

May 1, 2022 ~ 3rd Sunday of Easter

Welcome and Announcements ~ Don Tulley

Introit ~ *"Give Thanks"* (H. Smith) ~ Celebration Choir

Procession of the Cross and the Elements of Communion

Call to Worship ~ *responsive*

Leader: From the various places that we have come from, God has called us here today.

**People: To worship the Lord. To experience God's love and to faithfully serve God.**

Leader: Christ asks us today and everyday: People of God, do you love me?

**People: We love you and praise you Christ Jesus! We will feed your sheep and share your love with all we meet! Amen.**

*\*you are invited to stand in body or in spirit*

*\*Hymn #826 ~ "Lift High the Cross"*

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession ~ *in unison*

Our gracious God, we come to you bringing our whole selves to you. You love us and call us to love others and you. For the times when we have not loved you and our neighbors, forgive us Lord. Renew us with your love. Amen. (A time of silent, personal prayer).

Responsive Chorus #240 ~ *"Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks"*

***Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.***

***Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his name.***

Assurance of Forgiveness

Passing the Peace

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**People: And also with you.**

Responsive Chorus #267 ~ *"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"* (v. 1)

***Come, Christians, join to sing: Alleluia! Amen!***

***Loud praise to Christ our King: Alleluia! Amen!***

***Let all, with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice;  
praise is his gracious choice: Alleluia! Amen!***

## Offering Prayer

\*Doxology - *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"* (Avery & Marsh)

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.*

## Prayer for Illumination

Hebrew Scripture - Psalm 30

Special Music - *"Jesus Paid It All"* (D.T. Clydesdale/A.M. Hall) - Celebration Choir

Christian Scripture - John 21:1-19

Message - "Breakfast with Jesus"

\*Hymn #835 - *"Just a Closer Walk with Thee"*

## Community at Prayer

Prayer Preparation #286 - *"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"*

*Breathe on me, Breath of God; fill me with life anew,  
that I may love what thou dost love, and do what thou wouldst do.*

The Lord's Prayer - *in unison*

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;

and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.

Amen.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper - *responsive*

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

## Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

*"All Belong Here"* - (L. Rand/H. Rand) as recorded by The Many

*Come and remember who you are here. Do this to remember who I am.  
Come and remember you belong here. All belong here.*

*At this table come as you are, broken and bleeding's ok.  
At this table eat and be filled, come and drink in this grace.  
Come and remember who you are here. Do this to remember who I am.  
Come and remember you belong here. All belong here.*

### Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

*"All Belong Here"* (L. Rand/H. Rand) ~ Katie Achterhof

### Prayer after Communion

\*Hymn #700 ~ *"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"*

### \*Benediction

\*Response #232 ~ *"Jesus Christ Is Risen Today"* (v. 4)

*Sing we to our God above, Alleluia! praise eternal as God's love. Alleluia!  
Praise our God, ye heavenly host, Alleluia! Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!*

Postlude ~ *"Lift High the Cross"* (arr. Berry) ~ Leigh Emmett

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Immediately following the service, all are invited to a reception in honor of Mark Handford. The ROMANS event will follow, and those participating will meet in the preschool room.

The Foundation asks that you consider your annual support by making a donation in May – there is a designated envelope included in your May packet. Please make your checks payable to St. Paul's Foundation - their account is separate from the church account.

### A note from Ben...

Dear members of St. Paul's, I can't express how grateful we are for the thoughts, prayers, meals, gifts, flowers and Humane Society donations you have provided before and after Nola's death. Your thoughtfulness will not be forgotten.

The Bonandrini family

"The Nominations Committee has returned. But don't worry, those calls you're getting are still for the extended warranty and not from your fellow members (yet). The Nominations Committee is instead seeking those who hear the calling from God to serve in a role of leadership. St. Paul's has positions as Ruling Elders, Deacons, Trustees, Foundation Trustees and even one spot to serve ON the Nominating Committee. The next committee meeting will be in May, please let Pastor Nate, Elder Jeff or Wanda in the office know when you hear the call so you don't get a random call from us."

### A message from the Board of Deacons:

CARES in Farmington Hills has been providing comprehensive support services to 500+ families in 9 cities in the form of a food pantry and store. Located in what used to be St. Alexander's Church on Shiawassee Rd., this organization has been operational since

**2017, providing food, clothing and other household goods to the surrounding 9 cities. CARES has reached out to St. Paul's in the hope that we could partner in their campaign to fill the store with items that are sometimes difficult to acquire by families in dire financial straits by asking for donations of 4-Roll packs of bathroom tissue (this size is necessary for distribution purposes) and Laundry detergent. These items may be dropped off in the lobby. The deacons would like to distribute these items to CARES by the end of May. The Board of Deacons thanks you for your support!**



August Kornowicz, Karen Bright, Sheldon Davis, Doris Knecht, Joyce Barton  
Pam Phillips, Suzanne Tabaka, Jim & Joanna Roye, Jerry Stone  
Beverly Dearth, Kathleen Warren, Bob Liebertz, Grace Campbell, Susan Grant, Bruce Phillips  
Linda Thompson & her sister, Shirley Kircoff  
Ray & Mary Clark ~ neighbors of Don & Meta Tulley  
Mark Feely, Phil Decker, & Vickie McVeigh ~ friends of Judy McGregor  
Ben Abela ~ son-in-law of August & Faith Kornowicz  
Macaylah Whitlock ~ daughter of the Rev. Kellie Whitlock  
Rosemary Iaquina ~ sister of Cathy DeSautel; Pamela Serene ~ daughter of the late Marilyn Allen  
Glenn Ellan Rubright ~ sister of Mike Graham; Nicole Snead ~ daughter of Bill VanEck  
Nancy Kreipke ~ mother of Christian; Rich McKenzie ~ son of Jean; Erin Lewis ~ daughter of Pattie Benoit  
Phyllis Badman ~ niece of Georgia Hunt; Christie Piastowski ~ daughter of Karen Bright  
Janet Kusuhara ~ cousin of Meta Tulley; Joe Ducsay ~ friend of Mike & Carol Graham  
Mark Osborne ~ son of the late Janet  
MaryAnn Tabaka ~ mother of Suzanne; Eric Tabaka ~ nephew of Suzanne  
Cyndi Knecht ~ daughter of Doris; Joe Perko ~ friend of Wanda & Bob Seymour  
David Bonandrini ~ son of Ben; Zoe Marcus ~ friend of Karen Erwin  
Gideon Janku ~ great nephew of Bob Westbrook; Judy Siegfried ~ sister-in-law of Pam Phillips  
Randy Tillman ~ son of Gloria Rubbo; Mary Rayes ~ friend of Pat Hutchison  
Adam Schilling & Eric Shilling ~ grandsons of Ron & Janet Frank  
Donald Keller III ~ son of Jan Lapenta; Scott Davis ~ son of Sheldon & Marion Davis

**Please review the prayer list and report any changes to the office as soon as possible.**