



# Spiritus Gladius

The Weekly News Letter of the Collegiate Church of  
Saint Paul the Apostle, Savannah

## The Weekday Kalendar

<b>Monday</b>	<b>St. Swithun</b> MP 9:00 am HE 12:15 pm EP 5:30 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</b> MP 9:00 am EP 5:30 pm HE/HS 6:00pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>William White</b> Lauds 6:45 am HE 7:00 am MP 9:00 am EP 5:30 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Feria</b> MP 9:00 am HE/HS 10:00am EP 5:30 pm
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Macrina</b> Lauds 6:45am HE 7:00am MP 9:00 am EP 5:30 pm

MP - Morning Prayer      HS - Healing Service  
HE - Holy Eucharist      EP - Evening Prayer

## Fifth Sunday After Pentecost July 14, 2019

8:00 a.m.	Low Mass
9:15 a.m.	Christian Education
9:45 a.m.	Morning Prayer
10:00 a.m.	Solemn High Mass
12:15 p.m.	Misa en Español
5:30 p.m.	Evensong (weekly) & Benediction (4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday)
6:30 p.m.	Evening Mass

There is a 3 pm Mass at St. Bartholomew's,  
Chevis Road at Wild Heron Road on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the Month

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### The Propers

[Amos 7:7-17](#)  
[Psalm 82](#)  
[Colossians 1:1-14](#)  
[Luke 10:25-37](#)

Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday  
10 am - 1 pm / closed on Friday  
912.232.0274 (Voice)  
912.232.0337 (Fax)

# REFLECTIONS

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

The great thing about Church Buildings like ours, which we inhabit as the people gathered under the patronage of St. Paul is that we are not limited in our opportunities for imaginative encounter. Other members of the congregation do not have to be present. We do not have to be attending a public form of worship and even our focus does not have to be on the holy. This is a space which exudes the holy. It has been prayed in and added to by at least four generations of parishioners. Every fiber of the place speaks of the “other”. There is not a corner that is not dedicated to the Glory of God. Imaginations, if we allow, can run with the wild abandon of the Holy.

Sometimes out of the corner of one’s eye it is the kind of place that allows you to see beyond the limits of this mortal sight. Many a time in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament reserved I have experienced the flutter of angel’s wings and the breath of the Saints. This is a place where it is possible at any time to come into the presence of Jesus incarnate in a special manner. The sacred repository of the Tabernacle is not just a place of meeting, it is a thin place, the very nexus of cosmic transfiguration. Do not allow the particulars of the bread and wine and its attendant surroundings to obscure the fullness of your vision – the Lord in his Body and Blood is present calling out to the Divine Image present in each of us from our creation to see the world as God sees it.

This incarnate God who promises to be present in a special manner wants us to value and to add value to Creation, Humanity and life. As Daughters of Eve and Sons of Adam it is our privilege to give rather than take. In worship and praise we offer our whole being in order to learn the grammar of sacrificial giving. This takes discipline and commitment. More than a Mass or two a month is not enough. Frankly speaking the Holy really does not penetrate our hearts and minds until we cultivate our facility with prayer and recollection, This is why we schedule the daily office and the weekday Mass so that we might make the rhythms of daily prayer part of the warp and weft of our lives.

Because such capabilities cannot be mastered on our own, Mother Church across the ages has encouraged her faithful children to erect and occupy structures like our House of Worship, not as ends in themselves but as aids in the formation of community, lives dedicated to the vision of God and hearts strengthened by thankfulness and encouragement. Next time you enter the doors of St. Paul’s House of Worship remember our Lord present in the Sacrament, remember the generations that have gone before us and provided this aid to our maturation in our rela-

# Parish News and Events

## Hymns & Music Fifth Sunday After Pentecost:

372, 660, 304, Doxology, Instrumental at  
Communion, 609

## Centenarian at St. Paul's!

On Sunday, 21st of July, join your fellow parishioners during the coffee hour as we celebrate the 100th birthday of  
**Mildred "Millie" Dimock!**

## Coffee Hour:

The sign-up for Coffee Hour Hosts for June and July is now available on Sign-up Genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080e4eaea62ca4ff2-june>. Thank you for your support of this important ministry.

## Chair Yoga

Heather Downs leads a chair yoga group in the Parish Hall every Monday at 10:30am. If you are interested, just bring your mat and show up!

## Facilities Use

If you are wanting to use any part of the church for a meeting or a group, please complete a Facilities Use Form available by the door next to the Church office, so that your event may be placed on the main calendar, your space reserved, and appropriate preparations/clean-up can be arranged.

## Vacation Bible School

Our Vacation Bible School will be held July 22-26. The theme is *Athens: Paul's Dangerous Journey to Share the Truth*. All children K-8th grade are welcome. We are looking for program volunteers. Please contact Grace Downs at [grace00downs@gmail.com](mailto:grace00downs@gmail.com) if interested!

We are in need of an actor to play the part of the Apostle Paul each day of Bible School. Please contact Grace if you are able to help!

## Veterans Appreciation Lunch with Greenbriar Children's Center & Youth Activities Fundraiser

**On Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> of July**, St. Paul's will host a free lunch (Hamburgers, hotdogs and French fries) for Veterans from 11am-12pm. Then from 12pm-3pm, a fundraiser for **Savannah's Greenbriar Children's Center** (<https://greenbriarchildrenscenter.org/>) and **EYCS - Honey Creek Summer Camp Fund** will be held. Fish dinners (\$10) & Boston Butts (\$30 they must be pre-ordered) cooked by David and Joe will be available. Donations will be gratefully accepted. 100% of the proceeds will go to the camp fund and the children's center. Make checks payable to St. Paul's, with "Greenbriar" in the memo line. For more information, contact Joe at 660-7099.

A Sign up sheet to order Boston Butts is on the Bulletin Board in the Parish Hall.

### Lay Ministers 7-14-2019

#### 8 am

Br. Nicholas (LEM)  
Lorna Smith (Lector)

#### 10am

Ed Minor (Sub-deacon)  
James Weaver (Lector)

#### Acolytes

Craig Hopkin s  
Jackson Whalen  
Palmer Walker  
Quinn Scott

#### Head Ushers

Stewart Ford

### Year-To-Date

Inflows May, 2019  
\$180,983.54

Outflows May, 2019  
\$186,910.59

Balance (-\$5,927.05)

Budget needed each week  
\$8,567.00

#### Offering

\$3,737.00

#### Restricted Offering

\$2.00

### St Paul's Collegiate Church

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34th & Abercorn Streets  
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#### The Episcopate

The Right Reverend Scott A. Benhase D.D.  
Bishop of Georgia  
The Most Rev. Michael B. Curry D.D.  
Primate, Episcopal Church, USA

The Most Rev & Rt Hon Justin Welby D.D.  
Archbishop of Canterbury

#### Honorary Assistant Clergy

Canon J. Robert Carter, PhD  
Fr. George B Salley, Jr  
The Rev. John G Anderson  
Lutheran Pastor in Residence

#### Staff

The Very Rev. Dr. Wm Willoughby III, OStJ  
Rector & Dean of Savannah

The Reverend Leonel Polanco  
Latino Muissonian

The Reverend Susan E. Gahagan, ECSB  
Deacon

The Reverend Sara Zevallos, Deacon  
Robert McDowell Fogle III  
Music Director & Administrator  
Nathan P. Wilson, Asst. to the Dean  
Joe Daniels, Sexton

Victor Moreno, Pastoral Assistant  
Colleen Willoughby  
Communications Coordinator  
Grace Downs, Children's Choir

#### The Vestry

Sarah Ward, Senior Warden, '22  
Mark Frissell, Junior Warden, '21  
Heather Downs, Clerk, '21  
Jim Burch '20, Cuffy Sullivan, '20  
Marsha Tolbert, '20, Dan Porter, '20,  
Kris Lee, '21, Jerry Riley, '21  
Ana Carter, '22, John Ely, '22  
Lorna Smith, '22

Carl Pruetz Treasurer

### Thanksgivings & Memorials

#### High Altar

Given to the Glory of God and  
in honor of the  
100th Birthday of  
Millie Dimock

#### Virgin Altar

Given to the Glory of God and  
in honor of the  
100th Birthday of  
Millie Dimock

#### Walsingham Altar

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*If you wish to give flowers or candles in honor or in memory of a loved one, please sign up on the forms located on the bulletin board in the parish hall.*

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#### Birthdays

Sofia Breton (19)  
Maddox Chaney (20)

#### Departed

Sidney Denham(14)  
Frank W. Manning(15)  
Grace Stephens Dunn(18)