

**Sunday, September 18**  
**Scripture Readings:** Genesis 6:9-22;  
 Psalm 69:1-15; Hebrews 11:4-7; Luke 17:26-30  
 7:45 am Traditional Rite I Worship-CB  
 8:45 am Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall  
 10:15 am Sunday School—all ages  
 11:15 am Traditional Rite II Worship\_CB  
 5:00 pm Middle School Youth Group  
 5:00 pm CA  
 6:00 pm NA

**Monday, September 19**  
 8:00 am Centering Prayer  
 10:00 am AA  
 10:30 am Pastoral Care Team Meeting  
 10:30 am Women's Bible Study  
 7:00 pm AA  
 7:00 pm Vestry meeting

**Tuesday, September 20**  
 6:30 am Men's Bible Study  
 7:00 am Men's Bible Study  
 9:30 am Church Staff meeting  
 10:00 am AA  
 4:00 pm Women's Bible Study  
 7:00 pm CA

**Wednesday, September 21**  
 10:00 am AA  
 5:30 pm Cursillo Group  
 7:00 pm AA  
 7:00 pm High School Youth Group  
 7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, September 22**  
 KAIROS on campus  
 10:00 am AA  
 11:30 am AI-Anon  
 5:00 pm S'Ville Medical Outreach Clinic  
 6:00 pm CA  
 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop #2

**Friday, September 23**  
 KAIROS on campus  
 8:00 am Men's Bible Study  
 9:30 am Women's Bible Study  
 10:00 am AA  
 7:00 pm AA

**Saturday, September 24**  
 KAIROS on campus  
 Youth Group trip to Carowinds  
 9am-1pm Campus Work Day  
 7:00 pm AA

**Sunday, September 25**  
**Scripture Readings:** Genesis 22:1-19;  
 Psalm 105:1-11; Hebrews 11:8-10; John 19:31-37  
 KAIROS on campus  
 7:45 am Traditional Rite I Worship-CB  
 8:45 am Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall  
 10:15 am Sunday School for all ages  
 11:15 am Traditional Rite II Worship-CB  
 5:00 pm Middle School Youth Group  
 5:00 pm CA  
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## September 18, 2016

### The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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# What is ALPHA?

- ◇ Alpha is an opportunity to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly, open and informal environment.
- ◇ Over 29 million people have tried Alpha in 169 countries, and it has been translated into 112 different languages.
- ◇ Alpha has 8 evening sessions and a couple of days away and includes food, a short talk and a discussion at the end where you can share your thoughts.
- ◇ Alpha is for anyone who's curious. The talks are designed to encourage debate and explore the basics of the Christian faith in a friendly, honest and informal environment.

A recent participant from last spring shared, "I have carried a burden for over 40 years. I was totally released from it during the Holy Spirit overnight."

Please register at [www.stpaulssummerville.org](http://www.stpaulssummerville.org) or at the Alpha registration table in the Atrium after the 8:45 am service this morning.



Alpha at St. Paul's begins October 4th and runs through November 22nd. Each Tuesday evening begins at 6:15 pm in the atrium with a delicious meal (\$7 donation suggested). Then a live talk is presented. Small discussion groups gather and by 8:30 pm the session ends. Child care is available if needed and requested.

The topics are meant to stir up thoughts about faith such as,

- ◇ How Can I Have Faith?
- ◇ How Can I Resist Evil?
- ◇ Does God Heal Today?

The crux of the course is the Holy Spirit overnight, to be held on the campus of St. Pauls on October 28th and 29th.

This time will be focused on three topics:

- ◇ Who is the Holy Spirit?
- ◇ What Does the Holy Spirit Do?
- ◇ How Can I Receive the Holy Spirit?

**SummervilleALPHA.com**  
 Tuesdays at 6:15 pm in the Atrium  
 October 4 through November 22  
 All are welcome! Invite a friend!

**Clergy:**

The Rt. Rev. Mark J. Lawrence, *Bishop of South Carolina, XIV*  
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## Guests



WELCOME, We're glad you're here!

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

7:45 am  8:45 am  11:15 am

1st Time Guest  New to Area

Looking for a church home

Regular Attending Non-Member

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY / STATE / ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to receive email from St. Paul's  
 AGE  
 \_\_\_13-19 \_\_\_20's \_\_\_30's \_\_\_40's \_\_\_50's \_\_\_60's \_\_\_70's+

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

I would like more information about:

- \_\_\_ A new life in Christ
- \_\_\_ Membership at St. Paul's
- \_\_\_ LifeGroups
- \_\_\_ ALPHA
- \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**PRAYER REQUESTS & COMMENTS**   
 If you would like your request concerning health, death, or other concerns to be added to our public prayer, please indicate by marking the box. All others will be put on the confidential prayer list for 3 weeks.

\_\_\_\_\_

Place form in the offering plate or take to our Welcome Table to receive more information and a gift.

# MEMBERS



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

7:45 am  8:45 am  11:15 am

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

SPOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

## CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

## CHANGES ONLY

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# MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS 843.873.1991

For more information, visit our website at [www.StPaulsSummerville.org](http://www.StPaulsSummerville.org)

## General Information for this morning

**Welcome** to St. Paul's! We hope to create an atmosphere in which everyone feels welcomed with open arms. Here is the information that you need to know for a successful morning of worship and Sunday School:

- **Worship as a Family (all ages):** At St. Paul's, we encourage families to worship together on Sunday mornings, therefore children in first grade and older will remain with their parents throughout the service. If you or your children are not used to this, please know that we understand and recognizing that it might take a few times to develop the routine. We're here to help, so don't hesitate to ask a priest or our Children's Minister about successful family worship. *If you need to take your children out of the service for a moment (we know, temper tantrums happen!), please feel free to:*
  - ☞ In Doar Hall, go to the Atrium (to your left) or St. Paul's central (to your right)
  - ☞ In the Church Building, go to the Family room behind the choir area (front left).

- **Kid's Church (3 years old through Kindergarten):** Children who wish to go to Kid's Church will leave the service after the Gospel is read and return for Holy Communion. While away, they will participate in a liturgy that mirrors that of the church service, including a Bible teaching at their level, song, prayers, and confession.

- **Nursery: Infant (6 – 17 months) and Toddler (18 months – 3 years)** are located on the first floor of the Children/Youth Building. Our experienced staff is CPR and First Aid certified and pagers are provided to notify parents if necessary.

**Communion**—anyone baptized in the Christian faith is welcome to receive communion this morning. **Please note:** the Communion elements consist of real wine and bread or wafers containing wheat. Please ask the bread server for gluten free wafers. Receiving one or the other is considered participating as fully as anyone who receives both.

All guests are invited to visit our **Welcome Table** after the service today. You will receive a gift and information about St. Paul's.

**Giving**—Cash and checks may be placed in the offering plates. We have electronic giving centers in Doar Hall for debit and credit cards. St. Paul's does not want anyone to incur debt in order to give to the Lord. We offer the electronic giving centers as a convenience.

**Giving Envelopes**—are available for your convenience. You may pick up a pack in the church office.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Minister—Korey Kincaid— 785.215.3710

### Today

- Sunday School—meets at 10:15 am in the Youth Room (C/Y Bldg.)
- Middle School Youth Group--5-6:30 pm in the Youth Room

### This Week

- Wednesday --High School Youth Group, meets in the Youth Room of the C/Y building from 7-9 pm.

### Important Upcoming Dates

- September 12th—Mondo—middle school diocesan retreat at Camp St. Christopher. Register on our website. [StPaulsSummerville.org/youth-ministry](http://StPaulsSummerville.org/youth-ministry).
- September 28th--See You At the Pole
- Parents--Confirmation class starts at the end of October. If your child would like to be confirmed or if you have questions please email Director of Youth Ministries, Korey Kincaid.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Sermon Series**—our current series is on the book of Hebrews chapter 11. "By Faith...." please join us each Sunday through October 30. If you miss a week, please know that all of St. Paul's sermons are on our website.

**Campus Clean Up Day**—Saturday, September 24 from 8 am to Noon. Contact Fleming Moore.

**Cursillo Information Meetings**—Learn more about the Cursillo movement and how you can get involved. Join us on Wednesday, Sept. 21 for dinner at 6:30 pm or Saturday, Sept. 24 at 8:30 am for breakfast. Learn about Cursillo, its history and answers to any questions you may have. RSVP to the Chaconas' at [ClkChaconas@gmail.com](mailto:ClkChaconas@gmail.com). Childcare available by request only—contact Tina Smith.

### New Weekday Bible Studies:

**Women's Friday Morning Study** meets Fridays from 9:30-11 am and is studying *True Woman 101*. Childcare is available.

**Women's Monday Afternoon Study** meeting Mondays from 4-5:30 pm, also studying *True Woman 101*. Contact Dawn at [DLeinSC@gmail.com](mailto:DLeinSC@gmail.com)

**Women's Monday Morning Study**—Mondays at 10:30 am in the Conference Rm of Skardon Hall. Contact Ronna Toombs at [WToombs10606@att.net](mailto:WToombs10606@att.net)

**Men's Friday Morning Study**—Fridays from 8 to 9 am in Rm. #5 in Skardon Hall. This study aims to encourage men in their walk with the Lord and begins Sept. 23rd. Bring a Bible! Contact Randy Harvey 843.810.6654 or [HarryHarvey@gmail.com](mailto:HarryHarvey@gmail.com).

**Kairos** meets next weekend at Leiber Correctional Institution and they need **7,000 dozen cookies!** Team members would appreciate your help by baking cookies and delivering them to Skardon Hall. The team will receive the cookies beginning Wednesday, September 21. No raisins or nuts please.

**Coming Soon** — Bethany UMC Annual Fall Tea Room—October 3-14.

**Calling all Daughters of the King:** The St. Paul's chapter is starting back up. If you are a Daughter, or are interested in finding out more about the Daughters or becoming one, please contact Dawn Schaeperkoetter at [DLeinSC@gmail.com](mailto:DLeinSC@gmail.com).

**The Art of Marriage**—mark your calendar for Friday evening, Nov 18 and Saturday, Nov 19 for the presentation of the Family Life's video event that weaves together expert teaching, real-life stories, humorous vignettes, and more, portraying the challenges and the beauty of marriage.

### Sunday School begins TODAY

Locations:

- ~ Financial Peace University—Skardon Hall Rm. #8
- ~ Jonah—Doar Hall (Atrium side please!)
- ~ Basic Christianity— Skardon Hall Rm. #7 (Connect Rm.)
- ~ Grandparenting Matters—Skardon Conference Rm. (Library)

**Lowcountry Home of Hope**—the 3rd mystery ingredient in the candy at the Ministry Fair was CANDY CORN and Fleming Moore guessed it!

**Flower Ministry:** Remember how loved you felt when you received flowers? How it lifted your spirits! St. Paul's is continuing to lift spirits by delivering altar flowers to bless members. We are in need of more volunteers who have a couple of hours a month to spread the joy and cheer in receiving St. Paul's flowers. Do you feel your heart strings being pulled? Then please contact Jeannie Dukes at 843.821.3180. Additionally, the ministry is in need of vases. Should you have any you could donate, please let Jeannie know or drop them off at the Skardon Hall kitchen.

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