

ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 13, 2019

“But just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do” 1 Peter 1:15

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENT

PRELUDE: “Prelude #in in Dm” Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAISE “Holy, Holy, Holy” (Red #64)

GREET ONE ANOTHER

COMMISSIONING OF THE MISSION TEAM

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

HYMN OF PREPARATION “Breathe On Me, Breath of God” (Red #420)
(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: “Offering/ His Glorious Name”

DOXOLOGY (Red #95)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Peter 1:13 – 2:3 (pg. 1887)

MESSAGE “The Measure of Holiness”

HYMN OF RESPONSE “Holiness” (Praise Song)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “The Faithful Heart Rejoices” Peterson

OUR GREETERS FOR TODAY’S SERVICES ARE:

9:00am: Cathy Porzio

10:45am: Bill and Carole Carter

ACOLYTES: Siobhan and Fiona Predham

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are Given by Rebeccah 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.

Greeters Needed

If you would like to greet people as they come into church please see the sign up binders in the back of church Narthex. There is a book for 9:00am and 10:45am services. This is a great way to show Christian love and hospitality in a small way that means a lot!

Please sign up!

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

SUNDAY	01/13	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 – ROOM 6
		6:00PM	YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM
		8:00	PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY
		8:00	ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL

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

MONDAY	01/14	7:00PM	Finance Meeting – LIBRARY
		7:00	PRAYER AVALANCHE – CHAPEL
		7:00	BIBLE STUDY - STAFF LOUNGE
TUESDAY	01/15	NOON	BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS DUE
		7:00	UMW INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
		7:00	MEN'S PRAYER GROUP
WEDNESDAY	01/16	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
		7:00	BOY SCOUTS MEEING
		7:30	PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE - SANCTUARY
THURSDAY	01/17	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	01/18	8:30AM	BULLETIN TEAM – CHURCH OFFICE
		6:00PM	GIRL SCOUTS
		7:00	BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY
SATURDAY	01/19	7:00AM	MEN'S DISCIPLE – YOUTH ROOM
SUNDAY	01/20	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	KITTING AND CHOCHET GROUP - LIBRARY
		6:00PM	YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM
		8:00	ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL

Our weekly events are updated frequently to keep you posted on the happenings of the church.

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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.

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RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS

January 6, 2019

Worship Attendance Last Sunday 199
Sunday School 48

<u>Giving</u>	<u>Current Expenses</u>	<u>Mortgage Giving</u>
Received last Week	\$6,898	\$1,330.00

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 January 1, 2019 is \$839,059

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

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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 Alborn		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



All are welcome! On Tuesday, January 15th, St. Paul's UMW will hold its annual gathering to welcome their officers for 2019. Join us at the church for a casual evening offering up delicious light fare as we welcome the New Year, new officers and new opportunities to meet other Christians. Our program will begin at **7pm**.

This year's featured talents will be

Janet Post and Sharon Nunn

Come out and hear the beautiful voices that God has bestowed upon these gifted women. Get out your new calendars and mark the date. **Tuesday, January 15th, beginning at 7pm** will prove to be a rewarding way to begin your support for St. Paul's Church during 2019.

Youth Group Winter Retreat

St. Paul's Youth Group invites students in **7th to 12th** grades to attend our annual winter retreat, "IGNITE" at Spruce Lake Christian Retreat Center in Canadesis, P.A. This is a fun and fulfilling spiritual retreat with time for great discussions, fun games, and engaging experiences. The retreat is from **February 15th – 17th** and the **Cost is \$90**. The money for trip is due **January 20th**

If you would like to send your child on this amazing trip please email our Youth Director, Hector at hector.meza@stpaulsbrick.com

Intercessory Prayer

January 6, 2019

"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 Milt, Lorraine, Noni, Suzanne, Doris, Kathie, Janet Nielsen, Dorothy Hillner, Lene; help heal Barbara, Anita, Diane, Dotty, Jay; for co-worker Jackie in the hospital; friend with heart problems, friend awaiting surgery; Janet Nielsen, healing for Lorraine H., Jim, Dave, Anne, Manny; healing and guidance for the Wright family, Victoria and Raymond; Alma with lymphedema; Trish with back trouble, Mara with eye and health problems; Victoria with anxiety; Raymond with depression; Raymond with seizures away at college – help him to use the tools he has (Rx sorter) to stay on schedule; Steve with arthritis; George with mental health problems; Margie with tendonitis and bursitis of left shoulder and arthritis in left wrist; Cindy, Janet & Nick; continued prayers for my brother in South Carolina now in a long term care facility and prayers to keep Bonnie, my sister-in-law strong; Nick, Jamie, Bill, Lorraine B., Lorraine H., Bill F., Robert, Sherry, Lloyd, Kay, Betty, Will, Terry & Nancy, Suzanne Noni, Mick, Judy's Uncle, Jane & Dan, Christine; strength and patience for caregivers; Pastor Al's mother with dizziness; Nick's addiction recovery; healing for Patty, Heidi, Heidi's mom and Uncle Ronnie, Claire and Liz; prayers for a friend who suffered a stroke; Buddy, Bill, Robert, Sandy, Peggy; prayers for myself to feel better; prayers for our friend Bette as she goes through medical tests; healing for my husband with mental health issues; friend's 19 year old daughter with depression; friend's dad, Ron; continued prayers for Uncle Ronnie, Peg and Amanda; 2 friends awaiting surgery; friend with heart problems; prayers for Patty for upcoming surgery and treatments; be with Lena as she heals; prayers for a safe healthy birth for my niece Jess 32 weeks pregnant; Christine Jones to heal; prayers Bill will give up alcohol and enjoy a better life.

"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 – prayers for Bob Campbell with a brain tumor and prayers of comfort for Sandy, Michelle and Lea; prayers for Ken Lewis going through chemo for brain cancer; Robin ended radiation; Karen in Sloan Kettering NYC; prayer for a young boy dying from cancer; Marcia Crump with cancer and son Will with depression; Andre and Jim with leukemia; Jan, Denise, and Martha all breast cancer survivors; friend's husband on 4th round of chemo; prayers for Patty having cancer surgery this week and for her surgeons; Dawn strength and healing of cancer.

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

PRAISE – Lord, bless all my family and friends; praise for the birth of a new great-nephew – all went well; praise for Jacklyn making Dean's List; prayers for our family with a new baby; praise and thanks for your grace and blessings on our church; thank you for giving your Son to pay for my sins; thank you for the wonderful family you have given me, bless and care for all of them;

"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 – Lord I pray that you guide my family back to you; Dan and his family in the loss of his mother; Lord, please keep all my friends and family in your loving care; thank you for all the blessings you have given me; thank you for St. Paul's; prayers for my family to continue to do the things that glorify you; Ed's family since his passing; prayer for health and peace of mind; protection for those in the military; peace and world unity.

"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 – praise and thanks for your grace and blessings on our church; travel mercies for our Haiti mission team; bless me Lord to be your messenger of peace and love to everyone I meet each day at home and at work; bless me with love Lord – your will be done; travel mercies for young people going back to college; prayers for health and peace of mind; guidance for St. Paul's church and leaders; country, county and local leaders; guidance for my grandkids – keep them safe and on the right path in life; Christine and Mary Anne – peace of mind; guidance for President Trump, our congress – guide them to make the right decisions; homeless; Jude, Melissa; George Sergio, Giovanni & Armani; The Gornstein family; the Maglione family; the Weissingers, the Katzers; Alma Schreiber; Bryan needs to find an apartment; guidance for the new year; guidance and safe trip for my sister Linda as she moves back to Florida after ending her marriage.

"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."

Donations of Christmas Cards Needed

Laura Cross will be willing to take Christmas cards both new and old to be used for various projects. Both the covers and the sayings are utilized for different projects. There is a box on Nathex table.

Thanks for your help.



FRIDAY EVENING PRAYER GROUP

Are you, or is someone you know in need of prayer? The Friday Evening Prayer Group is restarting on February 1st! We will meet in the chapel from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Please join us. All are welcome!

Mustard Seed Pre-School News UPDATE FOR JANUARY

In January we are continuing our studies on how animals cope in the winter and toward the end of the month are doing a Native American unit. January's Bible verse is "God created the Heavens and the Earth" and our science studies and art projects will tie into this verse. A special thank you to the Freedly family for the generous gift of a microscope. The children are having a marvelous time using it.

In February we are concentrating on vowels and the sounds they make, and will continue with daily mathematics whether it is review or new material. We will celebrate the holidays in February with stories and special snacks.

If you know of a child that could benefit from a quality Christian based Pre-k, please contact Donna Ferguson at 732-458-2080



Attention All Van Drivers

The Lord Be Praised we have a new Church van! And it works great!
With our new van we will need new records.

If you'd like to drive the van for church related trips, we will need a new copy of your current driver license. We will be running all licenses this upcoming week of January. All licenses will have to be processed for approval to drive the Church Van. It helps us to run them all together, as it cuts our cost down to run them all at once
This is a requirement of our insurance company. Thank you for your cooperation.



MID-WEEK WORSHIP!

COME CHECK US OUT ANY WEDNESDAY

IN THE NEW YEAR!



We meet every **Wednesday at 7:00pm**

In the Youth Room.

Coffee and Dessert are provided.

Please come out and join us

We would love to worship with you!

Chocolate Festival

Proceeds to benefit Haiti Mission and St Paul's
Capital Improvements - hosted by
Miriam Circle and friends.

Saturday February 9, 2019
11:00am - 2:00pm in Norcross Hall

Pre-order some HOME-MADE chocolate goodies for
your favorite sweetheart or yourself! So we may
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NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

- _____ Chocolate Hazelnut Truffles - 6/\$6
_____ Dark _____ Milk
- _____ Valentine Assortment - \$3.50 per $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. box
_____ Dark _____ Milk _____ Mixed
- _____ Chocolate-covered Cherries - 5/\$4
_____ Dark _____ Milk
- _____ Peppermint Patties - 5/\$3.50
- _____ Chocolate-covered Oreos - 3/\$2
_____ Dark _____ Milk _____ White
- _____ "Thin Mint" Cookies - 4/\$2
- _____ Peanut Butter Cups - 4/\$3.50
_____ Dark _____ Milk _____ White
- _____ Cashew Clusters 4/\$3.50
_____ Dark _____ Milk
- _____ Chocolate-covered Coconut
(like "Mounds") 4/\$3.50
- _____ Chocolate-covered Coconut w/Almond
(like "Almond Joy") 4/\$3.50
_____ Dark _____ Milk _____ White
- _____ Chocolate Chip Pie - \$8 _____ Nuts _____ No

*** TOTAL: _____ ***

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