

St. Paul's by-the-Sea

Weekly news & updates

April 9, 2021



Sign Language Interpreter

Join us this Sunday, April 11 at 10 am for Morning Prayer, Rite II. We will be joined by Sign Language Interpreter, Renee Gordon, in an effort to reach out to the deaf community. This is an in-person service that will also be live streamed to our Facebook page.

[Click here](#) to print a copy of the bulletin.



AGH Faith Partnership

Faith Partnership is a collaboration between local worship centers and Atlantic General Hospital & Health system to promote health awareness, education and healthy living for our community.

Currently, the Faith Partnership consists of various community healthcare organizations and more than 25 community worship centers that have appointed health ambassadors to attend monthly meetings. The meetings focus on health and wellness topics, and there is a guest speaker with expertise in their health practice or a community resource

provider who gives education to the group. The health ambassadors take the information back to their worship center to share with their congregation, and help to improve health literacy and wellness within our community. In the absence of a Rector, Don O'Grince, our Parish Administrator, has volunteered to represent SPBTS.

At the March meeting, materials advertising upcoming events sponsored by AGH were distributed. Click on the these links to read and or print the PDFs.

[April 2021 AGH Calendar of Events](#)

[April National Health Observances](#)

[April 2021 Walk With A Doc](#)

[Kidney Smart 2021](#)

[May 2021 Alzheimer's & Dementia Caregivers Conference](#)

Once a month, just after the Faith Partnership meeting, we will share AGH event information in our newsletter.



Now that we are back in church, and beyond Lent, it is time to think about adorning the Altar with beautiful flowers. We are allowed a maximum of three arrangements: two on the Altar and a third on a separate pedestal. The cost is \$55 for two arrangements and \$35 for a small pedestal arrangement.

The Sanctuary Candle burns at the main Altar to the Glory of God and to signify the presence of our lord Jesus Christ in the form of the reserve sacrament. The cost for two weeks is \$15 or \$30 for a month.

Both are wonderful ways to commemorate birthdays, anniversaries, memorials and thanksgivings. You can sign up by calling the church office at 410-289-3453 or emailing office@stpaulsbythesea.org. Please be certain to give us your dedication. Payment can be mailed to the church or placed into the collection plate.

Paid Parking in Ocean City

Paid parking returned to Third Street on

Thursday, April 1. However, paid parking will only be enforced on the weekends (Fri., Sat. & Sun.).

Beginning Saturday, May 1, paid parking will be enforced seven days a week and will continue through Thursday, September 30.

You can park on Third Street during Sunday service as long as you have a St. Paul's by-the-Sea parking pass in your windshield. To obtain a pass call the church office 410-289-3453.



COVID-19 Restriction Reminder

In light of COVID-19 restrictions, we ask the following of those who wish to attend in-person worship.

- The number of people who may attend is limited. **Please call the office at 410-289-3453 or email office@stpaulsbythesea.org if you wish to attend church.**
- Please arrive on time. No late arrivals will be admitted after 10:10 a.m.
- All must enter through the orange doors at the drop off entrance.
- All must sign in at the door and go up to the second floor via the elevator.
- Once in the church, please follow the directions of the ushers.
- The only bathroom available for use is on the Fellowship Commons level.
- **Do not enter the church for worship if:**
 1. You have any of the following symptoms of Covid19: Cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing; fever or chills; sore throat; unusual muscle pain or unusual headache; or new loss of taste or smell.
 2. You have had a positive test of Covid-19 within the last 10 days.
 3. You have been within 6 feet for longer than 15 minutes with someone suspected or confirmed to have a Covid-19 infection.
 4. You are unwilling to wear a mask and abide by the social distancing and other safety precautions.



Jean Charles (4/12)
Amy Rothermel (4/13)

View the April 4th service, **here**.

Sascha Mete (4/17)

[Click here to view the Parish Calendar](#)

