

ORDER OF WORSHIP

February 17, 2019

"We who are strong ought to bear with the failings of the weak and not to please ourselves." Romans 15:1

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "I Exalt Thee" Sanchez

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAISE "Rise Up, O Church of God" (#433 Blue)

GREET ONE ANOTHER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF PREPARATION "O Zion, Haste" (#443 Blue)
(PRAYER CARDS may be passed to the ushers at the end of the aisles)

MORNING PRAYER

GIVING OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY SPECIAL MUSIC: "Untitled Hymn (Come to Jesus)
solo by Sharon Nunn"

DOXOLOGY (Red #95)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HAITI MISSION TEAM REPORT

HYMN OF RESPONSE "Rescue the Perishing" (#441 Blue)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Christians Awake" Broughton

OUR GREETERS FOR TODAY'S SERVICES ARE:

9:00am: Jim and Claire Kroeze

10:45am: Cathy Porzio

ACOLYTES: Brian Chadwick and Michael Scott

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are given by Schoonover Estate



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.

Lenten Study Beginning Soon

We will have multiple Bible Studies on different days conducting the same study.

The Study is call "God is Closer Than You Think" by John Ortberg.

Book will be available for sale soon.
Sign ups are set up in church Narthex.



THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

SUNDAY	02/17	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
		11:00	KNITTING AND CROCHET - LIBRARY
		6:00PM	PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY – LIBRARY
8:00	ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL		

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

MUSTARD SEED PRE-SCHOOL MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY 8:45AM- 11:45AM

MONDAY	02/18	6:00PM	STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST- NORCROSS
		7:00	PRAYER AVALANCHE – CHAPEL
		7:00	COUNCIL OF MINISTRIES – LIBRARY
		7:00	BIBLE STUDY - STAFF LOUNGE
TUESDAY	02/19	NOON	BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS DUE
		7:00PM	ALANON GROUP – YOUTH ROOM
		7:00	MEN'S PRAYER GROUP – LIBRARY
WEDNESDAY	02/20	6:00AM	MEN'S BREAKFAST
		10:00	THE QUILTERS - YOUTH ROOM
		10:30	LADIES SHARE – LIBRARY
		4:30PM	CHERUB CHOIR – 4 YR TO 1 ST GRADE
		6:00	HANDBELL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM
		6:00	YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM
		7:00	MID-WEEK WORSHIP – YOUTH ROOM
		7:30	PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE – SANCTUARY
THURSDAY	02/21	6:00PM	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 ND GRADE TO 5 TH GRADE
		7:00	CELEBRATION CHOIR – 6 TH GRADE TO 12 TH GRADE
		8:00	CHANCEL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM – 10 TH GR.- ADULT
FRIDAY	02/22	8:30AM	BULLETIN TEAM – CHURCH OFFICE
		6:00PM	PRAYER GROUP CHAPEL
		7:00	BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY
SATURDAY	02/23	7:00AM	MEN'S DISCIPLE – YOUTH ROOM
SUNDAY	02/24	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
		5:00PM	CONFIRMATION CLASS – LIBRARY
		6:00	PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY – LIBRARY
6:00	YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM		
8:00	ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL		



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

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



Attendance for February 10, 2019

Worship Attendance Last Sunday 215
Sunday School 46

MORTGAGE UPDATE:

The mortgage balance as of February 1, 2019 is \$836,374

Administrative Information

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.

All Circuit Rider articles should be emailed to Nancy Penrod at 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 10th 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.

PASTORAL STAFF

Alan Darby	PastorAl@stpaulsbrick.org	Pastor
Hector Meza	Hector.Meza@stpaulsbrick.org	Dir. Of Youth Ministries
Barbara Estelle	Bestelle@stpaulsbrick.org	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	Office@stpaulsbrick.org	Administrative Asst.
Bill Nadler, Gary Deal, Kim Gavaletz, Mike Jensen, Al Primrose, Kevin Alborna		Sextons

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

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

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; February 24th at 5:00pm
If you have any interest in attending the class, please contact Hector Meza at Hector.meza@stpaulsbrick.org or at (732)458-2080 x15

March Dinner

Corn Beef & Cabbage

When: Saturday, March 9, 2019

Where: Norcross Hall

Time: 6:00 pm

Cost: Donation at the door



Corn Beef & Cabbage

Chicken Tenders

Potatoes

Vegetables

Mac & Cheese

Bread and Butter

Dessert



RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED

By March 6 2018

The Kitchen Cooks

IF UNABLE TO SIGN-UP FOR A DINNER AT CHURCH PLEASE, CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE OR DAVID CAVENAUGH BY WEDNESDAY OF THE DINNER SO OTHERS WHO HAVE SIGNED UP WON'T BE WITHOUT DINNER.

Corn Beef & Cabbage or Chicken Tender or Both

THANK YOU.

#1 CHURCH PHONE: 732-458-2080
#2 DAVID CAVENAUGH: 732-458-4579

Looking for a signer

It has been many years since St. Paul's has offered a signing ministry for the deaf. It has come up in Council On Ministries before and I believe it's time to pursue this ministry in earnest. This process will be multifaceted and will take some time to build up.

Briefly, the concept would be to:

- Have a person to sign at one service every week. Which service to be determined but it would be the same service every week.
- Enlist many people so that Sundays could be rotated rather than one person doing every week
- Develop an ongoing ministry for the deaf that would include small group studies, ASL training and outreach to our community when signing services may be needed.

The first step is to reach out to you, our congregation for some information. Please email me at billbeaver101@gmail.com with your replies to the following questions.

1. Are you currently trained in American Sign Language or ASL?
2. Do you know anyone who is trained in ASL who would be interested in participating
3. Would you be interested in being trained in ASL?

Please be in prayer for this ministry and consider participating by personal participation or reaching out to someone you know with these skills.

Thank you,
Bill Beaver

Women's Softball



St. Paul's is currently putting our 2019 Women's Softball team together. This is a great way to fellowship along with getting some exercise. If you are interested in playing, please contact Bill Shaffer @ 732-259-0954 or fastcharger73@gmail.com. More info will be posted in the coming weeks, so stay tuned!

Spring Mission Trip Info

Theme: **Life Worth Living**

Location of trip:

Teen Quest Ranch in Somerset PA

Website: www.Teenquest.org

Facebook page: facebook.com/TeenQuest/

Dates: **Leave Tuesday April 23rd at 8:30 AM**

Return Saturday April 27th at approx. 5:30 PM

Cost of trip: \$210.00 Per Person

\$450 family of 3

\$650 family of 4

Cost will cover all meals, lodging and activities on site.

As well as transportation costs.

Balance due on March 15th

The work will include both physical construction and social interaction, with local youth and adults. Visiting The Children's Aid Home in Somerset. (<http://www.cahprogram.org>).

If you have any questions feel free to call Fred 732 278 3797

Or Doug 973 495 4377

Prayers and Concerns
February 10, 2019

Thanksgiving and Praise Psalm 150
Praise the LORD. Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens. Praise him for his acts of power; praise him for his surpassing greatness- Praise for answered prayers; Thank you for all the wonderful things you have given me. Thank you for my family. Thank you for being with Shirley's daughter and taking care of her.

Supplication & Blessings: Ephesians 1:3 Praise for Spiritual Blessings in Christ] Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ; Protection for those in the military; prayers for World peace; prayers for the girls in Freehold who lost their parents; prayers for myself to keep working through my issues; prayers for my family as we go through life change situation due to circumstances outside our control; Lord guide my family back to you; The family of co-worker Jackie who entered eternal rest this past week. Be with my sister-in-law as she moves. Bless all the service people at home and around the world.

Healing-; Luke 9:11 but the crowds learned about it and followed him. He welcomed them and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and healed those who needed Joan diagnosed with breast cancer; Barbara diagnosed with leukemia; Ryan let him find Jesus-help his heart again; Steven for open heart surgery and ongoing dialysis; Healing for Zack; Cancer sufferers. Lorraine, Lori, Ed, Betsy. Judy, Jane, Lucille; Sharon undergoing gall bladder surgery; Matilda, Michael, Jeanne, Eric. Dan, Friend's daughter with depression; Friend's Dad, Ron.; Lorraine, Milt, Steve, Naomi, Janet Nilson, Dot Hilner, Suzanne, Doris, Kathie, Karen, Robin, Terry and Nancy; Lorraine H., Jim, daughter Sue –having Carotid surgery on Wednesday; Alan; test results for Judy and Tim; Jeff, Michelle, Cheryl. Liz, Alan, Constantino family, Schleentz family, Bunny and Charley; cancer-Ron, Patty, Pam, Nilda and Don's sister; Debbie, Cindy and Sarah with cancer

Guidance: Bryce; Damien in Brooklyn; St. Paul's church and leaders; Country leaders; County and local leaders; My 6 grandkids-keep them safe and on the right path in life; Bryan, Nick, Amanda and Michael; Kelly Family; Our Granddaughter; Nick.

Travel – Travel mercies this week.

Mustard Seed Pre-School News

Our February theme was "Love One Another", and our art projects and lessons tied into this theme. Mrs. Downs came in and read to us and Mrs. Probert presented lessons on Native Americans and our Presidents.

Our March theme will be Transportation, and we will also celebrate four special days this month, Dr. Seuss Birthday, Mardi Gras, St. Patrick's Day and the First Day of Spring. March will be a very busy and exciting time. Several months back we planted bulbs, the students are watching the buds peek out of the soil and are keeping track to see which plant will bloom first. After learning about how animals cope in winter weather, the students requested that we install a bird feeder outside the classroom window, permission was granted by the Trustees and the students are very excited about having the feeder installed shortly.

In March we are also teaching the 3 year olds number recognition, shapes, sorting and size and recognition of the letters E-F-and G. The 4 year olds will be reviewing the different sounds those letters make and basic math problems.

Several families stopped in for our open house on February 13th. We are planning on holding another open house in the future, watch for the date to be announced. Special thank-you this month to Mike Jensen for getting the word out about the open house on Facebook and Sue Lindstrom for arranging to have an announcement on Brick Patch.

If you know a Pre-K child please tell their family about our school. You can also contact Donna Ferguson with any questions at 732-458-2080.

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