

Sunday, August 27	
Scripture Readings: Romans 12:1-8 Psalm 124 Matthew 15:21-28	
8:00 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.
9:00 am	Fellowship Hour
9:00 am	Connect Class
10:15 am	Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall
10:15 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.
Monday, August 28	
8:00 am	Centering Prayer
10:00 am	AA
10:30 am	Pastoral Care Team Meeting
7:00 pm	Venture Crew
7:00 pm	AA
Tuesday, August 29	
10:00 am	AA
6:15 pm	Explore Alpha
6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 730
Wednesday, August 30	
10:00 am	AA
5:30 pm	Cursillo Reunion Group
7:00 pm	AA

Thursday, August 31	
10:00 am	AA
11:00 am	Healing Prayer Service
11:30 am	Al-Anon
5:00 pm	Medical Outreach Clinic
7:00 pm	Boy Scout Troop 2
Friday, September 1	
7:00 pm	AA
Saturday, September 2	
7:00 pm	AA
Sunday, September 3	
Scripture Readings: Romans 12:9-21 Psalm 26:1-8 Matthew 16:21-28	
8:00 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.
10:15 am	Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall
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August 27, 2017

The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

MARGIE'S CLOSET

The Vision and Ministry of Margie Smith

The Clothing Closet was started two months after the Impact Ministry Food Distribution to be held in conjunction on the 2nd Saturday of the month. Each month we serve approximately 100-130 people who need clothing and/or shoes. During the month Margie and her fabulous crew are hard at work sorting and sizing the clothes that have been donated. Below is a list of items that we are in constant need of:

- ✂ All size children's (boy and girl) clothing and shoes from newborn to teen. Unfortunately in August, just before the start of school this year, we suffered a critical shortage of children's clothing. We hope you can help re-stock our supply. For example, Margie was approached at the August Distribution by someone who will be having a clothing drive at her place of employment for children's clothes and shoes. If that is something you would be able to organize at your work it would be such a great help and so many children will be blessed by your generosity.
- ✂ Women's clothing in sizes XL, 1X, 2X, 3X tops and bottoms. Other sizes are needed also, but we have critical needs for the larger sizes. Also larger sized shoes (9, 10, 11 etc.)
- ✂ Men's clothing in all sizes, shirts and pants to include larger sized shoes.
- ✂ As cooler temperatures approach we will have a great need for blankets and winter coats/jackets.
- ✂ We also accept new clothing, especially for kids. Wal-Mart is a good source to pick up kids clothing: underwear, socks, tops, bottoms or a pair of shoes. Blankets can also be purchased for a reasonable price. Just one item can make a difference.

All of the above items are needed and we thank all for their past and future donations and kindness in remembering the needs of those less fortunate in our community. The closet is open during church office hours for drop-offs, just place your bags inside the room. We do ask that you not drop things off on the Saturday of the Food Distribution as we are immersed in helping people find the clothing they need.

May God's abundant blessings be yours,
Margie and team

To reserve a cover or if you have a submission for the Sunday News please contact Shelley Fipps, Director of Communications at ShelleyF@StPaulsSummerville.org

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Guests



WELCOME, We're glad you're here!

Date: _____

- 8:00 am CB
 10:15 am CB
 10:15 am DH
 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.

Clergy:

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MEMBERS

Date: _____

8:00 am CB 10:15 am CB 10:15 am DH

NAME _____

SPOUSE _____

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

NAME _____

NAME _____

NAME _____

CHANGES ONLY

ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

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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 Youth Group

- ✚ Youth Group in the C/Y building, Wednesday, September 6th, 7pm.

- ✚ Kick-off Pool Party, Friday, September 8th, 7pm at Linwood B&B.

Middle School Youth Group

- ✚ Sunday, August 27th, NO Youth Group on account of Lock-In

- ✚ Sunday, September 3rd, NO Youth Group on account of Labor Day Weekend

- ✚ Sunday, September 10th, Youth Group in the C/Y building 5-6:30pm

For questions contact Korey Kincaid Youth Minister 785.215.3710

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

Family Devotional Study: Tuesday, September 12

Do you find yourself as a father struggling to provide, enjoyable, meaningful, and spiritual times of family devotions? What is family worship? What have other people done? Why should I do it? How can I start? Calling all men Tuesday, September 12! There will be a series of teachings on *Family Worship* by our Youth Pastor Korey Kincaid. We will meet at 7:00 pm in Skardon Hall, room 7.

Prayer Power Steven Ministry

James tells us that the prayers of the righteous people are powerful and effective (James 5:16). During the coming week, we invite you to pray about our congregation's Stephen Ministry. Specifically please pray for those God is calling to serve as caregivers in this ministry. If you want to serve as a caregiver we are having an information meeting September 13 at 7:00 pm in the Connect Room. Please contact Heather Kilpatrick by emailing her at hmkilp1@gmail.com for more information.

Beth Moore Living Proof Simulcast: Saturday, September 16

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. Tickets are \$30. *Make sure to share the event on Facebook!* There are also physical copies in the back of both Doar Hall and the Church Building to sign up. Please return forms to the church office.

Instant Oatmeal and Grits Food Drive

Please donate instant oatmeal or instant grits for Impact Ministries. There are bins around campus.

Mission Support

Ashley Christiansen, daughter of Laura and Mark has accepted a call to participate in a 9 month missionary venture called World Gap Year. Beginning in September, she and other young adults will be traveling to Cambodia, Thailand, Ecuador, Colombia and Albania spreading God's word and demonstrating Christ's love. Today, Ashley will be have a display after the 10:15 service in the Atrium. Please stop by and see how you might pray for Ashley during this great adventure for Jesus. Ashley would appreciate any financial support you might be willing to give. You may donate at ashleychristiansen.theworldrace.org.

Welcoming Visitors

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 also ask if people could sit toward the middle of the rows to make room for visitors or those coming in late. We appreciate your willingness to help.

Sorry for the Confusion

The only ShelbyNext app we are currently using is the membership app. The giving app and extension for ShelbyNext are not yet connected with our programs. Please continue to use Secure Give. You can find the link to that program on our website: <http://www.stpaulssummerville.org/give-on-line>. Thank you for understanding.