

# ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

# **SUNDAY SERVICES**

9:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 AM HOLY EUCHARIST

## **JANUARY 1**

Morning Prayer Lay Reader: John Tarver

## **JANUARY 8**

Holy Eucharist: The Rev. Eric Anderson Lay Reader: Kate French

# JANUARY 15 ANNUAL MEETING & POT LUCK

Holy Eucharist: The Rev. Canon Bill Fasel

Lay Reader: Don Kiefer

# **JANUARY 22**

Holy Eucharist: The Rev. Eric Anderson Lay Reader: Sam French

# **JANUARY 29**

Morning Prayer Lay Reader: John Tarver

Altar Guild: Sheryl Kiefer

# J A N U A R Y 2 0 1 7

A WORD FROM THE BISHOP'S WARDEN Dear All,

Our community and St. Paul's has suffered a great loss this past week. Of course, I am referring to the passing of James Stillwell, long time Clinton Middle School teacher, since long time member of St. retired, and also As a facebook friend of Jim's, I was Paul's. always amazed at the number of former students that were his friends and sang his praises as the best teacher they had ever had. The praise was from a very diverse cross section of former students, those who valued education in their middle school years as well as those less interested in academic pursuits at that time of their lives. All recognized the commitment and love that Mr. Stillwell had for them and for the subject matter. As a student in the Clinton school system, I vividly remember my favorite teachers. Jim Stillwell represents a new generation of legendary educators in our school system. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Jim's sons, Michael and Ryan, as well as to those very close friends who are left to mourn his passing. The service for Jim will be at 11:00 am on Friday December 30th St. Paul's.

Don

#### **CHURCH INFORMATION**

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http://www.nermwestmo.org/home0.aspx

#### JIM STILLWELL'S SERVICE

We are all saddened at the death of Jim Stillwell, a long-time member of St. Paul's family. His service is Friday, December 30 at the church at 11:00 with



visitation the night before at Bradley-Hadley Funeral Home in Clinton. His burial will be in his home town of Mountain Grove, Missouri. We will miss Jim and will be keeping his sons, Michael and Ryan in our prayers.

#### **ANNUAL MEETING**

Please be present on Sunday, January 15 for the annual meeting. We will hear the year-end reports and elect officers and delegates for the coming year.

#### **UNDECORATING THE CHURCH - JAN. 8**

Always hard to see the beautiful holiday decorations come down - but as we prepare for the next event in the church calendar, we must take trees and window candles down. Many hands make light work so come

prepared to help and it will be done in no time!

#### **CARE NOTES**

Please put Kate French on your daily prayer list as she will begin chemotherapy early in January for breast cancer. She has undergone two lumpectomies and radiation - both with very good results. This next round of treatments will help reduce the risk of re-occurrence.

Don ran into past members, Chuck and Mary Smith over the holidays and learned that after continuing illness and Mary's back surgery, they are selling their house in Warsaw and moving to Kansas Ctiy to be closer to doctors.

John Tarver has recently started a new job with Quest Laboratories. Good luck with your new professional adventure!

## JANUARY 2017 BIRTHDAYS

20-Allanah Hills 22-Margy Christensen

### **ANNIVERSARIES**

1-Evan and Annette Nelson

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