



# THE WEEKLY

## Calendar of Discipleship Opportunities

### Sunday, October 15

- 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)
- 2:00 pm SPYF @ Stone Valley Vertical Adventures

### Monday, October 16

- 11:30 am UMW Reading Group (Ed. Center 308)
- 5:30 pm Prayer (Sanctuary)

### Tuesday, October 17

- 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 18

- 9:30 am Women of Faith, Hope & Love (Ed. Center 3<sup>rd</sup> floor)
- 11:00 am Bread Basket (Social Room)
- 5:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting (Wesley 204)
- 5:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Gathering (Frank Chapel)
- 6:00 pm Wesley on Wednesday (Abba Java)
- 6:30 pm Pack 31 Meeting (Social Room)

### Thursday, October 19

- 9:00 am UMCOR Sewing (Ed. Center 3<sup>rd</sup> floor)
- 6:00 pm Trustee Meeting (Asbury Room)
- 7:00 pm Mt. T.O.P. Core Team (Wesley 202)

### Friday, October 20

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

### Saturday, October 21

- 9:00 am Shoe Bank (Wesley 203)

## Sunday School Schedule

CHILDREN & YOUTH		
9:15	Children's Sunday School	Ed. Center 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> floors
	SPYF Sunday School	Ed. Center 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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](mailto:stpaulsmusicsce@gmail.com)

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

**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

**The afternoon knit/crochet group** will meet Tuesday, October 17, at Betty Blazer's clubhouse (Hart Circle) at 1 pm. All are invited to attend. Questions? Contact Sue Rubba (360-5264 ; susanrubba@gmail.com).

**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.

**Missions Pizza Lunch and UMCOR School Kit Assembly, November 5:** All ages are invited to a pizza lunch followed by UMCOR school kit assembly on Sunday, November 5, 12-1 pm, in the Social Room. The United Methodist Committee on Relief will ship our relief kits to areas in crisis. Please RSVP on the church website or contact Joanna Carlson (joannacarlson@gmail.com).

**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).

## SERVE

**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).

## 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.

## **Mexico Earthquake Relief:**

Give Ye Them To Eat is a health and sustainability focused ministry near Puebla, Mexico, right in the epicenter of the September 19 earthquake. You can donate towards their hurricane repair and rebuilding efforts by writing a check to St. Paul's, earmarked "07629A." Learn more about the unique position GYTTE has to help at [www.gytte.org/GYTTEpicenterUpdate.pdf](http://www.gytte.org/GYTTEpicenterUpdate.pdf).

## **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 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of the Education Center. All in grades 6-12 are welcome.

**NO evening SPYF meeting tonight!** If you are coming to Stone Valley Vertical Adventures today, we will see you in the St. Paul's parking lot at 2 pm! Sunday night SPYF will resume next Sunday, 5:30 pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of the Ed. Center.

**Visit [www.stpaulsc.org](http://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** today, after the 10:45 service! All are welcome!

**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 on October 14, 28,

November 4, 18 and December 2. Email Jen for more info or to sign up.

## **COMMUNITY**

**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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto: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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 Pat Moyer (Calder)  
Grace Mulligan-Kurtz (College)

10:45 am Tami Mistrick (Calder)  
Phyllis Stuby (College)

## GREETERS

*Please pick up nametags at the welcome table*

9:15 am The Mull Family (Calder)  
The Soltis Family (College)

10:45 am Gary & Betsy Wiser (Calder)  
Barb & Ray Raker (College)

## ATTENDANCE - October 8

8:00 am	37
9:15 am	286
10:45 am	111
<b>Total</b>	<b>434</b>

## 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](mailto: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](mailto:stpaulsmedia@gmail.com)**

