

# ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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## SUNDAY SERVICES

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

### SEPTEMBER 6

Holy Eucharist: The Rev. Larry Lewis  
Lay Reader: Kate French

### SEPTEMBER 13

Morning Prayer  
Lay Reader: John Tarver

### SEPTEMBER 20

#### **BISHOP'S COMMITTEE & POT LUCK**

Holy Eucharist: The Rev. Larry Lewis  
Lay Reader: Don Kiefer

### SEPTEMBER 27

Holy Eucharist: The Rev. Canon Bill Fasel  
Lay Reader: Sam French

**ALTAR: KATE FRENCH**

## A WORD FROM THE BISHOP'S WARDEN

Dear All,

On Sunday August 23, we were blessed with the presence of our Bishop to preside at our Sunday Communion service. The occasion of a visit by the Bishop is always a special event and I am pleased to report that this was the best visit yet by Bishop Marty. Following the service, we had a potluck followed by a Q & A period with the Bishop. Bishop Marty shared with the congregation some of the events at National Convention as well as the preparation of the diocese for our upcoming convention the first weekend in November.

Another special event is on tap for Sunday August 30. Father Larry Lewis will be with us for Holy Communion and will do an instructed Eucharist. Throughout the service, he will explain the reason and meaning of what he/we are doing. I have participated in an instructed Eucharist many years ago and found it very enlightening. Many things we do "simply because" have special meaning and when we realize this, the whole service has more meaning. This is of value to all members, old and new, and enables us to more fully understand and to communicate this to newcomers. In fact, next Sunday would be a great time to have visitors! Hope to see everyone there.  
Don

## CHURCH INFORMATION

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St. Paul's Website: UNDER CONSTRUCTION - COMING SOON!

### **NERM WEBSITE:**

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

## **BISHOP FIELD VISITS ST. PAUL'S**



We were happy to have Bishop Field celebrate the Eucharist with us August 23. After our service and a pot luck, Bishop Field held a question and answer session where we learned more about the operation of the Diocese and exciting new directions for the Episcopal Church in the future.

### **SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONAL EUCHARIST**

Ever wonder why the lay reader rings bells during the Eucharist or why the priest reads the Gospel lesson in the aisle? On August 30, Rev. Lewis and John Tarver will be holding an instructional Eucharist on Sunday morning. Everyone will find this a meaningful service whether you have been an

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Episcopalian for a long time or are new to the church. There is always something to learn - or remember that you might have forgotten. It should make services in the future more meaningful for all of us. Feel free to bring guests to learn more about the reason for the things we do during our liturgy. Plan to attend and learn more about how we celebrate our faith!

### **WELCOME BACK!**

Sunday we were delighted to see Brenda D'Aunoy back with us after surgery and extended rehabilitation! Also, in church Sunday was Louise Crouch. We hope to see these two ladies back as regulars.

### **SEPTEMBER 2015 BIRTHDAYS**

2-Sheryl Kiefer  
6-Roger Mehan  
13-Charla Nelson  
18-Keith Livingston  
22-Steve Brantner  
28-Brenda D'Aunoy

### **SEPTEMBER 2015 ANNIVERSARIES**

3-Don & Sheryl Kiefer  
14-Mark & Rauna Gladfelter