

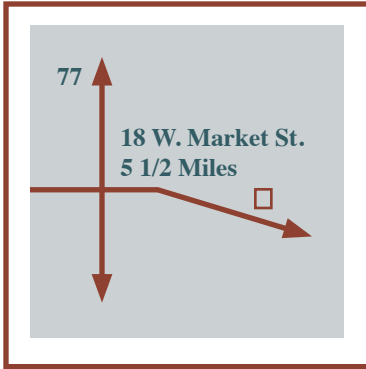
ST. PAUL'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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'Living in the Fullness of Christ'

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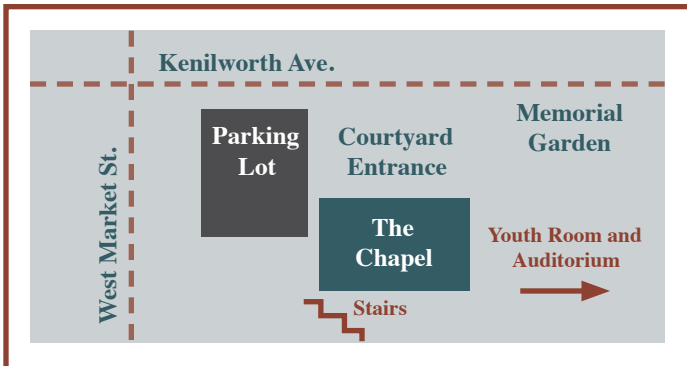
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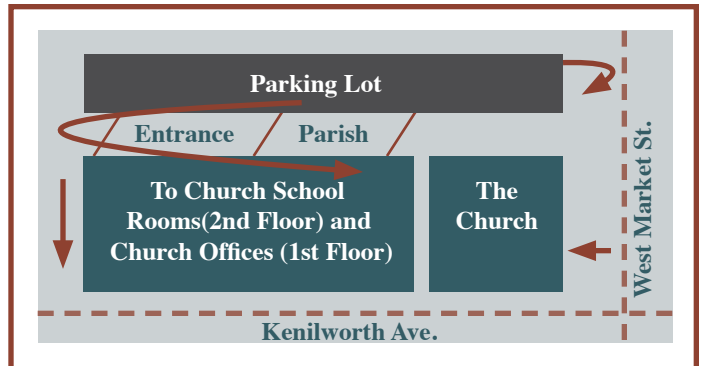
Greetings and welcome to St. Paul's! We are located in west Akron at 1361 West Market Street, not far from Highland Square, Portage Country Club, Our Lady of the Elms, and Hawkins Avenue, to name a few well-known landmarks. Our large building and spacious parking lot make us difficult to miss, but we've included a map and a building diagram to make your visit easy and uncomplicated.

First time visitors usually arrive on a Sunday morning, taking part in a worship service, our education hour, and some social mingling during coffee hour. So here is a little bit more about Sundays.

Lower Level



Main Level



Our Worship Services take place in the Chapel and in the Church. The Chapel is located on the bottom level of the church near the Kenilworth parking lot. The Church is on the main level and is easily to access from anywhere in our main parking lot. In the summer, some services take place outside the Chapel.

On Sundays

We worship together on Sundays!

- 8:00 AM in The Chapel
- 9:15 AM in The Church (in the Courtyard in the summer)
- 11:00 AM in The Church

Education together

- 10:15 AM from September through May for everyone
- In the summer, only Adult Education is offered

Get Hold of A Bulletin . . .and other Stuff!

Our *Welcome Desk* has lots of important materials. *Worship Bulletins* lay out clearly the flow of our services, making it easy to participate since we don't think worship is a spectator sport. Our *Weekly Bulletin* advertises what goes on here during the week, and when it all happens. Copies of our monthly newsletter, *The Messenger*, are available, too. Say *Hello* to one of our Greeters or Ushers and pick up other important publications:

- Copies of Sermons
- Books explaining our tradition
- Welcome Letter from Our Leadership

And Meet People Face to Face

We believe in face-to-face worship here. No big screens in the sanctuary. No flashing lights. No ear-crushing, loud music. We're operating with a great tradition, and making it lively and relevant. It's all part of living in the fullness of Christ.

Our Music Program is led by:



Mr. Daniel Fortune



Dr. Jeannie Kienzle



Learning on Sundays



Church School for Children

You'll get to meet Sheila Svoboda,
our Family Minister and Director of Church School.

Just come through the East Doors, head straight past the Welcome Desk, and use the stairwell to the right or the elevator to the left, to go up to the top floor. Classes for preschool through sixth grade meet upstairs. So does seventh grade, where we prepare student for confirmation, as young adults, into the life of our church.

Grades Eight through Twelve meet downstairs.



Grades Eight through Twelve Meet Downstairs

You'll get to meet Jerry Smith our youth minister

Entering through the East Doors, head straight past the Welcome Desk and use the stairwell to the right or the elevator to the left, to go down to the bottom floor. Or, on the bottom floor, the youth room has its own entrances via Kenilworth, at the horseshoe drive, near the Chape, and through the auditorium/gym.

Adult Education generally meets downstairs, too



Adult Education Meets Downstairs, too

You'll get to meet our clergy,
including Mark Pruitt and Dena Cleaver-Batholomew.

Entering through the East Doors, turn right before coming to the Welcome Desk to use the stairs down to the lower floor, or head straight past the Welcome Desk to the elevator to the left to get to the bottom floor. Classrooms are on the left at the bottom of the front stairwell.

Clergy



The Reverend Mark Pruitt
Rector

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The Reverend Mark J. Pruitt, Rector, of St. Paul's began here in 2007 after serving for eight years as Chaplain and Chair of the Theology and Religious Studies Department at St. George's School in Newport, Rhode Island where he taught courses in Scripture, Ethics, Religious Themes in Literature, Twentieth Century Theology, and Western Civilization, while coaching soccer and supervising a dormitory. Prior to that Mark served as the Rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Butler, PA, as an Assistant Chaplain at the University of Cambridge (Peterhouse Chapel), and also as The Director of Youth Ministries at St. James Episcopal Church in Potomac, MD. Mark is married to Becky and they have two children, Elizabeth and Andrew.



The Reverend Dena Cleaver-Bartholomew
Associate Rector

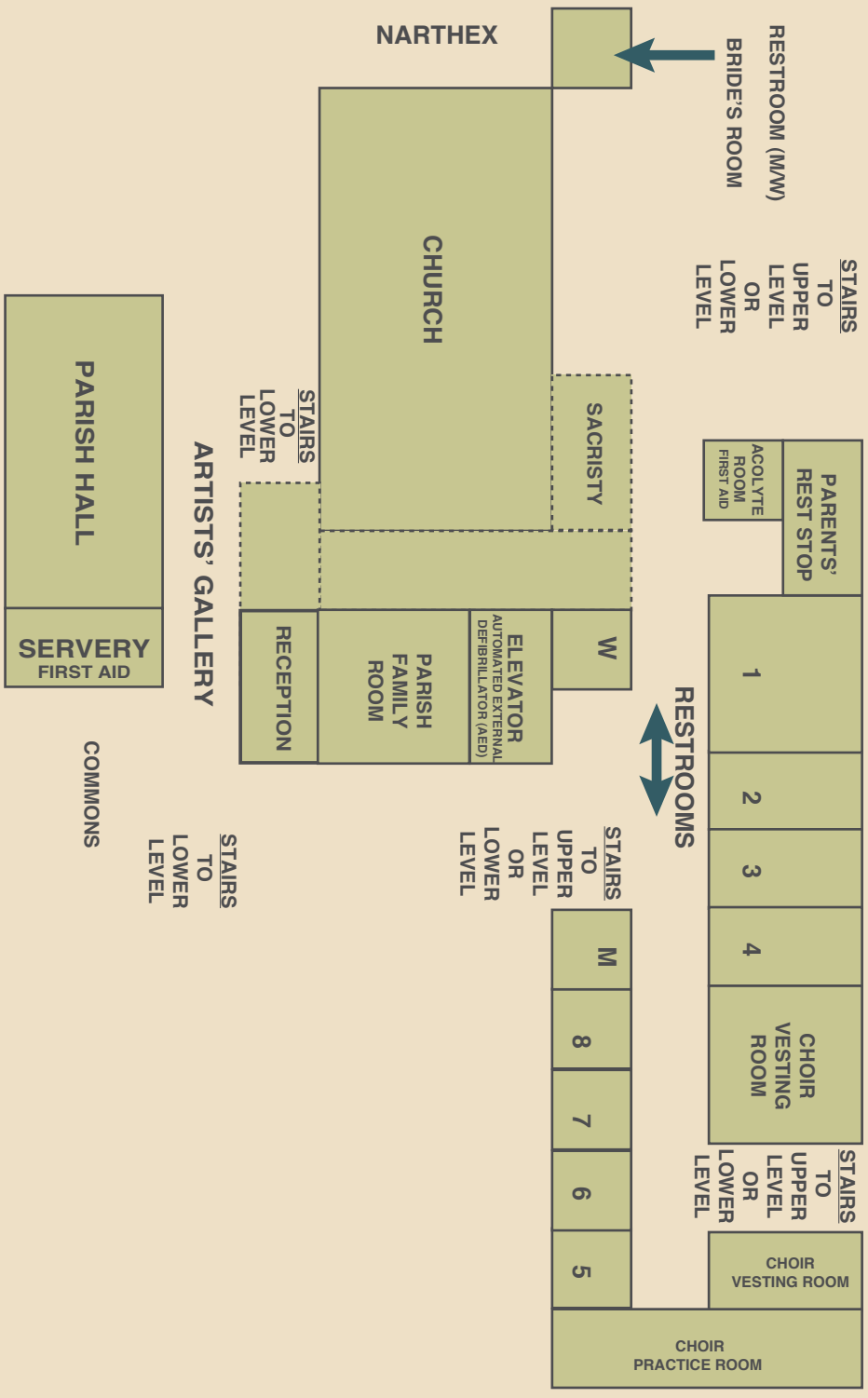
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The Reverend Dena Cleaver-Bartholomew, Associate Rector came to St. Paul's in 2006 after serving as the Associate Rector at St. James' Episcopal Church in Dexter, Michigan for five years. She has also served at Church of the Epiphany in Atlanta, Georgia; Holy Trinity Parish in Decatur, Georgia; St. Peter's Episcopal Church in San Pedro, California; and St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Atlanta, Georgia. Dena received a Master of Divinity from Yale University and a Master of Theology from Emory University. Her areas of interest are preaching, teaching, theology, systems theory and congregational development. Yes, she reads theology for fun. Dena is married to the Rev. Dr. David Cleaver-Bartholomew, Association Minister for Eastern Ohio for the United Church of Christ. Dena and David have two children, Audrey and Lydia. Dena enjoys power walking and has a special fondness for dogs.

The Reverend Polly Glanville
Deacon

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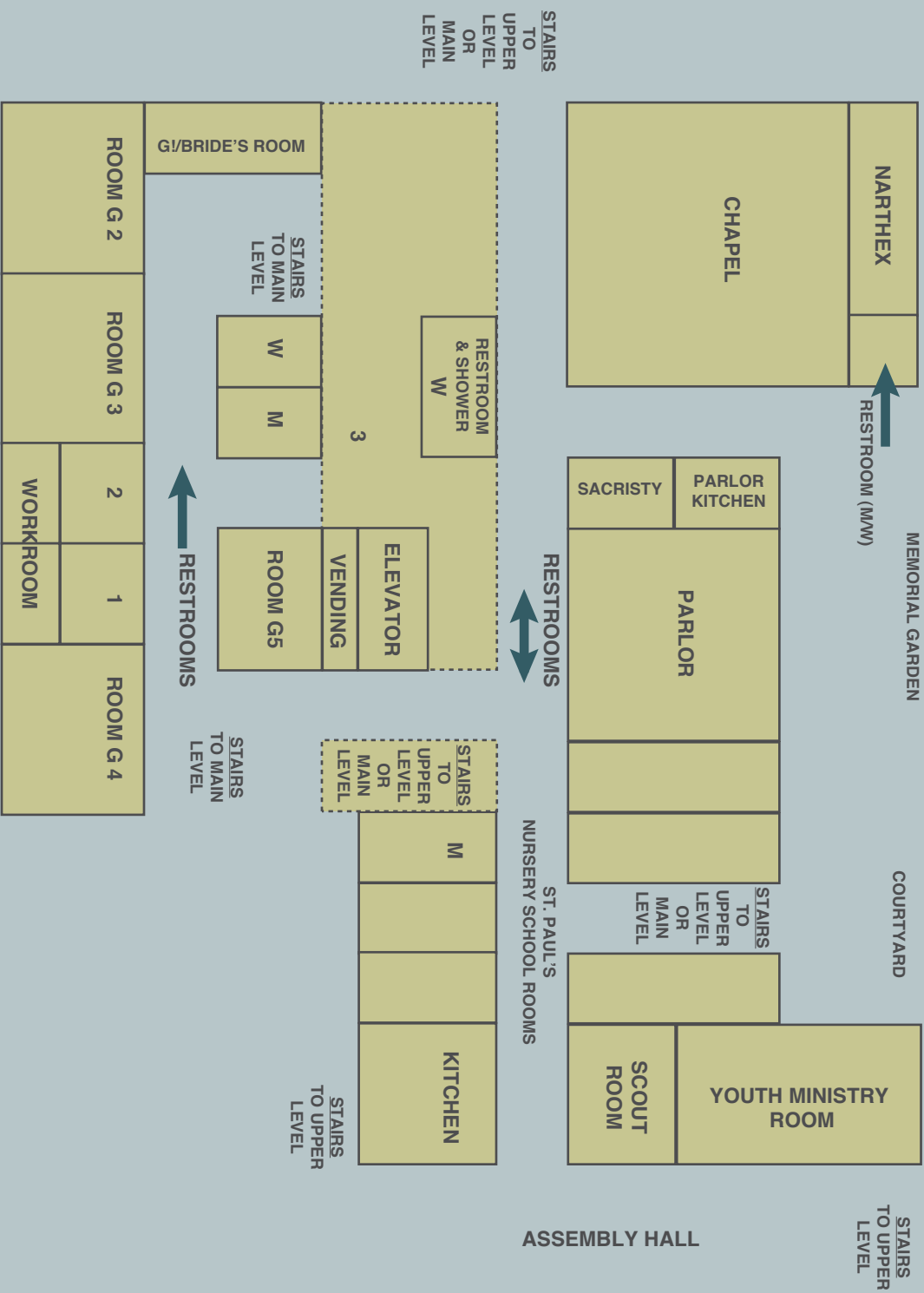
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- 5: DIRECTOR, MUSIC MINISTRIES, DAN FORTUNE
- 6: ASSOCIATE RECTOR, THE REV. DENA CLEAVER-BARHOLOMEW
- 7: DEACON, THE REV. POLLY GLANVILLE
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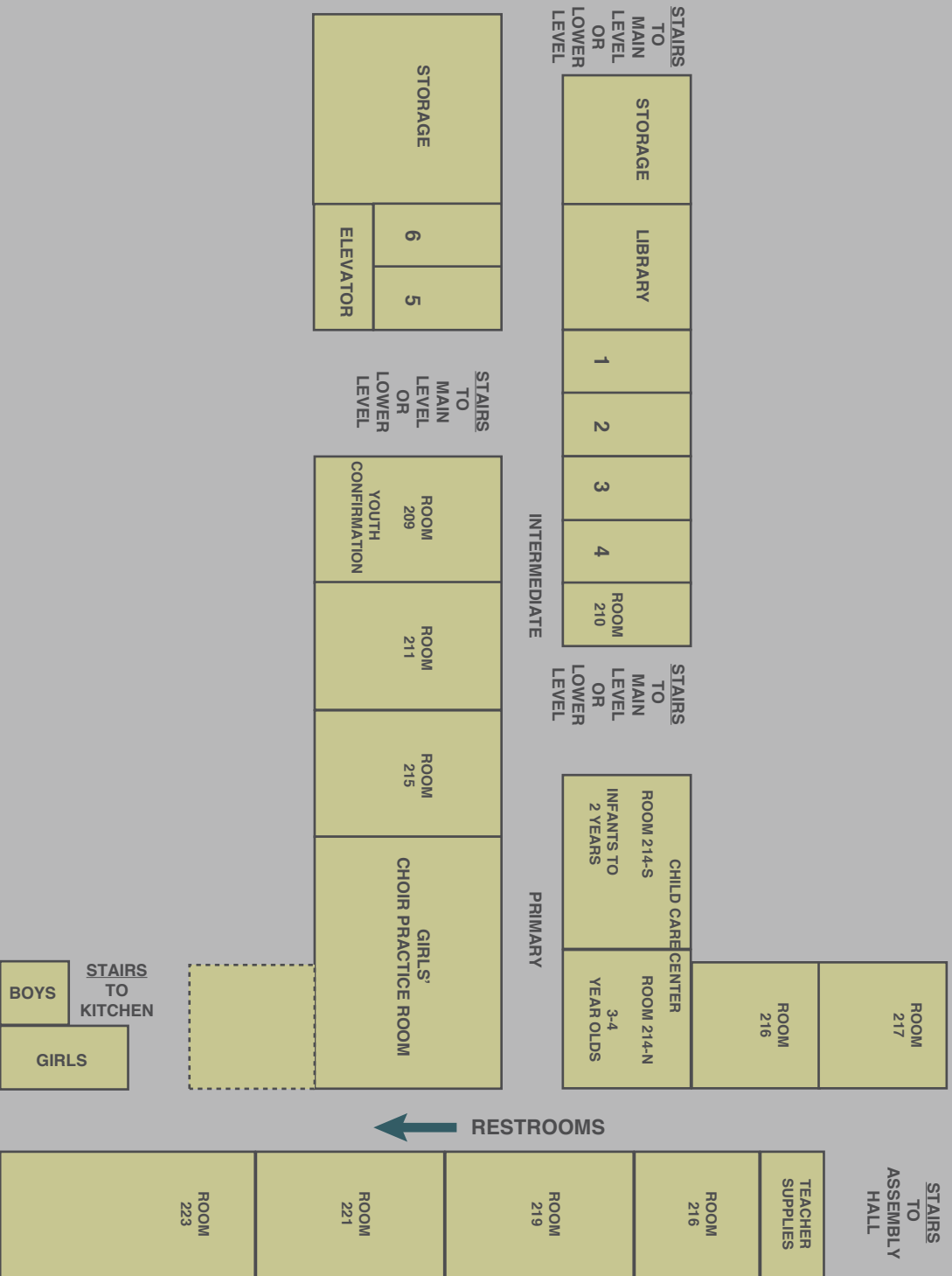


OFFICES ON LOWER LEVEL

- 1:
- 2: STEPHEN MINISTRIES, CAROLYN CHAPMAN
- 3: SEXTONS, DALE LOWER AND STAFF



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OFFICES ON UPPER LEVEL

- 1: DIRECTOR, YOUTH MINISTRIES, JERRY SMITH
- 2: COMMUNICATIONS
- 3: DIRECTOR, FAMILY MINISTRIES, SHEILA SVOBADA
- 4: BUSINESS MANAGER/TREASURER, SHERRIE PETROCHUK
- 5: ARCHIVES
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