Happening This Week

Sunday, Nov. 8 24th Sunday after Pentecost
9:00am Choir Practice
9:15am Bible Study
10:00am Holy Eucharist with Rev. Meg Lovejoy
Veteran's Luncheon after the 10:00am service in the parish hall.

Mon, Nov. 9 Mahjong group at 6:00pm in the parish hall.
Mon, Nov. 9 DOK Meeting at 10:30am in the parish hall.
Tues, Nov. 10 Breakfast Bunch at 9:00am at IH 10 Diner. All are welcome to come.
Tues, Nov. 10 Bring your Favorite chicken night at 6:00pm in the parish hall.
Wed, Nov. 11 Watercolor Class is 9:30am in the parish hall.
Wed. Nov. 11 Mahjong group at 1:00pm in the parish hall.
Thurs, Nov. 12 Game group at 10:00am in the parish hall.

Sunday, Nov. 15 25th Sunday after Pentecost
9:00am Choir Practice
9:15am Bible Study
10:00am Holy Eucharist with Rev. Tori Gilliland

Save the Date:
Wed., Nov. 25 Thanksgiving Eve Service at 6:00pm.

St. Paul's Welcomes
The City of Refuge Veterans.
We appreciate your service and
All who have served.
May God Bless America!

Happy Birthday

Reeves, Mrs. Annie	11/03
Michaelis, Mr. David	11/06
Blanchard, Mrs. Bonnie	11/10
Michaelis, Theodore "Teddy"	11/14
Smith, Houston, Shelby	11/14
Cheek, Mrs. Pam	11/18
Guillot, Elizabeth	11/20
Hall, Brennan	11/22
Rutledge, Mrs. Becky	11/23
Geis, Kinley	11/23
Hughes, Mrs. Debbie	11/25

Happy Anniversary

Miller, Bill & Joyce 11/03

Shield Info due November 15.
Vestry Meeting is Sunday November 22 after the 10:00am service.

24th Sunday after Pentecost November 8, 2026	25th Sunday after Pentecost November 15 , 2026
Lectors/Eucharistic Minister	Lectors/Eucharistic Minister
10:00am 1st Reading Wisdom of Solomon 6:12-16 or Amos 5:18-24 Canticle: Wisdom 6:17-20 Psalm 70 Sandy Bell	10:00am 1st Reading Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18 Psalm 90:1-8, (9-11), 12 Anne Breitenstein
EM 2 Readings, Prayers, Chalice 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 Miles Hall, III	EM 2 Readings, Prayers, Chalice 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 Arlene Howland
Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13 Rev. Meg Lovejoy	Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30 Rev. Tori Gilliland
Acolytes: Sr. Acolytes Vestry Person: Arlene Howland Ushers: Anne Breitenstein & Teri Duos Altar Guild: Ray & Ruth Hancock Bill Smith	Acolytes: Sr. Acolytes Vestry Person: Anne Breitenstein Jay Todd Cleaver Ushers: Earl & Pat Geis Altar Guild: Earl & Pat Geis Delores Sterling Peggy Delafosse Sandy Bell
Flower Guild: Pat Geis	Flower Guild: Peggy Delafosse

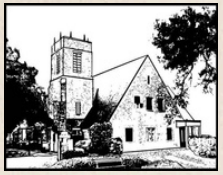
St. Paul's Episcopal Church

24th Sunday after Pentecost-November 8, 2026



To All who are weary and need rest;
To All who are lowly and want friendship;
To All who mourn and need comfort;
To all who pray and all who do not, but ought;
To All who sin and need a Savior, and to whomsover will come....
The Church opens the door and says in the name of the Master
Welcome to St. Paul's

The Rev. C. Andrew Doyle.
Bishop of Texas
Supply Clergy: Rev. Meg Lovejoy
2026 Vestry
Senior Warden-Rebecca Rutledge
Jr. Warden- Ray Hancock
Clerk-Bill Smith
Arlene Howland
Jay Todd Cleaver
Joe Maglothin
Anne Breitenstein
Organist/Choir Director-
Don Ball, Jr.
Parish Administrator-
Kelly Guillot



WELCOME VISITORS!
We are glad you are here!
Please sign the visitor's book located in the back of the sanctuary. Let us know how we can make your experience at St. Paul's more joyful.
You can call our office at 409-883-2969 or email us at stpauls@stpaulsorangetx.com oe 409-883-2969.

St. Paul's Epsicopal Church
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Liturgy of the Word 8:00am
Holy Eucharist Rite II 10:00am
Also shown Live Stream on Facebook.
Office hours Monday - Thursday
9:00am - 3:00am
Baptism, Confirmation, or Wedding
Contact our office at 409-883-2969 or stpauls@stpaulsorangetx.com

We are glad that you are worshipping with us today! "I was glad when they said to me, "'Let us go to the house of the Lord.'"
Ps 122:1 Be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent, |for this is the house of God.

The Word of God

Processional	***God of Our Fathers***	**H-718**
Opening Acclamation		**BCP, 355**
Gloria	***Glory to God***	**H- #S-280**
The Collect of the Day		
Anthem	***America the Beautiful***	**H-719**
The Lessons		
First Reading	**Wisdom of Solomon 6:12-16**	***Reading Insert***
Psalm	**Psalm 70**	***Reading Insert***
Second Reading		***Reading Insert***
Gradual	***Because He Lives***	**LEV 43**
The Gospel		***Reading Insert***
The Sermon		**Miles Hall, III**
The Nicene Creed		**BCP, 358**
Prayers of the People, Form IV		**BCP, 388**
Confession of Sin		**BCP, 360**
The Peace		**BCP, 360**
Announcements, Birthdays, Anniversaries		***See back page***

The Holy Communion

Offertory	***All Who Love and Serve Your City***	**H-571**
Doxology	***Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow***	**H-380**

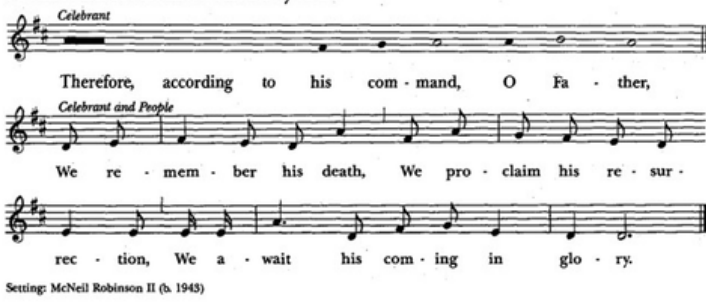
Praise God from Whom All Blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving
Eucharistic Prayer B

Santus	***Holy, Holy, Holy Lord***	**H S-130**
The Eucharistic prayer continues		**BCP, 371**

The Mystery of Faith

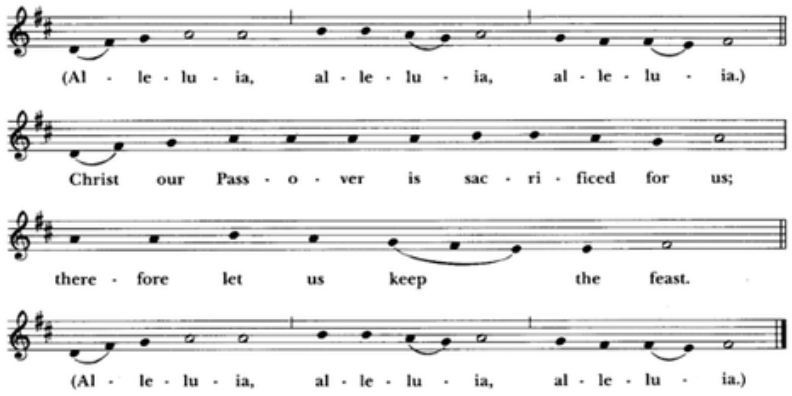
The Holy Eucharist II — S 138
Memorial Acclamation: Prayer B



Setting: McNeil Robinson II (b. 1943)

The Lord's Prayer		**BCP, 364**
Celebrant: Rev. Meg Lovejoy		
The Breaking of the Bread		**BCP, 364**
Fraction Anthem	**Alleluia, Christ, Our Passover**	**S-154**

S 154 — The Holy Eucharist
Fraction Anthem: Christ our Passover



Setting: From *New Plainsong*; David Hurd (b. 1950)

We joyfully invite all baptized Christians to join us at the table of our Lord. If you do not wish to receive communion, but instead wish to receive a blessing, come forward and kneel at the altar crossing your arms over your chest.

Communion Music	***One Bread, One Body***	**LEV 151**
	I am the Bread of Life	**H-335**
Post Communion Prayer		**BCP, 366**
The Blessing		**BCP, 366**
Closing Hymn	***All Praise to Thee***	**H-477**
The Dismissal		

We are approaching the beginning of the new year, and are in need of some people helping with our ministries. Have you thought about helping in someway. If you would like to join the choir, altar guild, flower guild, ushers, vestry or become a Eucharistic minister or lectors. Please let us know by contacting me at 409-883-2969 or stpauls@stpaulsorangetx.com. Please give a prayerful consideration to joining a ministry.