

MEMBERS

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SPOUSE _____

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

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CHANGES ONLY

ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

I would like to receive emails from St. Paul's.

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.

Please place completed form in the offering plate or take to our Welcome Table.
Anonymous comments will be discarded.

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS 843.873.1991

For more information, visit our website at 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 recognize that it might take time to develop the routine. We're here to help, so don't hesitate to ask a priest or Tina Smith about successful family worship.

- **New Format:** Our format is changing to accommodate the new summer service times and the needs of our families. Kids Church (K3 - 2nd grade) starts the same time as "big church" so bring your child to the Worship Center prior to the service start time. There you will find computers to sign in your children. There will be one computer for families attending services in Doar Hall and another for families attending services in the Church building. Please use the appropriate computers. They will print color coordinating name labels so that our little ones are taken to the correct service.

- Once they enter the Worship Center they will find lots of friendly faces welcoming them along with activity centers that will start their lesson time. They will continue with these until the sermons have ended:

- ✚ If you are attending the Church building service, please pick your child up at the end of the sermon.

- ✚ If you are attending the Doar Hall service, please look for your child entering the sanctuary and wave to them so they can find you.

Communion—Anyone baptized in the Christian faith is welcome to receive communion at St. Paul's. **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 of the elements is considered participating as fully in the Eucharist as anyone who receives both.

All guests are invited to visit our **Welcome Table** after the service today to 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, in the back of Doar Hall, or the Church Building.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Mark Your Calendar

High School: Our first youth meeting of the year will be September 6 at 7:00 pm.

Middle School Kick-off Lock-In: Friday, August 25th at 7:00 pm Please sign your student up online at the church website!

For questions contact Korey Kincaid Youth Minister 785.215.3710

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Connect 101: Sunday, August 27

Are you interested in membership at St. Paul's? Do you want to know more about the church and how to get connected? Do you want to get to know more people? If you answered yes to any one of these questions then make sure to attend our upcoming Connect 101 class next Sunday, August 27 at 9:00 am.

Exploring Alpha: Tuesday, August 29

This is a one-night, no-commitment-expected opportunity to celebrate the way Alpha has worked in people's lives and, more importantly, to give guests an opportunity to experience a night of Alpha. Rather than sending people to Alpha, Exploring Alpha will allow us to bring people to Alpha and share this journey with them at 6:15 pm in the Atrium. Participants at Exploring Alpha will be invited to continue that journey with the Alpha Course. It will begin Tuesday, September 5 at 6:15 pm in the Atrium.

Beth Moore Living Proof Simulcast: Saturday, September 16

Today is the last day to get your tickets at a discounted rate of \$20. Tomorrow they will be \$30. We will be live streaming Beth Moore's Living Proof Conference September 16. You can sign up now on our website under the "Events" tab. There is more information online. *Make sure to share the event on Facebook!* There are physical copies in the back of both Doar Hall and the Church Building to sign up. Please return forms to the church office or the table set up for Beth Moore on Sunday.

Women's Retreat with Karen Mulder: September 22-24, 2017 *Scholarships available*

The Women's Retreat will be held at St. Christopher Camp and Conference Center. The Speaker will be Karen Mulder of "Wisdom of the Wounded" an organization dedicated to supporting caregivers and those in need of care during crises. The theme of the retreat will be "CONNECTIONS." Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/yb2ulj66> Contact Mary Kauser for scholarship information at marykauser@gmail.com before registering.

Men's Hike Save the Date: October 19-22

The St. Paul's Men's Hike is around the corner, October 19-22. Put the date on your calendar now, and look for more information about who it's for and how to sign up in the weeks to come. If you have any questions, email Tyler Prescott: TylerP@StPaulsSummerville.org.

Fall Service Schedule

Our summer schedule has worked out well and we will be continue this schedule into the fall. Times are 8:00 am in the Church Building and 10:15 am in both the Church Building and Doar Hall. Sunday School will meet at 9:00 am and will begin September 17, 2017.

Parking

With summer coming to a close and the school year starting back up we have a simple request. We ask that all those who are able and willing, to park in our back parking lot. Please leave the parking spots near Ambler Hall and the Church Building open for visitors and those who may have trouble walking long distances. We appreciate your willingness to help.