

ST. PAUL'S PRESCHOOL RE-OPENING PLANNING BEGINS

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- In December of 2020, St. Paul's Preschool was closed for the 2020/2021 school year due to the COVID-19 Pandemic.
- St. Paul's is excited to begin discerning the next steps for our preschool.

Winston-Salem, NC — The pandemic has caused many surprises, and the preschool's closing is one of them. St. Paul's Episcopal Church is excited to begin a discernment process for St. Paul's Preschool's next steps. We will not be registering students for the 2021/2022 school year, but we have started an interest list about registration for the fall of 2022. To sign up or get more information, contact the Rev. Lauren Villemuer-Drenth.

We wish we knew more specifics about schedules and timelines, and we understand the frustration this uncertainty causes. The preschool remains a ministry of St. Paul's, and we are confident and optimistic that this discernment process will show us the best path forward. Discernment is how we evaluate all ministries in the church, and we entrust the preschool to this process.

The COVID-19 Pandemic has brought many challenges, but it has also brought opportunities for strengthening our ties with the Winston-Salem community and St. Paul's families. Ministry to children in the parish and the community remains one of St. Paul's most important priorities. We are committed to continuing this work.

Updated details on the timeline will be released as the planning process for St. Paul's Preschool develops. Thank you.

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