St. Paul’s Episcopal Church

All are welcome, no exceptions!

St. Paul’s Mission Statement:

We are called to gather around the sacred story and table of Christ where all are invited to be fed and everyone’s story matters.

St. Paul’s Vision Statement:

We pray that our hearts may be opened to seek the inspiration of the Holy Spirit to be the church and the Christians that God is calling us to be.

All Saints Sunday and Renewal of Holy Baptism
November 6, 2016, 10:30 A.M.
The Liturgy of the Word

We stand to sing and pray.

Processional Hymn # 618 Ye watchers and ye holy ones

The Collect of the Day

Priest  Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People  And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Priest  There is one Body and one Spirit;

People  There is one hope in God’s call to us;

Priest  One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People  One God and Father of all,

Priest  The Lord be with you.

People  And also with you.

Priest  Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord; who with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

We sit to hear the lessons.
Let us now sing the praises of the famous, our ancestors in their generations. God apportioned to them great glory, and majesty from the beginning:

Nelson Mandela
Elizabeth of Hungary
Abraham Lincoln
Emma and Kamehameha

Some led the people by good council, by their knowledge of the people’s lore, by their wise words of instruction:

Mother Teresa
St. Paul
Oscar Romero
Nicholas Winton

Some spoke in prophetic oracles:

Martin Luther King Jr.
Francis of Assisi
Sojourner Truth
Joan of Arc

Some composed musical tunes or put verses in writing:

Maya Angelou
Julian of Norwich
George Herbert
Charles Wesley
All these were honored in their generation, and were the glory of their times. There are some of them who have left a name, so that we all declare their praise. And there are some who have left no memorial, who have perished as though they had not lived.

Clarence and Billie McMahon, Sandra McMahon, Percy and Margaret Lind, Margaret and Andrew K.

Ludwig Bendix, Henry Leonard St., Eva Marie Leonard.

Margaret and Arthur Garrison, Margaret and Justus May, Lillie Maude and William May

Charles and Emily Brieant, Betsy Baer, Emily DeBrock, Ivan Prall

Rose Cleland, Beulah Ewart, Mary Lou Huszti, Gail and Sylvia Russie

Donald Langer, Tom and Ruth Schlabach, Jeanne Bearmon and Sam Bearmon, Harvey Friedman

Michele Noe, Allison Ryan, Marie Walkoviak, Robert Johns

Zachery Cameron, Barbara Harvey, June and Ray Briggs, Steven Briggs, Kevin Sharun, Mary Burriss

Sharon Lee Dowen, Walter and Leona Kombrink

And there were people of mercy, whose righteous deeds have not been forgotten. Their prosperity will remain with us, and with their descendants, and the inheritance of their good lives will trickle down to their children’s children. Their followers stand by the covenant with God, as do their children, also, for their sake.
A brief silence is observed.
The people are invited to remember their own beloved departed.

Lector

Their posterity will continue forever, and their glory will not be blotted out. Their bodies were buried in peace and their names live to all generations. Peoples will declare their wisdom, and the congregation will proclaim their praise.

Psalm 149

149:1 Hallelujah! Sing to the LORD a new song;* sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

149:2 Let Israel rejoice in his Maker;* let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.

149:3 Let them praise his name in the dance;*, let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

149:4 For the LORD takes pleasure in his people* and adorns the poor with victory.

149:5 Let the faithful rejoice in triumph;* let them be joyful on their beds.

149:6 Let the praises of God be in their throat* and a two-edged sword in their hand; 149:7 To wreak vengeance on the nations* and punishment on the peoples,

149:8 to bind their kings with chains* and their nobles with links of iron,

149:9 To inflict on them the judgment decreed;* this is glory for all his faithful people. Hallelujah!
The Second Lesson Ephesians 1:11-23

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

   We stand to sing and to hear the Gospel.

Gradual #293 I sing a song of the saints of God

The Gospel
Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. "Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. "Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. "Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

"But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. "Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. "Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

"But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

The Sermon

The Very Reverend Stacy Walker.

Silence for meditation
The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

*The People stand.*

**Priest**  At our baptism we were adopted by God and joined the larger family of saints throughout the ages. I call upon you, therefore as we celebrate the feast of All Saints to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in his holy catholic Church.

**Priest**  Do you believe in God the Father?

**People**  *I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.*

**Priest**  Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**People**  *I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.*

**Priest**  Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**People**  *I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.*

**Priest**  Will you continue in the apostles’ teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

**People**  *I will, with God’s help.*
Priest Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People I will, with God’s help.

Priest Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People I will, with God’s help.

Priest Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People I will, with God’s help.

Priest Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People I will, with God’s help.

Priest May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Prayers of the People for All Saints Day

Intercessor Let us pray for the church, the world, and all in need, saying: “God, in your mercy, hear our prayer.”

Author of all mercy, we give you thanks for your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We praise you especially for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of grace, and for hope in the ultimate reign of peace. Silence
God, in your mercy,

*People* hear our prayer.

**Intercessor** We pray for the holy church of God throughout the world, for new congregations wherever they are gathered; for missionaries, seminaries, preachers, and professors; for musicians and artists; for architects and landscapers; for funeral directors and those who care for cemeteries. Make us generous toward our brothers and sisters who live and breathe in your name.

We pray especially for Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Jeff our Diocesan Bishop, and our priest, Stacy. For the congregations of Lusitanian Church (Portugal); our companion dioceses of Southeast Mexico and Renk in the South Sudan; for Diocesan Institutions and Organizations: Episcopal Peace Fellowship; Jubilee Centers; Bexley-Seabury Federation; St. Augustine College; St. Augustine Center for Native Americans; and the Union of Black Episcopalians

*Silence*

God, in your mercy,

*People* hear our prayer.

**Intercessor** For those who wield earthly power, for those who lead and those who follow, that they may be moved by the image of your people as disciples of Jesus, children of God, diverse and sometimes in disagreement but living together in harmony, a vision of the common good to which all nations might aspire. We pray especially for our leaders, Barak, our President, and Bruce, our Governor.

*Silence*

God, in your mercy,

*People* hear our prayer.
Intercessor  For those persecuted for the sake of righteousness and those weighed down by trial and distress, that the example of the saints may give them courage and the help of believers give them hope. 

   Silence

   God, in your mercy,

People  hear our prayer.

Intercessor  For those serving in the armed forces and for Heroic Service on Veterans Day, we remember before you with grateful hearts the men and women of our country who in the day of decision ventured much for the liberties we now enjoy.

   Silence

   God, in your mercy,

People  hear our prayer.

Intercessor  For this assembly gathered to celebrate the Eucharist in communion with the church in heaven and throughout the world, that nourished by the word of truth and the bread of life, we may bear witness in our own generation to the timeless gospel of Christ.

   Silence

   God, in your mercy,

People  hear our prayer.

Intercessor  We pray for loved ones. Soothe those who are suffering; comfort those who mourn. Let us be glad and rejoice in the gift of your salvation. We pray especially for Gail Piper, Elizabeth George (Puzz), Marilyn, Brenda, Laura, Paula Hofer, Jan, Kara, Jim and Ryan, Kurt, Lisa Allison, Pastor Fred deOliveira, Barbara and Bill, Aunt Joanna, Eric, Rich, Jacqueline, Dorothy, Bill, Finn, Bob Z., Sara Lou Dudgeon, Lissa, Steve, Zoe Hudson, and Sebastian 

   Silence

   God, in your mercy,

People  hear our prayer.
Intercessor  We remember those celebrating birthdays this week, especially Robert Harkness, Liam Stubblefield, Kathleen Johnson, and Jacqueline Mounts; and those celebrating anniversaries, especially Lonnie and Gail Piper.

Silence

God, in your mercy,

People hear our prayer.

Intercessor  We remember those who have come to their eternal rest; help us to comfort those who grieve their loss.

Silence

God, in your mercy,

People hear our prayer.

Intercessor  We lift up to you the prayers we hold secretly, for we know that you know all things. Hear our silent prayers, even those without words.

(The people may add their prayers either silently or out loud.)

Silence

God, in your mercy,

People hear our prayer.

Intercessor  We trust in your never-failing love, O Lord, joining your holy ones before the throne and the Lamb. God, in your mercy, hear our prayer. Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting that for these, and for us, your care is constant and your heart is open; through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

We stand for the pronouncement of the Peace
The Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Then we greet one another saying, “Peace be with you.”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. (Ephesians 5:2)

Offertory Anthem The Adult/Youth Choir

_Gaudent in Coelis_ Richard Dering, Arr., James Kirkby

Gaudent in coelis animae Sanctorum, qui Christi vestigia sunt secuti; et quia pro ejus amore sanguinem suum fuderunt, ideo cum Christo exsultant sine fine.

The souls of the saints rejoice in heaven, they who have followed in the footsteps of Christ; and because they shed their blood for love of Him, They rejoice with Christ without end.

Doxology Hymn # 11 v. 4

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen
The Great Thanksgiving

Enriching Our Worship: Eucharistic Prayer 2

Priest  The Lord be with you.
People  And also with you.

Priest  Lift up your hearts.
People  We lift them to the Lord.

Priest  Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People  It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Priest
We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing.

You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far way; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love.

And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Sanctus: Holy, holy, holy Lord

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Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor.

He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you. On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at a table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”
Now, gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with Saint Paul and all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. AMEN.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say, 

*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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.*

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**The Breaking of the Bread**

*Silence is observed after the bread is broken*

*Priest*  
God of Promise, you have prepared a banquet for us.

*People*  
Happy are those who are called to the Supper of the Lamb.
Priest
The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The Episcopal Church invites all Christians to receive communion.
The host is placed in your open hands; please assist in guiding the chalice to your lips, or dip the host in the wine. We have gluten free hosts available, ask the priest at the rail. It is acceptable to receive only the bread or the wine. If you would rather not receive communion, you are invited to come to the rail for a blessing. Simply cross your arms over your chest and the priest will say a prayer for you.

Communion # 656 Blest are the pure in heart

When all have received Communion, the Priest leads the following prayer

Priest Let us pray.

In Unison
Almighty and ever living God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.
The Blessing

Priest

May Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate this festival of all the Saints, be now and evermore your guide and companion in the way. Amen.

May God, who has bound us together in the company of the elect, in this age and the age to come, attend to the prayers of his faithful servants on your behalf as he hears your prayers for them. Amen.

May God, who has given us, in the lives of his saints, patterns of holy living and victorious dying, strengthen your faith and devotion, and enable you to bear witness to the truth against all adversity. Amen.

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. Amen.

The Procession into the World Hymn

# 287 For all the saints, who from their labors rest (Vs. 1-4, 7)

Dismissal

Priest       Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People      Thanks be to God.
Welcome to St. Paul’s Episcopal Church  
DeKalb, Illinois, Diocese of Chicago  
Member of the Episcopal Church

Celebrations of the Holy Eucharist  
Sundays 10:30 A.M. (sung service)  
Third Wednesdays 9:30 AM (healing service)

Child care for infants & young children is available  
Sundays 9:15 A.M. – 11:45 A.M. in the Nursery  
*downstairs in the St. Timothy Center.*

Christian Education Classes  
Children and youth meet in the St. Timothy Center, September-May  
Adults meet in the Conference Room at 9:15 A.M. year round

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am-2:00pm  
The Very Reverend Stacy Walker, Rector, revstacy@stpaulsdekalb.org  
Susan King, Administrative Assistant, Pat Brown, Treasurer  
Lorraine Langer, Director of Music Ministries  
Kathleen Johnson, Organist, Hannah Buckle, Pianist

Our Wardens and Vestry  
Rick Johns, Senior Warden,  
Mary Lincoln, Julie Stubblefield,  
Gretchen Schlabach, Linda Lorbach, Brad Smith
Today’s Ministers

The Very Reverend Stacy Walker  Presiding Clergy
Marilyn Cleland  Eucharistic Minister
Rowan Frontjes  Crucifer/Acolyte
Pat McMahon  Lector
Vince McMahon  Intercessor
Marv and Pam Kombrink  Ushers
Freya Rasmussen Johns  Altar Guild
Jocelyn Prall  Coffee Hour Host
Marilyn Cleland  Flower Guild

Today, Sunday November 6th, 2016, All Saints Sunday

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Announcements

Welcome! If you are worshipping here for the first time, please sign our guest book. You are welcome to join us for refreshments after the service in the Parish Hall.

Rector’s Discretionary Fund Collection Today

Donations allow us to assist people in need in our community. Checks can be written to "St. Paul's" with "Rector's Discretionary Fund" in the memo. Thank you for your contributions to this important ministry.

“More Than Enough”

Our annual Stewardship Campaign continues where we can reflect on the many gifts given to us and how to support the many activities and needs here at St. Paul and in the wider world. Rev. Stacy, Mary Lincoln, Dick Dowen and Brad Smith are heading up our efforts this year. A letter with the pledge certificate to fill out and bring on November 13th has been sent out. And bring your filled out “Wow” card with new ideas for St. Paul’s!

Travel, Craft and Hobby Show on November 13

The arm chair travelers of St. Paul’s are interested in seeing the pictures of your latest trip. Please join us next Sunday November 13 after the service to display photos and mementos of you travels. Do you knit, make pots collect post cards, carve, work wood, make jewelry or other pleasant pursuits? Bring in your special items to share. If you are collecting for a favorite charity this show will provide you with a chance to solicit support. Some Christmas shopping takes place every year. Please call Betsy Pool at 815-895-8271 or email at mom@dmitech.net to participate. There is no charge.
Thanksgiving Baskets

St. Paul will again be participating in the Salvation Army annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Each family will be given everything they need for a traditional Thanksgiving dinner plus breakfast the next day. The items collected are reusable grocery bags, $10 gift certificates for turkey, canned cranberry sauce, cans of vegetables, stuffing mix, instant mashed potatoes, gravy mix, and boxed dessert mix. There will be signup sheets on the table in the Parish Hall. Please bring donations to the church by Sunday, November 13th. If you have any questions, please contact Maureen Gerrity at 815-895-8084.

Food Pantry Collection is Next Week, November 13th

Parishioners are reminded that next Sunday, November 13th, will be Food Pantry Sunday. Please place your donations in the baskets provided. No glass jars, please. Although any contribution is most welcome, we are choosing one particular item as a priority each month. For the month of November, the priority is diapers (size 4 and up) and wipes. Contributions may be made at any time during the month, not just today. We hope that everyone will participate, even in a small way.

Join Us for Mid-Week Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing

All are welcome to join us on third Wednesdays of the month for a quiet service of Holy Communion with healing prayers. The service begins at 9:30 A.M. and never lasts longer than 30 minutes. We meet in the chapel next to the Parish Hall. Enter through the North doors or the Kitchen door. The next Healing Service will be Wednesday, November 16th.
Diocesan Convention

The 179th Annual Convention of the Diocese of Chicago will be held Friday, November 18th and Saturday, November 19 at the Westin Lombard Yorktown Center in Lombard. Our convention keynote speaker is Bishop Yvette Flunder, senior bishop of the City of Refuge United Church of Christ in Oakland, California. This year, our delegates are Reverend Stacy, Jocelyn Prall, Rick Johns, and Marilyn Cleland. Additional information regarding the schedule and volunteer opportunities is available at the Diocese of Chicago website, www.episcopalchicago.org.

The Adult/Youth and Children’s Choirs Invite you to sing!

Rehearsals are on Thursdays.
6:00-6:30 PM Children’s Choir I (Ages 5-8 or Grades K-3)
6:30-7:00 PM Children’s Choir II (Ages 9-12 or Grades 4-6)
7:00-9:00 PM Adult/Youth Choir (Ages 13+ or No Grade Required)

We sing for worship service on Sundays, 10:30 AM. Sunday morning anthem rehearsal is from 10:15-10:25 A.M. All Are Welcome!

For more information about St. Paul’s

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Glory to God: *Gloria in excelsis* #278 Canticle 20
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The Prayers of the People for the Season of Pentecost and Household Prayers

Doxology, Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Vs. 3

Sanctus: Holy, holy, holy Lord S 130

Memorial Acclamation: Prayer A W 860
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Fraction Anthem: Agnus Dei, Jesus, Lamb of God S 164

Prelude: *Arioso* – J.S. Bach
Postlude: *Under Christ’s Banner* – Elizabeth Woert
Household Prayer: Morning

God of blessing, thank you for a new day to live for you. In the company of all the saints in heaven and on earth, I rise to sing your praise. Make me a worthy companion of my ancestors in faith, and let me love others as I have been loved. Amen.

Household Prayer: Evening

Creator of the stars of night, thank you for the gift of rest. Forgive what wrong I have done today, and heal any wounds I have caused. Grant me, I pray, a peaceful rest, that I may rise with the sun to serve you with joy. Amen.