

St. Paul News July 7, 2019



ROOTED AND GROWING
St. Paul Lutheran Church
Lititz, PA

Welcome Visitors: We are glad you're here and we pray you experience God's presence in worship today. Please introduce yourself to the pastor and assisting minister as you leave worship. They would like to present you with a "Visitor Bag" to help you learn more about the ministry at St. Paul. We also invite you to sign our Visitor Book. Blessings to you, and we hope you join us again!

Highlights

- Pastor Rob arrived safely in Tanzania. Today he is spending the day with Kanga Lutheran, our partner congregation. He will be worshipping and preaching!
- Family VBS begins this Wednesday at 6:30 pm. See page 3 for more details!
- Thank you to our guest musicians Bruce & Anika Weaver and Karen Bitzer for offering special music today!

The Altar Flowers are offered to the Glory of God in honor & memory of our parents by John, Mike and Albert Steffy.

The rose on the altar is given in honor of Eloise Mae Hill, daughter of Tyler and Shannon Hill, great-granddaughter of Dick and Judy Mearig.

The Communion Bread is offered to the Glory of God by Patricia Kline.

Nursery: children ages infant - 5 are welcome in the nursery! Church member volunteers with clearances will provide loving care to your kids while you worship! Please sign your children in & out of nursery.

Sermons Online: You can access Pastor Rob's sermons online via a "Quick Link" on the homepage of the St. Paul website.

Today's Music

8:00 am Musicians: Bo Weaver and Anika Weaver, French horn
Prelude: Eternal Father, Strong to Save - arr. Bo and Anika Weaver
Offering: Poem - Gardner Read

9:30 am Musician: Karen Bitzer, soprano
Prelude: Domine Deus - Antonio Vivaldi
Offering: My Source of Joy - Joseph Haydn
Communion: Humbly I Adore Thee - trad. plainsong



Summer for Children @ Church



Flat Jesus: Where has Flat Jesus been this first month of summer? The beach? The pool? Camp? Don't forget to post pics on Social Media of where Jesus is adventuring this summer (using #flatjesus) for a chance to win \$100 from Sparkhouse! Also, send your pics to Deacon Emily so she can keep track of his adventures.

Lego Builders! for kids who've completed grades k-6, we're starting a new LEGO ministry! Come to the church on Friday mornings 9:30-11am for bible-based building! We'll start Friday, June 21 through August 30. Josh Fackler - Lego Enthusiast will be leading us! Parents welcome to stay or drop-off.



**You're welcome to:
family-style VBS
at St. Paul Lutheran Church!**



**Wednesdays
July 10, 17, 24, 31
6:30-8pm**

Worship at the pavilion before indoor stations of Bible-based fun and learning

Games! Snacks! Crafts! Science!

Questions: call 717-626-4709 or deaconemily@stpaulstitz.net

The Solar System Comes to St. Paul!

On Thursday, August 1 at 6:30pm an indoor Planetarium is coming to St. Paul's Fellowship Hall as our VBS celebration! 50 tickets will be available for purchase at VBS for \$5/seat. We hope you'll come to VBS and to this very special event!



Fellowship & Service

Summer Musicians (Singers and Instrumentalists) Wanted! Opportunities are available for multiple musicians each Sunday of the summer season. You can offer a prelude, offering or communion music. Sign up at the kiosk in the narthex! Questions? Contact Pam Drenner at 717.669.0298 or pdrenner@stpaulsitiz.net.

Liberian Student Tuition Sponsorship Program: Student profiles have arrived for the 2019-2020 school year! Sponsors who indicated an interest in continuing their support for a particular student will find their information envelopes on the display table in the narthex. New students are also available. We have a total of 61 students that need sponsors. I am extremely pleased to share that we have 6 graduates to celebrate this year! Check the information table in the Narthex for details. Questions? See Joyce Groff, Carol Miller or Pat Lamb for more information. Thank you for your continued support of this outreach project!

The Warwick Community Chest Food Bank items requested for July: canned, ready to eat chunky soups, instant mashed potatoes, ketchup, mustard and mayo. No expired date items, please. The Food Bank does not get as many donations during the summer months. Please be as generous as you are able.

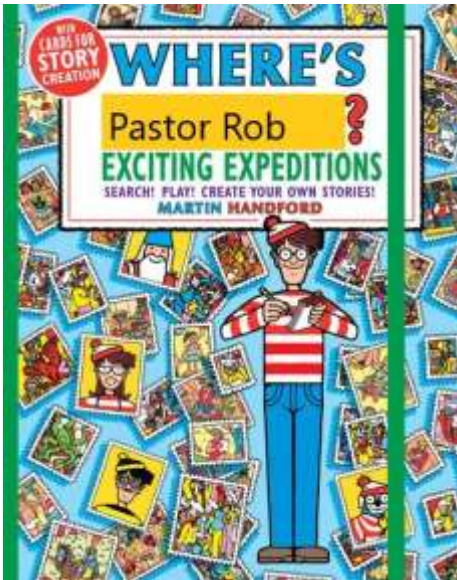
Men's Bible Study and Breakfast will take place on Saturday July 13, starting at 8AM, at Brickerville United Lutheran Church. All men are invited to attend and join the stimulating study and discussion. Please contact Jim Millhouse with any questions.

Wine Club will meet on Friday, July 19 at 7pm in the pavilion. Join us for fun and fellowship! Sign up in the Narthex.

Women of the ELCA Convention: All women are invited to attend the Lower Susquehanna Synodical Women's Convention on August 16 and 17, 2019. Our church will be hosting this event. There will be a variety of workshops, Bible Studies and opportunities to meet with leaders of the Synodical Women's Organization. Bishop Dunlop will be leading the Saturday Worship Service. Deacon Emily will be the chaplain for the convention. You can register for one or two days and registration forms are available on the kiosk. Deadline for registration is July 22nd. Contact: Sandy Bingaman 717-665-5265

Needle Workers: Blanket patches are available in the narthex bin for sewing blanket tops. Directions are included with most of them. Thank you for your help!!

Ladies Lunch Bunch: will gather on July 17 at 11:30 at Tomato Pie Café, Lititz. Please sign up in Narthex. Contact Nancy Miller with questions 717-405-0000.



Pastor Rob is in Tanzania from June 30-July 13. We keep him and his travel-mates in our prayers! He will visit our partner synod: the Konde Diocese, as well as St. Paul's partner church: Kanga Lutheran. His travels will also take him to our missionaries: The Swanson Family working at the Arusha Lutheran Medical Center and Selian Lutheran Hospital.

Preaching, teaching, serving and hopefully some relaxing --- may the Spirit be with you, Pastor Rob.

Worship Volunteers

We would love for you to join us in service. For more information about volunteering, contact the church office (717)-626-4709, office@stpaultitz.net.

Visit our online sign up at <https://ttsu.me/stpaulworship>

July 7	<u>8:00</u>	<u>9:30</u>
Acolyte	Pat Lamb	Audrey Myallis
AG Set Up	Dave & Marty Althouse	-
AG Set/Clean Up	Mary Ann Seitz	-
AG Clean Up		Kathy Ross
Assist. Minister	Wayne Gongaware	Joanne Strunck
Comm. Asst.	Barb Weaver Need 2	Kathy Ross Need 2
Greeters		
Lector	Phyllis Frankhouser	Joanne Strunck
Lights/Sound	Robert Wiegand	Nancy Miller
Nursery		Jen Maryniak & Elizabeth Cardwell
Ushers	Mike Herr Team 1	Kathy Smith Team 10
<u>July 14</u>	<u>8:00</u>	<u>9:30</u>
Acolyte	Needed	Tristan Smith
AG Set Up	Nancy Weiss	
AG Set/Clean Up	Barb Weaver	-
AG Clean Up	-	Kathy Trayer/Linda Vance
Assist. Minister	Emmy Schreiber	Kathy Ross
Comm. Asst.	Need 3	Need 3
Greeters	Needed	Needed
Lector	Jim Roth	Kathy Ross
Nursery	Needed	Linda Reynolds/Stephanie Cramer
Lights/Sound	Steve Fink Family	Don Campbell
Ushers	Doug Hookway Team	Emmy Savage Team 16 15

Attendance: June 30: 70 (8:00), 186 (9:30)

Two Week Calendar at a Glance

July 7-13	July 14-20
SUN 8:00 Worship 9:30 Worship	SUN 8:00 Worship 9:30 Worship
MON 1:00 Telecare 6:00 Yoga	MON 9:00 Science Squad 6:00 Yoga 7:00 LWCC Mtg
TUES 10:00 Staff Mtg. 6:30 Craft Night 6:30 Finance Meeting 6:30 Garden Group	TUES 10:00 Staff Mtg 6:30 Garden Group 6:30 WELCA 7:00 Mission & Outreach
WED 9:15 Chapel 11:00 Staff Devotion 1:30 Chapel 6:15 CELC Staff 6:30 VBS	WED 9:15 Chapel 11:00 Staff Devotion 1:30 Chapel 6:30 VBS
THURS 10:00 Bible Study 6:30 Oula	THURS 10:00 Bible Study 6:00 Stewardship Mtg. 6:30 Oula
FRI 9:30 am Lego Builders	FRI 9:30 Lego Builders 7:00 Wine Club Pavilion
SAT 9:00 WELCA Mtg 11:00 Garden Group	SAT 11:00 Garden Group

Our Ministers

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