



St. Paul's United Church of Christ

50 North Main Street, P. O. Box 129
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The Rev. Bill Long, Interim Pastor

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St. Paul's United Church of Christ, Manheim will honor local veterans and their guest at a free Veterans' Dinner to be held on Saturday, November 10 at 5 pm. The dinner will feature chicken with stewed tomatoes and onions and brown buttered noodles. Please RSVP by Friday, November 2 @ 717.665.2447.

The keynote speaker for the evening is Paul DeVincenzo who currently serves veterans as a Department Service Office for the American Legion of PA. He has done this since 2016.

Previously Paul was a helicopter instructor pilot and maintenance test pilot in the PA Army National Guard. He began his career in Army Aviation since 1979, when he graduated from US Army Flight Training School, Ft. Rucker, AL. Paul has flown several different types of army helicopters: Hueys, Cobras and Chinooks.

In 2009, Paul deployed to Iraq with the 28th Aviation Brigade, 28th Infantry Division and PA Army National Guard. After retiring from the PA National Guard as a Lieutenant Colonel in 2012, Paul worked as a defense contractor performing duties as a CH-47E Chinook instructor pilot. Paul visited various Army installations where he instructed army pilots on the newest "glass cockpit" technology. Paul is originally from New Jersey. He graduated from the University of Idaho in 1977 and received his Masters of Strategic Studies from the US Army War College in 2003. He is married to his wife Marca. They have two college-age children and reside in West Hanover Township, PA since 1984.

St. Paul's UCC is located at 50 North Main Street, Manheim. Free parking is available in the rear of the church and the church is handicap accessible.

For more information about this and other upcoming events, please feel free to visit our website at www.stpaulsuccmanheim.org or contact the church office at 717.665.2447/stpaulsmanheim@ptd.net.

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