

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
21 Centre St.  
Concord, NH



**THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

June 8, 2008

8:00 AM

Rite One

*Please enter into worship quietly and reverently, in consideration of your fellow worshippers who arrive early to offer their silent prayers and who ask this of you.*

<b>The Word of God</b>	The Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 323
<b>The Collect of the Day</b>	See Insert
<b>The First Reading</b>	Genesis 12:1-9
<b>The Psalm – 33:1-12</b>	See Insert
<b>The Second Reading</b>	Romans 4:13-25
<b>The Gospel</b>	Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26
<b>Sermon</b>	Rev. Dr. Darrell Huddelston
<b>The Nicene Creed</b>	BCP p. 326
<b>The Prayers of the People</b>	BCP p. 328
<b>Confession</b>	BCP p. 330
<b>The Peace</b>	
<b>The Great Thanksgiving</b>	BCP p. 333
<i>The congregation may kneel or stand as instructed in The Prayer Book</i>	
<b>The Lord's Prayer</b>	BCP p. 336
<b>The Invitation</b>	
<i>All who yearn to be transformed and fed by God are welcome to receive the Sacrament of the Body and Blood of Christ at the Lord's Table. To receive a consecrated gluten-free host, extend your right hand only.</i>	
<b>The Post Communion Prayer</b>	BCP p. 339
<b>Dismissal</b>	

## **Serving today**

<b>Interim Priest</b>	The Rev. Bruce Jacobson
<b>Assisting Priest</b>	The Rev. Dr. Darrell Huddelston
<b>Assisting Clergy</b>	The Rev. Br. Charles Edward LeClerc, BSG
<b>Lay Readers and Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Nancy McCall Cherie Foote, Kristin Dunklee
<b>Ushers</b>	Gary Brundrett Rick Goddard
<b>Greeter</b>	Jan Greer-Carney
<b>Acolyte</b>	Bob Fenton
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Gerri Butterfield Sheila Knight Cynthia McLeod

**Altar Flowers are given in loving memory of**  
**The Rev. Dr. Allan H. Munroe** by Marjorie L. Hascall  
**Dorothy and Lewis Hascall** by Marjorie L. Hascall  
**Gloria B. Meyer** by Jeanne Meyer

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Rev. Will Ottery  
Br. David Vincent

**Music Minister**  
**Lay Readers and Eucharistic Ministers –**

Mark Pace  
Chet Fuller, Jane-Ann Fuller  
John Cabibi, Yvonne Burroughs  
Jan Greer-Carney

**Greeter**  
**Acolytes**

Alison Howard, Alan Vomacka  
Gregory Howard, James Coles  
Brendan Wills, William Coles  
Carl Thunberg, Sue Coburn

**Soloists**

Rebecca Lavoie, Susan Papinsick  
Tracy Pace, Ashley Glover  
Andrew Livernois, Peter Cram  
Monique Dosogne, Leslie Combs

**Altar Guild**

Gerri Butterfield  
Sheila Knight  
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Special Thanks for this glorious Gospel Mass to:  
St. Paul's Church Choir and the Concord Chorale

Ryan Turner – Conductor                      John Hunter - Bass  
Catharine Dornin – Piano                      Les Harris – Drum

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**AN ORDER FOR CELEBRATING THE HOLY EUCHARIST**  
**Book of Common Prayer page 400**

**Prelude**

In the Garden

Arr. Dan Miller

**Gathering in the Lord's Name**

**Processional Hymn\*\***

The Hymnal p. 599

**Kyrie\*** from *Gospel Mass*

Robert Ray

Carl Thunberg, Sue Coburn

**Gloria** from *Gospel Mass*

Robert Ray

Rebecca Lavoie, Susan Papinsick

**Proclaim and Respond to the Word of God**

**The Holy Gospel \*\*** Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

See Insert

**Gospel Acclamation\*\*** from *Gospel Mass*

Robert Ray

**Sermon**

The Rev. Dr. Darrell Huddleston

**Credo\*** from *Gospel Mass*

Robert Ray

**Pray for the World and the Church**

**Prayers of the People – Form III**

Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 387

✠**The Peace**✠

**Prepare the Table**

**Offertory**

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Joe Utterback

Leaning the Blues Away

**Hymn\*\*** Blessed Assurance

See Music Insert

**Eucharist**

**The Great Thanksgiving C\*\***

BCP p. 369

*The congregation may kneel or stand as instructed in The Prayer Book*

**Sanctus** from *Gospel Mass*

Robert Ray

Andrew Livernois, Peter Cram

**The Lord's Prayer**

BCP p. 364

**Break the Bread**

**Agnus Dei\*** from *Gospel Mass*

Robert Ray

Monique Dosogne, Leslie Combs

**Share the Gifts of God**

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**Music during Communion**

Peace Song

Joe Utterback

Give Me Jesus

Joe Utterback

**Recessional Hymn \*\***– Marching to Zion

(See Music Insert)

**Blessing**

**Postlude**

Wade in the Water

Joe Utterback

\* The Congregation Seated

\*\* The Congregation Standing

## Contact us

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## **Centre Point**

### This Week at St. Paul's:

Tonight – 6:00 PM Sr. SPY group meeting

Tuesday June 10<sup>th</sup> – 12:10 PM Holy Eucharist

Thurs. June 12<sup>th</sup> - 12:10 PM Holy Eucharist

*FYI -Midweek Eucharistic services are held in the chapel and are about a half hour long.*

### Announcements

**Wednesday June 18<sup>th</sup>** - At 7:00 PM in the Church Sanctuary there will be a Prayer Group sponsored Service of Healing and Hope; a service of quiet reflection and prayer with music and anointing of oils. All are welcome.

**Sunday June 22<sup>nd</sup>** – is the Date of the Bishop's Visitation to St. Paul's. He will be the celebrant and preacher for the 8 AM service here at church and at 10 AM service which will be held at Rollins Park. The 10 AM service will be followed by a Picnic in the Park. Contact Phil Denoncourt at 226-9113 if you would like to help plan this event.


**June 25<sup>th</sup>** – At 6:30 PM Ordination to the Diaconate of Barbara Talcott here at St. Paul's Church. All are invited to attend this celebration.

**June 22 – 24** – Vacation Bible School (see insert for more details)

**Name Tags** - Big Thanks to Barbara Stokes, for taking on the nametag business. It looks great and her efforts are paying off. Many members can now be greeted by name and many members say they are happy with our efforts. Again, thank you Barbara, and thanks to all of you for making it happen by wearing your tags.

## **\*\*Food Pantry Needed Item of the Week\*\***

### **Shampoo, Soap, Feminine Hygiene Products**

 **Search Committee** – has completed the Self Examination Phase and will begin preparing to identify names of candidates for Rector. If any parishioner is aware of any names of Episcopal Priests who would be available and good candidates for our Rector position, please let the Search Committee know either in person or by a note in the Search Committee mailbox. The DVD and Parish Profile are both available on our website. Check it out!



**Vestry** - The Vestry held its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday May 20th. Agenda items included an update on the Search process and Committee reports. The Search Committee has completed the Parish Profile and DVD and is just about ready to move into the next phase - accepting and reviewing candidates. The Search Committee meets on a weekly basis and the Vestry greatly appreciates all the time they have invested. Bob Wilson, Chair, Annual Pledge Drive Committee, reported he and his committee are in the planning phase for the 2008 campaign. The Committee will be reaching out to some parish members to try and determine trends in giving. If you are interested in helping, please contact Bob Wilson. Minutes from prior Vestry meetings are available on-line at [www.stpaulsconcord.org](http://www.stpaulsconcord.org).



**The Mustard Seed Preschool Program** is a self-supporting ministry of St. Paul's Church. We are now enrolling children for the 2008-2009 school year. Classes are held M-W-F 9-11:30 AM for children aged 3-5 years. Spiritual formation is combined with traditional preschool skills. This is an excellent enrichment program for afternoon kindergarten children. Class size is limited to 12 students. For more information, contact Sarah Nyhan here at St. Paul's Church at 224-2523 ext. 17 or [snyhan@stpaulsconcord.org](mailto:snyhan@stpaulsconcord.org).

### **Business Cards in the Directory!!! - Time is running out!!!**


Do not miss out on this great opportunity to advertise your business in our church directory. We are placing Business Card Ads in the back of our directory to help defray the cost of the project. With this unique opportunity you can help with the funding AND get some visibility within the church community.

To place an ad bring a business card and check for \$50.00 to the church office or drop it in my mailbox over the next couple of weeks. There will also be a place to leave your card Sunday during and after, morning service in the upper parish hall.

Please stop by and take a peek of the St. Andrews directory featuring business card ads. St Paul's last directory, done 14 years ago, will be there for your viewing pleasure as well. ☺

Any questions please contact me, Robin Broadbent, at 226-9149 or e-mail [robinbroadbent@comcast.net](mailto:robinbroadbent@comcast.net).

**Church Directory** - If you missed the Last Photo Shoot... come on down ! We have scheduled another chance to have your photo done.

 Please come by the rector's office **Sunday June 15th** before or after either of the Sunday services for your photos. If you are unable to have your photo done, you may submit one to [geofforester@aol.com](mailto:geofforester@aol.com) or bring to church, leave in my mailbox and we will scan it and make sure you are in our directory.

Thanks to all of you in helping to make this directory a success - we have taken over 158 photos so far. We hope to reach as many of you as possible. We will be calling members (currently missing from our directory) this week in an effort to include as many smiling faces as we can.

So stop by the rector's office, have a munchkin (or 2), and SMILE!!! Any questions contact me Robin Broadbent at 226-9149 or [robinbroadbent@comcast.net](mailto:robinbroadbent@comcast.net).

**Chapter II Thrift Store** needs donations of spring and summer clothes for school age children. Please bring in clean and folded (or hanging) items to the church Monday to Friday 10 AM – 2 PM.



**Book Club** – This month's book is "Ride of Our Lives" by Mike Leonard. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 7PM at Ranee Washburn's house, 3 Cambridge Street, Concord.

**S.P.Y. (aka St. Paul's Youth) will continue over the summer!** - Albeit not on a weekly basis. We will continue to get together as a group a few times just to "hang out" and keep the connections alive, and hopefully make NEW connections! These get-togethers will be low-key; trip to the beach, maybe a little putt-putt, how about some wiffle ball? Who knows! We do know that we will have fun. We are inviting those teens (entering grades 9-12) who would like to be added to the SPY contact list to contact Kellie at church 224-2523 or email [kelliedenoncourt@gmail.com](mailto:kelliedenoncourt@gmail.com). We will let you know about upcoming SPY events!

### **Calling all softball players!!!**

The 2008 season for the St. Paul's Blackflies Softball Team is upon us!



Opening day is June 23<sup>rd</sup>! We will hold our first practice on Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in playing, please contact Jen Lacasse, the Blackflies new coach! She can be reached via e-mail at [jen\\_lacasse@verizon.net](mailto:jen_lacasse@verizon.net) or by phone at 753-6155. You don't have to play to participate! We would love to see your support in cheering us on!!!

**Caring for an elderly family member?** There's a FREE educational series sponsored by the Merrimack County ServiceLink Resource Center on the four Tuesday evenings in June. It covers the spiritual and family issues of aging, as well as financial and legal concerns. All sessions meet at Horseshoe Pond Place at 28 Commercial Place in Concord, and run from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. To register, call Dawn Marquis at 228-6625, or [dmarquis@mcservicelink.org](mailto:dmarquis@mcservicelink.org).

**Communications** – To keep everyone aware of all the activities happening at St. Paul's, we began sending the Centrepoint to all parishioners. It is available on our website and will continue to be included in the Sunday Bulletin.

**Please let the church office know if you do not want us to mail you a copy.** It will save postage costs for us!

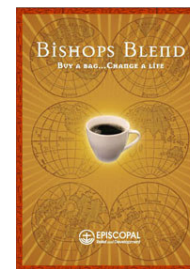
\*Also, during the last week of each month (typically Thursday and/or Friday) we could use some assistance preparing the mailing, i.e. folding, fastening, labeling, delivering to bulk mail. If you are available, please contact the church office.

**Room Wanted** – A Franklin Pierce (Ringe) student with an internship in Concord for July and August is looking for a room to stay in for those two months. He is able to help out performing odd jobs: landscaping, light construction/repair, etc. in exchange for a room. For more information contact John Gordon at [gordonje@franklinpierce.edu](mailto:gordonje@franklinpierce.edu) or 609-313-4318.

**Need to put a notice in the Centrepoint?** – Please submit to the Church office by Wednesday at 9:00 AM or e-mail to Kristin Dunklee, [kdunklee@stpaulsconcord.org](mailto:kdunklee@stpaulsconcord.org) or Carolyn Howard, [gregaldan@comcast.net](mailto:gregaldan@comcast.net). Please specify the week(s) you would like your notice to appear.

### **Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD)**

When you buy Bishops Blend coffee, you change lives! All proceeds go into ERD's general fund so they can be used for the areas of greatest need – such as emergency assistance after floods or support for AIDS orphans. Five varieties available at \$7.50 per 12 oz. bag. Place orders (order forms located at church entrances) in the upper parish hall or contact Judy Fox at [judyxof@gmail.com](mailto:judyxof@gmail.com). Orders placed on the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month.



**Vacation Bible School** – focusing on outreach again this year as we learn about the Heifer Project. This year’s VBS is for all ages – kids to adults.

- **Sunday June 15<sup>th</sup> 9:30 AM** - Come and learn about the Heifer Project animal gifts, and what they provide to people. We will join the 10 AM service at communion. Kids will make animal masks☺! Any interested adults are welcome to make posters and brainstorm games for the upcoming picnic.
- **Sunday June 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Look for a presentation about the Heifer project animals during the 10 AM outdoor service and family games during the picnic.
- **Mon. & Tue. June 23 & 24 – 5- 7 PM** - Potluck Dinner and activities for all. **Children** will share stories and play animal games, as well as make crafts. **Adults** are welcome to join with other adults for discussion groups, or join in the children’s activities if they’d like!

Nursery Care will be available.

Sign up in the Upper Parish Hall beginning June 8<sup>th</sup>, or contact Sarah Nyhan at 224-2523 or [snyhan@stpaulsconcord.org](mailto:snyhan@stpaulsconcord.org).

**Episcopal Diocese of New Hampshire Spring Event  
Has been cancelled.**

**Education for Ministry** - Are you looking for better understanding of the bible, church history, theology or yourself? EfM is an opportunity to deepen your faith and learn to apply it to your life and ministry. Now EfM is coming to Saint Paul’s Church September, 2008. To sign-up or get more information contact Michael ‘kirk’ Kirkhuff at 485-8275 or [mlkirk12530@comcast.net](mailto:mlkirk12530@comcast.net).

## Robert Ray's GOSPEL MASS Program Notes

Robert Ray’s Gospel Mass was composed in 1978. It’s premier performance was sung by the University of Illinois-Urbana Campus Black Chorus. It was written while Mr. Ray was a liturgy team member of the National Office of Black Catholics. The Gospel Mass was created out of a need from these workshops.

The Gospel Mass has become a standard part of the choral repertoire and is performed by churches, colleges, universities, orchestras and civic choral groups nationally and internationally.

Gospel Mass is Mr. Ray’s interpretation of two thousand years of liturgical tradition with the more contemporary music of the African-American Church. For centuries, composers have taken the text of the Ordinary of the Mass and given them musical settings. Each setting creates within the listener a different feeling about the worship experience.

The composer states: “It is my desire to combine centuries of old traditions of Mass settings with sounds of the contemporary Black Church. The move from Latin to English created new opportunities for composers to express their feelings about the texts of the Ordinary of the Mass. I wanted everyone to experience the sense of joy and celebration that is generally felt in true African-American worship”.