



St. Paul's Episcopal Church **Manheim, Pennsylvania**

seeks a Priest-in-Charge (PT)

Who we are

The first Episcopal Church service was held in Manheim in the autumn of 1849. Over the next twenty years such services were held with increasing frequency and in various locations throughout the town. The congregation of St. Paul's was organized on May 8, 1869 and the first Vestry was elected. The cornerstone for our "carpenter gothic" church building was laid on October 29 of that same year. On May 3rd of the following year, 1870, the church building was consecrated. St. Paul's continued as a mission parish until January 25, 1984 when the parish attained full parish status. Over the years St. Paul's has experienced "ups and downs" in terms of membership as well as finances and exists today as a small (ASA of 15) but committed parish family.

Our Gifts, Challenges & Opportunities

Our Gifts

- We are a "family size" parish of harmonious people.
- We are a community with spirit and liveliness.
- We have reliable lay leadership that adapts and responds to changing circumstances.

Our Challenges

- We have a small and aging congregation.
- We are faced with limited financial resources.

Our Opportunities

- Location of our church building and available space for community use.
- We are in a growing area.
- We are open to developing new ministries and activities.

Some of our Activities and Outreach Ministries

First Responders Appreciation Breakfast
St. Francis Fest & Blessing of the Pets
St. Paul's Fall Yard & Bake Sale
Quarterly Sandwich Sales (Fundraiser)
Carols, Cocoa & Cookies
Wednesday Night Study Groups
St. Paul's Community Food Cupboard
"Take What You Need; Leave What You Can"
Thanksgiving Food Donations
Christmas Gift Tree
Ongoing Support of the Manheim Central Food Pantry



Who we seek

- Someone who will work with us to develop a vision for our future
- Someone that will encourage and empower lay leadership
- A preacher who connects Holy Scripture with our daily lives
- A teacher who will lead adult Christian formation opportunities
- Someone that will be available for pastoral needs
- A leader who will maintain connections with the diocese and our community

What we offer

(Part-time 10-12hours/week and 3 Sundays/month)

Stipend	\$ 12,000
Pension@ 18%	2,160
Professional Expenses	250
Worker's Compensation	200
Total Package	\$ 14,610

We also provide 4 weeks paid vacation annually.

**Please visit our web page at www.stpaulsmanheim.org or find us on Facebook.
If our profile interests you and you think you might like to discern being our Priest-in-Charge,
please mail a Letter of Interest and Resume
to:**

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