

# St. Paul's Episcopal Church

*We are called to gather around the sacred story and table of Christ  
where all are invited to be fed and everyone's story matters.*

*All are welcome, no exceptions!*



## **A Children's Eucharist**

*Adapted from the Book of Common Prayer*

**Day of Pentecost, June 9, 2019, 10:30 AM**

## The Word of God

**Introit:** Jubilate Deo! Michael Praetorius The Children's Choir

**Opening Song: I'm goin'a sing\* when the Spirit says sing**

*The Children begin with a few solo verses and then will lead the Procession with song.*

*\* Sing, Dance, Clap, Pray, Smile, Cry, Love, Have Courage, Believe, Shout.*

**Celebrant:** Blessed be God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**People:** **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

**Song of praise:** Glory to the Lord

The musical notation is written on three staves in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The lyrics are written below the notes.

Glo-ry, glo-ry, glo-ry to the Lord, glo-ry to the Lord God al-

migh - ty. Who was, and is, and is to come;

glo - ry, glo - ry, glo - ry to the Lord. \_\_\_\_\_

**Leader:** The Lord be with you. *(Luke Stubblefield)*

**People:** **And also with you.**

**Leader:** Let us pray.

**The Collect\*** *(Luke Stubblefield)*

O God, who on this day taught the hearts of your People: by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: Help us by the same Spirit to make good choices in everything we do, and to be happy knowing the goodness

of the Holy Spirit; in Jesus's name and with the holy Spirit we pray to you, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## The Lessons

### Acts 2: 1-21

**Reader:**        **A Reading from the Book of Acts\*\***        (*Edie Faulkner*)

On Jewish feast of Pentecost, Jesus' friends were all together in one place. All of a sudden, there was a big, noisy rush of wind and it filled the whole house – no one could tell where it came from – and it kept coming, more and more powerfully almost like a tornado. Then, like a wildfire, the Holy Spirit spread among them and little flames appeared on the tops of their heads and they were filled with the Holy Spirit. The Spirit helped them speak in different languages and helped them understand what was being said.

There were many Jews staying in Jerusalem just then, devout pilgrims from all over the world. When they heard the sound, they came on the run. Then when they heard, one after another, their own language being spoken, they were amazed! They couldn't for the life of them figure out what was going on, and kept saying, "Aren't these all Galileans? How come I'm hearing them speak in my language? Or in your language? How are they doing that? They're talking about God's power and we can understand what they are saying. What's going on?"

Some People: who heard them thought they were just talking crazy talk. Some joked, "They're drunk on cheap wine." That's when Peter stood up and, backed by the other eleven, spoke out saying, "Fellow Jews, all of you who are visiting Jerusalem, listen carefully and get this story straight. These People: aren't drunk as some of you suspect. They haven't had time to get drunk - it's only nine o'clock in the morning. This is what the prophet Joel told us would happen: "In the Last Days," God says, "I will pour out my Spirit on everyone so everyone will know what is to come and what is real. And whoever turns to me will be saved."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.  
People: **Thanks be to God**

**Psalm 104 \***

Reader: A Reading from Psalm 104. *(Ava Stubblefield)*  
Gracious and Good God, you do so many wonderful things!

**People: In your wisdom you have made everything that is!**

Reader: The earth and sea are full of your creatures!

**People: The deep, wide sea has more fish than can be counted,**

Reader: Sardines, sharks, salmon and the whales that swim and play  
in them.

**People: Big ships sail those waters.**

Reader: All the creatures of the Earth count on you to give them their  
food on time.

**People: You come, and they gather around;**

Reader: you open your hand and they eat from it.

**People: Without your Spirit they fade away**

Reader: Send your Spirit and they spring to life.

**People: Let the wonders of God last forever!  
Let God enjoy his creation!**

Reader: Let me sing to God all my life long!

**People: Let my song make God happy.**

Reader: It makes me happy to sing to God.

All Help us all to make good choices! O my soul, bless God!

**The New Testament**  
**Romans 8:14-17\*\***

**Reader:** A reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans.  
*(Ava Stubblefield)*

All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.

This is not a spirit of slavery to make you afraid. It is a spirit of belonging to God. When we call for God it is that very Spirit that teaches us and our own spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then sons and daughters of God, and brothers and sisters with Christ.

We are so close to God that when Jesus is hurt, we hurt and when we hurt Jesus is hurt with at the same time so that we may know that we are always with Jesus and we are always with him.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! \_\_\_\_\_

The musical notation consists of two staves in treble clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The first staff begins with a 6/8 time signature and contains the melody for the first line of the acclamation. The second staff continues the melody, starting with a 9/8 time signature and ending with a double bar line. The lyrics are written below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables across notes.

**The Gospel John 14:8-17\*\***

*(Luke Stubblefield)*

Reader:       The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.  
People:       **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Reader:

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us God, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen God. How can you say, 'Show us the God'? Do you not believe that I am in God and God is in me?"

The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but God who dwells in me does this work. Believe me that I am in God and God is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves.

Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to be even closer to God. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the God may be glorified by me. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. I will ask God, and you will be given another helper to support you and to be with you forever. This helper is the Spirit of truth... You know this Spirit because this Spirit is with you and will live in your heart."

Reader:       The Gospel of the Lord  
People:       **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## The Homily

The priest and children gather at the steps to the altar for discussion on the scriptures for the day

### The Kids' Creed (please stand)

Leader: I believe in God above; *(Liam Stubblefield)*

People: **I believe in Jesus' love;**

Leader: I believe his Spirit, too, *(Theodore Faulkner)*

People: **Comes to teach me what to do.**

Leader: I believe that I should be *(Everett Faulkner)*

People: **Kind and loving, Lord, like you.**

### The Prayers of the People

Leader: The Lord be with you. *(Edie Faulkner)*

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: We pray for the People: of God's whole church. For the People: of St. Paul's, for our vestry, our priest Barbara and for Heidi, her associate – pray for all priests and deacons.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*(Ava Stubblefield)*

Leader: We pray for the United States and for our President and Congress. For other countries of the world and their leaders. May they all work for peace and justice for everyone.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader: We pray for the city of DeKalb,  
for the People: who live and work and go to school here.  
We pray for our neighboring cities, too

**People: Lord, hear our prayer.**  
*(Edie Faulkner)*

Leader: We pray for the planet Earth which God has given us.  
May we help to take care of it.

**People: Lord, hear our prayer.**  
*(Ava Stubblefield)*

Leader: We pray for all People: who are sick or sad or lonely or  
afraid. May we always remember them and be kind.

**People: Lord, hear our prayer.**  
*(Luke Stubblefield)*

Leader: We pray for all people who have died.  
May they have a place with you.

**People: Lord, hear our prayer.**  
*(Edie Faulkner)*

Leader: We thank you for your many blessings.

**People: Lord, hear our prayer.**  
*(Ava Stubblefield)*

Leader: Lord, hear the prayers of your young people  
and strengthen all of us to do your will.

Celebrant: We welcome other people's prayers. *(Mthr. Barbara)*

**People: Amen.**

**The Peace**

*(Mthr. Barbara)*

**Celebrant:** The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**People:** **And also with you.**

*The people and ministers greet one another in the name of the Lord Jesus.*

### **The Holy Communion**

*The sacred table is readied for the Lord's Supper.*

*As the ushers gather and take up the offering during the choral anthem,  
the children prepare, cleansing their hands by ablution.*

**Offertory Anthem**

The St. Paul's Choirs

*Praise the Lord with Jubilant Song* Mary Lynn Lightfoot

### **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Stand, kneel or sit as you prefer, and repeat  
the prayer line by line, after the Celebrant*

**Celebrant/People:** *(Mthr. Barbara/Children & Congregation)*

**Dear God.  
You made us and love us.  
Even when we try our hardest  
Sometimes we make mistakes  
Thank you for giving us Jesus  
Who helps us remember  
How much you love us.**

**Sanctus**



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord, ho - ly is the  
 Lord God al - migh - ty: who was, and is, and is to  
 come; ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord.

Celebrant:

On the night before he died.  
 Jesus ate supper with his friends.  
 He took some bread.  
 He blessed it.  
 He broke it into pieces.  
 And gave it to his friends.

He said.  
 This is my body. That I share with you.  
 Have some and remember me. (*Sanctus Bells*)

Then Jesus took some wine.  
 He gave thanks to you, God.

He said.  
 This is my blood. That I share with you.  
 Have some and remember me. (*Sanctus Bells*)

So we remember Jesus and we say  
**Christ has died.**  
**Christ is risen.**  
**Christ will come again.**

Dear God

Send your Holy Spirit on us  
and on this bread and wine.

Help us believe  
that this bread and wine is the body of Jesus.  
And we are the body of Jesus.  
Help us take care of your world.  
And each other.  
In the way Jesus showed us.  
until he comes back,  
as he promised.  
Thank you, God. Amen.

### **The Lord's Prayer**

Leader: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are glad to say.

**People and Leader together:**

**Our Father, in heaven, holy is your Name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
and we forgive those who trespass against us.  
Save us from temptation and protect us from evil.  
For yours is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **The Holy Communion**

The Breaking of the Bread

**Lamb of God**

Lamb of God. Wor - thy. Lamb of God. Wor - thy is the  
 Lord God al - migh - ty. You take a - way the sins of the  
 world, have mer - cy on us. Grant us peace.

Celebrant                    The Gifts of God for the people of God.

*Anyone seeking a closer relationship with God through  
 Jesus Christ is welcome to come forward to share the bread  
 and wine at the Lord's table. We have gluten free hosts available.*

**Communion Hymn # 178** Jesus is Lord of all the earth. Alleluia!

*Refrain*

Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia! Give thanks to the ri-sen Lord. Al-le-  
 lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia! Give praise to his\_\_ Name.  
 1. Je - sus is Lord of all the\_\_ earth.  
 2. Spread the good news o'er all the\_\_ earth:  
 3. We have been cru - ci - fied with Christ.  
 4. Come, let us praise the liv - ing\_\_ God,  
 He is the king of cre - a - tion. Al-le  
 Je - sus has died and has ri - sen.  
 Now we shall live\_\_ for ev - er.  
 joy - ful - ly sing to our Sa - vior.

**Communion Song**

*Jesus Loves Me Traditional* *The Children's Choir*

**The Post-Communion Prayer**

*The Leader reads the Post Communion Prayer,  
 line by line, allowing time for the People to repeat each line.*

Leader: *(Luke Stubblefield)*  
**God of plenty**  
**Thank you for feeding us**  
**with the Body and Blood of Jesus**

**Thank you for making us  
One family in you  
Now send us into your world  
To be your lips  
And your ears  
And your eyes  
And your hands  
Thank you for giving us Jesus  
Who was born and died and rose for us. Amen**

### **The Blessing**

Leader: *(Edie Faulkner)*  
Go out into the world in peace.  
Have courage!  
Hold fast to what is good.  
Return no one evil for evil.  
Strengthen those who are afraid,  
support the weak, help the suffering.  
Honor all People.

Leader: *(Ava Stubblefield)*  
Love and serve the Lord your God,  
rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Celebrant and Leader: *(Mthr. Barbara & Ava Stubblefield)*  
And God's blessing, Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
Be upon you to day and always.

*Please join us in singing while processing outside  
for the Blessing of the Vegetable and Flower Gardens.*

**Closing Song # 405 All things bright and beautiful**

*Refrain*

All things bright and beau - ti - ful, all crea-tures great and small,  
 all things wise and won - der - ful, the Lord God made them all.

1 Each lit - tle flower that o - pens, each lit - tle bird that sings,  
 2 The pur - ple - head - ed moun-tain, the riv - er run - ning by,  
 3 The cold wind in the win - ter, the pleas - ant sum - mer sun,  
 4 He gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell

*Repeat Refrain*

he made their glow-ing col - ors, he made their ti - ny wings.  
 the sun - set, and the morn - ing that bright - ens up the sky,  
 the ripe fruits in the gar - den, he made them ev - ery one.  
 how great is God Al - might - y, who has made all things well.

### Dismissal

Leader: Alleluia, alleluia! Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!  
 People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Please join us in the Parish Hall following the service for cake and ice cream in celebration of the birthday of the Church with the coming of the Holy Spirit!

Welcome to St. Paul's Episcopal Church  
 DeKalb, Illinois, Diocese of Chicago  
 Member of the Episcopal Church and the Anglican Communion

Celebration of the Holy Eucharist

Sundays 8:00 AM (spoken service); 10:30 AM (with music)  
Child care for infants & young children is available  
Sundays 9:15 A.M. – 11:45 A.M. in the Nursery.

### **Christian Education Classes**

Sundays: Christian formation classes for all ages.  
Children meet in the St. Timothy Center, Sunday mornings, 9:30-10:15 AM  
Adult Formation meets in the Conference Room or Parish Hall

### **St. Paul's Episcopal Church**

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Julie Rogers, Brittany Altepeter, Karyn Perkins, Nursery Attendants

### **Our Wardens and Vestry,**

Marv Kombrink, Senior Warden,

Maureen Gerrity, Junior Warden,

Pat Brown, Treasurer, Rebecca Smith, Clerk,

Terry Dickow, Donna de Oliveira

### **Today's Ministers**

The Reverend Barbara A. T. Wilson

Luke Stubblefield, Ava Stubblefield,

Presiding

Leaders/Readers/Singers

Edie Faulkner, Liam Stubblefield, Theodore Faulkner, Everett Faulkner	“
Bill and Jennie Cummings, Peg Newby and Gracie Williams	Ushers
Betsy Pool	Flower Guild
Freyja Rasmussen-Johns	Altar Guild
Freyja and Rick Johns	Coffee Hour
Julie Rogers, Brittany Altepeter	Nursery/Pray Ground

<b>Today, Sunday, June 9, 2019, Day of Pentecost</b>		
The Holy Eucharist, Rite I	8:00 A.M.	Sanctuary
Nursery and Childcare Available	9:15-11:45 A.M.	St. Timothy Ctr.
Choir Rehearsal	10:00 A.M.	Parish Hall
The Holy Eucharist, Rite II	10:30 A.M.	Sanctuary
Garden Blessing	11:30 A.M.	Garden
Children’s Celebratory Cake	11:30 A.M.	Parish Hall

<b>This Week - June 9, 2019 through June 16, 2019</b>				
Thu	Jun 13	Book Club	5:30 P.M.	Conf. Room
Sun	Jun 16	Holy Eucharist, Rite I	8:00 A.M.	Sanctuary
		Adult Formation	9:00 A.M.	Conf. Room
		Nursery/Childcare	9:15-11:45 A.M.	St. Timothy Ctr
		Holy Eucharist, Rite II	10:30 A.M.	Sanctuary
		Coffee and Fellowship	11:30 A.M.	Parish Hall
		Vestry Meeting	12:15 P.M.	Conf. Room

**Announcements**

*Welcome! If you are worshipping here for the first time, please sign our guest book. You are welcome to join us for refreshments after the service in the Parish Hall.*

## **From Mother Barbara**

I have a huge request to make of everyone at the Episcopal Church of St. Paul, at least for the next year or so, while I am acclimating myself to St. Paul's culture and how you do things, as I hope to learn how best to support you all in your various endeavors as God's people. Please run all announcements, ideas for projects to enhance the life of the congregation, past me before sharing them generally with the congregation. This will help me to understand how things generically flow from your ministries and the overall ministry of St. Paul's into the community. I welcome everyone's observations regarding this and your feedback! Thank you. In Christ, Barbara+

## **Garden Blessing**

The gardeners have been working hard to ready the gardens and there will be Garden Blessing after the 10:30 AM service. Produce from the garden is distributed to local food pantries through the summer. Please also note the front garden beds that have been planted with perennials which may be able to be used by the Flower Guild for the summer months. We thank those who have labored for this blessing to the community.

## **Book Club**

The Book Club June meeting will be held on Thursday, **June 13<sup>th</sup>** at 5:30 PM in the Conference Room. This month's discussions continue the study of Dietrich Bonhoeffer's *Life Together - The Classic Exploration of Christian Community*. Contact Donna de Oliveira or Marilyn Cleland with questions.

## **Summer Adult Formation begins June 16, 9-10 AM, Conference Rm.**

We will study The Book of Revelation through a series of discussions and video presentations of the work of two prominent scholars: Elaine Pagels, author of "Revelations: Visions, Prophecy, and Politics in the Book of Revelation," and the Rev. Michael Battle's, "Heaven on Earth: God's Call to Community in the Book of Revelation," It would be helpful though not required, if participants get a copy of Elaine Pagel's book to read along with discussion. **The course will run for 8 sessions and will be repeated on Monday evenings at 6:00 PM beginning June 17<sup>th</sup>.**

### **Movie Night resumes on Friday, June 28**

Featuring the movie, *Inside Out*: When 11-year-old Riley moves to a new city, her emotions team up to help her through the transition. Joy, Fear, Anger, Disgust and Sadness work together, but when Joy and Sadness get lost, they must journey through unfamiliar places to get back home." Entertaining for kids but also relevant and entertaining to adults. Basic Pepperoni, Sausage, or all cheese pizza provided once everyone arrives for a "head count." Some soft drinks provided or BYO. Let's assemble in the Parish Hall at 6 PM. The movie runs about an hour and a half--should be fun!

### **Food Pantry Sunday**

The second Sunday of the month is also Food Pantry Sunday. Please leave donations in the baskets that will be taken to the Salvation Army Food Pantry. You can also bring donations any time during the month.

### **For more information about St. Paul's**

Go to our website, [www.stpaulsdekalb.org](http://www.stpaulsdekalb.org) - to hear the Sermons, Announcements, Schedules, Mars Hill Newsletter, etc. The Church of St. Paul is on Facebook and Twitter! Like our page and sign up to follow us to get the latest updates on what's going on!

**St. Paul's is an affirming and inclusive Christian community!**

Striving through worship, love and service to welcome all People: just as God created you. No matter where you are on your journey of faith, and whether you are single, married, divorced, separated, or partnered, our welcome knows no boundaries of age, race, ethnicity, culture, gender expression, sexual orientation, economic condition, physical or mental ability. We believe that God delights in the diversity of creation and so do we! All are welcome, no exceptions!

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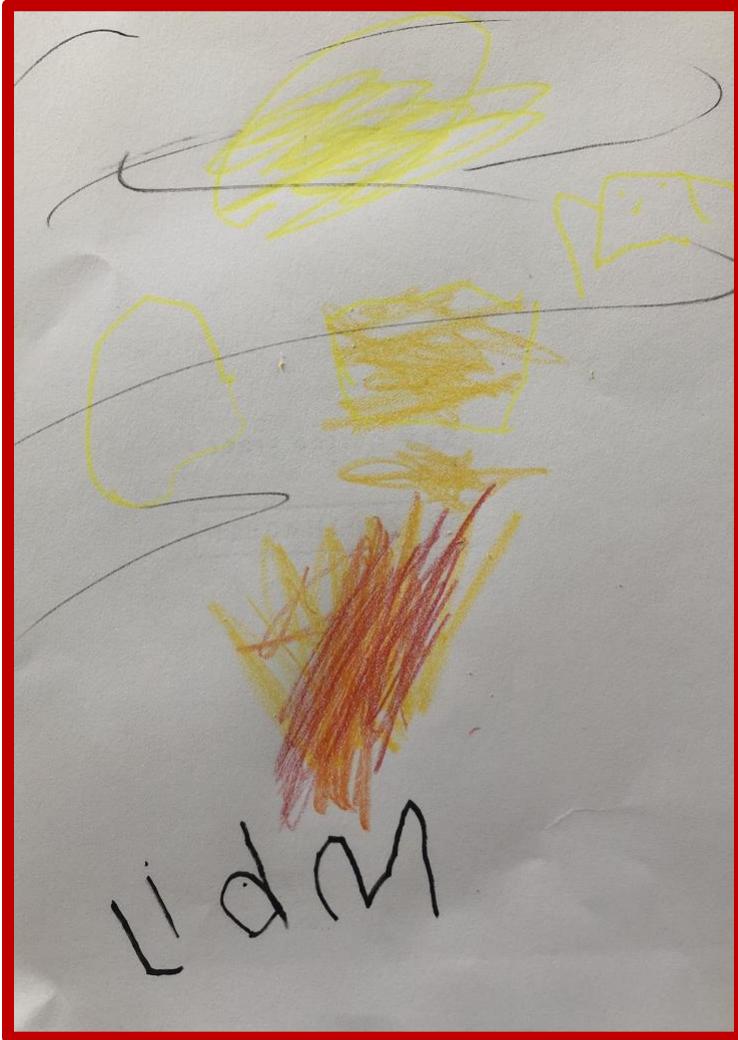
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*Ava Stubblefield*



*Liam Stubblefield*



*Luke Stubblefield*



## **Household Prayer: Morning**

*Gracious God, we thank you for the peace of good sleep and for keeping us safe throughout the night. Let this new day be a time of praise and joy as we go out to meet you in our sisters and brothers. We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.*

## **Household Prayer: Evening**

*Merciful Lord, as night comes to this house, we thank you for the challenges and accomplishments of this day. Give our hearts and minds the comfort now to rest in your care, trusting that whatever tomorrow brings, your hand will be ready to catch us if we fall. Amen.*

### *A word about the Household Prayers:*

These prayers are printed on a page of their own so that you can tear them out and use them in your devotions at home. These prayers come from an anthology titled *Feasting on the Word*, that includes several liturgies for services. The prayers reflect the readings of the week, including special feast days