

**Sunday, May 8**  
**Scripture Readings:** Revelation 22:12-21; Psalm 97; John 17:20-26  
 7:45 am Traditional Rite I Worship  
 8:45 am Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall  
 10:15 am Sunday School—All ages  
 11:15 am Traditional Rite I-Church Bldg.  
 5:00 pm Middle School Youth Group  
 5:00 pm CA  
 6:00 pm NA

**Monday, May 9**  
 8:00 am Centering Prayer  
 10:30 am Pastoral Care Team Meeting  
 10:30 am Women's Bible Study  
 7:00 pm AA

**Tuesday, May 10**  
 6:30 am Men's Bible Study  
 7:00 am Men's Bible Study  
 9:00 am Women's Bible Study  
 9:30 am Church Staff meeting  
 10:00 am Senior Exercise Class  
 10:00 am AA  
 7:00 pm CA

**Wednesday, May 11**  
 10:00 am AA  
 5:30 pm Cursillo Group  
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal  
 7:00 pm AA  
 7:00 pm High School Youth

**Thursday, May 12**  
 10:00 am AA  
 10:00 am Senior Exercise Class  
 11:30 am Al-Anon  
 5:00 pm Summerville Medical Outreach Clinic  
 6:00 pm CA  
 6:30 pm Cub Scout Pack #730  
 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop #2

**Friday, May 13**  
 10:00 am AA  
 9:30 am Call to Discipleship  
 7:00 pm AA

**Saturday, May 14**  
 7:00 pm AA

**Sunday, May 15**  
**Scripture Readings:** Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:25-35, 37; Romans 8:14-17; John 14:8-17  
 Pentecost  
 7:45 am Traditional Rite I Worship  
 8:45 am Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall  
 11:15 am Traditional Rite II-Church Bldg.  
 5:00 pm Middle School Youth Group  
 5:00 pm CA  
 6:00 pm NA

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**May 8, 2016**  
**The Seventh Sunday of Easter**  
**The Sunday after the Ascension**  
**Revelation 22:12-21**  
**Psalm 97**  
**John 17:20-26**

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## A Ladies' Bloomin' Tea — 'Consider the lilies of the field'

What a beautiful lesson Jesus has taught us of rest and quietness from the lilies! "Consider the lilies of the field," He says, "how they grow: they toil not, neither do they spin." He is trying to teach us how free we can be—free from all earthly cares and anxieties. The lily does not struggle; it has no anxieties about its future; but it grows. It grows to be beautiful. Even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of them. God paints the flower with greater beauty than the robes of kings. If you would be beautiful, you must rest in the Lord. Just a little struggling, and you will mar the whole. Christ wants to reveal Himself through you. He will shine the beauty of His own glorious person into your soul if you will let Him. Have no anxieties about the things that pertain to this life, and Jesus will clothe you with the beauties of heaven. Character, as the years pass on, is re-



vealed on the face. The miser's face shows the miserly condition of his heart. Jesus will stamp His own image upon the soul if the soul is kept in quietness, and this image will stand out in beauty on the face and outward life. This is theme of our tea being held at St. Paul's in the Atrium of Doar Hall on Sunday May 15<sup>th</sup> 3:30 – 5 pm. Please come and hear from some of our ladies about how to learn a lesson from the lilies. It will be an afternoon of fun, fellowship, raffles delicious food...and of course TEA! Show off your hat decorating skills and you may win a prize! Haven't gotten your mom or that special lady a mother's day gift yet. Purchase your tickets for only \$ 5 today (ladies 6-12 free) after services and plan to join us! Tickets will also be available in the church office through noon on Thursday. There are a limited number available so don't delay!

### Bloomin' Tea

Sunday, May 15—3:30 to 5 pm

Ladies ages 6 to 12 (free) & Ladies over 12 (\$5)

Wear your best hat!

Biblically minded—Christ centered—Holy Spirit driven

**Guests**



WELCOME, We're glad you're here!

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

7:45am  8:45 am  11:15 am

1st Time Guest  New to Area

Looking for a church home

Regular Attending Non-Member

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY / STATE / ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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AGE  
 \_\_\_13-19 \_\_\_20's \_\_\_30's \_\_\_40's \_\_\_50's \_\_\_60's \_\_\_70's+

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

I would like more information about:

- \_\_\_ A new life in Christ
- \_\_\_ Membership at St. Paul's
- \_\_\_ LifeGroups
- \_\_\_ ALPHA
- \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**PRAYER REQUESTS & COMMENTS**

If you would like your request concerning health, death, or other concerns to be added to our public prayer, please indicate by marking the box. All others will be put on the confidential prayer list for 3 weeks.

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Place form in the offering plate or take to our Welcome Table to receive more information and a gift.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

 7:45 am  8:45 am  11:15 am

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

SPOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

**CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

**CHANGES ONLY**

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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# MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

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## General Information for this morning

**Welcome Families!** At St. Paul's we hope to create an atmosphere in which all families feel welcomed with open arms. Here is the information that you need to know for a successful morning of worship and Sunday School:

- **Worship as a Family (all ages):** At St. Paul's, we encourage families to worship together on Sunday mornings, therefore children in first grade and older will remain with their parents throughout the service. If you or your children are not used to this, please know that we understand and recognizing that it might take a few times to develop the routine. We're here to help, so don't hesitate to ask a priest or our Children's Minister about successful family worship. *If you need to take your children out of the service for a moment (we know, temper tantrums happen!), please feel free to:*
    - ☞ In Doar Hall, go to the Atrium (to your left) or St. Paul's central (to your right)
    - ☞ In the Church Building, go to the Family room behind the choir area (front left).
- In each of these locations you will be able to hear the service through speakers.

- **Kid's Church (3 years old through Kindergarten):** We recognize that some children are too old for the nursery but too young to sit through the whole service! Children who wish to go to Kid's Church will leave the service after the Gospel is read and return for Holy Communion. While away, they will participate in a liturgy that mirrors that of the church service, including a Bible teaching at their level, song, prayers, and confession.

- **Nursery: Infant** (6 – 17 months) and **Toddler** (18 months – 3 years) are located on the first floor of the Children/Youth Building. Our experienced staff is CPR and First Aid certified and pagers are provided to notify parents if necessary.

**Communion**—anyone baptized in the Christian faith is welcome to receive communion this morning. **Please note:** the Communion elements consist of real wine and bread or wafers containing wheat. Please ask the bread server for gluten free wafers. Receiving one or the other is considered participating as fully as anyone who receives both.

All guests are invited to visit our **Welcome Table** after the service today. You will receive a gift and information about St. Paul's.

**Giving**—Cash and checks may be placed in the offering plates. We also have electronic giving centers in Doar Hall and Skardon Hall for debit and credit cards. St. Paul's does not want anyone to incur debt in order to give to the Lord. We offer the electronic giving centers as a convenience.

**Giving Envelopes**—are available for your convenience. You may pick up a pack in the church office or at the back of the building today.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Minister—Korey Kincaid— 785.215.3710

**Today**

- Middle School Youth Group - CANCELLED TONIGHT—Celebrate your Mom!

**This Week**

- Wednesday--High School Youth Group 7 to 9 pm in the Youth Room

**Upcoming**

- Middle School Year End Celebration--May 22nd
- Senior Night--May 25th

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**The Body of Christ**—Today The Bishop of South Carolina, The Rt. Rev. Mark J. Lawrence will confirm, reaffirm and receive the following persons in to the Church: Mark Barnes, Terri Barnes, Wesley Donehue, Bobbi Etheridge, Jon Etheridge, Kristen Jacobs, Heather Kilpatrick, Paul Kime, Blair Lord, Kimberly Martier, Richard Martier, Winston Proveaux, Amanda Roten, Josh Roten, Chloe Camp, Benjamin Diffley, Dailyn Filipiat, Michaela Gonnella, Evan Jackson, Nolan Jackson, Kendall McClary, Jacob Pickett, Sharon Beavers, Charlotte Burns, James Burns, Ben Cheatham, Sallie Cheatham, Elizabeth Donehue, Brenda Gonnella, James Gonnella, Jane Ihrke, Lee McVay, Patricia McVay, Bobbie Puckett, William Riggs, Frances Schluter, Warren Schluter, Samuel Schumann, Neil Tisdale, Paula Tisdale, Cathy Cunningham, Robert Kilpatrick, Maria Kime, Darlene Searfoss and Donald Vohs.

I publish the **Banns of Marriage** between Ashley Nicole Hardee and John Grimball Frampton, Jr. If any of you know just cause why they may not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are bidden to declare it. The is the second time of asking.

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**IMPACT Ministries Food Distribution**—Saturday, May 14. Volunteer online or call the church office. Volunteers should report to Skardon Hall at 8:30am.

**Men's Breakfast**—Saturday, May 14 at 7 am in the Atrium. Stan Burtt will speak about homelessness in Summerville.

**Bloomin' Tea for Women**—Sunday, May 15, 3:30-5 pm. The tea is for ladies of all ages. Tickets are \$5 for ladies over age 12 and are available this morning or in the church office.

**What is Cursillo?** The goal of Cursillo is to bring the world to Christ by empowering adult Christian leaders through the use of a specific method, which equips and encourages Christians to live out their Baptismal Covenant to serve Christ. Cursillo is a pathway to membership at St. Paul's and it occurs over a three day weekend at St. Christopher Camp & Conference Ctr. You are invited to find out more about Cursillo by attending either dinner on Wednesday, May 18 at 6:30 pm in the Atrium or breakfast on Saturday, May 21 at 8:30 am in Skardon Hall. Both meals will be scrumptious! Plan to attend one of these events and RSVP to John & Carol at CLKChaconas@gmail.com or call them at 843.832.5892.

**KID'S KAMP 2016**—Cave Quest. Registration is now open. Forms are available online, on campus, and from Tina Smith.

The regular **Cursillo** monthly gathering will not be held this month. Plan to join us again on Sunday, June 12th at 5 pm in the Atrium.

**Home of Hope**—the men's shelter in Summerville is in need of volunteers. Dave Dixon is organizing the men of St. Paul's to cover Wednesday evenings from 6 to 10 pm. If you are interested in fellowship, talking and 'hanging out' at the shelter, please contact Dave at 843.875.9058 or email him at [bdixon22@sc.rr.com](mailto:bdixon22@sc.rr.com).

**Diocesan Night at the Riverdogs**—June 3 - Tickets now on sale. Join Bishop Mark and Allison Lawrence and others from across the Diocese at "the Joe" where the Charleston Riverdogs will face the Kannapolis Intimidators at 7:05 p.m. The game will end with a fireworks show. This is a great opportunity to have fun and come together as a Diocese. Learn more and purchase tickets [www.DioSC.com](http://www.DioSC.com)

**Pentecost**—don't forget to wear something RED next Sunday for Pentecost—the 'birthday' of the Church.

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Anonymous comments will be discarded.