



## THE VISION

March 14, 2024



## ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY SERVICES:

**8 am Rite 1 (In-person) & 10 am Rite II (In-person & YouTube)**

Get your Bulletin for The Fifth Sunday in Lent, March 17, 2024

Access the March 17, 2024 10am, Service LIVE here

Access the March 19, 2024, 6pm, St. Joseph Feast Day Service LIVE here

Visit our Website

[Click Here For Online Giving](#)

[See the St. Paul's Event Calendar Here](#)



The Parish Offices will be **CLOSED** this Friday. Office hours will resume on Monday at 10 am. Sorry for the inconvenience!  
If you have a Pastoral Emergency, please call Fr. Allan at 812/944.0413, ext. 11.  
The Janet McKenzie "Stations of the Cross" exhibit will also be closed on Friday.

## LAST WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

### Children and Youth Sunday



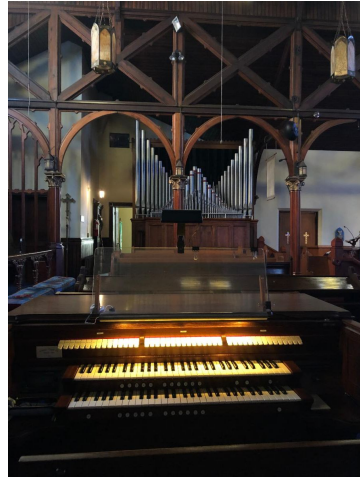
Fr. Allan brought in another fun prop to illustrate the gospel reading to the boys. He made Play-Do with corn starch and hair conditioner. God's Love was the conditioner. And he put in plenty of conditioner!



The boys were getting into the demonstration!  
What you can't hear is all the questions that Xavier had about the serpent in the Gospel. You never know what is going to grab their attention.

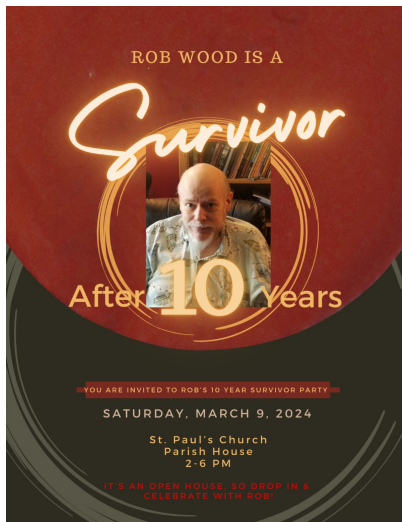
**60th Celebration of the Dedication of St.  
Paul's Schanz Organ**

**Friday, March 8, 2024**



Sam Libra, the guest organist from 2nd Presbyterian Church, Louisville, was featured at the Celebration last Friday night. Despite the weather and sudden bridge closure, the concert was a delight for those people that braved the elements. A reception followed in the Parish House. St. Paul's was featured in the Diocesan Newsletter this week. Click the link below to see the article.

[Indy Dio Newsletter article](#)



Rob Wood celebrated his 10-year cancer survival with a big bash on Saturday, March 9. The party had a dragon theme including his cake. Anyone that knows the Wood family knows about their love of dragons. Hope you had a chance to stop by and see Rob & the dragons!

**THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHT:**





**PET FOOD PANTRY**  
**Saturday, March 16**  
**9:30-11:00 AM**  
**Carriage House**

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**GUEST PREACHER: BRANDON WALLACE**

**March 17th**

Fr. Allan's brother, Brandon, will be returning to our pulpit to preach the sermon this Sunday, March 17th. Brandon is the Minister of Youth and Young Adults at North United Methodist Church in Indianapolis.

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Jami and Antonio will be hosting a St. Patrick's Day Celebration at Coffee Hour this Sunday, March 17. They will be preparing Corned Beef and Cabbage. Let's all pitch in and bring desserts & Irish sides and make this quite the feast!

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**UNCORKED SPIRITUALITY**  
**Tuesday, March 19, 2024**  
**7PM**  
**The Wine Shop, 410 Pearl St.**  
**TOPIC:**  
**"Holy Week in modern times"**



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**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

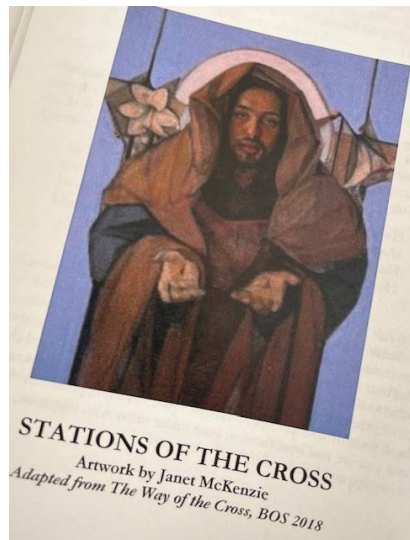


Lent is here. Again this year, it is time to plan our Lenten Soup Suppers. These suppers will be every Wednesday at 6pm, immediately following the 5:30pm Stations of the Cross, from February 21-March 20th.

If you would like to sign up to bring a soup, bread, or desserts, use the link below. We also need help with set up and clean up each week, if you are available and willing, please come to help.

This is a great ministry and fellowship opportunity for all!

[Soup Supper Sign-Up](#)



## Lenten Art Exhibit February 14-March 31, 2024

We are excited to display art prints by Janet McKenzie from her 14 *Stations of the Cross* in the Parish House Parlor throughout Lent this year!

There are printed booklets available to journey the Way of the Cross using the traditional liturgy from *The Episcopal Church, Book of Occasional Services, 2018*.

The booklets also contain general reflections that go with each station to leave you pondering modern day dilemmas faced by many today.

For more information about Janet McKenzie, please visit <https://www.janetmckenzie.com>

Self-guided Tour Hours:  
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10am-3pm

Group Tours with a Facilitator:

- Sundays from February 18th to March 17th at 12pm

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## LENT 2024

See the list of offerings below.

LENT 2024

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## HOLY WEEK 2024

See our Holy Week services below.

HOLY WEEK 2024

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## GOOD FRIDAY



**GOOD FRIDAY OFFERING**  
CELEBRATING 102 YEARS OF SERVICE  
DEDICATED TO THE ANGELICAN COMMUNION PROVINCE OF JERUSALEM AND THE MIDDLE EAST

**IRAQI PRIEST ASKS THIS ONE THING  
OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH:**

***“Please don’t  
forget us.”***

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**The Good  
Friday Offering**

For 102 years, donations to the Good Friday Offering have directly supported ministries of the Anglican Communion Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East.

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- **READ** the presiding bishop’s letter.
- **LEARN** about the places impacted by your donations.
- **WATCH** the Good Friday concert online.
- **GIVE** generously to the Good Friday Offering at [iam.ec/goodfridayoffering](http://iam.ec/goodfridayoffering).

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## PALM SUNDAY



We will be making Palm Crosses during Coffee & Conversation on  
**Palm Sunday, March 24.**  
Come learn the art of cross making while contemplating Jesus' journey from  
Palm Sunday to Resurrection.

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**HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 30**  
**10:00 AM-???**  
**Yard cleanup, spring planting and**  
**church decorating Party**



Come to church Holy Saturday for a short service at 9:30 am and stay to help  
spruce up the campus. Coffee & donuts will be available after the service.  
Bring your yard tools and dig in to the clean-up and flower planting. Those  
that aren't up for outdoor work, stay in the church and help us deep clean and  
set the altar for Easter. Many hands make light work!

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**EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024**





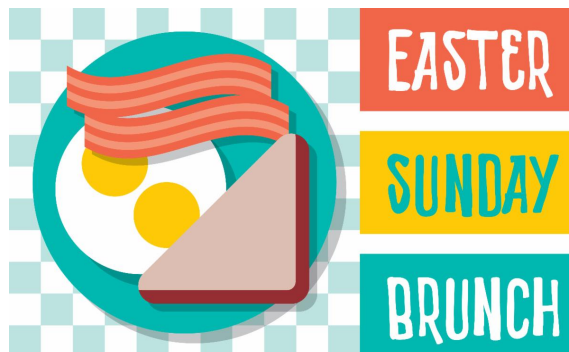
**Monday, March 18 is the deadline  
to order**

**Easter Lilies and Spring Flowers for the Easter Services.**

Click the link below to signup online OR pick up an order form & envelope by the church entrance. Payment options by check, in the collection plate or mail, or online using the link below, put "Easter Flowers" in the memo.

[Easter Flower Signup & Dedication](#)

[Online Flower Payment](#)



Easter Sunday Brunch will be served immediately following the 10 AM service. This is an All-Parish event, so please check out the signup sheet online or on the Carriage House bulletin board. Food items as well as Set-up and Clean-up teams are needed. This always a fun time!

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## **ST. PAUL'S MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY:**

### **SHEPHERD'S KITCHEN**



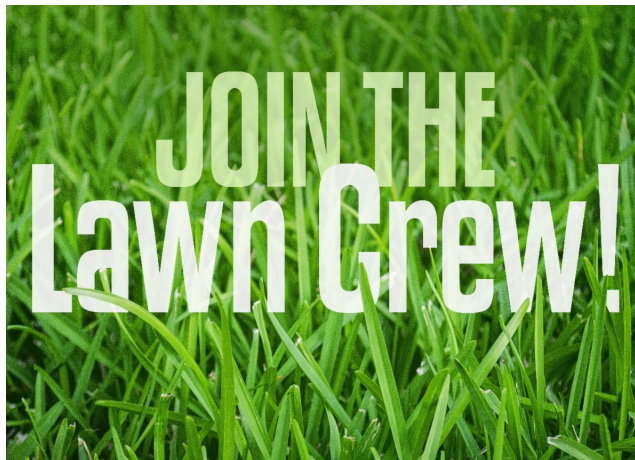
**Shepherd's Kitchen**, St. Paul's feeding ministry, is currently recruiting volunteers for the 2024-25 season. If you are interested in volunteering for this ministry, there are a variety of jobs available:

**\*\*Chef/meal planner and assistant chef**

**\*\*Set-up/clean-up crews**

**\*\*Meal servers**

Contact Fran Fach (812.786.5223) for more information.



For a number of years, "the Bobs", Maguire, Spiller and Forbes, have maintained St. Paul's campus with their excellent lawn care skills. It has come to our attention that they are in need of more members of the lawn crew. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Bob Maguire or call the Parish Office.

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**It is time to sign up for 2024 Altar Flower Dedications.**

Each bouquet is \$30 and the large floor bouquet is \$60.

Consider dedicating a bouquet(s) in memory of, in thanksgiving of, in honor of, or in celebration of a friend, family member or an event.

Click the link below to access the sign-up sheet.

You may drop a check in the collection plate, mail it to the Parish Office or pay online via Realm on the St. Paul's website.

[Altar Flower Sign-up](#)



**Please join us in praying for those in our community:**

*Almighty God, we entrust all who are dear to us to your never-failing care and love, for this life and the life to come, knowing that you are doing for them better things than we can desire or pray for: we pray especially for Judy Bryant, Teri O'Shaughnessy, Melanie Craddock, Brittany Leach, Tim Welliver, Hans Young, Dorothy Krebs Sarro, Bob Maguire, Steve Winsett, Jerry Amend, and Gordon Anderson; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

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Please note that our Prayer Team and your clergy are actively praying for the needs of our parish and community. If you would like to see our prayer list so that you can also pray regularly for those in our community, click the RED link below. You can also call or email the parish office.

[Prayer Team list](#)

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## **The Episcopal Diocese of Indianapolis and Other Offerings:**

### **Sacred Ground Series Resumes Beginning February 7**

Sacred Ground is an 11-week video and reading series designed for people that are looking to deepen their commitment to the Beloved Community. Sessions are held online and the series and the material will be provided at no charge. This series is open to all. Participants are invited to peel away the layers that have contributed to the challenges and divides of the present day. Come and join us!

Please click [here](#) to register.

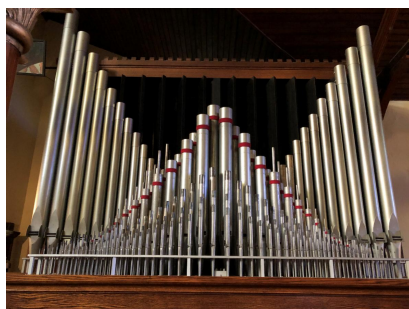
### **Lay Eucharistic Visitor Training March 18**

Registration is now open for online Lay Eucharistic Visitor (LEV) training on Monday, March 18 from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. EDT Please click [here](#) to register.

The ministry of the Lay Eucharistic Visitor extends the hospitality of the Sunday Eucharist to those who cannot be present with the gathered community. LEVs are licensed by the bishop to serve for 3 years. Those interested in serving as Lay Eucharistic Visitors must be invited to serve in this capacity by their clergy or person charged with pastoral oversight in the congregation. Once invited to serve, they must attend this 2-hour virtual training, complete Safe Church requirements and undergo a background check. You can find further details about requirements by clicking [here](#).

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## **COMMUNITY EVENTS:**



### **LENTEN ORGAN SERIES FOR 2024**

**This year's Lenten recitals will be held at**



**noon on Fridays.**

**Each recital will be performed on organs in New Albany.  
They are free and open to the public.**

- March 15: George Hubbard, organ, Central Christian Church, 1315 E.Spring St.
- **March 22: An All-Bach Celebration**
- Theresa Bauer, organ; Stacy Simpson, Erika Howard, trumpet;
- Cindy Wood, flute.
- St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1015 E. Main St.

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