The Trinity

On the first Sunday after Epiphany, we celebrate the Baptism of our Lord. It is an especially appropriate day for baptism (see BCP 312) and a good

opportunity to teach about the Trinity. It is one of the few places in scripture where all three persons of the Trinity are revealed together: as Jesus is being baptized a spirit descends on him and a voice says,

"You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased" (Mark 1:11). Jesus is revealed as the Son of God and the third person of the Trinity. These lessons provide a good opportunity to teach about what the Baptism of our Lord reveals about Jesus and what our baptism reveals about us. One resource for teaching about Baptism and the Trinity is the [Godly Play Story of Holy Baptism](#).

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WHO DOES WHAT

this week

Altar (White): Kay S

(8) Debby (10) Liz

EM:

(8) Karen (10) Liz

Ushers:

(8) Joe (10) Roger/Nancy

Lectors:

(8)Pat (10) Roger

Acolyte/Crucifer:

(10) Kat/Will

Vestry Counters:

Roger/Karen

Ride for Alice:

TBA

Hospitality:

Kirchner Team



*** REMINDERS ***

Adams Gift Cards: Year-Round Fundraising

Available at both Sunday morning services. Please see Debby, Ginny, or Marilyn. St. Paul's receives 10% of the card value bought through our church. If you shop at Adams or give gift cards as gifts, our ministries benefit from this fundraiser. Thank You!

Communications

If you use Facebook, please like & follow the [St. Paul's page](#). Also, please invite people you know who may be interested in the mission and outreach ministries at St. Paul's. Let's get the WORD out!



Weekly Ministry Schedule

First Wednesdays -

1:00 PM Holy Eucharist - Rite II w/prayers for healing - ADA Access

6:45 PM Ecumenical Food Pantry

PV United Methodist Church, Volunteers Welcome! All other Wednesdays:

1:00-2:30 PM Bible Study: Sepe Room, Parish Hall Fridays:

6:00 PM: Evening Prayer in the Church

Sundays:

9:45 AM Sunday School

11:30 AM - 12:00 PM Adult Ed: Sepe Room, Parish Hall

