

# October 21, 2018

## The Latest Information about Ministries and Events at St. Paul's

### What's Happening?

- Today**      **Worship Services**, 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.  
**Congregational Meeting**, 9:30 a.m.  
**Mazzoni Concert**, 3:30 p.m.  
**FOCUS**, 6:00 p.m.  
**Fusion**, 6:00 p.m.
- Monday**     **Life Team**, 7:00 p.m.
- Tuesday**    **Quilters and More**, 9:30 a.m.
- Wednesday** **Women's Bible Study**, 9:00 a.m.  
**Mom Connect**, 9:30 a.m.  
**Prayer Time**, 12:00 p.m.  
**Stephen Ministers**, 6:30 p.m.
- Thursday**   **Prayer Shawl**, 1:00 p.m.  
**Chorale**, 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday**    **Elder Shepherding**, 7:30 a.m.
- Sunday**      **Worship Services**, 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.  
**Trunk or Treat**, 2:00 p.m.  
**FOCUS**, 6:00 p.m.

For more information please check St. Paul's website at [www.stpaulsefree.org](http://www.stpaulsefree.org).

### Upcoming Sunday Sermon

**Series: *Jesus the King***

10/28 Matthew 15:1-20

You are encouraged to read the passage and pray about it in preparation for worship.

### Greeters

8:30 a.m. Jim and Martha Miller

11:00 a.m. The Starbuck Family

### Flowers

Altar flowers in celebration of Bob and Sieglinde Schnellbacher's 45<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

## **Sunday School Today**

### **Gospel Project, 10:00 a.m., MPR**

Beginning in Genesis, *The Gospel Project* class covers a 3-year journey through the whole Bible. Use the materials throughout the week as a personal devotional or in a group of 2 or 3. This is a great class for all people!

### **Book Club, 10:00 a.m., Rm. 5**

We will study Dr. Lee Ryken's "*How to Read the Bible as Literature.*" Come, join the discussion as we examine the types of biblical literary forms.

### **Spiritual Sisters, 10:00 a.m., Rm. 204**

This class has changed its study. We are now studying the life of Paul according to the biblical accounts. We would love for any and all women to join us!

### **Sunday Morning FOCUS, 9:45 a.m.**

All high school age students are welcome to join. This semester we will study 1 Corinthians. If you have questions please email [conway.h.wong@gmail.com](mailto:conway.h.wong@gmail.com) or [letitia.wong@ymail.com](mailto:letitia.wong@ymail.com).

### **Children's Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.**

#### **2-4 years old, Room 9; 5 years-6th grade, Power Plant**

All our children's classes utilize the Gospel Project, paralleling the adult lesson.

## **Coming Highlights**

### **Missions, Christmas in October**

Please use the special contribution envelope to bless our missionaries at Christmas. The Missions Team will allocate your donations to each missionary as a Christmas gift from our church. Make checks payable to St. Paul's, with "Christmas in October," in the memo. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

### **Congregational Vote Today Between Services, 9:30 a.m.**

At this special congregation business meeting we will vote on by-law changes presented previously. Printed copies of the proposed changes are in the Welcome Center. Clarifications about the lead pastor role and number of serving elders are the topics.

### **St. Paul's Fall Concert, Today, 3:30 p.m.**

Jennifer Mazzone (flute) and Matthew Mazzone (piano) will present an afternoon of inspiring classics and timeless hymns. This event will explore the changing seasons and beauty of each passage of time. Tickets: \$10/adults, free/under18.

## **New Member Class, Sundays, Starting October 28 Conference Room**

The “New Members Class” is an opportunity for you to get connected into the community of disciples at St. Paul’s. You will learn about the church and learn more about who God has made you to be in Christ. Join us at 9:45 for three weeks. Please contact Pastor Andrew if you would like to attend.

## **Prayer Shawl, Thursday, October 25, 1:00 p.m.**

This month’s meeting will be held at the home of Gerene Hecht. Please call Gerene at 636-733-0701 and let her know you will attend.

## **King's Kids Camp Fundraiser, Sunday, November 4, 12:30 p.m.**

**Spaghetti Lunch will be served.** Adults/\$10, Ages 5-12/\$5, under 5/free.

Can you donate a pie - or two - for the lunch? If so, please contact Jody Graeler, 636-532-2589. Other donations requested for:

- **Silent auction** themed gift baskets. Ideas include movie night, family game time, coffee/tea time, sports, international foods, etc.
- **Also accepted and appreciated:** gift cards, new giftable items, certificates for experiences.
- **Gift/baked goods table:** Yummy baked goods, especially cakes, pies, brownies; hand-made gifts, small giftable items, canned goods.

For information, or to donate, please contact Jannet in the church office.

Thank you for your support of our camping program which touches the lives of so many kids and families!

## **Nursery Workers Needed**

Do you have a love for little ones? Do you have a heart to serve young families? We need your help in the nursery! Our nursery coordinator, Kate Alstadt would love to find a schedule that works for you. Please contact Kate at [katherine.alstadt@gmail.com](mailto:katherine.alstadt@gmail.com) or 314-640-3143 if you are interested in serving.

## **Hurricane Relief**

If you want help support those who are struggling in the aftermath of the hurricanes, we will be sending donations to World Vision. Make your check payable to St. Paul’s and note that it is for hurricane relief. Alternatively, you can donate directly online at World Vision’s website using this link: <https://www.worldvision.org/disaster-relief-news-stories/2018-hurricane-florence-facts>. At the bottom of this link is a link to donate for Michael as well.

## **Churches for Life Banquet: “Faithful Forward”**

**Thursday October 25, 6:00 p.m., Twin Oaks Presbyterian Church**

Please join us for our banquet to celebrate 10 years of God's faithfulness to the ministry as we look forward to the increasing opportunities He is placing before us. Dinner is complimentary; reservations are required at [getintolife.org](http://getintolife.org). Guests will have an opportunity to financially support Churches for Life's ministry.