



St. Paul Church & School News

A Weekly News Edition for the week August 1, 2021



MINISTRY



Arts, Beats & Eats- It's that time of year again! This year we are looking for your help to volunteer with parking, drink booth, and recycling in some capacity. Please consider volunteering for this outreach event. Sign up will take place soon or contact Tony Valdes or Richard Baker. The event takes place Labor Day weekend, Sept. 3-6. **St. Paul Parking For Arts, Beats & Eats—2021** Parking schedule is 3 shifts per day 5-6 people per shift. Times: 11am-3pm, 3-7pm, & 7-11pm, Monday ends 9pm. If you have questions or wish to schedule your parking shift time, contact Richard Baker 248-535-8223 or look to sign up for parking in the lobby between church services.

ATTENTION MEN OF ST. PAUL! Since 1946, laymen of the LCMS have gathered annually at Camp Arcadia for fellowship, recreation, relaxation, and most importantly praising God and growing their faith. Whether you are a first timer or returning, you are invited to this multigenerational retreat. **Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler.**
Theme: **Remember, Rejoice, Renew**
Activities begin at check-in Thursday night with a Welcome reception and continue through the weekend including a golf game on Friday and the annual Softball game on Saturday. For more information on the weekend contact Camp Arcadia @ 231-889-4361 or go online to camp-arcadia.com.
Date of weekend retreat: September 9—12.
Info at the welcome Center. Reserve early!

Thank You—Walk for Life Saturday began with raindrops which soon turned into sunshine. Perfect weather for the Walk for Life 2021. About 500 walkers from 3 pregnancy centers, including CareNet Berkley/Detroit, took to the paths of the Detroit Zoo to create community awareness for choosing life for each family. Among the walkers were Gay Eskew, Sandy Limbaugh, Char Fuchs, and Nova. Team STP-RO raised \$1,680.00 from 43 donors for Care Net. That placed the St. Paul team 7th out of 27. We thank you for your encouraging support through comments, finances, and prayers.

Wednesday Morning Bible Class Begins Again—Will start on August 25 at 9:30 a.m. Join us in the lounge for this weekly mid-week study on various topics from the Bible throughout the year. For questions contact the church office.

SCHOOL NEWS



School Registration Drop-In—Mark your calendars to register your child(ren) for the next school year (2021-2022) on August 18 (6pm-8pm) or August 20 (9am-noon). School begins: August 24. If you have any questions, please contact the school office at 248-546-6555.
Registration Fee (K - 8th Grade): \$400
Preschool Registration Fee is \$130
Registration Fees are not refundable.

Preschool Families join us for **Popsicles on the Playground** - Saturday, August 14th from 10:00 am - 11:30 am at the school. Come meet the preschool staff and other preschool families. Registration is \$130. If you've already registered, bring your school supplies and see your classroom.

NOTES

Book Nook— All cards are 50 cents each ☺...Check out our specialty cards too... baptismal, holiday's etc; Need a gift? Gift Idea: Beautiful leather & hardcover ESV Bibles are on display for purchase. If you'd like a name imprinted in gold on a Bible, hymnal or Lutheran Book of Prayer, please contact Martha @ 248-284-3790 or smyth-fam4@aol.com. As always, DIY sales are accomplished by taking the item you'd like out of the case & placing the cash or check (to Martha Smyth) in the cash box located on the brick wall. Contact Martha for more info.



Time and Talent Survey!

We encourage all members and friends of St. Paul to consider sharing your personal talents and interests by completing the new Time and Talent Survey. Completing the survey does not mean you are volunteering or making a commitment. Your shared interests will provide the church with information needed so it can connect you to opportunities of fellowship, service and worship! Remember, each of us is wonderfully made by God who loves us. Let's share that love by sharing our time and talents with each other. You can update your individual Time & Talent profile by scanning the QR Code here for an online survey. The online survey can also be accessed using the following URL <http://www.stpaulroyaloak.org/ttsurvey>. Or lastly, you can fill in a traditional hard copy survey which can be found in the lobby.

Operation Christmas Child—Each month a different item(s) will be listed in the bulletins. **August: Toothbrushes.** You may place items in wood box located in the lobby coatroom. You may also bring & wrap shoe-

boxes in Christmas paper and drop off. Please wrap lid separate from box bottom. Thank you!

Attendance for Live

Streaming Services Online? You may now key in your attendance from the form at www.stpaulroyaloak.org/attendance. However you will not be able to update any new addresses or phone information, you will need to still contact the church office to do so.

Church Protocol's - Please see below for the most current safety protocols you may follow.

1. Safety Protocol:

- We will continue to encourage the sick, compromised, and those who are uncomfortable to stay home and watch our Livestream worship service.
- With the mandates lifted, masks will now be optional.
- Green tape will still mark the pews to encourage social distancing.
- The Lutheran Service Books, attendance cards, and pencils are placed back into the pews.
- We will leave the offering plates in the narthex until further notice. You may still drop off your envelopes there and/or submit your offerings online. Please drop your completed attendance card in the plate in the narthex as you leave.

2. Communion:

- The Sacrament of the Altar will still be prepared following proper protocols for food preparation.
- We will maintain the "continuous line" method for distributing the Lord's Supper.
- Pastor Andrzejewski and the elders assisting him will be wearing a mask as they distribute the elements.
- The common cup will still be suspended until further notice.



MEMBERS

Current Health Needs

Colleen Olsen, (recovery)

Long-term Health Needs

Bill Carpenter (continued care)
Carol Hills (health concerns)
Margaret Kuhlmann (health concerns)
Eyla Russ (health concerns)
Will Lichtenberg (health concerns)
Chester Limbaugh (recovery)
Natasha Loretitsch (concerns)
Verda Mae Steiber (health concerns)
Patricia Walker-Bill (continued care)
Maureen Walsh (health concerns)

Prayer of Sympathy

Upon the recent death of Connie Phillips,
friend of Chris Schultz

Prayers for our Homebound

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| Marion Havrilla | Ralph Schroeder |
| Leona Jackson | Charlette Schroeder |
| Donna McMinn | Jeanette Till |
| Art Peludat | Kathleen Ulrich |
| | Don Whitbeck |

FLOWERS



Flowers are on the Altar in honor of Greg and Julia Paul celebrating their 35th Wedding Anniversary.

If prayers need to be removed or added,
please contact the church office

- Phone: 248-541-0613
- Email: prodway@stpaulroyaloak.org

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Nancy Ackerman, (concerns) sister of Denny McClatchey
Anthony, (viral infection, paralyzed) friend of Will Lichtenberg
Chuck, (health concerns) nephew of Barb Snell
Gail Craft (cancer), aunt of Heidi Bowdich
Gayle Delaney (cancer), co-worker of Mark Olsen
Amer Fares' (Fa-ress) Family in Lebanon, extreme survival struggles, while he lives here in America and can't help them, friend of Margie Topous
Judy Fife, (health concerns), daughter of Margaret Miller
Grant Haley, (health concerns) former student of Al Manteuffel
Rev. Dr. John Herzog (cancer), Historic Trinity, Detroit
Ashley Nance, (back surgery), St. Paul Boiler Inspector
Henry Pittman, (covid, hospitalized) brother of Eric Pittman
Joann & Bill Shafer, (health concerns), Jim Chamawskas' sister & brother-in-law
Andy & Michelle Schultz, (motorcycle accident recovery), nephew of Jim Schultz
Daniel Tharpe (continued care), grandson of Bob & Denise Rutledge
Brad Felsner (concerns), brother-in-law of Margie Topous
David Wendland (health concerns) son of Jack Wendland

ALL MILITARY FAMILIES & FRIENDS

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| Eric Banker | Hayden Sharp |
| Mark Bowdich | Joe VanDamme |
| Paul Bowdich | Tirzah VanDamme |
| Sam Eskew | Jason Zuniga |
| Brandon Newton | Gabrielle Zuniga |
| Brendan Sharp | |



Ephesians 4:1 – "I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you were called."

The callings we have from the Lord are our "vocations." Here Paul talks about our vocation as Christian. We are called to be His people and to reflect His love, generosity, and peace within the Church.

News & Events

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CALENDAR

(All meetings, events, programs etc are tentative)

SUNDAY, AUG 1

8:15 AM WORSHIP C *LIVE-STREAMED
9:45 AM BIBLE CLASS
11:00 AM WORSHIP

MONDAY, AUG 2

9:00 AM TRUSTEES

WEDNESDAY, AUG 4

6:00 PM GARDEN CLUB
7:00 PM PTL PLANNING MEETING

THURSDAY, AUG 5

8:00 AM MEN'S BREAKFAST-AVENUE
7:00 PM PRAISE PRACTICE

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