

December 30, 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.
- Tuesday** **Happy New Year!**
Church Office Closed
- Wednesday** **Mom Connect**, 9:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting, 12:00 p.m.
Praise Ringers, 7:00 p.m.
- Thursday** **Chorale**, 7:00 p.m.
- Sunday** **Worship Services**, 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

For more information please check St. Paul's website at www.stpaulsefree.org.

Upcoming Sunday Sermon

Series: *Advent*

1/6 Luke 2:21-40

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

Greeters

8:30 a.m. Rodger and Vivian Young

11:00 a.m. Jeff and Christy Drake

No Sunday School Today

Spiritual Sisters, Resumes January 6, 10:00 a.m., Rm. 204

We will meet in the new year to embark on a study of the book of Jeremiah.

Book Club

This class will also resume January 6.

Coming Highlights

Offering Envelopes

There has been a delay in the delivery of our offering envelopes. They will be available by next Sunday.

End of Year Giving Opportunity

The Lord has blessed us greatly that we might be a great blessing to the world around us! We at St. Paul's seek to be good stewards of every gift entrusted to us and to use these gifts for kingdom purposes. In this season of giving, many are thinking about end of year gifts. We are beginning the month of December \$15,614 behind general budget disbursements. We encourage you to consider giving an additional end of year donation to St. Paul's to help cover this deficit and to help us begin 2019 on a strong financial footing. If you would like to pre-give for the year 2019, please contact our financial administrator Cindy Heuermann.

Budget Hearing, Monday, January 7, 7:00 p.m.

Christmas Decoration Takedown, January 11 and 12, 9:00 a.m.

As beautiful as our decorations are around the church, they must come down until next Christmas season. We could use some help on these days.

Stitch-in, Tuesday January 15, 9:00 a.m.

Join us for fun and fellowship as we sew simple dresses and shorts for orphan children in Congo. All supplies are provided. Even if you don't sew you can help; even learn from our helpful regulars. Monthly meetings are held every third Tuesday. If you have questions, please call Phyllis Bauer 314-567-3216.

Special Life Team Speaker, Sunday January 20, Between Services
You won't want to miss this one! Pastor Jonathon Tremaine will speak on the topic of "Racial Reconciliation" during the ABF hour.

Blood Drive, Monday January 21, 3:00-6:00 p.m. in the MPR

Blood cannot be manufactured. Recipients rely solely on volunteer donors, especially in the summer and winter months. Please sign-up to make your lifesaving donation by contacting Sharon McGauly: 636-225-5126 or email to qicon@charter.net.



Thanks to Dad Hengge (See Genesis 3) 01-03-2008

OUR RESOLUTION LAST YEAR COULD HAVE BEEN
"LESS FRUIT", BUT NO ... WE WENT WITH
"TRUST PEOPLE MORE"