



THE WEEKLY

Calendar of Discipleship Opportunities

Sunday, January 22

- 8:00 am Worship Service with Communion
- 9:15 am Traditional Worship Service
- 10:15 am Coffee Fellowship (Social Room)
- 10:45 am Contemporary Style Worship Service
- 12:15 pm UMW Executive Board Meeting (Wesley 202)
- 1:30 pm God and Family Class (Ed. Center 208)
- 5:30 pm St. Paul's Youth Fellowship (Ed. Center 3rd floor)

Monday, January 23

- 5:00 pm Prayer (Sanctuary)
- 6:00 pm Kappa Phi (Wesley 301)

Tuesday, January 24

- 12:00 pm Holy Yoga (Wesley 204)
- 12:30 pm Women of Purpose (Ed. Center 308)
- 6:00 pm God & Church Class (Ed. Center 209)
- 6:00 pm Troop 31 Eagle Meeting (Social Room)
- 7:00 pm Troop 31 Meeting (Gym)

Wednesday, January 25

- 9:30 am Women of Faith, Hope & Love (Ed. Center 3rd floor)
- 11:00 am Bread Basket (Social Room)
- 5:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Gathering (Frank Chapel)
- 6:30 pm The Bear Den (Wesley 303)

Thursday, January 26

- 9:30 am Program Directors Meeting (Wesley 202)
- 5:00 pm Consultation Interviews (Ed. Center 308)
- 5:30 pm Consultation Prayer Gathering (Sanctuary)
- 6:30 pm Wesley Leadership Team Meeting (Wesley 202)
- 7:00 pm Consultation Invitational Focus Group (Ed. Center 3rd floor)

Friday, January 27

- 6:30 am Accountable Disciples (Social Room)
- 9:00 am Consultation Interviews (Wesley 202, 205)
- 8:00 pm Troop 945 Klondike Derby (Gym, Social Room)

Saturday, January 28

- Troop 945 Klondike Derby All Day
- 9:00 am Shoe Bank (Wesley 203)
- 9:00 am Consultation Leadership Focus Group (Ed. Center 3rd floor)
- 10:15 Consultation Training Session (Ed. Center 3rd floor)

Sunday School Schedule

CHILDREN		
9:15	Children's Sunday School	Education Center 1 st & 2 nd floors

ADULTS		
9:15	Seekers & Servants	Wesley 202
10:45	Adult Bible Study (ABS)	Wesley 204
	The 10:45 Forum	Asbury Room/ Library

Music Ministry Rehearsals

Contact Russell Bloom at stpaulsmusicsce@gmail.com

Wellspring Praise Team		
Sunday	9:00 am	Wesley 204
Wednesday	5:30 pm	Sanctuary
Chancel Choir		
Thursday	7:00 pm	Sanctuary
Carillon Handbell Choir		
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Asbury Room
Cherub Choir (grades K-2)		
Sunday	10:10 am	Ed. Center 103
Angelus Choir (grades 3-6)		
Sunday	10:10 am	Ed. Center 208

Find us on: **facebook** Music Ministry at St. Paul's



Everyone is invited to Coffee Fellowship in the Social Room following 9:15 am Worship

NOTES

The new members of the Board of Trustees, term expires January 2020, are: Kurt Baker, Jean Chirpas and Jim Simon. The St. Paul's family extends our thanks and appreciation to these and to all the candidates. We celebrate all the candidates' dedication and commitment in offering to share their leadership.

Saturday, January 28, the Growing Effective Churches Consultation Team will lead a teaching session designed to move people from maintenance to missional thinking. All are invited to the **3rd floor of the Education Center, from 10:15 am-3 pm**. Lunch and childcare will be provided. RSVP to Linda (lheverly@stpaulsc.org; 237-2163) by January 23.

Pick up a yellow sheet with detailed information about the Growing Effective Churches Consultation, available throughout the church building.

On Sunday, January 29, The Rev. Matthew Lake will lead us in worship. Following each service the team will give their report from the Growing Effective Churches Consultation.

Safe Sanctuary Orientation: Saturday February 11, 9-11 am, Education Center, 3rd floor. New staff and volunteers working with children/youth must attend one session. Registration is required by February 6. To register, contact Virginia Flick (237-2163; vflick@stpaulsc.org).

GROW

You are invited to join Women of Faith, Hope, and Love: Wednesdays 9:30-11:30 am. We

are a diverse group of women who share a time of fellowship, support, and a variety of Bible-related study topics. For more information, please email Shelley Johns (shelleybelle2@yahoo.com) or leave a message for her at the church office (237-2163).

St. Paul's Men's Retreat: January 27-29, Mt. Asbury Retreat Center. \$175 cost includes room, meals and teaching. Bob Sjogren from UnveilinGLORY will present "Cat and Dog Theology." Contact Gary Wiser, Steve Falke, Felix Boake or Mike Lebo. Checks: St. Paul's UMC; memo: Retreat; mail to Mike Lebo, 672 Berkshire Dr. State College, PA 16803.

Parents of 5th, 6th and 7th Graders! It's not too late! We still have several spots open for Created By God. Brochures and registration forms are now available online at stpaulsc.org, click on Ministries, then Children. The event is February 2-5. Register today!

Thinking of joining St. Paul's? A Membership Orientation will be held Sunday, February 12. Meet in a casual setting with the pastors at 12 pm (after the 10:45 worship service) in the Social Room to share a light lunch and learn about St. Paul's. Childcare will be available. Please contact Virginia Flick (237-2163; vflick@stpaulsc.org) by January 29 to register.

Save the Dates for the 2017 Women's Annual Retreat: April 28-30 at The Nature Inn (Best Eco-Friendly Hotel in the Nation for 2016) at Bald Eagle State Park. Once details are final and announced you can make your plans to attend any part of the retreat or all of it. Stay tuned. Questions? Ask Donna Snyder (dsnyder@stpaulsc.org).

Save the Date: On Sunday, March 19, UMW will host its mission study program. Dr. Jonathan Brockopp will speak at 1 pm on "What Christians Need to Know About the Qur'an." There will be a salad luncheon from 12-1 pm. We hope you will join us.

Wesley Heritage Tour: July 11-20, 2017, join us and tour England. Explore places like Epworth, childhood home of the Wesleys; Oxford, where the Methodist movement began; Bristol, with the oldest Methodist building in the world; and London, including Aldersgate Street, the location of John Wesley's conversion. Contact Lou Geschwindner (lfg@psu.edu).

SERVE

Coffee hour help needed: February, March, and April dates are open for individual sign-up. Contact Evelyn Wagner (466-1116; email jmw2@psu.edu) to be added to the list and view the sign up. Thanks, Evelyn Wagner.

Do you have the gift of storytelling and are willing to share the Good News with our children? We are working to add new Storytellers to the group! Commitment is usually ONE Sunday (3-5 minutes) each quarter during 10:45 am worship. Contact Tori Von Leer for details (tvonleer@stpaulsc.org).

College Student Lunches: Please volunteer to host one of our college lunches on Sundays. Sign up with your small group, UMW Circle, or family and friends. Contact Jean Chirpas (571-0603; jchirpas@aol.com) for more information and to reserve your Sunday. Thanks for your help!

Construction Mission Trip Opportunities in Alaska:

Fairbanks (Habitat for Humanity project, three teams) and Juneau (church and summer camp repairs, two teams). First, a team leader is needed to recruit team members and organize a trip. If interested, contact Dan Wilcox, Pastor of Willow UMC and Alaska Conference VIM Coordinator (907-414-7078; willowum@mtaonline.net).

Planning for African Prayer Safari Vacation Bible School has begun! VBS 2017 will be June 19-23, 6-8:30 pm. Please prayerfully consider being part of this amazing event and say YES when asked! If you have questions, contact Tori (tvonleer@stpaulsc.org).

GIVE

Van Needed: The team traveling to Nicaragua is looking for a van to borrow for one day, to get us to the airport in DC on Wednesday, January 25, and/or home from the airport on Saturday, February 4. Please contact Barbara Taylor (404-0583) if you could help. This would help greatly with keeping our trip costs down. Thank you!

Super Strombolis to support the St. Paul's Scouts! Order a couple to take home for your Super Bowl supper. Orders due by January 29. Pick up an orange order form in the magazine racks. Also, consider helping on Saturday, February 4, to bake and/or February 5, to sell. Contact Eileen Lang (574-7578) for details.

The Campbell's soup labels for education program is coming to an end July 31, 2017. You can contribute your labels until then. The UPC portion of the label

must have "Labels for Education" on it. Boxes are by the elevator, the College Ave. entrance, and the Education Center.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

*Tori Von Leer, 237-2163 ext. 148
tvonleer@stpaulsc.org*

Please include the children of St. Paul's in your prayers for them to "hear" the message in their lessons. During the 9:15 am Sunday School hour, they are learning important lessons for their faith journey. They will also hear how they can use what they learn in their daily life.

All volunteers in children's classes/activities are required to have Safe Sanctuary clearances. Contact Tori for information.

YOUTH MINISTRY

*Dave Fisher, 237-2163 ext. 137
dfisher@stpaulsc.org*

TONIGHT: SPYF as usual from 5:30-8 pm on the 3rd floor of the Education Center! Dinner, Bible study and discussion, and a game. All in grades 6-12 are welcome!

NEXT SUNDAY: No SPYF meeting. A group of SPYF students and leaders will be attending the Salt 'n Light Zeteo Conference in Altoona.

CAMPUS MINISTRY

*Jen Gruendler, 238.6739 ext. 139
jgruendler@stpaulsc.org
www.wesleypsu.org*

Abba Java Hours

Join us for free coffee, snacks, wifi, and community!

Monday-Thursday: 9 am-9 pm
Friday: 9 am-5 pm
Sunday: 12 pm-5 pm

Join us for Wesley on

Wednesdays: 6 pm-Dinner, prayer, faith conversation. All are welcome.

Make Spring Break plans now!

There are a few spots left on the Spring Break Washington, D.C. trip. It's \$50 for students, Sign up now and spend a week serving, exploring and learning in DC.

Join us for Sunday Bible

Tasting: 10:20-10:40 am. Meet in front of the Sanctuary. Brief no-prep-needed conversation on the sermon text.

HEALTH MINISTRIES

*Renae Schunk, 237-2163 ext. 152
rschunk@stpaulsc.org*

After outstanding participation, we collectively walked 13,966 miles on our *Walk to Bethlehem*, which was 1,002 miles over our goal! Great work, and we look forward to walking with you in the upcoming Walk to Jerusalem!

This week marks the beginning of our *Walk to Jerusalem!* Our goal is to walk 12,519 miles, touring Europe along the way. Check the McAllister Lobby for mileage, and start logging in your mileage, steps, or minutes of activity. Devotion Booklet and log-in link are on the St. Paul's website.

COMMUNITY

Free Movie: "I'll Be Me" on Wednesday, January 25, 6 pm at Juniper Village at Brookline, Willows Dining Room. Documentary of country music legend Glen Campbell who used his "Goodbye Tour" to bring awareness of Alzheimer's disease. To reserve your seat call 235-2041.

What's Happening? email updates: This weekly email blast highlights a few of the many activities taking place at St. Paul's. Please send your email address to Virginia at vflick@stpaulsc.org, if you would like to receive these email updates.

Prayer Requests and Praises: Place a prayer/praise request card in the offering plate or contact Shannon McChesney-Brungart (smcchesneybrungart@icloud.com; 355-2870).

Hospital Visitation: Due to privacy regulations, we must depend on our members to inform the church of the hospitalization of their family members or neighbors who desire spiritual care. Please call the church office at 237-2163.

Visit the Library located in the Asbury Room on the 3rd floor. Checkout/return books any time the church is open.

Alive Now (\$1.75) & **Upper Room** (\$.80 reg. print; \$1.25 large print) for January/February are available in the magazine racks outside Sanctuary entrances.

WELCOME TABLE

Please pick up nametags at the welcome table

9:15 am Lynn Phillips (Calder)
Sue Hutchison (College)

10:45 am Tami Mistrick (Calder)
Diane Gustine (College)

GREETERS

Please pick up nametags at the welcome table

9:15 am Fred & Nancy Hopkins (Calder)
Shirley & Jim Vogelsong (College)

10:45 am John & Sue Ake (Calder)
Pete & Sue Rubba (College)

ATTENDANCE - January 8

8:00 am	43
9:15 am	278
10:45 am	185
Total	506

PASTORAL STAFF

Senior Pastor Greg Milinovich
Associate Pastor Becky McGee
Director of the Wesley Foundation Jen Gruendler

SERVICES

8:00 am Traditional Worship with Communion
9:15 am Traditional Worship
10:45 am Contemporary Style Worship

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

10:15 am (Social Room)

HOURS

Church Office:
Monday-Friday 9 am-4 pm

Custodian Scheduled:
Sunday 7 am-3 pm
Monday-Friday 9 am-10 pm
Saturday 8 am-12:30 pm

PARKING INFORMATION

The church parking lot (corner of Locust Lane & Calder Way) is reserved for renters & staff Monday-Friday from 7 am-5 pm. All others will be towed at the owner's expense. Parking is available on the street or in a nearby parking facility. After 5 pm the parking lot is available to those attending church functions.

Submitting an article?

The St. Paul's *Weekly* deadline is every Monday at 4 pm. Announcements must be 50 words or less and may run no longer than 3 weeks. *The Messenger* deadline is the second Wednesday of each month at noon (announcements 200 words or less). Email articles to cfisher@stpaulsc.org.

Please note when submitting articles, both publications appear on our church website. If you prefer to keep your address/phone number private, and a contact is necessary, you may refer people to the church office to get your contact information.

