



THE WEEKLY

Calendar of Discipleship Opportunities

Sunday, October 8

- CROP Walk Tables at Entrances 8 am-12 pm*
- 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
 - 11:45 am Student Lunch (Abba Java)
 - 12:00 pm Life After Loss (Asbury Room)
 - 12:30 pm Relevations Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
 - 5:30 pm St. Paul's Youth Fellowship (Ed. Center 3rd floor)

Monday, October 9

- 11:30 am Friendship Circle (Social Room)
- 5:30 pm Prayer (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, October 10

- Church Building Closed until 5:30 for In-Service Day*
- 12:30 pm Women of Purpose (Ed. Center 308)
 - 7:00 pm Troop 31 Meeting (Gym)
 - 7:00 pm Genesis Study (Wesley 202)

Wednesday, October 11

- 9:30 am Women of Faith, Hope & Love (Ed. Center 3rd floor)
- 11:00 am Bread Basket (Social Room)
- 4:00 pm Stewardship Meeting (Wesley 202)
- 5:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Gathering (Frank Chapel)
- 6:00 pm Den Meeting (Wesley 205, 303, Gym)
- 6:00 pm Wesley on Wednesday (Abba Java)
- 7:00 pm Troop 31 Committee Meeting (Asbury Room)
- 8:30 pm Rachel Held Evans Keynote (Sanctuary)

Thursday, October 12

- 12:00 pm Ruth Circle Meeting (Ed. Center 301)

Friday, October 13

- 4:00 pm Relevations Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 6:30 am Accountable Disciples (Social Room)

Saturday, October 14

- 9:00 am Shoe Bank (Wesley 203)

Sunday School Schedule

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

ADULTS		
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 stpaulsmusicsce@gmail.com

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
Cherub Choir (grades K-2)		
Sunday	10:10 am	Ed. Center 103
Angelus Choir (grades 3-6)		
Sunday	10:10 am	Ed. Center 3 rd floor

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 church building will be closed Tuesday, October 10, until 5:30 pm for an In-Service Day. Messages may be left on the voicemail. Emergency calls will be returned as soon as possible with all others Wednesday after 9 am. Thank you.

Deadline Change: *The Weekly* articles for Sunday, November 5, are due (along with October 29 articles) on Monday, October 23.

St. Paul's Church Conference will be held at 2 pm on November 12, at Mt. Nittany United Methodist Church. We will participate in a Cluster Conference under the direction of our District Superintendent, Rev. Lori Steffensen. Those who have been emailed forms to complete are asked to return them to the Church Office by October 16. Committee reporting is not requested this year.

GROW

Faith Explorers is a group of eight men who meet every Wednesday at 7:15 pm at a member's home to discuss readings and faith viewpoints. We are just starting "No God But One" by Nabeel Qureshi. We welcome new members. Anyone interested can contact Paul Steindorf (880-4883; phsteindorf@gmail.com).

Friendship UMW Circle will meet Monday, October 9, 11:30 am-12:30 pm in the Social Room. Bring your lunch and attend for discussion and fellowship.

Join us Wednesday, October 11 to hear NYT best selling author, blogger and speaker, Rachel Held Evans. The keynote address, "Keeping The Bible Weird" will begin at 7:30 pm in St. Paul's Sanctuary. Books will be for sale and a reception will follow in the Social Room. All are welcome to this community event.

Ruth UMW Circle will meet on Thursday, October 12, at 12 pm on the 3rd floor of the Education Center. Pastor Greg will join us to share about his ministry. All ladies are welcome.

Mary and Martha UMW Circle will meet Wednesday, October 18, 10:30 am at Hoss's. Business meeting and lunch followed by program by Jan Becker on the St. Paul's Shoe Bank, celebrating 25 years of putting shoes on kids' feet! Everyone welcome.

Deborah UMW Circle will meet Wednesday, October 18, 7 pm, at Judy Geschwindner's home. A program will be presented by yoga instructor, Joann Dornich. All ladies are welcome.

SERVE

Thank you to the following ushers who served from July through September 2017.

Barb Barnett	Joseph Knutelsky
Bill Batcheler	John McCullough
Chris Connelly	Guy McDonald
Felix Boake	Ron McGlaughlin
Mark Bodenschatz	George Mitchell
Allen Cameron	Dave Panko
Bill Culp	Gary Perdew
Tom Czajkowski	Lee Pressler
Hayden Davidson	Tyler Rice
Steve Elbin	Art Stine
Bob Forbes	Kelly Uchneat
Rob Foster	Jim Vogelsong
Sandy Goga	Hubie Wian
Susan Johnson	Gary Wisner
Dave Knutelsky	Dick Wolfe
Jacob Knutelsky	Bob Yoder

S.E.E.K. (Safe Embrace for Every Child) is looking for persons to provide loving childcare for scheduled church functions. An hourly rate will be paid for your services. If interested, please contact Eileen Lang (237-2163 ext. 122) for details.

Calling all with sewing skills! We need 147 school bags for St. Paul's November 5 assembly of UMCOR school kits. If you're interested in sewing, please contact Elizabeth Case for fabric and the pattern: (elizabethjcase@hotmail.com; 412-913-6049).

Volunteers/team needed: Orbisonia UMC is working on a building to be used for community ministry. They need help with demolition in order to install a new floor. They can use Saturday help or a group for several days. They can house and feed. Contact Matthew Scott (599-7545) to help.

GIVE

"Bags of Hope" is an exciting, new ministry building on an 8-year relationship with Hope Made Real in Rwanda, Africa. This is instead of Operation Christmas Child. Pick up your bag and details at the display outside the Sanctuary. Return by November 12 for the blessing in worship. Questions? Contact Marcia Perdew (marciaperdew@gmail.com).

The St. Paul's Children and Youth Ministries are collecting gently used sports equipment to be donated to Mission Central. This equipment will be distributed to sports programs

with kids and youth in need. Usable equipment of all kinds will be accepted. Donations can be brought to the bin in the Education Center lobby any time during October.

Nicaragua Backpacks & Scholarships: \$15 provides a backpack and a whole year's education. You have helped over 1200 very thankful students like Adriana, Bismark, Cristel and Darwin. Checks made out to St Paul's, marked #24205, can be mailed to: Barbara Taylor, 856 Galen Dr, State College PA 16803. Thank you.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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

Do you love telling stories to children? During Advent 2017, Children's Sunday School will use a rotation method similar to the Vacation Bible School to teach the Christmas Story. This is a short term commitment (3 weeks)! If you would like more information, please contact Tori.

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.

Sunday evening SPYF meets on the 3rd floor of the Education Center, 5:30-8 pm. Dinner, lesson and game. See you there!

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

Join us after church today for lunch and a visit to a local fall festival. We will leave by 12:30 pm and return around 3 pm. Let Jen know if you plan to come!

The graduate student dinner this month will be meeting on Wednesday to hear Rachel Held Evans. Dinner with her at 5:30 pm and keynote at 7:30 pm.

Wesley's Closet is looking for student volunteers to pass out coats and new socks and underwear to the community. Saturday mornings 10 am-12 pm. October 14, 28, November 4, 18 and December 2. Email Jen for more info or to sign up.

COMMUNITY

CROP Hunger Walk is a community-wide fundraising event for Church World Service. Sunday, October 15 at Grace

Lutheran Church. Registration begins 1:30 pm, walk at 2 pm. Learn more at the Sign-Up tables at the church entrances today and next Sunday, October 8, or at: www.crophungerwalk.org/statecollegepa/

ACAP- Centre County provides information and support for adult children caring for aging parents and for themselves. You are invited to attend a free educational presentation by Dr. Steven Zarit, Professor Emeritus at Penn State on Caregiver Stress on Tuesday, October 10, 5:30 pm at Best Western Plus on 115 Premier Drive. Call 1-877-599-2227 or visit www.ACAPcommunity.org.

Park Forest Village UMC has purchased the Holtkamp pipe organ from Penn State's recital hall, and is raising funds for its installation. If you would like to contribute by purchasing an "I'm an Organ Donor" tee shirt, go to www.customink.com/fundraising/pipe-organ-installation-project. Contact Cynthia Mills for info (cymills55@gmail.com).

The PPCC (Partnering to Prevent and Control Cancer) study is looking for adult cancer survivors to participate in a survey on physical activity preferences and barriers. PPCC is being conducted by researchers at The Pennsylvania State University. For more information, contact the PPCC study (814-863-0132; hdparlab@gmail.com).

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 Lisa Voigt (Calder)
Ethel Leach (College)

10:45 am Leann Mohr (Calder)
Jean Doyle (College)

GREETERS

Please pick up nametags at the welcome table

9:15 am Betty Knouse (Calder)
Bob & Janet Donaldson (College)

10:45 am Paul & Joanne Steindorf (Calder)
Cindy Regel (College)

ATTENDANCE - October 1

8:00 am	36
9:15 am	255
10:45 am	119
Total	410

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, 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.

ARTICLE AND SLIDE SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The Weekly: Due Mondays at 4 pm. 50 word limit. Will run no longer than 3 weeks.

The Messenger (monthly): Due the second Wednesday of each month at 12 pm. 200 word limit.

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.

Email articles to cfisher@stpaulsc.org

Sunday Morning Slides: Due Wednesdays. Must be JPEG files (no PowerPoint). Indicate the order in which you want them to appear.

Email slides to stpaulsmedia@gmail.com