



THE WEEKLY

Calendar of Discipleship Opportunities

Sunday, September 10

- 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
- 12:00 pm Acolyte Training (Sanctuary)
- 5:30 pm Children & Youth Families Kick-off Picnic at Circleville Park

Monday, September 11

- 10:00 am Life After Loss Team Meeting (Wesley 202)
- 11:30 am Friendship Circle (Social Room)
- 11:30 pm UMW Reading Group (Ed. Center 308)
- 5:30 pm Prayer (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, September 12

- 12:30 pm Women of Purpose (Ed. Center 308)
- 6:00 pm Troop 31 Northern Tier Planning (Social Room)
- 7:00 pm Mission & Justice Meeting (Ed. Center 3rd floor)
- 7:00 pm Troop 31 Meeting (Wesley 205, Gym)
- 7:00 pm Genesis Study (Wesley 202)

Wednesday, September 13

- 9:30 pm Women of Faith, Hope & Love (Ed. Center 3rd floor)
- 11:00 pm Bread Basket (Social Room)
- 5:15 pm SPRC Meeting (Wesley 202)
- 5:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Gathering (Frank Chapel)
- 7:00 pm Troop 31 Committee Meeting (Asbury Room)

Thursday, September 14

- 12:00 pm Ruth Circle (Ed. Center 3rd floor)

Friday, September 15

- 6:30 am Accountable Disciples (Social Room)

Saturday, September 16

- 9:00 am Shoe Bank (Wesley 203)

Sunday School Schedule

| CHILDREN & YOUTH | | |
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| 9:15 | Children's Sunday School | Ed. Center 1 st and 2 nd floors |
| | SPYF Sunday School | Ed. Center 3 rd floor |

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

Music Ministry Rehearsals

Contact Russell Bloom at stpaulsmusicsc@gmail.com

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| Wellspring Praise Team | | |
| Sunday | 9:00 am | Wesley 204 |
| Tuesday | 7:00 pm | Sanctuary |
| Wednesday | 5:30 pm | Sanctuary |
| Chancel Choir | | |
| Thursday | 7:00 pm | Sanctuary |
| Carillon Handbell Choir | | |
| Tuesday | 6:00 pm | Asbury Room |
| Brass Ensemble | | |
| Sunday | 11:45 am | Social Room |
| Cherub Choir (grades K-2) | | |
| Sunday | 10:10 am | Ed. Center 103 |
| Angelus Choir (grades 3-6) | | |

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

Photo Directories arrived late last week. If you had your picture taken for the directory please come to the College Avenue entrance to pick up your copy. We will be there this Sunday (9/10) and next (9/17) for all three services. Thanks for participating.

The Wesley Foundation is hiring a part time office assistant 6 hours/week, 10 months/year to help with day-to-day Wesley and Abba Java Coffeehouse needs by generating visibility, engaging students, and supporting the Director and Coffee House Manager in administrative office duties. Must be available Friday mornings. For full job description or if you have questions, contact Jen, Campus Minister (jen.wesley.psu@gmail.com).

WORSHIP

Children's Choirs begin today! Rehearsals follow Sunday School in the Ed. Center, 10:10-10:40 am. Cherub Choir, grades K-2, meets in Room 103 with Ms. Veronica and Ms. Mia. Angelus Choir, grades 3-6, meets on the 3rd floor with Ms. Joanna and Mrs. Nelson. God loves to hear His children sing! Contact Joanna Carlson (joannacarlson@gmail.com).

GROW

The 10:45 Forum Sunday School Class began a new DVD study last Sunday. Bart Ehrman, Ph.D., Professor of Religious Studies at the University of North Carolina, lectures on "The Historical Jesus". Anyone interested is invited to join us to learn and discuss.

8 am and 10:45 worshippers! Do you—parishioners and students—appreciate the fact you are

available to join the Seekers & Servants class that meets Sundays at 9:15 am in the Wesley Lounge? Come join a friendly group that enjoys lively discussions and seeks to grow in Christian discipleship.

Adult Bible Study Class Starting Today: Is the God of the Old Testament different from the God of the New Testament? Join us for a 6-week study using David Kalas' "When Did God Become a Christian?" to study Old and New Testament scripture highlighting God's love, holiness, and the consistency of His nature. Sundays at 10:45 am in Wesley 204. Questions? Contact Glenn Albert (geapsu@aol.com).

TONIGHT is the Children & Youth Families Kick Off Picnic!

When: 5-8 pm

Where: Circleville Park

Why: Share a meal and get to know each other!

Bring a dish to share and remember, NO NUTS!

Friendship UMW Circle will meet Monday, September 11, 11:30 am-12:30 pm, in the Social Room. All ladies are welcome to bring a lunch and join in the fellowship.

Women of all ages and backgrounds are invited to join Women of Faith, Hope, and Love for fellowship and study: Wednesdays, 9:30-12 pm, starting September 13, 3rd floor Ed. Center. Studying *Stepping Up*, by Beth Moore. Contact Shelley Johns or Linda Keisling through the church office. We hope you'll come!

Ruth UMW Circle will meet on Thursday, September 14, at 12 pm on the 3rd floor of the Education Center. All ladies are welcome.

Mary and Martha UMW Circle will meet Wednesday, September 20 at Hoss's. Business meeting at

10:30 am followed by lunch and program. New to St. Paul's or an old time member? All are welcome to hear Lou Geschwindner's talk and video presentation on the 129-year history of our church.

Deborah UMW Circle will meet September 20, 7 pm at Sue Ake's home. All are welcome to attend.

Life After Loss St. Paul's is offering an educational/support group for persons grieving the loss of a loved one: Sundays, September 24-October 29, 12:05-2:30 pm in the Asbury Room/Library. RSVP to Janet Mitchell (861-3917), Karen Eklund (883-8549), or Donna Snyder (Monday/Tuesday only; 237-2163 ext. 125) by September 18.

SERVE

Office Volunteer/s Needed: Wednesday mornings (9:15-10:30 am) and Thursday afternoons (2-4 pm) to answer phones and direct visitors while staff is in training. Contact Linda (lheverly@stpaulsc.org; 237-2163) for more information. Thank you.

Volunteer needed to pick up donuts and deliver to the church kitchen by 8:30 am the first (and fifth if needed) Sunday(s). The donuts are picked up at the Northland Center Giant store. If you live near or drive by on your way to church, please consider volunteering. Contact Evelyn Wagner (466-1116).

Are you looking for a way to connect with and serve the children of St. Paul's? Become a class helper one Sunday a month. No planning required! Contact Tori if interested (tvonleer@stpaulsc.org)!

Safe Sanctuary Training:

Saturday October 14, 9-11 am, Education Center, 3rd floor. This initial training (need only be taken once) is required for all staff persons and for all volunteers working with children/youth. Pre-registration is required by September 29. To register, contact Virginia Flick, (237-2163; vflick@stpaulsc.org).

Interested in a Volunteers in

Mission opportunity? Check out the VIM tab on the Susquehanna Conference Missional Board website for current planned trips: www.susmb.org/index.php/vim/vim-trips. Offerings include international, national and in-state chances to serve.

GIVE

Nicaragua Backpacks &

Scholarships: Over 1200 students have been served so far! Snack bags, cereal bags & dental care items can be placed in the purple bin in the stairway. Two cents per item goes for backpacks (\$15 each), raising over \$500 in the last 12 months. Or checks can be mailed to: Barbara Taylor, 856 Galen Dr, State College, PA 16803. Please mark your check #24205. Thanks!

Hurricane Harvey Relief:

Persons wishing to give a monetary donation through UMCOR (United Methodist Committee On Relief) should make checks payable to St. Paul's UMC, earmarked "Harvey #901670". Please continue to pray for victims, responders and volunteers. A listing of additional ways to help is on our web site, www.stpaulsc.org, and available in the magazine racks.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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

Welcome Back! Fall Session of Sunday School begins today. Be sure to welcome our kids and families back to St. Paul's!

Acolyte Training is today after 10:45 am worship. Meet in the Sanctuary. Anyone 4th grade and up can attend! Contact Katie Brumberg for information (katie.brumberg@gmail.com).

Please welcome Andrea Silva to our Sunday Nursery staff!

Andrea will be sharing responsibilities for our little lambs with Heather Fields. Please stop in and say hello!

We are blessed to welcome

Evan Knaff to Children's Ministry. Evan is our Wesley Intern and will be spending time with our 4/5th grade boys' class.

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*

SPYF Sunday School meets weekly at 9:15 am on the 3rd floor of the Education Center. All in grades 6-12 are welcome.

All families of children and youth are welcome at tonight's **Fall Kick-Off Picnic** from 5-8 pm at Circleville Park!

Evening SPYF meetings begin next Sunday, September 17, on the 3rd floor of the Ed. Center.

Visit www.stpaulsc.org/SPYNFO for more info on all SPYF

programs, retreats, and special events!

CAMPUS MINISTRY

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

Abba Java Hours

Stop by for free coffee, food, study space, Wi-Fi and friendly faces!

Monday-Thursday 9 am-9 pm

Friday 9 am-5 pm

Sunday 12:30 pm-4 pm

Free Student Lunch in Abba Java every Sunday after the 11:45 service. Join us!

Wesley on Wednesday: Each week at 6 pm. Dinner and Bible Study. This semester we are looking at the book of Romans. All are welcome.

Wesley Fall Service Trip:

Discover Philly. September 22-23. \$10/person. Join our ecumenical ministry partners on a weekend away in Philly. We will be working on doing some basic construction and exploring some neighborhoods in Philly.

Grad Student Dinner! Tuesday, September 12, 6:30 pm. Come for dinner and conversation.

COMMUNITY

ACAP- Centre County provides information and support for adult children caring for aging parents and for themselves. You are invited to a free educational presentation by The Office on Aging on "Understanding Medicare and Medicaid" September 12, 5:30 pm at Best Western Plus on 115 Premier Drive. Call 1-877-599-2227 or visit www.ACAPcommunity.org.

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.

Upper Room (\$.80 reg. print; \$1.25 large print) for September/October. are available in the magazine racks outside Sanctuary entrances.

WELCOME TABLE

Please pick up nametags at the welcome table

9:15 am Grace Mulligan-Kurtz (Calder)
Ethel Leach (College)

10:45 am Leann Mohr (Calder)
Grace Mulligan-Kurtz (College)

GREETERS

Please pick up nametags at the welcome table

9:15 am Emma Bence (Calder)
Ford & Hazel Stryker (College)

10:45 am John & Sue Ake (Calder)
Gary & Sandy MacElwee (College)

ATTENDANCE - September 3

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| 8:00 am | 24 |
| 9:15 am | 265 |
| 10:45 am | 124 |
| Total | 413 |

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.

