

St. Paul's Church

of the United Church of Christ



**"The Light" Newsletter
June/July 2017 Edition**



Greetings from the President:

I believe that summer is coming! At least it says so on the calendar as of June 21. After the cool, wet, stormy spring, we can look forward to long periods of sunshine and the promise of fun activities to come-- picnics, vacations, and just the enjoyment of being outside. Dates have been set for St. Paul's summer events including the : Mission trip to Indiana, Vacation Bible School, the Lawn Fete and our outing to a Florence Freedom Baseball Game.

As a choir member, I will miss choir over the summer, but will look forward to special music with solos, ensembles, bells, etc. to add to our worship.

This time of transition with Pastor Chad leaving and finding an interim minister has been a challenge and learning experience for us all. However, with God's help, I am confident that we have a good future ahead because we care about each other and our community. At the time of this writing, we are working on an agreement with an interim pastor who will lead us in the search for our settled (permanent) minister. We have to be patient in all of this unknown process and keep in mind that we want to succeed in keeping our church together. We don't need to be disillusioned; we need to stick together because we want to be God's church and His servants.

Many thanks go to the Monday men and all those who have worked tirelessly on our church's structure. We look forward to the dedication of the main floor renovations, and will soon be working on the lower level with guidance from the Long Range Planning Committee. Our church building is getting a new face lift. Now, we need to continue our work on filling it!

Blessings to all and enjoy your summer.

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CHURCH TIDBITS



St. Paul's Nursery

St. Paul's has child care for children ages infants to kindergarten during the worship service in the Nursery on the Lower Level. There is no adult supervision for children first grade and older. It is requested that these children remain with their parents/guardian in the sanctuary during the worship service.

Thanks, Church Council

Activity bags are available for young school age children who are attending church services and are labeled by grade levels. The colorful activity bags are hanging on coat hooks, located on the east side of the sanctuary.



Hearing Impaired Devices Available to be used during church services. See the media coordinator in the back corner for assistance.

CALLING ALL GRADUATES

If anyone is graduating from high school, college, or vocational school, please give the office your name, diploma/degree, and future plans. We will honor our graduates on June 11th.

SAVE THE DATE: AUGUST 5TH – LAWN FETE

More details to follow.

PLEASE MAKE NOTE that the new starting time for Sunday School classes for the pre-k, elementary, and pre-confirmation classes will now be 9:45am – 10:15am. Adult Classes will still meet at 9:00am.

**RECYCLING/FUNDRAISERS-Unless indicated by an
(*) collection boxes are located in Fellowship Hall
for all other recycled items.**

1. **Ronald McDonald House** items such as hotel amenities used by families staying with sick children at Cincinnati Children's Hospital.

2. **Plastic bags** for making homeless sleeping mats.

*3. **Recycle your bulletins** and other papers. Place in gray recycling bin by the front door in church.

*4. **Used printer ink cartridges** – give to Teresa Knauer. The money received for this program goes to the Pastor's Discretionary Fund.

5. **20 oz. plastic pop bottles** – for feeding baby goats at Sunrock Farm, an educational working farm.

6. **Empty pill bottles** – to improve health care in undeveloped countries.

*7. **Aluminum cans** – recycle bin located in the Parish House in the back room by the refrigerator. Also, recycle bin located in Fellowship Hall corner by the refrigerator.

*8. **Aluminum can pull tabs** – give to Donna Mader or leave in the kitchen with Donna's name and your name. The tabs benefit the retired school teachers.

*9. **County Market receipts** no older than 6 months. Give to any member of the Bell Choir.



**It's time for the Annual St. Paul's
UUC Night at the Florence
Freedom Baseball Team.**

**Join us for
Fireworks Friday
Princess Night**

**July 21, 2017
At 7:05 pm
Tickets are \$10.00 each.**

**Please place your order by Sunday July 9.
Tickets will be distributed on Sunday July 16.
If you have any questions see a Christian Ed. Board
Member.**

Name _____

Telephone _____

Number of tickets ordered _____

Amount enclosed _____



Join us for VBS
June 12-16
9am – noon

Contact Evelyn with questions eedietz@aol.com or
635-1002 or 513 519-2148



VBS Registration
Form
St. Paul's UCC

Child's Name

Age _____ Last grade completed _____

Parent/Guardian

Phone

Allergies/anything we need to
know: _____

Welcome to St. Paul's UCC!

--Keep the bottom portion:-----

Please come back for our worship service on June 18th at 10:30am as the kids sing and share VBS lessons!
Questions? Contact Evelyn Dietz at 635-1002, 513 519-2148 cell, eedietz@aol.com or the church office at 635-9394 10-4 Monday-Thursday

THOSE WHO SERVE IN JUNE

Liturgist

June 4 Roger VonStrohe
11 Karey Thomas
18 Marion Gosney
25 Debbie Fowee

Coffee

June 4 Peach Webb
11 Linda Krebs
18 D. Yeager & J. Baker
25 Dave & Cammy B.

Acolyte

June 4 Brenna Losey
11 Greyson Ballinger
18 Logan Hayslette
25 Lexi Nicholson

Communion Set-up: June 4 – Marion & Dorothy Gosney

Ushers:

June 4 10:30 Asbury Turner, Lee Walz, Rick Carr
and Leah McDonald

June 11 10:30 Marion & Dorothy Gosney

June 18 10:30 Shawn Hayslette and Pat Schuchter

June 25 10:30 Ron Sperry and Jim Miller

**IF YOU CANNOT MAKE YOUR ASSIGNED DATE, PLEASE
TRADE WITH SOMEONE ELSE AND LET THE CHURCH OFFICE
KNOW.**

THOSE WHO SERVE IN JULY

Liturgist

July 2 Amity Kukla
9 Charlene Rogers
16 Roger VonStrohe
23 Karey Thomas
30 Marion Gosney

Coffee

July 2 Linda Krebs
9 Tim Ash
16 D. Yeager & J. Baker
23 Dave & Cammy B.
30 Peach Webb

Acolyte

July 2 Cole Johnson
9 Kennedy Johnson
16 Shae Weinel
23 Grayson Ballinger
30 Brenna Losey

Communion Set-up: July 2 – Barb Fausz and Helen McAlpin

Ushers:

July 2 10:30 Asbury Turner, Lilla Losey, Debbie Fowee and Cameron McDonald

July 9 10:30 Kayla McDonald and Jessica McDonald

July 16 10:30 Leah McDonald and Rick Carr

July 23 10:30 Marion & Dorothy Gosney

July 30 10:30 Pat Schuchter and Shawn Hayslette

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Second Sunday Feast



On Sunday, June 11th we will continue our tradition of the Second Sunday Feast immediately following worship. This will be a potluck luncheon shared by all members of the congregation. If you would like to bring a side dish, main dish, or a dessert to share with others, come get to know newer members, enjoy laughs with friends, and share some of your best recipes with one another. Each month we will always meet down in the fellowship hall for a potluck feast on the Second Sunday. See you then.

JUNE
Birthdays and Anniversaries

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|----|-----------------------------|----|-------------------------------------|
| 3 | Katarina Chalk Dupre | 3 | Steve & Janie Haddix |
| 6 | Shelly Buechel | | 12 years |
| 6 | Dennis Vogt | 6 | Brandon & Jessica Coplen |
| 7 | Sam Ellsworth | | 9 years |
| 7 | Jim Miller | 8 | Jim & Kathy Miller |
| 7 | Ron Sperry | | 33 years |
| 8 | Casey Bihl | 15 | Chris & Leah McDonald |
| 9 | Rita Parker | | 26 years |
| 12 | Teddy Fausz | 21 | Brian & Bunny Clos |
| 18 | Tim Ash | | 20 years |
| 18 | Kajsa Larson | 21 | Daryl & Teresa Knauer |
| 19 | Glen Racke | | 32 years |
| 20 | John Thomas | 22 | Larry & Annette Boehm |
| 21 | Jessica Vogt | | 32 years |
| 27 | Richard Barton | 23 | Scott & Leah Fryman |
| 29 | Avery Enyart | | 6 years |
| 29 | Sally McNichols | | |



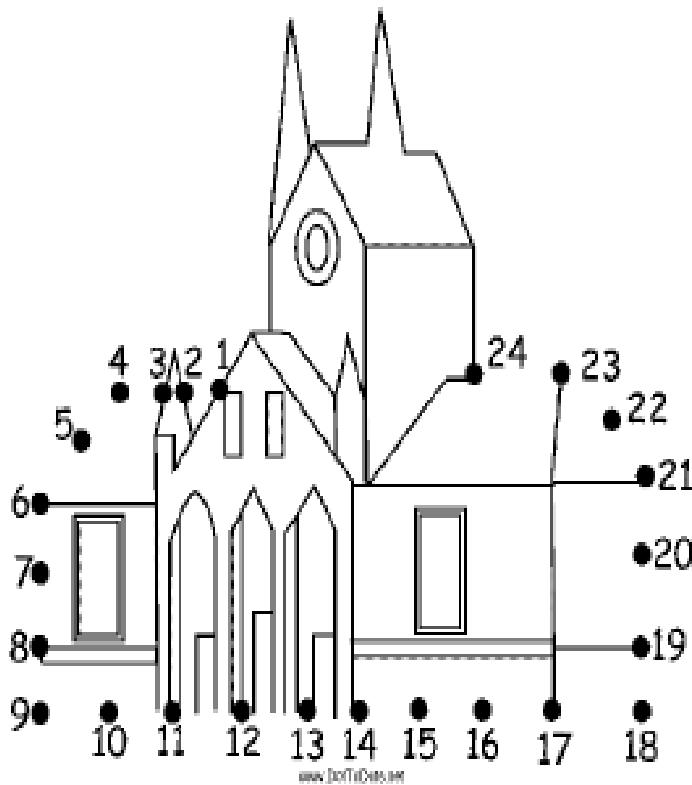
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AND CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 635-9394.**

JULY
Birthdays and Anniversaries

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|----|-----------------------------|----|-------------------------------------|
| 2 | Mike Darlington | 5 | Carl & Pat Schuchter |
| 3 | Donald Boehmer | | 59 years |
| 3 | Sam Parker | 6 | Greg & Lori Davis |
| 5 | Craig Horn | | 26 years |
| 7 | Evan Steelman | 8 | Tom & Anna Wheeler |
| 9 | Jeff Steelman | | 50 years |
| 13 | Lewis Connell | 19 | Rodney & Amy Meyer |
| 16 | Tom Greiser | | 25 years |
| 17 | Josie Buecker | 20 | Tim & Sharon Ash |
| 17 | Christine Mader | | 33 years |
| 18 | Ralph Olson | 21 | Keith & Julie Behymer |
| 22 | Leah Fryman | | 27 years |
| 22 | Alex Geiman | 28 | Mike & Connie Ballinger |
| 22 | Mariann Smith | | 44 years |
| 23 | Stephanie Caracciolo | 31 | Shawn & Beekee Hayslette |
| 25 | Erin Stacey | | 12 years |
| 27 | Jeff Enyart | | |
| 28 | Gio Caracciolo | | |
| 29 | Addison Coplen | | |
| 30 | Audrey Haddix | | |
| 30 | Violette Fausz | | |
| 31 | Brenna Losey | | |
| 31 | Emma Losey | | |

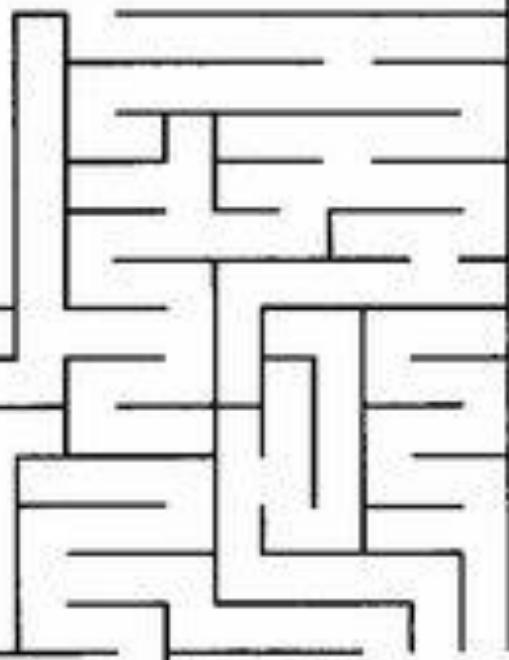


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Messiah	soldiers	jeered
wine	King	Jews
inscription	criminals	reviled
rebuking	condemnation	sentence
crimes	remember	kingdom
Amen	Paradise	today



Show Amy the way to her tricycle.

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