



Eighteenth Sunday of Pentecost October 8, 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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The Rev. John Martinichio
Paula Giroux
Diane Sica

Rector
Director of Music
Parish Secretary

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:

10/9 Debra Colón
10/14 Beth VanDervort



Anniversaries:



10/14 Roger and Carolyn Doolittle
Garvin and Stephanie Alexander

Altar Flowers:

The flowers on the altar this Sunday are given by Dick and Sandy Schwab in joyous gratitude to **Father Bill** for his ministry and friendship.



October 9-15		
Monday	Columbus Day – Office is Closed	
Tuesday	Welcome home, Father John!!!	
	CHOW	1:15PM
	Vestry	7:00PM
Wednesday	Holy Eucharist with Healing Service	9:30AM
Thursday	Bible Study	9:00AM
	CHOW	1:15PM
	Bells	6:00PM
Sunday	Holy Eucharist	8 & 10AM
	Adult Choir	9:00AM
	Sunday School	10:00AM
	Chimes 4 Jesus	11:00AM
	Rector’s Forum	11:00AM

Reception for Father Bill

Today at 11:00 AM



As Fr. Bill’s time with us draws to a close, we would like to offer thanks to him for presiding over our Sunday worship while Fr. John has been away on his sabbatical. Please plan on staying after the 10:00 service today to celebrate Fr. Bill’s time with us and enjoy light refreshments.



Welcome home, Father John!!!





Annual Blood Analysis Clinic

Sponsored by ELOCA

October 14 from 6 AM to 10 AM

Endwell United Methodist Church,
3301 Watson Blvd., Endwell

30 blood tests offered to assist in early detection of coronary disease, anemia, diabetes, kidney disease, liver disease plus others.

Cost: \$40.00

13 hour fast is recommended.

To register call: 1-800-234-8888.

Mercy House

4th Gala of Taste

Thursday, October 26th

Our Lady of Good Counsel
Parish Center, Endicott

Regional wineries, local craft beers, local food, silent auction, raffles, entertainment and more!

Cost: \$75 per person

www.mercyhousesoutherntier.com



12th Annual Dining for Dollars

Thursday, October 12th

Polish Community Center, 347 Prospect St., Binghamton

Social Hour: 5:30 p.m. Dinner & Entertainment: 6:30 p.m.

Family style dinner and songs by local clergy.

Silent auction, appetizers, lively conversation.

Reserve your seat by October 1st.

Go online: www.broomecouncil.net

Email: braminger@broomecouncil.net Call: 607-724-9130 ext. 302

See Pastors in Action for Faith in Action!



Halloween Costume Exchange

Saturday, October 14th, 10:00AM-1:00PM

Bring a gently used children's costume to United Way, corner of Jensen Road & Vestal Parkway, **now through October 6th.**

Receive a voucher to swap for another costume on October 14th.

Unable to exchange? Come anyway!

There will be extra costumes for participants.

Enjoy Halloween treats, crafts, cider, donuts and more!

Sponsored by BC United Way & Vestal Rotary Club.



Liturgical Ministers 10/8 – Youth Sunday

8:00AM	Presider	The Rev. Bill Lutz
	Lay Assistant	Mary Cermak
	2 nd Reading	Dolly Chergosky
	Chalice	Chip Kinne
	Usher(s)	Jack & Jennifer Westermann
10:00AM	Presider	The Rev. Bill Lutz
	Lay Assistant	Georgia Wilber
	1 st Reading	Kristin Walton
	2 nd Reading	Aiden Browning
	Chalice	Suzanne Pettit
	Acolyte(s)	Kurt Jones & Aiden Browning
	Altar Guild	Don & Mitzi Manning (8) Karen Cahill (10) TBA (linens)
	Counters	Will & Mary VanOsten
	Usher(s)	Amelia Swavola, Madilyn Swavola Evan Swavola

Liturgical Ministers 10/15

8:00AM	Presider	The Rev. John Martinichio
	Lay Assistant	Jack Westermann
	2 nd Reading	Garvin Alexander
	Chalice	Luther Chergosky
	Usher(s)	Jack & Jennifer Westermann
10:00AM	Presider	The Rev. John Martinichio
	Lay Assistant	Ruthie Koerts
	1 st Reading	Lynne Jones
	2 nd Reading	Jim Buffum
	Chalice	Barb Dailey
	Acolyte(s)	Georgia Wilber & Kelly Parker-Seeley
	Altar Guild	Don & Mitzi Manning (8) Karen Cahill (10) TBA (linens)
	Counters	Dick Schwab & Scott Kidder
	Usher(s)	Bob & Suzanne Pettit

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, Dick Russell (cousin of Sandy Schwab), Bonnie Moore (friend of Lynn Freeman), Russ Race (husband of Scotty Race), Lynne Gosart (friend of Toni Van Order), Janet Kroclic, 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, Donna Krzyzewski (sister of Marilyn Karlson), Tom Hall (Verona & Ken Kidder), and Bonnie Pewterbaugh and Joe Evanco (friends of Sue Jones), Dale Bachman, Jim Pursell (friend of Linda Littell), Claudia Godoy, and James Bevilacqua.



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.

Blessing of the Animals

Today, 8 & 10AM

Have your pet blessed as we celebrate the life and ministry of St. Francis of Assisi. Bring your “other” family members today for a blessing of the animals. Furry, scaly, winged or hoofed; all are welcome. Yes, this occurs during the services! This is also Youth Sunday.



Join the Choir...
You'll Be Glad
You Did!

Do you like to sing but don't have time to rehearse during the week? St. Paul's Choir is now having practice on Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m. before the 10:00 service. Come join us! Any questions, see Paula.

Paula Giroux, Music Director

Christian Formation News

No Rector's Forum Today

On **October 15th**, the Rector's Forum will be conducted by **John Fillo**. John will be presenting "The Coming Storm – Artificial Intelligence." Artificial intelligence is getting a lot of "press" these days, and the question is why? Why should we care?



It is not just an academic matter, but has a great deal of relevance for all of us. We will look at why this is the case, how it is affecting our lives and how it will continue to do so.

What is intelligence and what is "artificial"? How is artificial intelligence being put into use to tackle existing and projected problems? Artificial intelligence and aging. The importance of big data in the development of artificial intelligence. Lastly, the implications for jobs.

The series on Apostle Paul will resume at the Rector's Forum on **October 22nd**.

Movin' On Luncheon

Monday, October 16th, Noon



The Movin' On Lunch will be held on the on Monday, October 16th, this month due to the Columbus Day holiday on October 9th. All widows and widowers are invited to share in this time of food and fellowship at noon in Fellowship Hall.

CHOW News

The CHOW delivery date for October is Thursday, October 26th, at 10:00 a.m. There will be a CHOW Food Bank celebration on October 19th.



Mary Cermak

HALLOWEEN AT ST. PAUL'S

As part of our outreach ministry here at St. Paul's, we would like to help the children in our neighborhood celebrate Halloween by offering treats to trick-or-treaters who stop by between the hours of 6 and 8 PM. If you would like to donate candy for distribution that evening, please leave it in a marked container in the back of the church on Sunday mornings or drop it off in the church office any time before Halloween. Please see this month's edition of *The Epistle* for additional details. If you have any questions, please talk with Ruthie Koerts or email her at RuthieK10@aol.com. Thank you!



Ruthie Koerts

Harvest Dinner

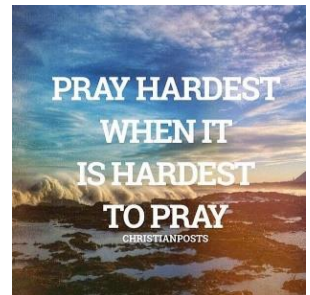
Saturday, November 4th, 5:30 PM



Take a moment to slow down and join us for a delicious Harvest Dinner. Roast pork and all the fixings will be served. Please sign up in the back of the church if you are planning on coming and if you wish to volunteer to cook, bake, serve and/or cleanup. The meal is \$10/adults, \$5/children and free under 4. This is always a great evening with wonderful food and conversation.

Lynn Freeman

Pray for the hurricane and earthquake victims and for those affected by the Las Vegas tragedy.



United Thank Offering

Sunday, October 22nd



The Fall Ingathering of the UTO will be Sunday, October 22nd. Please convert the change in your UTO Blue Box into bills or check, and place it in the envelope on the table in the back of the church. Help support the UTO as it ministers to the world. Remember to

Utter Thanks Often.

Lorraine Jones, UTO Chair

Trinity Canteen

Sunday, October 29th

St. Paul's Church has once again committed to supporting the Trinity Canteen, at Trinity Church in Binghamton, by taking on each 5th Sunday of the month. We, as a church: purchase, prepare, serve and clean up for the Trinity Canteen on each of those Sundays. Your donation of brownies, bananas and salad ingredients will be appreciated.



Our next Canteen will be on October 29th. A sign-up sheet is located in the back of the church. Jack and Jennifer Westermann will be coordinating this month's Canteen. Meet at 10:00 AM on Sunday to carpool to Trinity.

Harmonic Brass at Trinity Episcopal Church

44 Main Street, Binghamton

October 14th, 7:00 PM



The Harmonic Brass Group from Munich, Germany, will be performing at Trinity Memorial Episcopal Church on Saturday, October 14th at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at trinitymemorial.org or by calling 607-269-7822. Doors open at 6:00 p.m.



The office at St. Paul's will be closed on Monday, October 9th, in honor of Columbus Day.