**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**November 3, 2019**

**ALL SAINTS SUNDAY**

**“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the course, I have kept the faith” 2 Timothy 4:7**

**WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENT**

**PRELUDE** “Come, Now Is the Time to Worship/ O Worship the King” Doerksen

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**INVOCATIONAL PRAYER**

**HYMN OF PRAISE** “Sing with All the Saints in Glory” (Red #702)

**GREET ONE ANOTHER**

**CHERUB CHOIR** “A ‘Light’ Medley”

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**HYMN OF PREPARATION** “For All the Saints” (Verses 1-4) (Red #711) (**PRAYER CARDS***may be passed to the ushers at the end of the aisles)*

**SAINTS REMEMBERED**

**MORNING PRAYER**

GIVING OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY SPECIAL MUSIC** “Allegro from Sonata for flute and piano by Loeillet”Flute – Hannah Snyder and Piano – Barbara Estelle

**DOXOLOGY** (Red #95)

#### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**SCRIPTURE READING** Hebrews 11:1-6 (Pg. 1874)

#### MESSAGE “Giving Our Best to God”

**COMMUNION** (Communion will be served by intinction)

#### HYMN OF RESPONSE “A Mighty Fortress is Our God” (Red #110)

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** Light of Lights, Lord of Lords” by Birchwood

Check our website, [www.stpaulsbrick.org](http://www.stpaulsbrick.org) for last week’s message “Blessed Assurance”

**GREETERS FOR TODAY’S SERVICES ARE:**

**9:00am Christine Arena**

**10:45am:**

# **ACOLYTES:** **Michael Scott and Tyler Oliveira**

**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 services 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.**

**Saints Remembered**

Noni E. Ehrola

Allison E. Ulbrich,

Robert W. Mahler Sr.

Dorothy L. Hillner

Marian C. Clark

Alberta B. Clifford

Richard Price

**THIS WEEK’S EVENTS**

SUNDAY 11/03 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

 BAKED POTATO LUNCHEON

10:45 ContEMPORARY WORSHIP Service

10:45 ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM

6:00pm YOUTH GROUP – yOUTH ROOM

6:00 PASTOR’S BIBLE STUDY

 8:00 ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL

**MUSTARD sEED PRE-SCHOOL: MONDAY, TUESDAY, wEDNESDAY, Friday 8:45AM- 11:45AM**

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

MONDAY 11/04 6:00PM STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST- NORCROSS

6:30 BIBLE STUDY - STAFF LOUNGE

TUESDAY 11/05 **NOON BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS DUE**

7:00 alanon group – yoUTH ROOM

7:00 Men’s Prayer Group – LIBRARY

WEDNESDAY 11/06 6:00am Men’S Breakfast

10:00 The Quilters - Youth Room

10:30 LADIES SHARE – LIBRARY

1:00PM STAFF MEETING - LIBRARY

4:30 CHERUB CHOIR – 4 yr to 1st grade

6:00 HANDBELL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM

6:00 VOLLEYBALL – NORCORSS HALL

7:00 mid-week WORSHIP – YOUTH ROOM

7:30 PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE - SANCTUARY

THURSDAY 11/07 6:00PM STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST- NORCROSS

 7:00 TRUELIFE YOUTH GROUP – YOUTH ROOM

 7:00 BOY SCOUTS TROOP #33 – NORCROSS HALL

 7:00 BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY

 7:00 CAROL CHOIR – 2nd GRADE TO 5TH GRADE

7:00 CELEBRATION CHOIR – 6TH GRADE TO 12TH GRADE

8:00 CHANCEL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM – 10TH GR.- ADULT

FRIDAY 11/08 8:30AM BULLETIN TEAM – LIBRARY

SATURDAY 11/09 7:00AM MEN’S DISCIPLE – YOUTH ROOM

 6:00PM FELLOWSHIP DINNER – NORCROSS HALL

SUNDAY 11/10 9:00AM TradITIONAL WORSHIP Service – SANCTUARY

9:00 CHILDCARE- RM 2

9:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL K- HIGH SCHOOL

9:00 YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:45 ContEMPORARY WORSHIP Service

10:45 ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM

10:45 MARTHA CIRCLE – ROOM 10

6:00PM PASTOR’S BIBLE STUDY

6:00 YOUTH GROUP – yOUTH ROOM

 8:00 ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL

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Our Food Pantry is blessed to be able to serve so many families this Thanksgiving. We are on track to make a difference in almost 3 dozen households next month. It is our hope that our baskets will not only help alleviate a little holiday stress, but will also address some food insecurities during the Thanksgiving week.

As we prepare to pack Thanksgiving baskets, we hope you’ll consider picking up just one of the following as a donation to our Food Pantry:

Boxed stuffing mix

Canned cranberry sauce

Turkey gravy

Drop off bins are located just outside sanctuary in hallway.

Happy Thanksgiving

from the

St. Paul’s Food Pantry Volunteers

**Attendance for October 27, 2019**

**Worship Attendance Last Sunday 153**

**Sunday School 51**

**MORTGAGE UPDATE:**

The mortgage balance as of November 1, 2019 is $811,160

**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 e-mailed 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****.**

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

<https://www.facebook.com/stpaulsbrick/>



UMW Circle Meetings for November 2019

All ladies are welcome! If you’ve ever wondered what goes on at our monthly UMW circle get-togethers, just ask us! Better yet, try one. You might just get hooked! We study God’s word. We share. We laugh. We learn about each other. We love the Lord together. And we do all this by meeting up just once a month.

Our hope is that one of these meeting dates will fit into your busy schedule. Why not give it a try? What have you got to lose? More importantly, what have you got to gain? Well, we think you’ll gain a lot trying one of these:

Martha Circle 10:45 am, Sunday, November 10th. Call Diane Collis for more information at (732) 785-2750 or email Diane at dcollis19@gmail.com

Rebeccah Circle noon, Tuesday, November 12th. Call Ruth Baker for more information at (732) 458-2712 or email Ruth at mbaker@comcast.net

Sarah Circle noon, Tuesday November 12th. Call Carol Kampf for more information at (732) 458-8232 or email Carol at CarolKampf@yahoo.com

Miriam Circle, 7pm, Tuesday, November 12th. Call Cathy Porzio for more information at (732) 458-8232 or email Cathy at cporzio@verizon.net

Lydia Circle, 7pm, Wednesday, November 13th. Call Margie Moss for more information at (732) 458-4857 or email Margie at mmoss77@comcast.net

**There will be a meeting of the Christmas Store**

7PM Tuesday, November 12th at St. Thomas Church, Brick.
If you have any questions please call Maureen Tracey 732-840-1932.

**Christmas Store Items Needed!**

As part of the Christmas Store families are supplied with a toiletry kit. The following items are needed for the kits: Wrapped bars of soap, tooth paste and new brushes (in packages), new combs and brushes, deodorant, box of Band-Aids, hand sanitizer and baby powder, shampoo and lotion.

Please do not donate any type of medications (Tylenol, etc.) as we are not allowed to distribute these.

Thank you!

**CARDS FOR CHRISTMAS ! CARDS FOR CHRISTMAS !**

Lydia Circle ladies are taking orders for Handcrafted Christmas cards. The cards come in packs of 6 (for $4.50) and 12 (for $9.00). You can view our samples and place your order at our table outside Norcross Hall between services on Sunday Nov. 3 and on Sunday Nov. 10. Your finished cards will be available for pick up on Sunday December 1. Proceeds go towards the missions which we support.

**Safe Sanctuary Workshop for Protected Persons**

**November 23, 2019 @ 9:30 am, Youth Room**

Are you currently volunteering with children or protected persons in the church?

As part of our church policy, the safe sanctuary workshop is mandatory for anyone volunteering with children or challenged adults. Those required to take this workshop will be anyone currently working in these fields who have not yet completed the program or those looking to work with children or protected adults in the future. We also encourage those in the congregation who are interested in learning more about our Safe Sanctuary Policy to join our group. Please advise the church office or Sunday school office if attending, so adequate supplies can be provided. Please refer any questions to Kathy Deal in the Sunday school office.

**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS**

**November 3, 2019**

**31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

“But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, ‘Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor, and if I extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.’” LUKE 19:8

We are all called to gratefully give back to the Lord in proportion to the blessings we have been given. This means everyone isn’t called to give the same amount, but is called to give equal sacrifice. No amount is too small or insignificant! Open your heart, how is God calling you to be more generous with your financial resources and possessions?

**Operation Christmas Child**

St. Paul’s has supported this mission for many years.

Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan’s Purse, an international relief organization. Our mission is to provide local partners around the world with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies as a means of reaching out to children in their own communities with the Good News of Jesus Christ. We ship these simple gifts outside the United States to children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster, famine, and disease; and to children living on Native American reservations in the U.S.

Please pick up a box and follow the printed instructions on the box.

Return them to the church by November 24th

Learn more @ <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>

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**November Dinner**

**Italian Night**

**When: Saturday, November 9, 2019**

**Where: Norcross Hall**

**Time: 6:00 pm**

**Meatballs with Pasta**

**Sausage & Peppers**

**Salad**

**Bread and Butter**

**Dessert**

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED

By November 6, 2019

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.

THANK YOU. Cost: Donation at the door

#1 CHURCH PHONE: 732-458-2080

 #2 DAVID CAVENAUGH: 732-458-4579

**November’s Communion offering will go to "The Haiti Mission”**

**St Paul’s Mission Team is planning our Haiti trip for January 22nd - 28th.**

**We have Big plans!**

Bring the word of Jesus to our friends in Haiti

Through Prayer, Worship and Bible Camp

\*Feed the Bible Camp children

\*Build railing for the church

\*Lay Pavers around the Church and walkways

\*Work on Gate and Fence at front of Property

\*Distribute Hygiene kits and solar lights to the community

\*Gift the cooks

\*Pass out prayer squares and pocket crosses

\*Promote the Music ministry

\*New Sneaker Distribution

\*Gifts Made by our Sunday School Children

\*Grow in Christ with our Team and Church community

at St. Paul’s

🎄👼🎄 "CALLING ALL ANGELS"

Each Christmas, through all of your generous contributions, the Warming Hearts Mission is able to distribute 150 mission bags to the residents, filled with their very basic needs. The following is a list of items that are needed to fill the mission bags. We would appreciate it if you could put the following items in a one gallon sealable plastic bag. Items should be **regular size only** (no trial or large size) and similar items.

Shampoo Deodorant (stick or roll-on)

Toothpaste Toothbrush (single pack)

1 Bar Soap (no liquid) Lip Balm (i.e., Chapstick)

We are also looking for these additional items to distribute:

 Socks (male and female, white and colors)

 Warm hats and gloves

 Travel size tissues

 Tin cans of butter cookies

 Christmas candy (Candy canes, Hershey Kisses, etc.-

 **NO NUTS or PEANUT BUTTER** , please)

Please place your contributions in the large container marked \*Lexington House\* in the Narthex

“Thank You Angels, for your generosity in supporting the Lexington House Mission”

Feel free to bring a friend with you to help as well and introduce them to our mission. Mary Buckley-732-267-0852 or maryb23@me.com

Intercessory Prayer

 October 27, 2019

 “You are my strength; I wait for you to rescue me, for you, O God, are my place of safety. In his unfailing love, my God will come and help me. He will let me look down in triumph on all my enemies. ”Psalm 59:9-10

HEALING – Gordon and his family; Friend very ill after chemo, friends husband chemo, Robin & Karen -chemo, friend’s daughter with depression, Suzanne, Doris, Kathie, Lorraine, Shirley, Lena, Milt, Steve; friends & family with cancer: Amanda, Patty, Ken, Bill Uncle Ronnie & Peg; Peg with aneurysm, Jeff visiting his uncle & travel, Jacklyn battling another cold; Mark in the ICU; Jackie’s back, Kevin and Debbie’s eyes; for the Rudy family in the loss of their husband, father and grandfather; Ellen dealing with depression, Dad living with dementia; Laura W, Julia D, Joyce; Tim as he goes to another doctor for a different issue, the Lake family; families dealing with loss, 9 year old with castleman’s disease; Scott; daughters Carol & Cathy & Mom; sister, Frances for continued good test results, Tom recovering from a stroke, Donna Cashour after her stroke; John comfort and freedom from pain.

PRAISE – Pastor Al; Midweek worship; Strength and Christian example shown by Ruth Blair; Answered prayers, for my family, bless and care for all the service men & women who protect our country, Thank you to our pastors Alan & Hector; Morganette.

GUIDANCE – St Paul’s UMC & leaders, country, county & local leaders with upcoming elections; Paul; Michael, Julia, Nick, Amanda, Joe and Brian; Damien in Brooklyn; give guidance to our President; young girl going through rejection; for my kids to always put you first.

“You will keep in perfect peace all who trust in you, all whose thoughts are fixed on you! Trust in the Lord always, for the Lord God is the eternal Rock.” Isaiah 26:3-4

SALVATION – Lord, I pray that you may use me to inspire my spouse to seek a relationship with you; Alec, Ryan and Rick.

PROTECTION – Those in the military; safety for Brick families & town; Please protect my students – show them the value of relationships

**MID WEEK WORSHIP**

Every Wednesday

**Time**:7:00pm

**Place**: Youth Room

Come listen to the great music, hear great messages, and share in the fellowship together.

Coffee and snacks will be provided.

Hope to See You There!!!

**What a Blessing!!!**

8 new 8 foot long tables were donated for church use. To replace aged and broken tables that are kept in the Church garage.

This donation was given graciously by the “Stronger Hearts for Christ” Fitness Group and the United Methodist Women.

A Very Very Large Thank You

These tables will go to good use at many church functions and especially our annual Rummage Sales!

Thank you again to all who donated to make this happen!

**Another Blessing…….**

Another Donation of a 55in T.V was made to be used in our Church Library. This was graciously donated by the 6am Wednesday Morning Men’s Bible Study Group

This will be used well by the multiple Bible Studies and Sunday Class that uses the television for further Biblical study.

### Thank You Again!

### St. Paul’s Notes

November 3, 2019

**“Giving Our Best To God”**

Text: Hebrews 11: 1-6 (pg 1874)

**Sermon in a Sentence: “God, the GraciousGiver,**

**loves the Hilarious Giver”**

1. **Introduction**
2. A Legacy of Generosity
3. The Best of Offerings
4. **Giving Our Best to God**
5. The \_\_\_\_ \_\_ \_\_\_\_\_offers up to God it’s best
6. In our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_we offer up our best to God
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 **III Conclusion**