ORDER OF WORSHIP February 11, 2018 Scout Sunday

"The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:40

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENT

PRELUDE – Handbells: "O God Our Help in Ages Past" and

"A Joyful Psalm"

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAISE "O Zion, Haste" (Blue #443)

GREET ONE ANOTHER

SCOUT PRESENTATION

CHILDREN'S SERMON

HYMN OF PREPARATION "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations" (Blue #446) (PRAYER CARDS may be passed to the ushers at the end of the aisles)

MORNING PRAYER

GIVING OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY CHANCEL CHOIR: "Leaning on the Rock of Ages"

DOXOLOGY (Red #95) PRAYER OF DEDICATION SCRIPTURE Matthew 25:31 -46 (pg.1542) MESSAGE "Haiti Mission Team Report" HYMN OF RESPONSE "Rescue the Perishing" (Blue #441) BENEDICTION

Check our website, www.stpaulsbrick.org for last week's message "Forgiveness and Reconciliation"

OUR GREETERS FOR TODAY'S SERVICES ARE:

9:00AM	Sharon and Doug Buechler
10:45 AM	Michael Rabe

ACOLYTES TODAY: Siobhan and Fiona Predham

Child Care is provided for infants and toddlers to age 3 during the first service in the nursery (room 2). Please ask an usher to direct you.

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR for today's Services are given by Margery and Victoria Wright for in celebration of Raymond's 20th birthdav



THE SIGN UP CHART FOR THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR IS IN THE NARTHEX.

We invite you to celebrate an event or remember loved ones by dedicating a flower arrangement to them. We

all enjoy fresh flowers at our service each Sunday, and you are welcome to take them home after the second service. The flowers cost \$25.00. We ask that you please use the envelopes provided

for your payment when you sign up. Payment must be received to order flowers.

Thank you.

HELP US MINISTER TO YOU!

If you or anyone you know is ill or going into the hospital please call the Church office and let us know 732-458-2080.

Our weekly events are updated frequently to keep you posted on the happenings of the church. Find us on https://www.facebook.com/stpaulsbrick/

Helpers Wanted - Cleaning Church Kitchen

Saturday 2-17-2018 at 8:15am- 12:00pm Kitchen is in desperate need of a deep cleaning.

POSTLUDE

"Psalm of Glorv"

Barnett

Anyone interested in lending a little elbow grease, please contact Dave Cavanaugh 732-267-4822

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THIS WEEKS EV	/ENTS		
SUNDAY	02/11	9:00AM 9:00 9:00 10:10 10:45 10:45 10:45 11:00 6:00PM 6:00 8:00	TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - SANCTUARY CHILDCARE- RM 2 SUNDAY SCHOOL K- HIGH SCHOOL YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP HOUR-NORCROSS HALL CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM MARTHA CIRCLE – COUNCILING ROOM KNITTING AND CROCHETTING- LIBRARY YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM DUST TO GLORY – LIBRARY ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL
MONDAY	02/12	6:00PM 7:00 7:00	STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST – NORCROSS FINANCE MEETING - LIBRARY BIBLE STUDY - STAFF LOUNGE
TUESDAY	02/13	NOON 6:30PM 7:00 7:00	BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS DUE PRAYER AVALANCHE - CHAPEL SOCCER PRACTICE – NORCROSS HALL MEN'S PRAYER GROUP
WEDNESDAY	02/14	6:00AM 10:00 10:30 11:45 4:30PM 6:00 6:00 7:30	MEN'S BREAKFAST THE QUILTERS - YOUTH ROOM WOMEN'S SHARE GROUP- LIBRARY LENTEN LUNCH – NORCROSS HALL CHERUB CHOIR – 4 YR TO 1 ST GRADE HANDBELL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM VOLLEYBALL – NORCORSS HALL ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE - SANCTUARY
THURSDAY	02/15	5:30PM 6:00 7:00 7:00 7:00 7:00 7:00 8:00	SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP - PARSONAGE STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST- NORCROSS TRUELIFE YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM ADULT BIBLE STUDY – LIBRARY BOY SCOUTS TROOP #33 – NORCROSS HALL CAROL CHOIR – 2^{nd} GRADE TO 5^{TH} GRADE CELEBRATION CHOIR – 6^{TH} GRADE TO 12^{TH} GRADE CHANCEL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM – 10^{TH} GR ADULT
FRIDAY	02/16	8:30AM 7:00PM 7:30	-
SATURDAY	02/17	7:00AM	MEN'S DISCIPLE – YOUTH ROOM
SUNDAY	02/18	9:00AM 9:00 9:00 9:00 10:10 10:45 10:45 6:00PM 6:00	TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - SANCTUARY CHILDCARE- RM 2 SUNDAY SCHOOL K- HIGH SCHOOL YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP-NORCROSS HALL CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM DUST TO GLORY – LIBRARY JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Andy & Lizet Bowen	andy.bowen@wgm.org	Paraguay
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Billy and Joanna Coppedg	Uganda	
Step of Faith	stepoffaithministries.org	Haiti

RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS February 4, 2017

Worship Attendance Last Sunday	176
Sunday School	39

<u>Giving</u>	Current Expenses	Mortgage Giving
Received last Week	\$7,461	\$1,580
Need per Week	\$9,348	

The amount shown as **Received last Week** includes offerings received at last week's Sunday services. Note: envelope giving includes only the amount on the TITHE/UNIFIED line.

MORTGAGE UPDATE:

The mortgage balance as of February 1, 2018 is \$869,703

Communications

E-Mail Announcements and Prayer Requests

If you would like to be on the church e-mail list to receive announcements, reminders of upcoming events and prayer requests, e-mail your information to penrodt@Comcast.net.

Telephone Prayer Ministry Nancy Penrod 732-458-7641 or church office 732-458-2080.

All Circuit Rider articles should be emailed to Nancy Penrod at <u>penrodt@Comcast.net</u>. If you do not have access to a computer you can drop it off in the office or call Nancy at 732 458-7641. All articles should be sent to Nancy by the 10th of the month prior to publication.

Bulletin Notices-All information to be included in the Bulletin is due to the church office by <u>**Tuesday at Noon.**</u> If you have access to e-mail, please send your Bulletin announcement via e-mail to <u>Office@stpaulsbrick.org.</u>

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MISSIONARIES

New Lenten Bible Study- Coming Soon!

Small Group studies will begin after Ash Wednesday We will be using the text by John Ortberg, "Who Is This Man? The Unpredictable Impact of the Inescapable Jesus."

Small Group Sign-up is available in church Narthex after each service.

Stewardship Reflection

February 11, 2018 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Brothers and sisters, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God." – 1 CORINTHIANS 10:31

Do a quick check of your priorities. Where does God rank in that list? If He's not first, you have some work to do. Putting God first in everything helps us from putting other "gods" (like our pride and ego, money and possessions to name a few) before God. Before making a decision, ask yourself if I'm doing this for the glory of God or for the glory of me?

Mission Trip Opportunity April 1st- April 7, 2018

We are planning a mission trip to South Carolina. The dates will be from April 1st through April 7th 2018. We will return on the Saturday after Easter. Youth age 14 and above are encouraged and welcome to come on this trip. We are doing a variety of recovery work including but not limited to roofing, flooring, drywall, interior and exterior work. The South Carolina United Methodist Conference is still working on whatever is needed to ensure that homeowners have safe, secure, and sanitary homes after the flood of 2015 and Hurricane Matthew of 2016. We will be sleeping at the local church so the cost should be minimal for transportation and food. We will plan to do



some fundraising to help offset the cost and hopefully take some money down for the projects. For more information please see Jim Kroeze or call me at 732-814-5580.

LENTEN LUNCHES



Our Lenten Lunches & Devotions will be starting on Wednesday, February 14th this year. Lunch will be from 11:45 -12:15PM followed by devotions in the sanctuary. If you can't make the lunch you are still welcome to attend the

Devotions in the Sanctuary starting about 12:20PM each week. If you are interested in providing soup, dessert or crackers for one of the weekly lunches please contact Ruth Baker at 732/458-2712

Ash Wednesday Service

At St. Paul's U.M.C. Wednesday, February 14, 2017 7:30 PM

Father Mike Santangelo will be presenting the Message at St Paul's. 714 Herbertsville Rd., Brick, NJ, 08724 Don't miss this time to begin the Lenten Season.

Confirmation Classes

For any Junior High Students interested in being confirmed this June, Pastor Alan and Hector will be offering a confirmation class starting The Last Sunday in February. If you have any interest in attending the class, please contact Hector Meza at <u>Hector.meza@stpaulsbrick.org</u> or at 732/458-2080 x15

"CALLING ALL ANGELS" Lexington House

Lexington House mission will be going there on February 18th. Please contact Mary Buckley if you are interested in coming with us or helping in any way shape or form such as baking, loading the car or shopping. Feel free to bring a friend with you to help as well and introduce them to our mission. Mary Buckley-732-267-0852 or <u>maryb23@me.com</u>

Lexington House mission helps us to bring a little bit of joy to people who are down on their luck and have minimal living comforts. It allows us to be a part of something that will help these people and shows how God can work in their lives by serving refreshments, playing Bingo and singing songs.

See how God can work within you!

SAFE SANCTUARY WORKSHOP

The Safe Sanctuary workshop for our church will be offered again on Saturday, March 3rd, from 10:00am to 12 noon at the church. This program is mandatory for anyone volunteering to work with the children, youth and vulnerable adults in any of the many programs offered in and outside of our church. This program is a requirement in providing a safe and secure environment for the children, youth, adults, members, volunteers, visitors and paid staff. If you are required to complete this program, please sign up and obtain a volunteer form from either the church office or Sunday school office prior to the program. Questions regarding our Safe Sanctuary Policy or upcoming workshop can be referred to Kathy Deal (732-458-0249).

How's Your Memory?

Two things to remember 1. UMW Auction is march 17th.

2. You WILL have fun!

Mark your Calendars

ACTORS AND CREW NEEDED

Have you thought that you would like to be part of a Chancel Choir Cantata but do not want to sing?.... well here's your opportunity... We are looking for volunteers to be part of the "Crowd" for this year's Easter Cantata, Eyes of Faith. We are in need of 25-28 people....5-8 children/youth, 18-20 adult men and women. You MUST be able to attend at least one rehearsal as well as both performances. Costumes are provided for you. The first 25-28 to respond will be contacted.

Not interested in acting? There are other opportunities where you can be of great help, such as setting up and breaking down the risers and such, helping with lighting, or helping pull or wash/iron costumes.

This is great opportunity to be of service to our church and our Lord and Savior!

The schedule is as follows:

Sunday March 18th: Set up of risers after 2nd service Thursday March 22nd 8pm: Pre Dress Rehearsal Saturday March 24th 9:30am: Dress Rehearsal Saturday & Sunday March 24th & 25th Performances 6:30 for costuming Break Down after Sunday's performance

If you have any questions please contact Judy Tomes @ 848-333-3701

I am available for the following (Please check all that apply)

__ Set Up

____ Acting

_____ Break Down

____Costumes. _____ Lighting

NAME	
PHONE	
EMAIL	



Saint Paul's UMW announces the recipient of the 2017 Recognition Award



Congratulations to Al Primrose

Each year, the executive branch of St. Paul's United Methodist Women decide which person in our church has been the most instrumental in fostering our organization's purpose. Many times, such as this, it is a "behind the scenes" person. Someone who generously and selflessly volunteers their time and talents to ensure each function goes well. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Al for all his help throughout the year. He continues to be a blessing to our organization and to our church.



UMW's Annual Auction will be on Saturday, March 17th from 1pm until 3pm

Did you know?

St. Paul's United Methodist Women hold events like this auction, throughout the year. We have pledged support to over FORTY different missions! Every year, our women vote on what deserving projects most exemplify the UMW mission. Then we get busy on fulfilling our fiscal responsibility throughout the year.

We hope you will come have fun with us on March 17th. But, if you are not able to attend this year's auction, please know you can still support us. We will be auctioning off new and nearly new items. Perhaps you can donate an old Christmas gift that you never used. Maybe there is some costume jewelry that you don't wear anymore.

Any new or like-new item that you can drop off before the auction date will help us in our goal to meet our obligations.

For more information, please call Carol Kampf at 732.840.9496.

Intercessory Prayer February 4, 2018

"Let us be brave, then, where there is grace. There will we receive mercy and find grace to help us when we need it." Hebrews 4:16

HEALING – prayers of healing for daughters Carol and Cathy; Lloyd and Ellen have the flu, Terry, Nancy, Andrea, Paul, Jane, Dan, Cathy, Nick, Charlie, Barbara, Bill, Bill F., Joy, Judy, Josh, Bob, Bev, Charlie, Roz's granddaughter, Kyle, Bob, Christopher, Ana; strength and patience for caregivers; Kris with URI and possible bronchitis; pray for my fatherin-law that they find a cure; pray for my son Phil who suffers from depression; healing for all those ill during this flu season; prayers for a healthy pregnancy for Amanda and Angela; prayers for Bette and Joe; prayers of healing for Bob S.; prayers for Lorraine; healing for Belinda; healing for Rob's depression; unspoken prayers for family and friends; healing for those with mental health issues; prayers for my mom to stay healthy; friend's 18-year old daughter still suffering from depression; healing for Andrea; Loraine, Barbara Marks; Bev Darby; Maureen, Maureen's sister-in-law, Gil; healing for Jim, Tarah, Manny, Anne; prayers for Barbara McGoff and family; prayers for Peg's knee pain; continued prayers for Essley, Patty & Alan; Uncle Ronnie; healing for Cheryl, Julianna, for baby Christian Daniel Englehardt and family; Lyn & Terry; Baby Alaina; healing and guidance for Michael; Collin healing of shoulder pain; Kris with elbow pain; be with Lee Clayton - care for him and be with his parents and help them since they can't be with him while he needs care.

"Do not be afraid or discouraged. The battle is not yours, but God's. Stand firm and see the deliverance the Lord will give you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. The Lord will be with you." 2 Chronicles 20: 15, 17

<u>CANCER SUFFERERS</u> – cancer patients Ron, Peg and Nilda; prayers for Dr. Friedberg battling cancer; friend's husband 3 years getting chemo; co-worker's son getting chemo; wowowrker's husband getting cancer and dialysis; Mia Sidorakis and family continuing to fight a brain tumor

at just 2 year's old; Kay's cancer is back; Lloyd has cancer; Dawn healing of cancer; my cousin Barbara with lung cancer.

You make known to me the path of life; you fill me with joy in your presence." Psalm 16: 11

PRAISE – praise for Rob's reduction in chronic pain; praise that baby Maggie is now over 2 lbs. and shows no signs of abnormalities; praise God for answered prayers; blessings on the Millers' new granddaughter; thank you for all my blessings; thank you for my whole family and bless and care for them all; God bless Jordan, Manny, Daddy, Jared, Doug and Josh and all our family; thanks be to God for his divine healing and answered prayers. He was wounded for our transgressions and by his stripes we are healed. Thank you Jesus.

"Walk in all the way that the Lord your God has commanded you, so that you may live and prosper and prolong your days." Deuteronomy5:33

<u>SALVATION</u> – salvation for Dan; protection for our servicemen and women; prayers for our leaders to do the right thing for all Americans; peace in a world of turmoil; please give me favor and protection for my family; prayers and protection for Madison and Martin; pray for my brother-in-law as he lets his mom go – peace be with him; Anne & Todd & Angie & Amy to know you, Lord; family of Evelyn Tetrault and the family of Bob Bradselt who went to be with the Lord this week; prayers for the family of Dr. Elmo Samuel as they mourn his loss; prayers for Kevin Henry & family with loss of parents.

"Every good action and every perfect gift is from God. These good gifts come down from the Creator of the sun, moon, and stars, who does not change like their shifting shadows." James 10: 12-13

"People make plans in their minds, but only the Lord can make them come true. Depend on the Lord in whatever you do, and your plans will succeed." Proverbs 16:1, 3

<u>**GUIDANCE</u></u> – prayers for Jacklyn for decisions with college; St. Paul's church and leaders of the church; guidance for Damien to find a job in Brooklyn; guidance for Mark to find a job in Charlotte; travel mercies this week; guidance for Danielle to find a full time job; Diane R's temporary job to become permanent; safe travels for Joan & Sal; guidance in money matters to find enough money to pay bills; guidance for my 6 grandkids to keep them on the right path in life; guidance for Kelly family; guidance for our granddaughter; guidance for my 2</u>** grandsons; protection and guidance over Maria, Harry, Elijah & Anna; guidance and safety for all athletes as they compete in the Olympics.

"I am leaving you with a gift-peace of mind and heart. And the peace I give isn't like the peace the world gives. So don't be troubled."