

ST. PAUL'S ON THE GREEN

Traveling Together on the Road to Easter

Special Events During Lent

Ash Wednesday Wednesday, February 22 - 12:05 and 7:30 pm.

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the 40 days we call Lent – a word which means “spring.” Observe it with Solemn liturgies and the blessing and imposition of ashes, which represent God’s grace even in the face of our failures.

Busy day at work? Come to St. Paul’s on your lunch hour to receive ashes and a blessing between 1 & 2 pm.

Lenten Retreat Saturday, March 4 - 9:30 to 11:30 am

Begin Lent in a reflective and engaged way by joining this morning of poetry, discussion, and solo-time on the beautiful church grounds and labyrinth, concluding with a meditative Eucharist. Come and discover the joy and inspiration in this holy season! Please RSVP through the church office to help with planning (and walk-ins always welcome).

Lenten Soup Supper

Tuesdays at 6:30 pm

Tuesday evenings in Lent, gather in the Guild Room for a bowl of soup and a guided discussion centered on what it means to become Beloved Community. The evening will conclude with a brief service of quiet prayer in the Celtic tradition. RSVPs are helpful, but not necessary. Sign up with the parish office to attend.

Meeting 2/28, 3/7, 3/14, 3/21, 3/28

Adult Forum Lent & Holy Week Explainer

Sunday, March 19 - 10:10 am

Join Fr. Daniel and fellow presenters as they explore and explain new things about a familiar season. This dialogue of shared learning will be directed by you. Bring your questions and memories to share in this diverse and deep dive into the traditions of Lent & Holy Week. The forum will meet in the St. Hilda Room at 10:10 am. All are Welcome!

Doing Lent Differently

Each year, many children do not have the basic supplies they need for school. While supply drives are popular in the Fall, the need is just as great when a the new semester begins. This season of Lent, St. Paul's is supporting the Norwalk Mentor Program by collecting school supplies for Norwalk students. Donations of pencils, pens, composition notebooks, crayons, etc. can be dropped off each Sunday in Lent at the info table in the Parish Hall.

Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 16 - Noon

The Easter Bunny is around all month long celebrating new life! Come learn more about the meaning of Easter, create crafts, and find as many hidden Easter eggs as you can.

Contact the parish office for more information or to RSVP.



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Palm Sunday Sunday, April 2

9:00 AM Palm Sunday Procession

Celebrate Jesus' arrival in Jerusalem with a glad-hearted procession led by the Choristers around the church campus that finishes in the church with Holy Eucharist.

11:00 AM Palm Sunday Holy Eucharist & Blessing of Palms

Celebrate Christ's entry into Jerusalem at St. Paul's with a festive liturgy with the blessing of palms and Holy Eucharist. Worship in person or online on the St. Paul's Facebook page.



Prayers of Preparation - Tenebrae

April 3, 4, 5, 7:30 pm

Join these ancient, reflective prayer services for the first part of Holy Week, preparing us for the great three days of the Triduum.

Monday and Tuesday a brief, online-only service of music and prayer begins each night on Facebook at 7:30 pm. On Wednesday, April 5, at 7:30 pm all are invited to gather in the church for the service of Tenebrae, a candlelit reflection at sunset on the journey of the coming days.

Maundy Thursday

Thursday, April 6, 7:30 pm

The Maundy Thursday liturgy, marked by foot-washing and the institution of the Eucharist. Remain and keep watch with the Maundy Thursday Vigil – quiet reflection until midnight.



Good Friday

Friday, April 7

Noon - Stations of the Cross

Experience a pilgrimage through the church with the St. Paul's stations along with readings and music.

7:30 pm Solemn Liturgy of Good Friday

This solemn service includes Holy Communion with the reserved Sacrament and the Passion sung by the St. Paul's Adult Choir.

The Great Vigil of Easter

Saturday, April 8 - 7:30 pm

Alleluia! Christ is risen! This joyous principal liturgy of the church year, begins in candlelight, with an extended reflection on the salvation story, and culminates in the first Eucharist of Easter Day. All are invited to a festive reception in the parish hall following the service.



Easter Day

Sunday, April 9 - 9 & 11 am

The Lord is Risen indeed! Alleluia! Celebrate Easter at St. Paul's on the Green with a Festive Eucharist with music led by the Adult Choir at 9 am and the Adult choir and Choristers at 11 am.

