GRACE NOTES

All Saints' Sunday, November 1st

Today @ St. Paul's

All Saints' Sunday Forum: A Great Cloud of Witness | Today @ 11:30am in Scott Hall
All are welcome to join us for an interactive celebration of both familiar and unexpected saints of the Church. (Have you heard of St. Eligius, the patron saint of gas station workers?!) There will be trivia and other games, as well as an opportunity to share stories about unexpected saints in your own life.

All Saints Festival in the Memorial Garden | Today @ 11:30am
Come dressed as your favorite saint! Games, prizes, pinata, and fun for children, youth and all ages! Please join us after the service!

Choral Evensong for All Saints' Day | Today @ 4pm
Join us for a service of Choral Evensong presented by the St. Paul's Choir. The liturgy will feature music by Philip Radcliffe, Howard Helvey, David Boulware-Kelley, C. Hubert H. Parry, and Arvo Pärt. Following the service will be a festive reception in the Atrium. Childcare will be provided. All are welcome!

Upcoming Events

Election Day Prayers at St. Paul's | Tuesday, November 3rd
St. Paul's will be open 9am to 4pm for prayer on Election Day. From 12noon - 12:30pm, clergy will offer prayers and readings appropriate to this important day for all citizens, as we choose leaders and representatives for our Commonwealth.

A Very Special Second Sunday Family Worship Service Evening | Sunday, November 8th from 4:30pm - 5:15pm in Scott Hall
This is a casual and engaging intergenerational service with communion. Children and families are active participants in all aspects of this service. All are welcome. Following the service there will be a chili cook-off and a bonfire in the Memorial Garden! For more information, contact Linda Willis (lwillis@stpaulsrva.org).

Upcoming Events, cont.

Environmental Stewardship Field Trip to TFC Recycling Center (12200 Old Stage Road, Chester, VA) | Friday, November 13th from 10am - 12pm
What happens with our recycling after it leaves the curb? Join the field trip to TFC Materials Recovery Facility in Chesterfield where we will find out! TFC is the collector and processor for Central Virginia Waste Management Authority. We will learn about the recycling process, what can and can not be recycled, where it goes, and a tour of the plant to watch receiving, sorting and baling. Must be 18 or older. Carpool from St. Paul's is an option. To sign-up, please contact Tom Smith (tomjoycesmith@comcast.net).

Faith and Action Forum | Nowhere to Lay His Head: Homelessness Services in the City of Richmond | Sunday, November 15th @ 11:30am in Scott Hall
What happens if you find yourself homeless in Richmond? How do you get into a shelter? How long can you stay? Where do you go when you leave the shelter? Join us to learn about the process of coordinated entry into the shelter system, the inclement weather shelter system, and pathways from shelters into permanent housing. Our guest speakers are Matthew Tucker, Director of Shelter at Caritas, and Choice East is the System Referral Coordinator at Homeward, the regional planning agency for the Greater Richmond Continuum of Care.

Youngish Adult Friendsgiving | Tuesday, November 17th from 6 - 8pm
Join us for a casual evening of food and fellowship at Rev. Andie Rohrs' home. Turkey will be provided; please bring a side, appetizer, or dessert if you can. If not, you're still warmly welcome! Contact Bo Cresswell (bcresswell@stpaulsrva.org) with any questions and to RSVP.

CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

EVERY SUNDAY

Nursery | (Children 3 - 5 years old) Staffed 8:45am - 12:30 pm | The worship service can be heard within the Nursery. A changing table is available.

Children's Chapel | Children 3 years and older are invited to participate in Children's Chapel. We'll leave following the Gospel reading and return at the Passing of the Peace to take Communion with our families.

Family Worship Space | St. Paul's is committed to creating an inclusive worship experience for every child. Families are invited to join their young children at the family worship space in the front of the sanctuary. Our ushers will be happy to direct you.

Worship Bags and Book Cart | Every child is welcomed to utilize the worship bags in the narthex. Our worship bags contain drawing paper, crayons and children's bulletins, ensuring that all of our families are part of St. Paul's vibrant worshiping community.

FIRST AND THIRD SUNDAYS (September - April)

Children's Sunday School | 9am | Room 112

Youth Faith Formation | 11:30am | Room 110

Family Group | 9 - 9:50am | Room 213
An opportunity for parents to connect and get to know each other.

SECOND SUNDAYS (September - April)

Family Worship Service | 4:30 - 5:15pm | Scott Hall
Join us for this relaxed service oriented toward children.

Simple Kid-Friendly Supper | 5:15pm | Scott Hall
Youth Group and Simple Supper | 5:15pm | Room #110

FOURTH SUNDAYS (August - April)

Family Breakfast | 9am in Scott Hall | All are welcome because at St. Paul's, everyone is family!

Newsletter | Please contact Linda Willis (lwillis@stpaulsrva.org) to receive the Family Newsletter directly to your inbox.

PRAYERS OF THE PARISH

…for those who are sick in body, mind and spirit, and all for whom prayer has been requested, especially Mary Grace & Jim Lucier; Maggie Hager; Mary Margaret, friend of David Hoover; Ned Suzman, grandson of Lee Switz; Holly Jordan, Beth Neidel, sister of Jane Baird Hyde; Elizabeth & Fr. Gustavo Manzells, friends of Anne Snyder; Cyane Tornatzky, Mary Page Jones' daughter; Lee Cook; Susan Murphy; the Coleman Family, friends of Rann Paynter; Rosalyn Crump & her family; Bob Bark; John Lowe; Chip Smith, Gwynn Crichton's step-father; Susan Norris; Barb Davis and Helen Reese, friends of Anne Snyder; Curtis Payne, friend of Ginny Campbell; Grace Broughton, friend of Christie Montgomery; Lois Broadwater; Lisa Hawkey, friend of Christie Montgomery; Tad Wilson, son of Sue Wilson; Laura and Robert Hunt, friends of Anne Snyder; Alan Thorn, partner of Cynthia Ellis; Russell Hess, friend of Eleanor Burt; William Morris, son of Annette Woo Morris; Maria Minor, sister of Annette Woo Morris; Theresa Williams, cousin of Yvonne Harris; Jim Martin, brother of Bob Martin; Sharon McSweeney, friend of Lydia Mercado; Bill Sherrill, father of Scott Sherrill; Scott Sherrill; Bob Hafford, brother of Kathryn Hafford; Charles Crone, cousin of Sallie Nolte; Elizabeth Wilkerson, friend of Denise Williams; Mary Ramsey, friend of Celia Luxmoore; Dr. Boyd Clements, Howard Wells' father-in-law; Ruth Lokey, Beth O'Leary's mother.

…for eternal peace of the departed, especially Kent Granzow, brother of Sue Wilson; Harper Spangenthal, friend of Denise Williams; Marika Archbell Rawls; Lili Irving; all who have lost their lives due to violence, disaster, and disease; and those whom we love but see no longer.