



Third Sunday After Pentecost—June 26, 2022

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

14 West Pennsylvania Avenue, Walkersville, Maryland 21793

Worship Service LIVE—9:25 a.m.

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Through Christ, we joyfully feed the body, mind, and spirit of all.

SERVING TODAY

Minister.....Pastor Phil Beck
 Lector.....Kate Stottlemeyer
 Organist.....Jeff Gentry

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS

President—Russ Mildenstein
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 Secretary—Jackie Waas

**Please stand as you are able.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE/CANDLES LIT

CHURCH BELL RUNG

***PARAMENTS AND TORCHES BLESSING**

- L: Loving and Gracious God! It is good to give honor, glory and thanks to the LORD,
- C: **It is good for us to remember what God has done in our midst in the past, to be awed by God's presence among us in the present, and to faithfully discern God's will for the community of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in the future.**
- L: In Hebrews 12 we hear: " ¹Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, ²fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith."
- L: The paraments that have been lovingly and carefully placed on the altar, lectern, and pulpit, and the banners that have hung on the walls of this sanctuary through the years, have marked the passing of the seasons of the Christian calendar. They have helped us to remember that we are standing on the shoulders of, and are surrounded by, the "great cloud of witnesses" who have kept the faith alive.
- C: **We thank you God for the efforts and dedication of those who presented these paraments, who took such loving care of them, and worked to prepare this Sanctuary for worship. We pray God's blessing on the paraments and torches that are in use in our Church. May these continue to remind us of the rich history and tradition that St. Paul's Lutheran church has been built on.**
- L: Today another set of paraments and torches are presented to be added, consecrated and commissioned into service in St. Paul's Lutheran church as a gift given to the Glory of God in memory of Jeanne Smith.
- C: **We accept these paraments and torches as a sacred trust and will use them with reverence and with respect.**
- L: In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, we consecrate these paraments and torches to the Glory of God.
- L: Let us pray: Loving and gracious God! Grant us your blessing as we consecrate this gift of paraments and torches to your glory, that they may be an enduring witness before all of your people, and that our lives may be consecrated to your service. Send your blessing on these torches, which we set apart today; may they be to us a sign of Christ, Light of the world, the light no darkness can overcome. Send your blessing on these paraments, which we set apart today; may they adorn this house, show us the beauty of holiness, and so proclaim the glory of your majesty. We pray this in the name of our Risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.
- C: **AMEN.**

***CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Most merciful God,

C: **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

***The Peace**

P: The peace of Christ be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

***GATHERING HYMN.....Will You Come and Follow Me.....ELW 798**

1 "Will you come and follow me
if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown,
will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown
in you and you in me?

2 "Will you leave yourself behind
if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare,
should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer pray'r
in you and you in me?

4 "Will you love the you you hide
if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found
to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound
in you and you in me?"

5 Lord, your summons echoes true
when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
and never be the same.
In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow
in you and you in me.

***GREETING (ELW, p. 147)**

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
C: **And also with you.**

***KYRIE (ELW, p. 147) (Sung)**

- L: In peace let us pray to the Lord.
C: **Lord, have mercy.**
- L: For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
C: **Lord, have mercy.**
- L: For the peace of the whole world, for the well being of the church of God and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.
C: **Lord, have mercy.**
- L: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.
C: **Lord, have mercy.**
- L: Help, save, comfort and defend us gracious Lord.
C: **Amen.**

***Canticle of Praise (Sung)**

- L: This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.
C: **Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches and wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are His. This is the feast of victory for our God, Alleluia. Sing with all the people of God and join in the hymn of all creation; Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen. This is the feast of victory for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

***PRAYER OF THE DAY:**

- P: Sovereign God, ruler of all hearts, you call us to obey you, and you favor us with true freedom. Keep us faithful to the ways of your Son, that, leaving behind all that hinders us, we may steadfastly follow your paths, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
C: **Amen.**

Anthem.....(Soloist-Ginny Brace)

FIRST READING: 1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21

- L: *The Word of the Lord.*
C: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM: 16

¹Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you;
**I have said to the Lord, "You are my Lord, my
good above all other."**

²All my delight is in the godly that are in the land,
**upon those who are noble among the
people.**

³But those who run after other gods
shall have their troubles multiplied.

⁴I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods,
never take their names upon my lips.

⁵O Lord, you are my portion and my cup;
it is you who uphold my lot.

⁶My boundaries enclose a pleasant land;
indeed, I have a rich inheritance.

⁷I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel;
my heart teaches me night after night.

⁸I have set the Lord always before me;
**because God is at my right hand, I shall not
be shaken.**

⁹My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices;
my body also shall rest in hope.

¹⁰For you will not abandon me to the grave,
nor let your holy one see the pit.

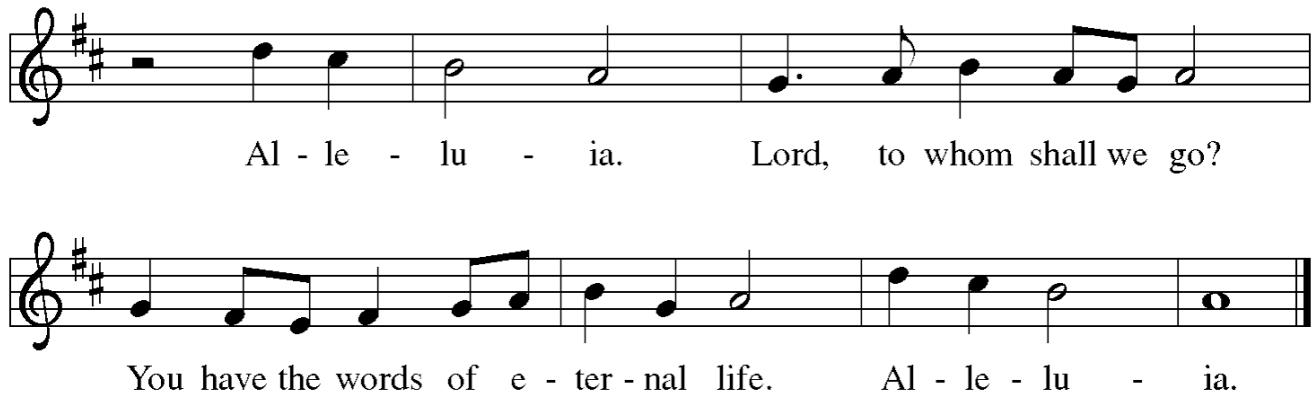
¹¹You will show me the path of life;
**in your presence there is fullness of joy, and
in your right hand are pleasures forever-
more.**

SECOND READING: Galatians 5:1, 13-25

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (ELW, p. 151)*



The Holy Gospel according to Luke the Ninth chapter, **9:51-62**

C: Glory to you, O Lord. *(Sung)*

***THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD**

C: Praise to you, O Christ. *(Sung)*

SERMONPastor Phil Beck

Silence for Reflection

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| 1 Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult
of our life's wild, restless sea,
day by day his clear voice sounding,
saying, "Christian, follow me": | 4 In our joys and in our sorrows,
days of toil and hours of ease,
still he calls, in cares and pleasures,
"Christian, love me more than these." |
| 2 As of old Saint Andrew heard it
by the Galilean lake,
turned from home and toil and kindred,
leaving all for Jesus' sake. | 5 Jesus calls us! By your mercy,
Savior, may we hear your call,
give our hearts to your obedience,
serve and love you best of all. |

Text: Cecil Frances Alexander, 1818-1895

***THE NICENE CREED**

*We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.*

*We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.*

*We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,*
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

P: ... God, in your mercy, **C: Hear our prayer.**

OFFERING Please place your gift in the offering plate, mail to the church office or consider online giving.

***OFFERTORY HYMN** *Let the Vineyards be Fruitful, ELW 184*

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful
Offering Song

Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that
we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of
all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble
with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

The musical score is written on five staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: 'Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of'. The second staff continues: 'bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that'. The third staff continues: 'we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of'. The fourth staff continues: 'all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble'. The fifth staff concludes: 'with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.' The score ends with a double bar line.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER:**

P: Living God,

C: you gather the wolf and the lamb to feed together in your peaceable reign, and you welcome us all at your table. Reach out to us through this meal, and show us your wounded and risen body, that we may be nourished and believe in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

***THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (ELW, p.152)**

The Lord be with you. And al-so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The musical score is written on four staves in D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of two sharps (D major). The lyrics are: 'The Lord be with you. And al-so with you.' The second staff continues: 'Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.' The third staff continues: 'Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.' The fourth staff concludes: 'It is right to give our thanks and praise.' The score ends with a double bar line.

***THE PREFACE:**

P: It is indeed right our duty and our joy; that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C: ***(ELW, p. 153) Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

***WORDS OF INSTITUTION:**

P: In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this in remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

C: **Christ has died. Christ has risen. Christ will come again. Amen.**

***THE LORD'S PRAYER:**

P: Gathered into One with the Holy Spirit, we now pray as Jesus taught us...

C: **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

***C: (ELW, p.194) Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace,
grant us peace.**

HOLY COMMUNION: All are welcome at Christ's Table.

***P: May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
C: Amen.**

***POST COMMUNION CANTICLE: (ELW, 204)**

C: Thankful hearts and voices raise; tell everyone what God has done. Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and bear Christ's holy name. Send us with your promises and lead your people forth in joy with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia. Alleluia.

***POST COMMUNION PRAYER:**

P: We give you thanks, generous God, for in this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where hunger and thirst are no more. Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection, that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.

C: Amen.

***BENEDICTION:**

P: The God of peace, Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always.

C: Amen.

***SENDING HYMN.....If You But Trust in God to Guide YouELW 769**

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| 1 If you but trust in God to guide you
with gentle hand through all your ways,
you'll find that God is there beside you
when crosses come, in trying days.
Trust then in God's unchanging love;
build on the rock that will not move. | 3 The Lord our restless hearts is holding,
in peace and quietness content.
We rest in God's good will unfolding,
what wisdom from on high has sent.
God, who has chosen us by grace,
knows very well the fears we face. |
| 2 What gain is there in anxious weeping,
in helpless anger and distress?
If you are in your Savior's keeping,
in sorrow will he love you less?
<i>For Christ who took for you a cross</i>
will bring you safe through ev'ry loss. | 4 Sing, pray, and keep God's ways unswerving,
offer your service faithfully.
Trust heaven's word; though undeserving,
you'll find this promise true to be.
This is our confidence indeed:
God never fails in time of need. |

Text: Georg Neumark, 1621-1681; tr. composite
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***DISMISSAL**

GO IN PEACE, LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR,
THANKS BE TO GOD.

Announcement regarding livestreaming of the worship services:

St. Paul's intends to continue offering online worship services to share the Gospel through Facebook and Youtube. With the inclusion of in-person attendance during the service, we need to inform you that your presence may be captured in the recording and broadcast through St. Paul's social media platforms. Your comfort and privacy are of utmost importance, if you prefer not to have your image broadcast please contact the office by phone or email or inform the usher as you arrive. The office will keep a list of those wishing NOT to appear in the recording and convey that information to the Media and Technology Ministry.

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PRAYER LIST

Ellen Hatgi, member
Tommy Sorge, Nephew of Marie Purswell
Milton & Dolores Denn, Members
Erica Hoff, Daughter of Betty Walker
Sharyl Mildenstein, Family of Russ & Amy Mildenstein
Robb Port, Member
Joe Collins, Cousin of Joann Valainis
Dr. Heather DeVincentis, Friend of Sue and Lin Snyder
Libbianna LeDuff, Family of Hope Donati
Ronald Zeimen, Father of Amy Mildenstein
Thelma Powell, Member
Robert Hoff, III, Member
Family of Barbara Miller, Relative of Sue Snyder and Lin Snider
Joe Evens, Father of Patty Rimel
Dennis and Regina Cavell, Members
Eric and Anna Cavell, Son and Daughter-in-law of Dennis and Regina Cavell
Debbie O'Brien & children, Matthew Lokos, Benjamin & Dorothy Cavell, Family of Dennis & Regina Cavell
Barb Callow, Close friend of Marie Purswell
Peggy E., Friend of Sue Snyder and Lin Snider
Kathryn Evens, Mother of Patty Rimel
Lin Snider, member
Ron and Sharon Layman, Friends of Betsy Galliher
Bob Schmidt, Brother of Dottie Titmas
Irene Matthews, Mother of Tammy Snurr
Victoria Garcia, FEC Family
Julia Campbell, Concerned Friends
The Wynne Family
Bob Waas, Father of Mike Waas
Bruce Bierer, Brother of Connie Chesnik
Sue Snyder, Member
Betty Walker, Member
Marie Purswell, Member
Jeff Gentry, Organist
Shirley Merando, Member
Emily Firor, Friend of Tammy Snurr
Nancy, Friend of Robb and Dianne Port
Family of Joel Martin, Friend of Pastor Phil Beck
Maggie Purtee, Sister of Sam Purswell

PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES

- +Admiral Lisa Franchetti, U.S. Navy,
niece to Linwood Snider
- +Zachary Williams, U.S. Airforce,
grandson of Jim & Dottie Titmas
- +U.S. Navy Corpsman Matthew Kasik,
grandson of Sam Purswell
- +Dan Beck, Captain., U.S. Army, son of
Pastor Phil & Susan Beck
- +Carlin Rabie, U.S. Navy, Son-in-law
of Marcia & Raj Gupta
- +1st LT Patrick Campion, US Army, son
of Michelle and Michael Harrod
- +Eric Fong Sam, U.S. Army, friend of
Mary Ann Ferguson
- +Leo Tanja, U.S. Airforce, nephew of
Mary Ann Ferguson's sister in
law

*Do you have need for prayer?
Do you know someone else who has need for prayer?
If so, please know that we have a prayer team at
St. Paul's that is ready to help.
Simply contact the Church Office.
All requests are confidential.*

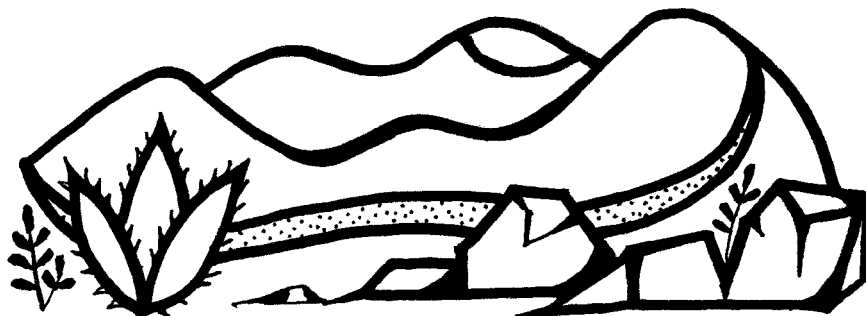
*****Please remember all the names on our prayer
list, and especially those that are **bold**.**
They have a specific current need for
Christian love and support.*

Comments from the Cloud of Witnesses

You, O Christ, are the one who loves me into endless life. You open up the way of risk. You go ahead of me along the way of holiness. Day by day you transfigure the "No" in me into "Yes." You ask me, not for a few scraps, but for the whole of my existence. You kept on saying: live the little bit of the gospel you have grasped. Proclaim my life. You, follow me. . . . Until one day I understood: you were asking me to commit myself to the point of no return.

—Roger Schutz

[Roger Schutz, *Parable of Community* (NY: Seabury, 1981), 58-59.]



*******IMPORTANT REMINDER*******

Please remember, it is imperative that you completely fill out the **PINK** sign in sheets located on the bulletin board in the Church and on the table inside the door in the Parish Hall if you are entering either building at a time other than a scheduled meeting or service. **Please** remember to check in with the Office **before** entering the Church building or the Parish Hall.

OFFERINGS

We are so blessed and grateful for your continued offerings during these unprecedented times.

It is only with your support we can maintain the everyday activities of the church and our work in the community.

Please consider mailing your offering to the church or if you have access to the website, there is an online giving option as well.

<https://www.saintpaulslutheranchurch.org/give/>

LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS:

Current Fund Weekly Need: \$3,825.00

Property Renovation Loan Fund Need: \$360.00

Electronic/Mail-ins Income
June 12, 2022:

Weekly Contributions:	\$1,228.50
Property Loan Fund:	\$ 320.00
Total:	\$1,548.50

In Worship Offerings

Weekly Contributions:	\$ 375.00
Property Loan Fund:	\$ 200.00
Total:	\$ 575.00

Electronic/Mail-ins Income
June 19, 2022:

Weekly Contributions:	\$ 872.64
Property Loan Fund:	\$ 80.00
Total:	\$ 952.64

In Worship Offerings

Weekly Contributions:	\$2,320.02
Property Loan Fund:	\$ 250.00
Total:	\$2,570.02

ATTENDANCE:

June 19, 2022

In person: 45

Virtual: 21

This Week at St Paul's

Sunday, June 26th

Worship (Livestream)	9:25am
Second Sunday after Pentecost	
Parament/Candle Blessing	
Autumn Lake Service	2:00pm

Monday, June 27th

FEC	8am-4pm
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Tuesday, June 28th

FEC	8am-4pm
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Wednesday, June 29th

FEC	8am-4pm
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Thursday, June 30th

FEC	8am-4pm
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Friday, July 1st

FEC	8am-4pm
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Sunday, July 3rd

Worship (Livestream)	9:25am
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost	
Quilt Blessing	
Ministry Sunday	10:30am

Church Council

May 17, 2022

Present: Pastor Phil, Trish Valcarcel, Troy Keeney (online), Tom Waters, Keith Horton, Marcia Gupta, Kate Stottlemeyer, and Linda Yopp, Jackie Waas, Mike Harrod, Ellen, Patty

Prayer and Devotion: Patty provided and Kate will do it June.

Ministry Reports: fix the word shaw to shawl (on April notes)

Pastor Report: Ocean City - no questions for Pastor Phil

Treasurer Report: Any Questions about finance committee meeting minutes. PPP loan is on last years books. Surplus Loan is forgiven + fund

Finance Report:

Copier - received a contract (comes every 6 months - with usage) Our black and white copies were high these past 6 months. Think because of printing bulletins for us and Autumn lake (\$353 of overage) We as a finance committee determined that we should adjust the contract to the next level up (\$83 a month) that would put us in that bracket of time. Try to print color more often.

Worship and Arts transferred budget to office budget. That should help cover this request. Amy can adjust our contract when she gets back.

Worship & Arts:

- Jeff to be out of Autumn Lake this Friday the 20th, Nancy did an excellent job of queuing the music on Sunday
- Passing the plate: would this garner more offering? We can give electronically too and have a card that says we did. Will defer to worship and arts - there is a meeting in 1 week. No concerns expressed by council to adding the passing of the plate. Can take place in an e-mail

Property: (see January 2022)

- Clean up went well. Grateful for all that came. Floors shined, windows cleaned, cobwebs removed. FEC will clean up on the 25th. We still have a custodian that does light cleaning each week. Need to leave a sign in sheet if someone has problems (issues we can write them down)

Congregational Life: (see, minutes)

- Recommending money to Refugee this month (\$100) Benevolence fund. Keith Second the motion. Adding to money collected during the giving (all in favor)
- Strawberry Festival is Saturday.

Christian Education:

No meeting. Past Sunday last Sunday of Faith formation for the summer. Will do a pop up of come to the table. VBS June 16th and sponsoring a Keys game (June 18th). If signed up for VBS that child will be given a free ticket

Generosity:

Nothing this month

Media & Technology:

- No Questions. Mike Waas will shadow Julio on Sunday. Pastor Phil may have an in for another camera.
- Security Cameras - new ones won't qualify for FEMA grant (don't like equipment > 5 years out).. We still had money in the budget

Old Business:

- The Synod Assembly went well - Re-elected Bishop overwhelmingly. Trisha was elected to the Synod Council. Pastor Phil to the Disciplinary Council. We need to add a link to Synods YouTube to the Synod
- Pictorial Directory - Keith and Mike will do the directory on the 12th of June. Something for Epistle by Friday.

New Business:

- Facilities Request - Christine Prittwood (Tues/Thurs for tutoring) would like to continue in the fall (School dates Sept-May) She pays rental. She will hang on to her key fob
- Landline - there is a landline in the church we are paying for and it is not used. We talked about years ago and decided not to remove it because of the insurance liability if we didn't have it. Will not need to look into this before making a motion to remove. Will pass back to media and tech.
- Solar Panels - Synod assembly - forwarded to Russ.
- Trifold - remove the church placement on front (and will remove the german dinner) Change the photo of the hand. Will use Mike's photo. Add Facebook under Get in Touch. Print 300.
- 2:45 pm 5/18/22 and hand out popsicles at church

Facilities request -

- Ruth Allen (FEC - now the acting ex. director) reached out to let Pastor Phil know that the Director of their board, Kelly and Kim the Exec. Director both resigned last Tuesday amid conflict (a lot around navigating COVID). Pastor Phil to mediate between Kelly and Kim to see if they can find reconciliation. Pastor Phil agreed but may need to get additional council. Trisha would help cover. Board meeting here Thursday (the 26th) afternoon at 3 PM. No objection to allowing them to use the hall.

Adjournment:

Closed with the Lord's prayer.

Submitted by Jackie Waas, Council Secretary

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*******IMPORTANT*******

For those without Facebook please tune into our YouTube channel for live streams of last week's service.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GuTKukKI50Q>

Please look for future notices regarding live streaming and YouTube videos at

St. Paul's Official YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCSP6I9JEggsBUXlow1I7-Q>



*The paraments and pew candles are given to the Glory of
God in loving memory of Jeanne Smith.*

God is on the MOVE @ St. Paul's this summer and VBS has begun!



And exciting news that there will be an adult component to this summer's VBS, open to all. No need to register, but *if you'd like to join in for dinner please **RSVP to Belinda.***

Discussions led by Pastor Phil will be a part of every Thursday's VBS (except July 7th, of course).

***Just coming for discussions on how God is moving?
Join us at 6:15pm to the church, we'll see you there!***

***The altar flowers today are given to the Glory of God
and in celebration of George Bucheimer's 31st Birthday
by the Bucheimer Family.***



Walkersville Carnival Can you Help??



The Walkersville Volunteer Fire Company Carnival will be held this year from Monday, July 4th to Saturday, July 9th. Help is needed in the Food Building and various other places on the grounds. If you can help, just show up any night and help for whatever time fits in your schedule. The hours of the Carnival are roughly from 5:00pm until 10:00pm.



As our church family works to get back to a sense of normalcy, there are some housekeeping items that need addressed. We have gone through a lot in the past five years and many people have shouldered heavy loads to get us where we are today. I am thankful for all the fantastic leadership we had that gives me an opportunity to focus on streamlining processes and improvements instead of crisis management. Hopefully you feel the same way.

One of the people who was always there for our congregation was Belinda. She has taken on many different roles and tasks which aren't in her job description. We've come to rely on her for just about everything from what is happening with events, leading worship, why doesn't the air conditioner work, fixing I.T. problems, ordering materials for ministry groups and many other items. This isn't a complaint list its more a "these need to be given back to their rightful owners list". The goal is to get Belinda back to the things on her job description. Then, if she feels called to volunteer to do some of the other tasks, she can choose to do so.

I will be sending out a list to the various ministry groups with the items that need to return to their team. To help with this transition and to show our gratitude, executive council has agreed to a sabbatical for Belinda in the month of August. This allows everyone to have the entire month of July to get prepared. She may still be around just not available for church business. Please, still say hi to Belinda and ask about her garden, however we will respectfully request that if you have church related questions, you ask myself or one of the other Council members. I hope this makes sense if you have any questions feel free to contact me anytime.

*Council President
Russell Mildenstein*

*****PRICE AND DATE CHANGE*****

JOIN US!

Fellowship and fun

*Saint Paul's is organizing a trip to
Sight and Sound Theater to
see "DAVID"*

*Cost is \$160.00 per ticket
which includes:*

*Bus, lunch and the show. Play starts
at 11:00am. Departure time and
other details to follow!*

*Please call 301-845-4600
or email our Parish Office to reserve
your spot!*
Officeadmin@saintpaulslutheranchurch.org

**We will request a small deposit in advance*

***Hope to see lots of our
Saint Paul's family and friends join us!***



October 13, 2022



*"Get Ready to take a
journey back in time, where
the Bible comes to life."*

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ANNOUNCEMENTS



Since last summer, Quilt Ministry has made 103 twin-size quilts, most with children's motifs, for charity. So far, we have placed 25. That leaves 78 "homeless" quilts! Now we are taking a break from sewing while we search for homes for these remaining quilts. If you know of any reasonably local charity that serves children or women with children, or even a needy family in your area, please contact Kate Stottlemeyer or the Church Office. During this hiatus, we will continue to accept donations of cash and fabric and, as always, appreciate your generous support as we feed the bodies, minds and spirits of those in need with this important Ministry of love.

Would you like to schedule a date to sponsor Altar flowers?
Please contact Patty Rimel through the Parish Office if
you would like to arrange a date to offer flowers.



GVCS Food Bank
Donations for Glade Valley
Food Bank are always accepted!

Items of need currently are:
Boxed Crackers, Baked Beans, Hamburger Helper and Bars of Soap.

Please bring them to the donation bin on the side of Town Hall.

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