



St. Paul's Announcements

September 8, 2019

Today is Rally Day!

Today is Rally Day, the kick-off for St. Paul's ministry year! It is also God's Work. Our Hands. Sunday, when we are reminded that we are freed in Christ to love and serve our neighbor. We will hold our inaugural *Life of Faith* event immediately after the service. Members of all ages will be given a Passport to begin their *Life of Faith* journey, "traveling" to four fun destinations—Caring, Learning, Serving, and Worship & Music—where there will be hands-on activities that showcase each board's ministries. Passports will be stamped at each station and four stamps earns entry to the *Ice Cream Social!*

Faith Circle Starts This Week

Faith Circle is a group of women who meet monthly, September through May, to share fellowship over lunch, pray for each other and concerns brought to the group, then enjoy a program. Faith Circle is starting up their year on Tuesday, September 10, in Fellowship Hall at noon. Our program will be "Treasures from my Inner Child" by Jo Ann Larson. Jo Ann will bring her doll collection and will speak about different types of dolls, what kinds she collects, doll shows, and doll repair. Bring your lunch—beverages and dessert will be provided. Questions? Contact Jean Siegel

Meals Do Matter

Meals are ready for delivery to family, friends, neighbors, colleagues, and strangers! As the busy fall season begins, please remember those who may need the ease and comfort of a meal from St. Paul. Check out the Meals Do Matter fridge and spread God's love!!



PADS

It is September, and that means PADS is back to feeding the homeless! Our menu this month is going to be brats, hamburgers, hotdogs, and all the fixings. We will need people to make beds, serve, and help with overnight shifts. Please see where you can help! Kevin Hengst will be

helping out in place of Pat Noeske, who is travelling this month.

—Thanks from Pat Noeske and Ron Diener

Mission Interpreters

Would you like to learn more about the work the wider church is doing around the Chicago area and around the world? Join others from the Metro Chicago Synod on Saturday, September 14th to increase your knowledge and learn how to share this good information with our St. Paul community. This event is being held at Lord of Life Lutheran Church in Schaumburg and begins at 9:00 am through mid-afternoon. Interested? Call Sue Cahalan at 630.690.7415.

Prayer Requests

Prayers of the Congregation are offered for these members

Bruce Beck, Betty Bradshaw, Paul Brinkman, Paul Cook, Connie Gerardi, Lois Glaybo, Betty Justie, Beverly Lamberg, Ron Lundal, Dwight Nielsen, Chris Panttila, Don Shindler, Janice Stewart, Pete Vollum

for the following family and friends

Tom Lukens
son of Carolyn Lukens
Mark & Carrie Link
friends of the Ludvigsens
Pat Scherman
father of Meg Cook
Janet Steuges
friend of Meg Cook
Robert Jelinski
father of John Haas's fiancé, Bob
Kathryn Palmer
daughter of Carolyn Lukens
Wyn Mertzlufft
sister-in-law of Ron Mertzlufft
Stephen Poremba
nephew of Kathy Baidis
Vernon Allen
father of Julie Michalak
Haley
friend of the Huber Family
Kay Brend
friend of the Yurkos

prayer is also offered for

Tori Adams
deployed to the Middle East
Please notify us if you are in the hospital, even if you don't want a visit. We would like the opportunity to pray for you.

Worship Schedule

9:30 am Sunday

Traditional Worship in
Sanctuary

7:00 pm Tuesday

Tuesday Nights Unplugged
a Different Kind of Worship
in the Chapel

Pastoral Care is always available.

During office hours,
Monday—Thursday
8 am—4 pm,
please call the office at
630.668.5953.

In an emergency, contact
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Today's Altar Flowers



Given by **Emily Breckman** in loving memory of
her husband, **Bob**, and her parents, **Frank & Emilie Roth**;
and by **Rick Lukens & Cindy Trennert-Lukens**, in
celebration of all St. Paul couples who keep their vow
to love and cherish through sickness and health.



Bible Study?

The Learning Board has learned that there is interest in starting a monthly BIBLE STUDY! Our board will help the group find a place, time, and materials. If exploring the bible with friendly people sounds like something you might be interested in, contact Learning Board Chair Kim Diehl iiiKimberli@gmail.com

Real Women of the Reformation

Join all mothers of children still at home as we make blankets for Project Linus at Julie Braun's house on Friday night, September 13, at 7 pm (no sewing skills required). Bring a dish or a bottle of something to share! For more information, or to RSVP, text Julie at 630.803.0308.

Spiritual Yoga

Spiritual Yoga begins September 9. This six-week session will be held on Monday nights from 7-8 pm and cost \$60. Meet in the Sanctuary. Instructor Beth Pomatto has been leading this class at St. Paul for the past year. Contact Kim Diehl to register.

Holy Crafters

Holy Crafters's schedule has changed a bit. We will now meet from *7-11 pm* in Fellowship Hall. After the next meeting on September 10 (THIS Tuesday!) we will meet on the *1st Tuesday of each month* from 7-11 pm. Come work on your projects in good fellowship with others doing the same. Questions? Contact Kathy Baidis.

Anniversary This Week

The congregation rejoices with the following couple as they celebrate their anniversary: **Tom & Marilyn Dashiell (51).**



Special Congregational Meeting

Please plan on attending a Special Congregational Meeting on Sunday, September 22nd immediately following the service. This will be a very short meeting called solely to take a procedural vote on making some updates to our Constitution.



This Week at St. Paul

Sunday, September 8

9:30 am Worship

10:45 am Life of Faith Event:
RALLY DAY

Monday, September 9

7:00 pm Church Council
Meeting

7:00 pm Spiritual Yoga

Tuesday, September 10

9:00 am Labor of Love

9:00 am Men's Bridge

7:00 pm *Tuesday Nights
Unplugged*

7:00 pm Holy Crafters

7:00 pm Property
Committee Meeting

Friday, September 13

7:00 pm Real Women of the
Reformation