



ST PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
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Blessings to you all in this season after Pentecost! As we swing into fall, our calendars grow busier; let us help you keep track!

Birthday Sunday



Join us this Sunday as we celebrate and give thanks for all those born in the month of October! A special blessing will be offered during the service in honor of our October birthdays. Following the service, we'll gather in the Parish Hall for cake, coffee, and fellowship.

Come celebrate with us and help make this a joyful occasion for everyone! We look forward to seeing you there!

This Week at St. Paul's:

Sunday, October 11th-

9:30am - Choir Practice

10:30am - Holy Eucharist

11:30am - Coffee Hour



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Month of St Francis

October is the Month of St. Francis, and throughout the month we will celebrate the beauty and goodness of all creation with special prayers and blessings. We would like to invite parishioners to bring donations of pet food and litter for the PRCSPCA Pet Pantry, which provides supplies for low-income pet owners.



Trunk or Treat



St. Paul's will have a booth at Picayune's Halloween Celebration at Crosby Commons on October 12th from 6-8 p.m. Come by and say hello—and look for our very own Cookie Monster, who will be handing out cookies!

If you'd like to help, please bring donations of **store-bought cookies** to the church by

October 11th. See Mandy for more information!

Fellowship Luncheon

Despite some technical difficulties, this week's Fellowship Luncheon went splendidly. Stay tuned for news of the next one!





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More News!

If you would like to receive news on the diocesan level, scan the QR code to the left! There, you can sign up for both The Mississippi Episcopalian, which focuses on stories of churches and the bishop throughout the diocese, and TME-News, which focuses on events occurring throughout the diocese.

Confirmation/Enquirers Class

This class is open for anyone seeking to learn more about the Church, and for those seeking confirmation. Confirmation is the laying of hands by our Bishop and prayer for the Spirit of God to enter that person. It is also the way to join this branch of the Church if one was baptized elsewhere. Further, confirmation serves as a right of passage into adult Church membership for those baptized as infants.



The class is free-wheeling with rich discussion of life and religion. It is designed for those who are new to the church or seeking to learn more about being a Christian. Please inform the Priest or one of the Wardens if you are interested in the class. Sessions will be announced periodically.



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Picayune On Stage

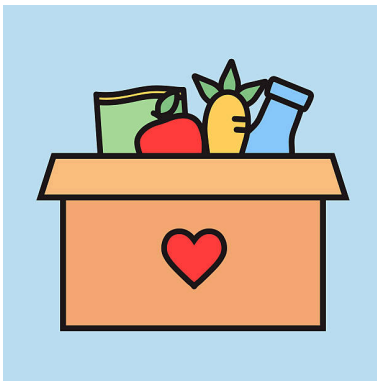
Mark your calendar for an evening of comedy, mystery, and chaos at Miz Harriet's boardinghouse!

Picayune on Stage will present the comedy farce, "The Boardinghouse," at the Parish Hall's theatre, Oct. 16-18, Friday and Saturdays at 7 pm, and Sunday at 2. Make your reservations now by texting 601-347-6883.

Additionally, Picayune on Stage is seeking a director for the play "Puffs," a parody of the Harry Potter novels, to be presented later in our season. Interested in directing? Call Donna at 601-347-6883.



Scouts BSA Troop 5/Venture Crew 5



Thank you so much for supporting our Blessing Box ministry! This week, we especially need **canned vegetables**. For more information/ideas for donations, see the FAQ posted in the back of the church or on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall!



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While we currently have no upcoming events, we are still keeping busy over in the Ed. Building! Stay tuned for news of our next big event.