

## THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

MONDAY: Morning Prayer – 8:00am  
TUESDAY: Morning Prayer – 8:00am  
Evening Prayer – 5:30pm  
WEDNESDAY: Morning Prayer – 8:00am  
Evening Prayer – 5:30pm  
THURSDAY: Morning Prayer – 8:00am  
Evening Prayer – 5:30pm  
FRIDAY: Morning Prayer – 8:00am  
Evening Prayer – 5:30pm  
SATURDAY: Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) – 4:30pm  
Holy Eucharist – 5:30pm  
SUNDAY: Holy Eucharist – 8:00am  
Choral Eucharist – 10:00am

## SERVING TODAY IN OUR LITURGY:

ACOLYTES: K. Matima  
EUCH.MINISTERS: 8:00 am- PLEASE VOLUNTEER  
10:00 am- S.Brignull  
USHERS: 10:00 am- F.Curran  
READERS: 8:00 am- D. Bopp, Sh. Kelly  
10:00 am- H. Rossman, D. Lafferty, C. Nevins  
ALTAR GUILD: G. Keegan/N. White  
NURSERY: n/a  
COFFEE HOUR: L&J Dimenno, (R.Moeske-baker)  
COUNTERS: S.Brignull, Syl.Kelly, P.Armstrong

*Please join us for coffee in the McNary Center after the 10am service.*

## VOLUNTEERS & SERVERS IN NEXT WEEK'S LITURGY (05/20):

ACOLYTES: J. Dimenno/J. Gowie  
EUCH.MINISTERS: 8:00 am- PLEASE VOLUNTEER  
10:00 am- S.Brignull  
USHERS: 10:00 am- K.Matima  
READERS: 8:00 am- R.Moeske, M.Smith  
10:00 am- J.Goewy, R.Leithead, R.Wickiewicz  
ALTAR GUILD: G. Keegan/N. White  
NURSERY: n/a  
COFFEE HOUR: F&P Gutto, (M. Russo- baker)  
COUNTERS: Malsan, Dimenno, M.Kelly

## READINGS for NEXT WEEK (05/20):

Seventh Sunday of Easter - May 20, 2012

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26  
Psalm 1  
1 John 5:9-13  
John 17:6-19

*(If you would like a copy of the readings or Bulletin before your designated Sunday, please come to the office after Wednesday and we will be glad to provide one. Or go to our webpage: <http://stpauls.kinderhookny.us> under "Schedules".)*

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

(Please add your own petitions.)

**FOR THE DECEASED:** Dick Wilson & Frieda Spinner.

**FOR THE RECENT NEEDS OF AND ESPECIALLY FOR:** Julie Racquet, Joe Russo, Robert Wickiewicz.

**FOR THE CONTINUED NEEDS OF:** Marla Eglowstein, Bob Stackman, Violet Barton, Ellsworth March, Alex Malsan, Mary Miller, Laura Lane, Sean Kelly.

**FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN:** Randy Gizara, David Phillips, Brandon & Patrick Reilly, Michael Wilson, the Rev. Donald Rutherford, Darrell Green, Jeremy & Chastity Northrup, Bob Herendeen, J.J. Griffen, Charles Therrien, III, Brett Farnam, Dainis Butners and Michael Sealock.

**FOR OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES:** The Appliance Guys.

**PRAY FOR THE ALBANY DIOCESE:** Blessed Virgin Mary and all Mothers on Mother's Day, Trinity Church, Lansingburgh, Blessings on all church wardens, For the Anglican Communion, Blessing on Beaver Cross and Staff, and all Clergy and Faithful.

**PRAY FOR THE ANGLICAN WORLD:** The Church of the Province of Melanesia, and all Clergy and Faithful.

**PRAY FOR THOSE CELEBRATING:**

**BIRTHDAYS:** Bill Hopkins, Lisabeth Kelly, Ann Mary Morrisey, John McDonald and Bruce Keiser.

## HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY

Please remember to say a special prayer of thanksgiving for all of our mothers on their special day.

## TODAY !! - SPECIAL CONFIRMATION COFFEE HOUR – Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup>

Please join us for a special coffee hour today as we honor our newly confirmed parishioners: Jessica Cartwright, Anna Curran and Julie Racquet. God Bless Them.

## BEAVER CROSS

*[from the Beaver cross website, URL address below]*

“Beaver Cross Camp is the centerpiece of the Episcopal Diocese of Albany's ministry to the youth of the region. For decades, BC has been introducing young people to their Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, in a loving, safe, and fun-filled environment. Today, BC offers 7 week-long overnight camp sessions and 8 Day camp sessions to kids from 1st to 12th grade (K-7th for day camp), and welcome youth of all denominational, cultural and socio-economic backgrounds.

St.Paul's has some scholarships available for our parish youth, if you are interested, contact the parish office at 518-758-6271, or speak to Fr. Karl.

## STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL MEETING – Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>

The next big SPSF57 meeting is May 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 in the Parish Hall. Whoa! These meetings are amazing let me tell you! Penny Gutto will be contacting everyone to see what sort of fun, exactly, are they looking for on the day of the festival, Saturday, June 16<sup>th</sup>. There are tasks beforehand as well (the strawberries arrive on Thursday 6/14 and need to be washed and hulled.) Don't miss this opportunity to make your mark as a cog in the wheel of the St. Paul's Strawberry Festival workings.

Questions?? Contact Frank Curran, Strawberry Festival chair : 518-424-4406; or email at: [strawberryfest@kinderhookny.us](mailto:strawberryfest@kinderhookny.us)

## DIOCESAN CONVENTION – Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup> – Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup>

This year, we are encouraging all members of the parish to attend as much of the Diocesan convention as possible. If you are interested, please notify Fr.Karl..

## CENTERING PRAYER CLASS - “Be still and know that I am GOD.”

Beginning Thursday May 17<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Karl will be offering a class on centering prayer. Centering Prayer is a method of silent prayer that prepares us to receive the gift of contemplative prayer, prayer in which we experience God's presence within us, closer than breathing, closer than thinking, closer than consciousness itself. This method of prayer is both a relationship with God and a discipline to foster that relationship. The class will meet for six consecutive Thursday evenings beginning at 6 pm and ending around 8 pm following a period of time of centering prayer.

Space will be limited so please sign up early by emailing Fr. Karl or calling the office.

## MONTHLY DINNER – Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup>

Our next Monthly Parish dinner is on Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, from 5-7pm and will be meatloaf and scalloped potatoes with strawberry shortcake for dessert.

## HUDSON VALLEY DEANERY PLENARY SERVICE – Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 3pm

The Hudson Valley Deanery Plenary Service will be held at St.Paul's on Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, at 3pm. The service will be a Sung Evening Prayer according to the 1662 Book of Common Prayer to commemorate its 350<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

Please join us for this very special service.

## MEN'S BREAKFAST/BIBLE STUDY – POSTPONED until - Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup>

Our next Men's Breakfast & Bible Study has been postponed until May 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am, due to a scheduling conflict. Hope all of you gentlemen will try to make it.

## FOOD PANTRY

*"Jesus said unto him, If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come and follow me."*

Almost 17 million children live in households where there is not enough food to feed them. Please help address this problem in our local community by donating one can or box of foodstuff a month for the Valatie Ecumenical Food Pantry. There is a food collection basket in the narthex of the church and in the Main Hall.

## BOOK SALE – Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>

We will hold our next book sale on Saturday, June 2. We will sell children's books, fiction, non-fiction, paperbacks, CDs, DVDs, cassette and videos. The sale starts at 9 am sharp. At 1 pm all books except specials are \$1 a bag. Sale ends at 2 pm.

We are asking for donations of good, clean books which can be left in the McNary Center lobby, or phone the church office to arrange pickup. We also ask your help to be a volunteer during setup, Thursday May 30 and Friday June 1, and/or on the day of the sale

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS WITH THESE UPCOMING DATES:

- May 19 ~ Monthly Parish Dinner, 5pm – 7pm
- May 20 ~ Hudson Valley Deanery Plenary Service, 3am
- May 26 ~ Men's Breakfast & Bible Study, 8am
- June 2 ~ Parish Book Sale, 9am – 2pm
- June 8-10 ~ DIOCESAN CONVENTION
- June 16 ~ 57<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL, 1pm – 7pm