

Get Set...GO!

Sunday, October 30, 2011

8:30 Cell
8:45 1st Service
10:00 Fellowship
10:30 **All Saints Service**
12:15 Prophetic Team
12:15 Adult Ed: Gospel of
Matthew
5:00 CT Prayer Rally

Monday, October 31, 2011

6:30 Alpha @New Canaan Y
7:30 Luke for Everyone

Tuesday, November 1, 2011

9:30 Art Group
10:00 Holy Eucharist & Healing
12:15 Agape Luncheon
6:00 Band Rehearsal
6:30 Alpha @ Norwalk Y

Wed., November 2, 2011

9:30 MOPS

Thursday, November 3, 2011

8:30 Community Bible Study
(CBS)
7:00 Prayer

Friday, November 4, 2011

7:00 Christian 12 Step

Saturday, November 5, 2011

7:30 Men's CBS

Sunday, November 6, 2011

Daylight Saving Time ENDS

8:30 Cell
8:45 1st Service
10:00 Fellowship
10:30 2nd Service
12:15 Prophetic Team
12:15 Adult Ed: Gospel of
Matthew
5:00 Women's Testimony
Supper
6:30 First Sunday

THIS WEEK'S LESSONS

Psalm 149 (p. 614)
Revelation 7:9-17 (p. 1196)
Matthew 5:1-12 (p. 936)

NEXT WEEK'S LESSONS

Amos 5:18-24 (p. 890)
I Thessalonians 4:13-18
(p. 1148)
Matthew 25:1-13 (p. 961)

Gluten-free wafers are now available at St. Paul's. Just ask the priest when you come forward to receive.

Newcomers and guests at St. Paul's are invited to come to the Prayer Room after the service for a personal word of encouragement from the Lord. Our prophetic prayer team is ready to listen to God and ask Him to speak to you.

The Call

A long time ago we sang a song, "I heard the Lord call me name, listen close you'll hear the same." Peter Marshall, the Chaplain to the US Senate a generation ago, described the call of God as being as though you were walking along a crowded busy sidewalk and from behind you are tapped upon the shoulder. At once you turn and respond to the call of God and follow Him.

In the end (as it was in the beginning) what matters most is following Jesus. If we follow Jesus everything falls into line.

In Isaiah 43:1-3, the prophet writes, "*But now, this is what the Lord says – he who created you, O Jacob. He who formed you, O Israel: 'Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name; you are mine. ...When you walk through the fire you will not be burned. ... For I am the Lord your God.'*"

If you respond to His call and follow Him, he will always show you the way to go.

With joy in the journey,

Christopher

The Rev. Christopher P. Leighton
Rector

The Connecticut House of Prayer Connecticut Prayer Rally

takes place Tonight

October 30, 2011, 5:00 to 7:30 p.m.

At St. Paul's Church, Darien

Please join with those throughout the state who have a heart to gather in unity...to seek His face and pray... To bind up the brokenhearted and proclaim liberty to captives.

Who Would Like to Sing in a Choir?

The choir of St. Luke's is inviting any interested singers to join with them to lead singing at our joint Thanksgiving Eve service on Wednesday evening, November 23. There will be one rehearsal at St. Luke's on Thursday evening November 17 at 7:45 p.m. If you are interested, please speak to Janet Leighton (203 655-4115).

Person-to-Person Doves

In just a week or two our "Giving Tree" will appear in the narthex, and the Person-to-Person Doves will land on it. We hope each and everyone will fly off immediately with someone who is willing to supply all the "goodies" for a Christmas dinner for a family in need. Be ready!

We are also seeking people willing to help decorate, prepare and serve Christmas Dinner to those around us. See Josephine Rojas if you would like to help..

Women!

Today is your last chance to sign up for the next Women's Testimony Night, next Sunday, November 6, 2011 at **5:00 p.m.** This will be a **pot-luck** with a harvest theme – you bring main course, salads, side dishes – St. Paul's supplies dessert and drinks. Our speaker will be **Jean Healy**.

When Jean left the mid-West to work inter-nationally, she began to understand she was living a life "without coincidence". Jean will talk about her personal faith journey over many miles.

There is a sign-up poster in the narthex – we need to know how many to plan for!

Blank Canvas Seminar

Using the techniques of Impressionist painting, the Blank Canvas Seminar will take you on a journey to discover who you are and who you are becoming. Barbara G. Lachance will offer the Blank Canvas Seminar at St. Paul's on **Saturday, November 12** from 9 am to 4 pm **Pre-registration is required by this Friday, November 4**, so enough materials will be available for seminar participants. The cost of \$40 per person covers the seminar and lunch. (Scholarships ARE available) Make your check payable to St. Paul's Church, mark Blank Canvas Seminar in the "memo field".

A Beautiful Morning

The New England Prayer Centre presents Breakfast with Madeline Balletta at the Country Club of Darien, November 5 from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$20. For more information or reservations, please call 203 257-8240.

Madeline Balletta is the founder of Bee-Alive Inc., a natural health and beauty company which has been in business for over 25 years. She has appeared on many TV programs including Joyce Meyer ministries, The 700 Club and many others and has her own radio show called "Feeling Good Naturally",



Just a reminder that next Saturday, when you go to bed, you will need to set your clocks back an hour, as Daylight Saving Time (finally) ends.

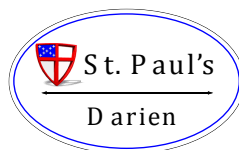
Detroit Winter Clothing Drive

This year, look through your wardrobe and see if you can contribute coats, footwear, clothing (men's,

women's, children's) to give warmth and hope to the people of Detroit.

Comforters, blankets, or sleeping bags would also be welcome.

Drop your items off in the narthex from October 16 until November 13. We will deliver these items directly to Christian ministries in the Detroit area just as the cold weather really begins to hit Detroit! Questions? Contact Bill Klein (mobile 203 820-6030 or wklein@optimum.net)



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**To Know Christ
And to Make Him Known**