



THE WEEKLY

Calendar of Discipleship Opportunities

Sunday, October 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
- 11:45 am Student Lunch (Abba Java)
- 12:00 pm Life After Loss (Asbury Room)
- 5:30 pm St. Paul's Youth Fellowship (Ed. Center 3rd floor)

Monday, October 23

- 5:30 pm Prayer (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, October 24

- 12:30 pm Women of Purpose (Ed. Center 308)
- 5:00 pm Endowment Fund Committee (Ed. Center 308)
- 6:30 pm UMW Executive Board (Wesley 205)
- 7:00 pm Troop 31 Meeting (Gym)
- 7:00 pm Genesis Study (Wesley 202)

Wednesday, October 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)
- 6:00 pm Den Meeting (Wesley 303)
- 6:00 pm Wesley on Wednesday (Abba Java)
- 7:00 pm Church Council (Social Room)

Thursday, October 26

- 5:15 pm Wesley Leadership Team (Wesley 202)

Friday, October 27

- 6:30 am Accountable Disciples (Social Room)

Saturday, October 28

- 9:00 am Shoe Bank (Wesley 203)
- 7:30 pm Essence of Joy Concert (Sanctuary)

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

Deadline Change: *Weekly* articles for Sunday, November 5, are due (along with October 29 articles) **tomorrow, 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. All members of St. Paul's are invited to attend.

GROW

Open Table is a new community of St. Paul's that recognizes diverse approaches to scripture, tradition, reason, and experience. Come share a meal, hear guest speakers, & discuss the topics! Our first discussion is October 23, 6-8 pm in the Social Room. For more information and to RSVP, email djph19@outlook.com.

Ruth UMW Circle will meet on Thursday, November 9, at 12:00 noon on the third floor of the Education Center. We will be having our pledge service, led by Nancy Silverman. All are welcome.

SAVE THE DATE! Dr. James Ritchie and "**Created By God**" will return to St. Paul's February 1-4, 2018. Information for parents of 5th-7th graders will be in the November *Messenger*. If you have questions, please contact Tori Von Leer (237-2163x148; tvonleer@stpaulsc.org).

SERVE

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).

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).

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 (237-2163x122) for details.

During Advent 2017 Children's Sunday School will use a rotation method similar to Vacation Bible School to teach the Christmas Story. Are you willing to lead a station? Art, Story or Mission? This is a short term commitment (3 weeks)! All materials prepared. If you would like more information, contact Tori (237-2163x148; tvonleer@stpaulsc.org).

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 Emilio, Flor,

Guillermo, Isamari, and Jeremias. 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/ GYTTEEpicenterUpdate.pdf.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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

Plan to attend the Great ADVENTure Workshop on December 2!

The activity stations for kids begin at 10:30 am, lunch at 12 pm and decorating by 1 pm! If you and/or your family would like to help decorate the church, contact Tori Von Leer. More information will be in the November *Messenger*.

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

Free student lunch today, after the 10:45 service! All are welcome!

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

COMMUNITY

Free seminar: Three Ways to Protect Yourself from Nursing Home Costs.

Saturday, November 4, 9:30-10:45 am, at the Nittany Lion Inn. Certified Elder Law Attorney, Tammy A. Weber will help seniors and retirees understand their options to plan for long term care. Register at 1-800-401-4552 or www.paelderlaw.com.

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 November/December are available in the magazine racks outside Sanctuary entrances.

WELCOME TABLE

Please pick up nametags at the welcome table

9:15 am Bob Lamb (Calder)
Grace Mulligan-Kurtz (College)

10:45 am Barb DeShong (Calder)
Diane Gustine (College)

GREETERS

Please pick up nametags at the welcome table

9:15 am Dave Nelson (Calder)
Phil & Ann DeHaas (College)

10:45 am The Knutelsky Family (Calder)
Ron McGlaughlin (College)

ATTENDANCE - October 15

8:00 am	32
9:15 am	287
10:45 am	131
Total	465

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

