**St Paul's Episcopal Church Profile Survey**

Dear St Paul’s Members:

We ask that every member age 16 and over fill out this survey individually. This is a major part of the process for calling a new Rector and your participation is crucial! The survey is divided into two sections: Section I focuses on your thoughts and opinions about the services and facilities at St. Paul’s and what YOU want from our church and Section II contains several demographic questions that will help us define the characteristics of our congregation.

Your responses are anonymous and cannot be linked to any individual. We never ask your name or any other information that will specifically identify you. However, if you feel uncomfortable answering any question please feel free to skip it. Thank you in advance for your thoughtful answers!

*If you prefer to access this survey online, please go to saintpaulsyuma.org, print the survey and return it to St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, 1550 14th Ave, Yuma, AZ 85364.*

***Please return the survey by February 18, 2018***

**SECTION I**

**How often do you attend the following services? Check the boxes that apply.**

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| **Service Type** | **Always** | **Biweekly** | **Monthly** | **Yearly** | **Never** |
| **Sunday 10am** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Misa En Español 12:30pm** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Special Services (example, Blessing of the Animals)** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Thanksgiving Services** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Christmas Services** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Easter Services (Vigil, Holy Week, Lent)** |  |  |  |  |  |

**Would you like additional services or a different style of worship? Please elaborate:**

**Which of the following activities do you or members of your family participate in, outside of attending worship services? Check all that apply.**

St Paul’s supported Adult Christian Education (Prayers with Pat and Father Paul’s Bible Study)

Children/Youth programs

Social groups (including Episcopal Church Women (ECW))

Worship ministries (acolytes and chalice bearers, lay readers, ushers, altar guild)

Other volunteers (greeters)

Outreach ministries (Community Justice Board, Prayers and Squares, Food Bank)

Music program (including choirs and attending concerts)

Cursillo

Prayer groups

Provider of pastoral support (Lay Eucharistic Ministers)

Recipient of pastoral support (from clergy or the above groups)

Other (Please elaborate): \_\_\_\_\_     \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**How often do you use the following "digital activities"? Check the boxes that apply.**

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| **Digital Activity** | **Daily** | **Weekly** | **Monthly** | **Yearly** | **Never** |
| **Access Website** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Read E-Newsletter** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Access Sermons** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Online Prayer Request Forms** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Online Pledging/Giving** |  |  |  |  |  |

**Please check the box that corresponds to your level of agreement with the statements about St. Paul’s.**

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| **Statement** | **Strongly Agree** | **Agree** | **Disagree** | **Strongly Disagree** |
| My worship needs are met by the current service offerings. |  |  |  |  |
| My pastoral needs are met. |  |  |  |  |
| My educational and spiritual formation needs are met. |  |  |  |  |
| I am happy with the opportunities for social or community activities. |  |  |  |  |

**Please elaborate on the previous statements (for example, do you have any other needs or activities you would like to see).**

**What do you like BEST about St Paul's?**

**How could St Paul’s improve?**

**List what you believe are the top 3 priorities for St. Paul’s future?**

**Thinking about our next Rector and the characteristics listed below, please check how important these characteristics are to you and what you would like to see in the new rector.**

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| **Characteristics** | **Very Important** | **Somewhat Important** | **Not**  **Important** |
| Likeable, warm person |  |  |  |
| Great preaching skills |  |  |  |
| Commitment to liturgy |  |  |  |
| Comfortable with our liturgical style |  |  |  |
| Pastoral care for the congregation |  |  |  |
| Visionary, inspirational leader |  |  |  |
| Strong administrator |  |  |  |
| Fundraising experience |  |  |  |
| Prophetic voice in the general community  beyond St. Paul’s (writing op/eds) |  |  |  |
| Ecumenicist interested in working with other  faith communities |  |  |  |
| Published scholar and/or with advanced degrees |  |  |  |
| Interested in working with youth |  |  |  |
| Enjoys teaching biblical classes/studies |  |  |  |
| Person of prayer who studies biblical works |  |  |  |

**Are there any other characteristics that are important to you? Or do you have any additional comments about the characteristics listed?**

**What should we AVOID in a new Rector?**

**Are there any other comments you want to share about the Rector, the search process, or St Paul's?**

**SECTION II**

**How long have you been attending St Paul's?**

Less than 1 year

1-5 years

5-10 years

More than 10 years

**How far away do you live?**

Less than 5 miles

5-20 miles

More than 20 miles

**Which age range do you fit?**

0-20

21-40

41-60

60 +

**What is your household income? (Only one person in the household needs to answer)**

<$25,000

$25,000-$75,000

$75,000-$125,000

$125,000 - $200,000

>$200,000

Prefer not to say or Not Applicable

**What is your level of education?**

Still in High School

High School Diploma

Some college, or still in college

College degree

Postgraduate degree

Prefer not to say or Not Applicable

**For adults: How many children under 18 live in your household?** *If parents are completing the survey, please have just one of you answer this question.*

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**Do you make an annual, monthly, or weekly pledge/tithe to St Paul’s?**

Yes

No

Prefer not to answer

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