Opportunities to Know God, Love God & Serve God



- **Women's Fellowship** meets this Thursday, October 29 @ 1 pm in Fellowship Hall. All women are invited to attend!
- **All Saints' Sunday** is next Sunday, November 1. Please contact the church office at 717.665.2447/stpaulsmanheim@ptd.net by Monday, October 26 to include the name of your loved one who passed since last All Saints' Sunday 2025.
- A **Work Day** will be held on Saturday, November 7 from 9 am-Noon. More hands to help makes lighter work for all!
- The **Veterans' Dinner** will be held on Saturday, November 7 @ 6 pm. Please RSVP at 717.665.2447 by Friday, October 31 if you plan to attend.

From Pastor Bill Long:

If you have questions about anything you've heard today, please feel free to contact us. We'd love to talk with you and get to know you! Pastor Bill Long's office hours are Monday-Thursday 9 am-1 pm. For other times, call the church office at 717.665.2447.

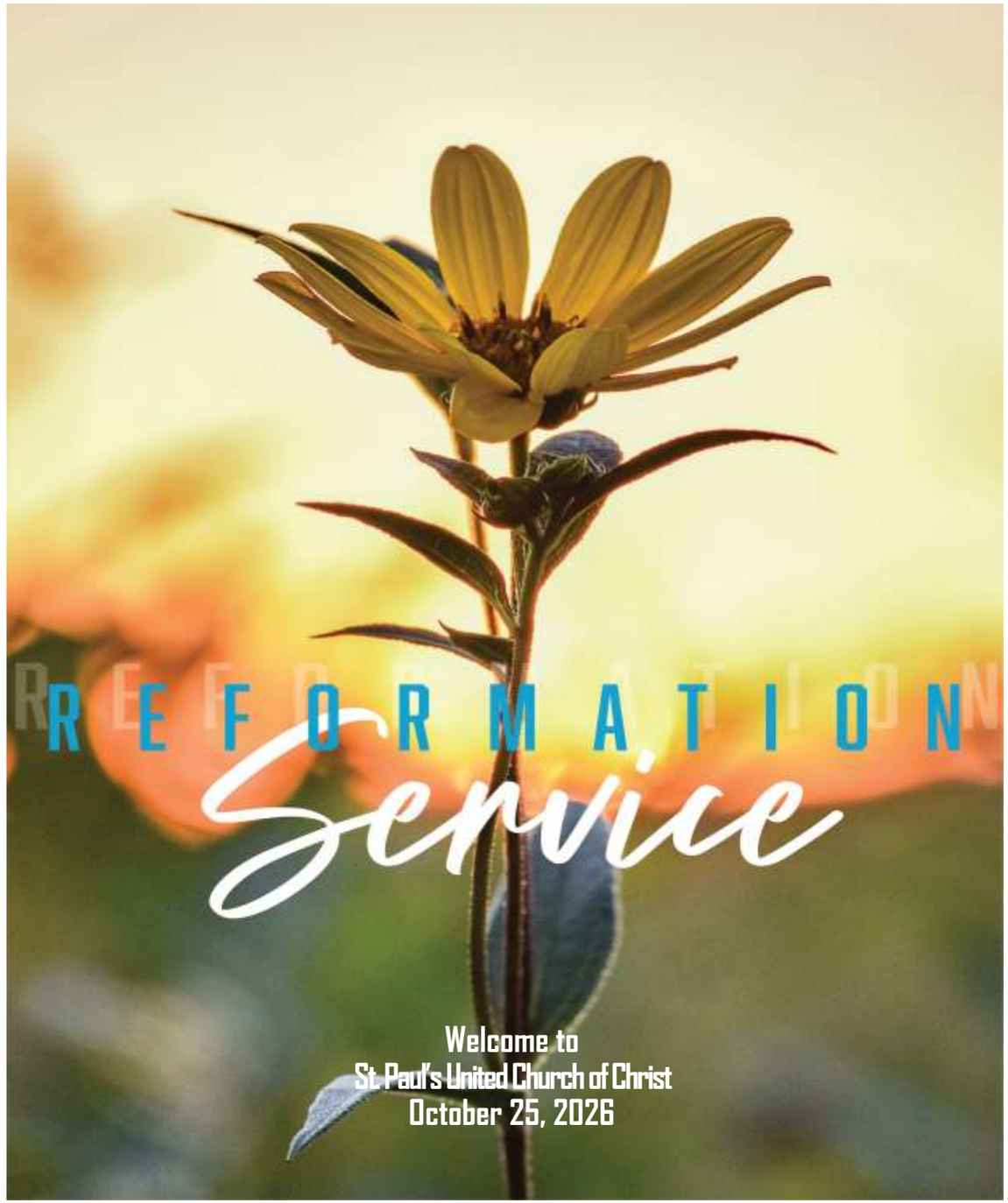
If you need Pastoral Care: If you are hospitalized or in crisis, please notify the church office at 717.665.2447 during weekday hours, or for ***emergency*** weekends, please call the church and leave a message – messages are monitored daily and your call will be returned shortly.

Church Calendar

Sunday: 9 am Prayer
9:30 am One Worship
10:30 am Coffee Hour
Wednesday: 6 pm Bible Study
Thursday: 9 am Simply Yoga
1 pm Women's Fellowship
7 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
7 pm AA @ Zion Lutheran
Saturday: 10 am Simply Yoga

Next Sunday: All Saints' Sunday
9 am Prayer
9:30 am One Worship
10:30 am Coffee Hour

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October 25, 2026

WELCOME to ST. PAUL'S

Making a Difference through the Love of Christ to
Know God ♦ Love God ♦ Serve God

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude/Call to Prayer/Prayer of the Day "Built On The Rock" - Lorenz

Call to Worship (Psalm of the Day) - Celebrate Insert Page 2

♦**Hymn #277** "I Greet Thee Who My Sure Redeemer Art" Verses 1, 2 & 5 - See Insert

Call to Confession/Prayer of Confession

L: Compassionate God,

P: We confess to you all our sins. Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves. In your mercy, call us back to you. Your yoke is easy and your burden is light. Restore us to dwell in your peace. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

♦**Offertory #815** "Praise God from whom all blessings flow...."

Special Music "I Heard The Voice of Jesus Say" by Harris - John Degler on Clarinet

Prayers of Intercession Celebrate Insert Page 4

Song "Build Your Kingdom Here" - See Insert

Confession of Faith - Philippians 3:12-14

P: I press on to lay hold of that for which Christ has laid hold of me. ...I do not consider that I have laid hold of it, but one thing I have laid hold of: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal, toward the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Reading of Scripture Jeremiah 31:31-34/Romans 3:19-28/♦St. John 8:31-36

Sermon "Our Foundation" - Pastor Bill Long

A Harvest of Gratitude Dedication

♦**Hymn #401** "The Church's One Foundation" Verses 1, 3 & 4

♦**Benediction**

♦**Postlude** "Rejoice And Sing" - Woert

♦All who are able may stand

Announcements

Welcome! It's so great to worship with you once again!

Worship Assistants:
Greeters/Ushers: Kermit & Dottie Drumheller
Music Provided by June Smith, Organist &
Holly Young, Flutist
The Altar Flowers are placed To the Glory of God.

Offering Options: Your offering is a part of worshipping God. St. Paul's offers several ways to give your offering:

- Drop your envelope in the donation box as you leave church today.
- Mail your offering to the church.
- If you use online banking, use the Bill Pay option.
- Or set up direct withdrawals – contact the church office at 717.665.2447 for more information.

Thank you for your continued support of the ministry here @ St. Paul's UCC!

You're Invited to Coffee Hour!

After worship today, please follow the crowd downstairs to Fellowship Hall to enjoy a delicious cup of Whiff Roasters coffee and some scrumptious treats. There's something for everyone and you'll have a chance to get to know the people of St. Paul's UCC and Pastor Bill Long!

All Saints' Sunday – November 1

If you would like to remember your loved one who passed away since last All Saints (November 2, 2025), please contact the church office TODAY and include their name, birthday, date of death as well as their relationship to you.

Mission of the Month

The October Mission of the Month is Church World Service's Blanket Appeal. The Blanket Appeal benefits those who have been left bereft of everything, whether from a natural disaster like flooding, hurricane, wildfire, etc, or by a human caused disaster such as war or violence. Help those who have nothing at least have a warm blanket by using your October special envelope.

Prayers of the People

To update the prayer list, please contact Joan Hess at 717.665.4705.



Please pray: We pray for all people who work in dangerous or degrading environments. Grant them safety and courage and heal all those who are injured, sick, or suffering. Amen.

Discernment Prayer:

- Please include in your prayers the work of the church here at St. Paul's and in the community of Manheim, thanking God for his great harvest!

A Harvest of Gratitude

We would like to thank the following individuals and companies for their work in renovating our 1st and 2nd floors. Your work is greatly appreciated – thanks so much for making our spaces so beautiful!

Abram Subcontracting
1584 Hossler Road
Manheim, PA 17545
Flooring/Bathroom Remodel

Dan Brandt
1789 Newport Road
Manheim, PA 17545
Painting/Counter Install/Window Repair

Merv Brandt
799 White Oak Road
Manheim, PA 17545
Painting/Window Repair

Foundation Building Materials
1600 Cloister Drive, Ste. C
Lancaster, PA 17601-2390
Supplier of Ceiling Tiles/Frames

Rick Good
P. O. Box 188
Lititz, PA 17543
Ceiling Tile

Kopp Electric LLC
1598 Newport Road
Manheim, PA 17545
Electrical

Doug Longenecker
632 West Newport Road
Lititz, PA 17543
Ceiling/Café Woodwork/Door Install

W. J. Nauman
918 Water Street
Mount Joy, PA 17552
Drywall

Christa Smeigh
Made in the Shade
3039 Columbia Avenue
Lancaster, PA 17601
Shades for Café & Fellowship Hall

Smart Air Heating & Cooling, LLC
1133 Raymond Drive
Lancaster, PA 17601
HVAC

Wenger Woodwork
839 Fairview Road
Manheim, PA 17545
Café Cabinet

Volunteers:
Marland Fair & Ron Forry
Heat Vent Install

Archive Team – Deb Allen, Kathy Frey, David Ludwig, Burt & Barb Savitz, Peter & Karen Weiss

Church Council – Karen Brandt, Lynn Brewer, Dani Fair, Ron Forry, Sue Frederick, Mike Givler, Pastor Bill Long, Gretchen Miller, Carolyn Peters & J. D. Young

New Voices – Karen Brandt, Dani Fair, Ron Forry, Pam Herman, Pastor Bill & Cheri Long, David Ludwig, & Andy Ressler

Property Board – Deb Allen, Dan Brandt, Tom Brewer, Ron Forry, Ed Kopp, Doug Longenecker, & Andy Ressler

Love and Fellowship

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JOHN CALVIN, 1509–1564 — 10. 10. 10. 10. — TOULON, *Genevan Psalter, 1551*

1. I greet Thee, who my sure Re - deem - er art,
2. Thou art the King of mer - cy and of grace,
3. Thou art the life, by which a - lone we live,
4. Thou hast the true and per - fect gen - tle - ness,
5. Our hope is in no oth - er save in Thee;

My on - ly Trust and Sav - iour of my heart,
Reign - ing om - ni - po - tent in ev - ery place:
And all our sub - stance and our strength re - ceive;
No harsh - ness hast Thou and no bit - ter - ness:
Our faith is built up - on Thy prom - ise free;

Who pain didst un - der - go for my poor sake;
So come, O King, and our whole be - ing sway;
Sus - tain us by Thy faith and by Thy power,
O grant to us the grace we find in Thee,
Lord, give us peace, and make us calm and sure,

I pray Thee from our hearts all cares to take.
Shine on us with the light of Thy pure day.
And give us strength in ev - ery try - ing hour.
That we may dwell in per - fect u - ni - ty.
That in Thy strength we ev - er - more en - dure. A-MEN.

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Build Your Kingdom Here

(V1 V2 Chorus V3 Chorus Chorus)

Verse 1
Come set Your rule and reign
In our hearts again
Increase in us we pray
Unveil why we're made
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope
Like wildfire in our very souls
Holy Spirit come invade us now
We are Your church
We need Your pow'r in us

Verse 2
We seek Your kingdom first
We hunger and we thirst
Refuse to waste our lives
For You're our joy and prize
To see the captives' hearts released
The hurt the sick the poor at peace
We lay down our lives for heaven's cause
We are Your church
We pray revive this earth

Chorus
Build Your kingdom here
Let the darkness fear
Show Your mighty hand
Heal our streets and land
Set Your church on fire
Win this nation back
Change the atmosphere
Build Your kingdom here we pray

Verse 3
Unleash Your kingdom's pow'r
Reaching the near and far
No force of hell can stop
Your beauty changing hearts
You made us for much more than this
Awake the kingdom seed in us
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ
We are Your church
We are the hope on earth

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