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**Technology**  
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1. The amplifier that controls the sound for the choir in the chancel area is now being repaired.
2. TaMara is working on inclusive bids that will lead to a proposal for full live streaming.
3. George indicates that Comcast will connect the building within the next two weeks. This will increase our Internet speed profoundly.
4. We are awaiting final approval of our Google for non-profits account. This will give us a Google workspace connected to our domain (stpaulschurchflint.com). From the workspace we will be able to add any number of full email addresses and forwarding addresses. For example, the rector's address will be [rector@stpaulschurchflint.com](mailto:rector@stpaulschurchflint.com). Other staff members will either have addresses with their first name and or position. Every vestry member will have a church domain address that will automatically forward to their personal email.

A secondary domain (stpaulsflint.org) will be added. Either domain name will work with the website as well as all email addresses.

5. As part of the live-streaming work, an ethernet line will be made available at the main sound system at the rear of the nave. This will be where the live-streaming system will connect. If needed, it is also where a Wi-Fi could be available if ever needed for presentations etc.
6. George and I have discussed that the Rector's Computer and his computer need updating....nah....new purchase. The Rector's computer is over 10 years old which makes it extremely ancient in computer terms. The machines last 3-6 years (maybe). This is not a request. Refurbished machines are a possibility.
7. When I have a moment, I will be doing some work and inventory on a large selection of computer equipment (aka junkie) that has accumulated. That which can no longer be saved will be dispatched. If I find a machine that I can use as a file server, you can bet that will be what happens. No cost to that.

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