

St. Paul News June 23, 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

- We welcome our special greeters today in the Narthex from 9-9:30. Say hello to George Swartz and his dog Sunny, a KPets certified therapy dog.
- Thank you to Sue Long for filling in as our guest organist today.
- The social hall roof repair is in progress and the parking lot is schedule to be paved this week.

The Altar Flowers are offered to the Glory of God by Gayle Stauffer in memory of loved ones.

The flowers on the divider are offered to the Glory of God by Mel and Joan Weaver in honor of their 62nd wedding anniversary.

The Communion Bread is offered to the Glory of God by Jean Steffy.

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

	Prelude	Offering	Postlude
8:00	Reflection - FW Asper	Prayer - James Mansfield	Recessional - F W Asper

Thank you to Sue Long our guest organist at 8:00 am

Summer for Children @ Church



***NEW* St. Paul's Science Squad!** Our first adventure was postponed due to weather. We will meet tomorrow (June 24) at 9:00 am. Kids who've completed grades 3-6 are invited to explore God's world together! We'll meet three (3) times over the summer. Join us for our first adventure for a Creek Walk & Critter Catch on the Conestoga River in West Earl. Check out the bulletin board for details or email sciencesquad@stpaultitz.net



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.

Splash Picnic! Today from 4:30-7pm in the pavilion. St. Paul families with a child in our Splash Program (ages birth -3) and up to 8 years old. This potluck picnic is designed for fellowship, fun and food! Bring food to share. Hot dogs and buns are provided. There will be outdoor games and toys for the little ones. Future picnic dates: July 21 and August 18. Contact: Melissa Wainman (717-627-7285).

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



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@stpaulstutz.net

(*Families with children preschool/elementary)



Fellowship & Service

Young Adult Hike and Deck Night: Come out to St. Paul's first young adult event of the summer on Tuesday June 25th! Meet at the Clarence Shock Nature Center at 6pm for a short hike up to the tower. Afterwards we will meet at the Hideaway for a night on the deck and fellowship! Contact Emmy Schreiber @ eschreiber@stpaulstitz.net.

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@stpaulstitz.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!

Christian Service Box (located in the narthex): Donations given for May & June will be directed to the Friends of Luther Acres. Funds are being raised to purchase a Personal Care Engagement System which benefits memory support, therapy & wellness. For more information contact Pat Lamb in the office 717-626-4709.

The Warwick Community Chest Food Bank items requested for June are: canned mini meals (Spaghettio's, ravioli, etc.), canned fruit and applesauce (especially pears, fruit cocktail, peaches, mandarin oranges), pasta. Please, no expired date items. Donations can be placed in the chest in the narthex at any time.

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>

June 23	<u>8:00</u>	<u>9:30</u>
Acolyte	Pat Lamb	Tami Ruckel
AG Set Up	Carol Miller	-
AG Set/Clean Up	Deb Herr	-
AG Clean Up		Tammy Jo Stetler
Assist. Minister	Gayle Stauffer	Jenny Bitzner
Comm. Asst.	Need 3	Kathy Ross, Tami Ruckel, Tom Reinfried
Greeters		Jennifer Weise & family
Lector	Gayle Stauffer	Jenny Bitzer
Lights/Sound	Mike Herr	Kathy Ross
Nursery	Mallory Gunzenhauser	Linda Reynolds
Ushers	John Steffy Team 13	Bob Cochran Team 20
<u>June 30</u>	<u>8:00</u>	<u>9:30</u>
Acolyte	Needed	Tristian Smith
AG Set Up	Gary & Jean Zentz	
AG Set/Clean Up	John & Linda Bell	-
AG Clean Up	-	Kathy Trayer & Linda Vance
Assist. Minister	Needed	Jenny Bitzer
Comm. Asst.	Need 3	Beth Hoffer Need 2
Greeters	Needed	Needed
Lector	John Steffy	Jenny Bitzer
Nursery	Needed	Jen Maryniak & Elizabeth Cardwell
Lights/Sound	Melissa Lamb	Steve Shaub
Ushers	Dick Mearig Team 3	Wayne Gongaware Team 14

Attendance: June 16: 87 (8:00), 164 (10:45)

The St. Paul Endowment Fund was created in 2001 to foster, receive and administer bequests & donated monetary gifts which are invested. The earned income supports the mission of the church and provides funds to many. The fund interest is shared annually. In its 17 years of existence, the Endowment Committee has been able to give \$375,372.00 to the missions that we serve. If you would like to donate to the Endowment Fund, please submit a check with the form below, or call the office at 717-626-4709 for more information.

Endowment Ministry

The Scriptural principle of proportionate giving, to return to the LORD a portion of the gifts God has given to his beloved children, is both a privilege and an appropriate response in all times and circumstances.

As we approach Father's Day, graduation, or if you wish to acknowledge any other major event, please consider a donation to the Endowment Fund in honor or memory of the above. Please take this opportunity to help the Endowment Fund grow.

Please make checks payable to St. Paul, marked for the Endowment Fund.

In Honor of: _____

In Memory of: _____

Two Week Calendar at a Glance

June 23-29	June 30-July 6
SUN 8:00 Worship 9:00 KPETS at Worship 9:30 Worship 4:30 SPLASH Picnic 7:00 Stephen Ministry	SUN 8:00 Worship 9:30 Worship
MON 1:00 Archives 6:00 Yoga	MON 6:00 Yoga
TUES 10:00 Staff Mtg 6:00 CELC Mtg 6:30 Garden Group 7:00 Property Committee	TUES 10:00 Staff Mtg. 6:30 Garden Group 7:00 VBS Prep 7:00 Knitting Group
WED 9:00 Blanket Makers 11:00 Staff Devotion	WED 11:00 Staff Devotion 1:15 Luther Acres Circle 2:00 Senior Group 7:00 Troop Committee Mtg
THURS 10:00 Pastor's Bible Study 6:30 Oula 6:30 Senior Shepherds	THURS JULY 4th CLOSED
FRI 9:30 am Lego Builders	FRI OFFICE CLOSED 9:30 Lego Builders
SAT 11:00 Garden Group	SAT 11:00 Garden Group

Our Ministers

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