



Thirteenth Sunday of Pentecost September 3, 2017

**Sunday Services: 8:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.
Wednesday Eucharist and Healing Service: 9:30 A.M.**

Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

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Our Mission Statement

We welcome you to join us on our journey as we strive to share the love of Jesus through worship, Christian Education, fellowship and service to each other and the community beyond our walls.

Welcome to St. Paul's

We welcome you to St. Paul's Episcopal Church. If you are new, returning after a time away or have been here week after week, it is our hope that you feel welcomed and comfortable in this church. We are all travelers and seekers together on a journey of faith. We very much hope you will find your time with us one of renewal and refreshment. As you walk with us, may your faith deepen with the hope that you will continue on this journey with us, here at St. Paul's. If we can be of any assistance to you on your faith journey, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Birthdays:



9/6 Sam Martinichio
Michael Kakusian
9/9 Bill Smith

Anniversaries:

9/4 Fr. John and Barbara Martinichio
9/6 Steve and Ruthie Koerts
9/8 Robert and Annette Bakalar



Sanctuary Candle Memorials:



The Sanctuary Candle burns this week in loving memory of **Lisa Elaine Pettit**, infant daughter of Bob and Suzanne Pettit.



September 4-10		
Monday	Labor Day – Office Closed	
Tuesday	CHOW	1:15PM
Wednesday	Back to School!	
	Holy Eucharist with Healing Service	9:30AM
Thursday	Bible Study	9:00AM
	CHOW	3:45PM
	Bell Rehearsal	6:00PM
	Adult Choir	7:00PM
Sunday	Holy Eucharist	8 & 10AM
	Hot Dog Roast	11:00AM

Bible Study

Thursdays, 9:00 A.M.

Bible Study continues on Thursday mornings. This is an informal way of studying the Scripture readings for each upcoming Sunday. Please come to the Conference room, enjoy a cup of coffee and lend your thoughts as to what you feel God is saying to us.



**The Office will be closed on
Monday, September 4th,
in honor of Labor Day.**

Movin' On Luncheon

Monday, September 11th, at Noon

The Movin' On Lunch will be held on the 2nd Monday of the month. All widows and widowers are invited to share in this time of food and fellowship at noon in Fellowship Hall.



Wanted: School Supplies

Please consider helping our CHOW clients who will be looking for school supplies for their children. Backpacks and other items may be placed in either box at the rear of the church or in the office. If you would like to know what the Union-Endicott School District is asking of the kids (where most of our CHOW clients go) please check the list above the box on the back pew.



Mercy House 4th Annual Gala of Taste

Thursday, October 26th

Mercy House of the Southern Tier's 4th Annual Gala of Taste will be held Thursday, October 26th, at Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish Center, Endicott. All proceeds benefit Mercy House. Plan to enjoy: Regional Wineries, Local Craft Beers, Local Food, Silent Auction, Raffles, Entertainment and more! The cost is \$75 per person. **Ticket sales begin on Tuesday, September 12th.** New this year...you will be able to purchase your Gala tickets online at www.mercyhousesoutherntier.com. Hope to see you there!

Liturgical Ministers 9/3

8:00AM	Presider	The Rev. Canon John Crosswaite
	Lay Assistant	John Westermann
	2 nd Reading	Luther Chergosky
	Chalice	Jane Parker
	Usher(s)	Lee and June Palmer
10:00AM	Presider	The Rev. Canon John Crosswaite
	Lay Assistant	Ruthie Koerts
	1 st Reading	Judy Shannon
	2 nd Reading	Kelly Parker Seeley
	Chalice	Karen Cahill
	Acolyte(s)	Meghan Walton, Kristin Walton, Jordan Jones, Aiden Browning
	Altar Guild	Donna Williams (8) Debbie Wirag (10) Debbie Wirag (linens)
	Counters	Bob Pettit & Suzette Walton
	Usher(s)	Scott Kidder & Ken Kidder

Liturgical Ministers 9/10

8:00AM	Presider	The Rev. Bill Lutz
	Lay Assistant	Jane Parker
	2 nd Reading	Jackie Reece
	Chalice	Richard Parker
	Usher(s)	Lee and June Palmer
10:00AM	Presider	The Rev. Bill Lutz
	Lay Assistant	Jim Garceau
	1 st Reading	Zach Manchester
	2 nd Reading	Ruthie Koerts
	Chalice	Eunice Barton
	Acolyte(s)	Kurt Jones & Sanders Browning
	Altar Guild	Donna Williams (8) Debbie Wirag (10) Debbie Wirag (linens)
	Counters	Jim Buffum & Lorraine Jones
	Usher(s)	Walton Family

Pray for those in need of our prayers: Bill Krska, Nadine Maruca, Lew Jones, Becky Cizike, Domicelia Dickinson, Midge Wieland, Pat Roberts, Mary Buffum, Anthony Langevin (grandson of Scotty Race), Diana Palmer (friend of Sylvia Fulk), Mike Baran (friend of Suzanne & Bob Pettit), Susan Chergosky, Bob Russell and Dick Russell (both cousins of Sandy Schwab), Bonnie Mider (friend of Lynn Freeman), Russ Race (husband of Scotty Race), Lynne Gosart (friend of Toni Van Order), Janet Kroculick, Barbara Bowman (Christiana Dahlberg), Ann Kotasek (friend of Connie Hess), Louise Pierce, Heinz Schwab (brother of Dick Schwab), Bernice McManus (friend of Dolly Chergosky), Judy Finlayson, Angela, and Donna Krzyzewski, (sister of Marilyn Karlson).



We pray for those serving in our military: Matthew Cole, Douglas French, Kevin Bradley, Daniel Sanoja, Brandon Marcello, Grant Cuprak, Danielle Ullman, Michael Kakusian, and Megan Shierly.

Christian Formation News

Sunday, September 17th

“Faith Formation is more than a subject to be taught – it is an invitation to a way of life.” – Joe Paprocki

As August winds down we look forward to the continuation of our Christian formation. **Sunday School** for those age 3 through middle school will begin on Sunday, September 17 at 10:00 a.m. They will rejoin their families during the Peace.

For the **“Rector’s” Forum**, Barb Dailey will present a series on the journeys and teachings of the Apostle Paul. High school aged and up are invited to attend. Coffee and doughnuts will be available.



Part-time Teacher Needed

We now have an opening for a part-time teacher for our “Middle” (8 to 9 year olds) Sunday School class. This would not be a weekly commitment, only once or maybe twice a month. The curriculum is very user-friendly and the kids are a delight! Please see Jennifer Westermann for more information.



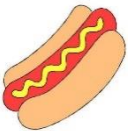
Jennifer S. Westermann
Christian Education Chair

It is Merry Mowing Time!



Fall is soon approaching, but mowers are still needed to keep the grounds neat and tidy. A self-propelled mower is in the shed; a calendar sign-up sheet is on the table in the back of the church. If it is convenient for your schedule, the ideal mowing days are Thursday through Saturday so the lawn looks nice for Sunday. Your help would be greatly appreciated! ☺

“Start-Up Sunday” Hot Dog Roast Sunday, September 10th, 11:00 AM



Come, one and all, for a parish-wide Hot Dog Roast and an overview of our Fall programs. You’ll hear about our Christian Formation programs as well as our music programs for both youth and adults. There will be no cost for this lunch! Classes and youth music rehearsals will begin on Sunday, September 17th.

FOUND

A silver ring with a purple stone was found in Church last Sunday. You can pick it up in the Office if it belongs to you.



Women of the Church News

WOC SEPTEMBER DINNER MEETING TO FOCUS ON NEEDS OF LOCAL VETERANS

Wednesday, September 13th, 5:30 PM

The WOC will hold a covered dish dinner at 5:30 p.m. in the undercroft on September 13th, followed by our program at 6:30 p.m. Ben Margolius, Vice-President of the Board of the Southern Tier Veterans Support Group (STVSG) will speak to us about the STVSG



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which provides life-changing support to our local veterans, service members and their families. Mr. Margolius will address the needs of our local veterans and ways that we may be able to help their cause. The WOC extends an invitation to the male members of our parish to be our guests at this dinner. WOC attendees are asked to bring a dish to pass. A free will offering will be taken for the benefit of the STVSG. A signup sheet is at the back of the church.



WOC INVITATION TO THE MEN OF THE PARISH

You are invited to be our guests at a covered dish dinner in the undercroft on Wednesday, September 13th. Dinner will be at 5:30, followed by our guest speaker Ben Margolius, Vice-President of the Board of the Southern Tier Veterans Support Group. Come for an evening of good food, fellowship and the opportunity to learn of the needs of our local veterans and ways that we may help their cause. A signup sheet is at the back of the church.



Sandy Schwab, Chairperson

SLEEPING BAG WORKSHOP



Our next sleeping bag workshop will be held at 1:00 pm on Thursday, September 14th in the undercroft. Thank you to those who brought in ties. We have a number of bags ready for delivery to the homeless before cold weather sets in and we currently have enough materials to make more bags, although we can never have too many ties. When we start running low on materials we will send out a notice. Please feel free to join us on the 14th. Sewing skills are not necessary. A sign up sheet is at the back of the church.

Sandy Schwab, Chairperson

CHOW NEWS



This time of the year is considered to be the most difficult time for CHOW donations and meeting client needs in the community. The warehouse has limited food supplies at this time. Our pantry is in need of the following items: cold cereal, hot cereal, crackers, canned fruit and cash donations. We use cash to purchase eggs and meat for the pantry as well as the above mentioned foods. Thank you again for your continued support.

Mandatory Volunteer CHOW Meeting Wednesday, September 20th, 5:30 PM

There will be a mandatory CHOW Meeting on September 20th at 5:30 p.m. in the undercroft for all volunteers. We will review updated policies and procedures, as well as welcome new and returning volunteers. A lite supper will be provided. Please sign up on the sheet in the back of the church if you will be attending. Thank you.

Mary Cermak