

On The Road to Damascus...

Weekly Email Blast
April 22, 2021

For those celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries:
This Week:

Steven Sprauer, Bill Albrecht, Karen Page.

WE ARE OPEN! Bring your mask. Prayer books and hymnals are back in the pews. Reminder to hum, not sing!

Live-streaming of the 10AM will continue on FaceBook (<https://www.facebook.com/stpaulsplesantvalley>) .

Now that we have reopened we can experience the beauty and joy of Altar Flower in our celebration. Won't you consider dedicating flowers one week in the remembrance of a special person or anniversary. A sign up sheet will be in the Narthex, the entry of the church. Contact Mariyn Kirchner or Rita Carver for additional details.

The Thrift Shop is OPEN FOR BUSINESS!
Saturdays from 10 AM to 1 PM.
Come one, come all.
Please spread the word.

BOX OF HOPE

The Presbyterian Church is starting a new initiative called the Box of Hope. It is setting up a large box to be available to Pleasant Valley residents in need personal hygiene items (soap, shampoo, toothpaste, etc) that are not covered by food stamps.

If you wish to participate in this worthy charity simply bring your donation to church and leave it where we collect for the Food Pantry and we will make sure to get it to the proper people.

Thank you for your donation, and prayers.

We will be having Coffee Hour once in May and once in June.
Save the date and come enjoy some additional fellowship:

May 16th
June 13th

We are in need of Hostesses for the Fall so if you like having Coffee Hour, please consider becoming a Hostess.

It is with heartfelt love and many prayers that we announce the following Memorial Services:

June 6th at 2pm for Bill Kirchner
July 17th at 1pm for Alice Cann

Special Prayer List

Rosemary Wright
13 DeGarmo Road, Poughkeepsie 12603
Cards of prayer and encouragement are welcome:

Bishop's Corner:

If you missed any of this week's inspiring video messages from our Bishops, click on this blue link: Diocese of NY (<https://vimeo.com/showcase/ednyhweaster2020>) and it will take you to the page with all their wonderful videos.

Reminders

Adams Gift Cards: Year-Round Fundraising - PLEASE CALL GINNY OR DEBBY TO ARRANGE FOR PICKUP.

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 (<https://www.facebook.com/stpaulspleasantvalley/?ref=bookmarks>) . Also, please invite people you know who may be interested in the mission and outreach ministries at St. Paul's. ALSO, please "Subscribe" to our YouTube channel and let others know about it. Let's get the WORD out!

UPDATED Weekly Ministry Schedule

First Wednesdays -

5:00 PM Ecumenical Food Pantry: PV United Methodist Church, Volunteers Welcome! OPEN WITH CURBSIDE SIGN-IN AND DELIVERY

All Wednesdays:

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

Fridays: (every other week, call Liz Whitman for details)

6:00 PM: Evening Prayer, Church RESUMED

Sundays:

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I, Church RESUMED

9:45 AM Sunday School, PH SUSPENDED

10:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II, Church RESUMED

10:00 AM Micro Service via YouTube (<https://bit.ly/2WMf1Kh>) -NOW LIVESTREAMING ON FACEBOOK

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

In case of Pastoral Emergency:

Please call a warden:

Rick Harris 845-867-6516 or Rita Carver 518-622-0104.
They will be able to contact the Priest on call for pastoral coverage.

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