

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 14, 2018

“Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.” 1 Peter 5:8

## WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENT

PRELUDE “Jesus Loves the Little Children” Heather Sorenson

## CALL TO WORSHIP

## INVOCATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAISE “A Mighty Fortress is Our God” (Blue 151)

## GREET ONE ANOTHER

## CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

HYMN OF PREPARATION “The Battle Belongs to the Lord” (Blue 732)  
(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: “Soon and Very Soon”

DOXOLOGY (Red #95)

## PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Peter 5:6-11 (Pg. 1892)

MESSAGE “Beware of the Lion!”

HYMN OF RESPONSE “Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus” (Blue 730)

## BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “Shine Jesus Shine” Kendrick

## OUR GREETERS FOR TODAY’S SERVICES ARE:

9:00am: Margie Moss

10:45am: Caroline Ellison

ACOLYTES: Fiona Predham and Tyler Oliveira

## THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR given in by Rebecca Circle



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

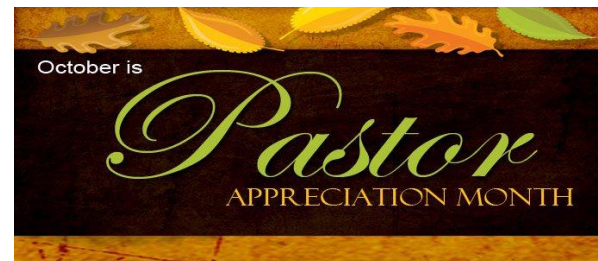
We invite you to celebrate an event or remember loved ones by dedicating a flower arrangement to them. We all enjoy *fresh flowers* at our service each Sunday, and you are welcome to take them home after the second service. The flowers cost \$25.00. We ask that you please use the envelopes provided for your payment when you sign up. Payment must be received to order flowers.

Thank you.

**LARGE PRINT HYMNALS** are available. Please see an usher. Equipment is also available to assist you in hearing the services. If this would benefit you, please speak to an usher.

## 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.



*Don't forget to tell Pastor Al how much you appreciate him!*

## THIS WEEKS EVENTS

SUNDAY	10/14	9:00AM	TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - SANCTUARY
		9:00	CHILDCARE- RM 2
		9:00	SUNDAY SCHOOL K- HIGH SCHOOL
		9:00	YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL
		10:10	FELLOWSHIP-NORCROSS HALL
		10:45	CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
		10:45	ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM
		10:45	MARTHA CIRCLE
		6:00PM	YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM
		6:00	PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY
		8:00	ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL

### Church Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 4:30pm

MONDAY	10/15	6:00PM	STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST – NORCROSS
		7:00	COUNCIL OF MINISTRIES - LIBRARY
		7:00	PRAYER AVALANCHE – CHAPEL
		7:00	BIBLE STUDY - STAFF LOUNGE
TUESDAY	10/16	<b>NOON</b>	<b>BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS DUE</b>
		7:00	MEN'S PRAYER GROUP
WEDNESDAY	10/17	6:00AM	MEN'S BREAKFAST
		10:00	THE QUILTERS - YOUTH ROOM
		4:30PM	CHERUB CHOIR – 4 YR TO 1 <sup>ST</sup> GRADE
		6:00	VOLLEYBALL – NORCORSS HALL
		6:00	HANDBELL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM
		6:00	SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM
		7:00	MID-WEEK WORSHIP – YOUTH ROOM
		7:30	PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE - SANCTUARY
THURSDAY	10/18	6:00	STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST- NORCROSS
		7:00	TRUELIFE YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM
		7:00	BOY SCOUTS TROOP #33 – NORCROSS HALL
		7:00	ADULT BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY
		7:00	CAROL CHOIR – 2 <sup>ND</sup> GRADE TO 5 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE
		7:00	CELEBRATION CHOIR – 6 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE TO 12 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE
		8:00	CHANCEL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM – 10 <sup>TH</sup> GR.- ADULT
FRIDAY	10/19	8:30AM	BULLETIN TEAM – CHURCH OFFICE
		7:00PM	FRIDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY
SATURDAY	10/20	7:00AM	MEN'S DISCIPLE – YOUTH ROOM
		10:00	BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS – BLAIR FIELD
SUNDAY	10/21	9:00AM	TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - SANCTUARY
		9:00	CHILDCARE- RM 2
		9:00	SUNDAY SCHOOL K- HIGH SCHOOL
		9:00	YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL
		10:10	FELLOWSHIP-NORCROSS HALL
		10:10	MINISTRY FAIR
		10:45	CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
		10:45	ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM
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## Saint Paul's Church A United Methodist Congregation

Our Purpose is to:

**Praise** God through worship,  
**Grow** as disciples through study,  
**Share** our faith through testimony, and  
**Serve** others through ministry.

(732) 458-2080 Church  
 (732) 458-2004 The Mustard Seed Preschool  
[www.stpaulsbrick.org](http://www.stpaulsbrick.org)

## RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS

October 7, 2018

**Worship Attendance Last Sunday** 204

**Sunday School** 49

**Giving**                      **Current Expenses**                      **Mortgage Giving**

**Received last Week**                      **\$6,742**                      **\$1,509**

**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 October 1, 2018 is \$847,160

### 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](mailto:penrodt@Comcast.net).

All Circuit Rider articles should be emailed to Nancy Penrod at [penrodt@Comcast.net](mailto:penrodt@Comcast.net). 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 10<sup>th</sup> of the month prior to publication.

**Bulletin Notices**-All information to be included in the Bulletin is due to the church office by **Tuesday at Noon**. If you have access to e-mail, please send your Bulletin announcement via e-mail to [Office@stpaulsbrick.org](mailto:Office@stpaulsbrick.org).

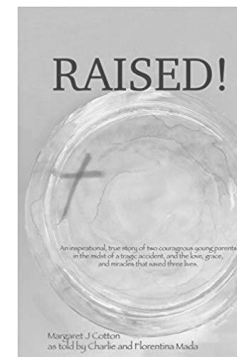
#### **PASTORAL STAFF**

Alan Darby	<a href="mailto:PastorAl@stpaulsbrick.org">PastorAl@stpaulsbrick.org</a>	Pastor
Hector Meza	<a href="mailto:Hector.Meza@stpaulsbrick.org">Hector.Meza@stpaulsbrick.org</a>	Dir. Of Youth Ministries
Barbara Estelle	<a href="mailto:Bestelle@stpaulsbrick.org">Bestelle@stpaulsbrick.org</a>	Dir. Music/Organist
Judy Propert, Janet Post		Choir Directors
Cathy Applegate, Pam Snyder		Choral Accompanists
Peggy Blomquist, Judy and Bill Propert		Congregational Care
Melissa Jensen	<a href="mailto:Office@stpaulsbrick.org">Office@stpaulsbrick.org</a>	Administrative Asst.
Bill Nadler, Gary Deal, Kim Gavaletz, Mike Jensen, Al Primrose, Kevin Alborn		Sextons

Website Address: <http://www.stpaulsbrick.org>  
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#### **MISSIONARIES**

Andy & Lizet Bowen	<a href="mailto:andy.bowen@wgm.org">andy.bowen@wgm.org</a>	Paraguay
Joy Phillips	<a href="mailto:Joy.Phillips@wgm.org">Joy.Phillips@wgm.org</a>	Kenya
Billy and Joanna Coppedge		Uganda
Step of Faith	<a href="http://stepoffaithministries.org">stepoffaithministries.org</a>	Haiti



Mark your Calendars!  
October 16, 2018, 7pm  
Margaret J. Cotton  
Author of "Raised!" to speak at St. Paul's

In a world that seems disturbing and increasingly out of control, Charlie and Florentina Mada share their miraculous story to boldly proclaim that God is compassionate and powerful enough to create holy miracles from human tragedies....

*...Charlie and Florentina Mada believe they have everything. They are wealthy, on vacation, and parents of an adorable sixteen-month-old son. Then suddenly, during a picnic at an idyllic spot along the Danube River, their son disappears. After finding him submerged in a pipe, their desperate efforts to save him are not enough. When the Madas finally arrive at a hospital, they are given time to grieve and remain by his bedside. Over the next seven hours the doctors examine their son four times each hour. No first aid or treatment is administered, and each exam finds no heartbeat, reflexes, or signs of life. Late that night, no one at the hospital is prepared for what they witness! What follows is a compelling story of miracles and divine interventions that bring these two non-believers half way around the world to the foot of the cross.*

Complimentary refreshments and lite fare will be served. Margaret has graciously agreed to autograph copies of Raised!, available for purchase price of twenty dollars each.

# Intercessory Prayer

October 7, 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; healing for Eva, Lorraine, Dorothy Hillner; Janet Nielsen, Peggy O'Connor, friend with heart problems; friend's 19 year old daughter with depression; friend's dad; Robin recovering from brain surgery ad waiting for MRI results; for my mom to continue to give herself insulin and heal; healing for Lorraine H; Jim, Anne, Hope, Joel; healing for Sharon; healing for all victims of tsunami and earthquake in Indonesia; prayers for Tony Matovsky; healing for Dianne, Gina, Allison, Gwen, Christian, Lainie and Eva; Kathy; healing for Joe with a bad cut – he is diabetic and it's not healing.

*"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*

**CANCER SUFFERERS** –cousin Barbara with lung cancer; friend's husband on 4<sup>th</sup> round of chemo; prayers for Monica to be pain free in her last stage of cancer.

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

**PRAISE** – thank you for all the wonderful things you have given the world; thank you for your son Jesus; praise for answered prayers; unspoken; praise for Mom and Dad, Sam and Tyler; praise our son Darian Collis made his Eagle Scout rank this weekend.

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

**SALVATION** – bless and care for my family; bless and care for all the servicemen and women; bless this country's leaders and keep the caring for the country; bless and care for our pastors; prayers to the Jaccodine/Jordan family during the next few weeks because of the loss of Carol Jaccodine; bless the 3 women from the church who will be attending the Emmaus Walk this coming weekend.

*"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*

**GUIDANCE** – guidance for the Kelly family; guidance for Tracy and Makana; guidance for my family to walk in the path that Jesus has provided; guidance for my 6 grandkids to keep the on the right path in life; guidance for St. Paul's UMC and church leaders; guidance for a friend's daughter in college; guidance for a friend's safety in China; protection for the military and for all first responders; guidance for my grandsons as they begin their school years.

*"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."*

## Youth Pumpkin Patch Open All October!

**Mum's the word**, but seriously tell everyone that we have pumpkins and mums.

Monday's from 1 to 5 p.m. see Church office.

Tuesday's from 1 to 5 p.m. see Church office.

Wednesday's from 1 to 5 p.m. see Church office, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. the youth and youth leaders will be at the pumpkin patch outside.

Thursday's 1 to 5 p.m. see Church office, 5 to 8 p.m. the youth and youth leaders will be in the pumpkin patch.

Friday's 1 to 5 p.m. see Church office.

Saturday the 20th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. youth and youth leaders will be in pumpkin patch.

Saturday the 27th from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. youth and youth leaders will be in pumpkin patch.

We hope to see you all here!





**REGISTRATION IS OPEN**

Please join us and **REGISTER online** for your Legacy Pictorial at [www.church-directories.com](http://www.church-directories.com) for our new directory.

You may also **REGISTER at Church** after both services.  
More information to follow.

You may also call Lois Folla at 732-785-1558 to REGISTER over the phone, using her computer.

**Dates and Times to choose from are:**

- Tuesday, October 23, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Wednesday, October 24, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Tuesday, October 30, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Wednesday, October 31, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Tuesday, November 27, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Wednesday November 28, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Thursday, November 29, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Friday November 30, from 2 PM – 9 PM
- Saturday, December 1, from 10 AM – 4 PM

St Paul's welcomes church members, attendees, as well as extended family & friends who may want professional pictures taken. All will receive a complimentary photo and will have the opportunity to purchase a package if desired.

- If you do not wish to be added to the directory, please just let Legacy know at your appointment.

- If you choose to be in the church directory, you will receive one.

# 39th Annual VARIETY SHOW!!!!



St. Paul's Music Ministry will present their 39th Annual Variety Show on Saturday, October 27, at 7:00PM. We will present a huge variety of songs, dances, and acts from all types of music –modern, pop, rock, blues, Broadway, movies and the classics. We are excited to bring this fun music to everyone to enjoy.

All of our choirs (children, youth, adults, Bells, and members of the Praise Team) will be participating as well as many solos, duets, groups, and instrumentals.

Please invite family and friends to join us for another fun evening with St. Paul's talented musicians!

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## Ministry Fair

### October 21<sup>st</sup> Between Services

During Fellowship Hour

Come out and see many of the different ministries that St. Paul's has to offer  
**A good day to bring a friend to church!**

If you would like a table for your ministry to be represented at the Fair, please contact Bill Beaver or Church Office ~ Thank You.



# UMW Baked Potato Luncheon

(Benefiting UMW Missions)

Sunday October 28, 2018

10:15am to 1:30pm

Eat-in or  Take-out (check one)

\_\_\_\_\_ After 1<sup>st</sup> Service      \_\_\_\_\_ After 2<sup>nd</sup> Service

\_\_ Plain Baked Potato \$4.00    \_\_ Sweet Potato \$4.50

## Toppings

Butter	75¢
Sour Cream	50¢
Bacon	\$1.00
Cheddar Cheese	75¢
Chili (as topping)	\$1.50
Broccoli and Cheese	\$1.50
BOWL of Chili	\$4.00



Total Due \_\_\_\_\_

Circle all toppings you wish to have on your potato. Orders due by October 21st. Orders may be placed in the Narthex, outside Norcross Hall or turned into the office.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Extra forms available in the Narthex, Office or on table outside of Norcross Hall.

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