



United Methodist Church

January 18, 2026

WORSHIP AT 9 AM

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

SONG OF PREPARATION	Oldet Ibo, Accompanist
INTROIT	<i>God of Love and God of Power</i> Bells of St. Paul
WELCOME	Brad Finkbiner, Liturgist
GREETING	<i>Oh How He Loves You and Me</i>
SCRIPTURE READING: PSALM 15	
*HYMN	<i>How Great Thou Art</i> No. 77
	<i>Here I Am, Lord</i> No. 593
MESSAGE	Thirsty
	Dr. Don Pratt
	John 4:1-42
*HYMN	<i>Love Divine, All Loves Excelling</i> No. 384
APOSTLES' CREED	No. 881
PRAYER WITH LORD'S PRAYER	No. 895
OFFERING	<i>Glory to God</i> Choir
*DOXOLOGY	<i>Praise God From Whom...</i> No. 94
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING	
*HYMN	<i>Go Forth For God</i> No. 670
*BENEDICTION	
POSTLUDE	

9 AM Worship Leader - Dr. Robert Williams

11 AM Worship Leader - Alison Van Duyne

11 AM Liturgist - Carol Cook

11 AM BAPTISM
LENNOX JORDAN RHIEU

SET LIST

Goodbye Yesterday, I've Witnessed It, Good Plans, Fall Like Rain



The Wiggle Room for nursing mothers and others with children is on the right side of the lobby.

VISITING US TODAY?

Stop by the Connection Center at the back of the worship center! You can also visit our website: stpaulumc.org or join our mailing list to keep up to date on St. Paul UMC.



FILL OUT A CONNECT CARD

Let us know you're worshipping with us and share prayer requests or other needs: stpaulumc.org/connect-card Or scan the QR code on the left.

HOW TO GIVE ONLINE

Visit stpaulumc.org and click the "Give" link at the top of the page or scan the QR code on the right.



MESSY CHURCH

Messy Church returns on Jan. 25! Families are invited to join us on fourth Sundays at 5 PM for dinner and fun activities that teach us about God. You can register now on [our website](#). It's free!

TUESDAYS TOGETHER

Tuesdays Together returns on Tuesday, January 27. We'll have dinner at 5:30 PM. Cost is \$5/person or \$10/family. RSVP on the [Connect Card](#). Then at 6:30 PM we'll begin a new 6 week study on prayer. Kids also have their own Worship Arts activities at 6:30 PM where they learn about God in creative ways.

STUDENT BIBLE STUDY

On Feb. 24, a new weekly student Bible study begins. We'll meet Tuesdays from 6 to 7:30 PM. Snacks will be provided and students should bring their own dinner if they want to eat during the study. Both middle and high school students are invited to join us.

NEW GROUP FOR MEDIUM ADULTS

Our new Medium Adults group is a weekly study for 30 somethings who are no longer "young adults," but still feel like they're figuring things out. Starting on Feb. 1, anyone in their 30s is invited to join this casual group to grow in faith and find community with other 30 somethings. The group will meet Sunday evenings from 4-5 PM in the Treehouse (Cafe). Childcare will be available.

GRIEF SUPPORT

A six week grief support group focusing on the loss of a spouse or significant other will meet in Room 205 on Wednesdays at 11:30 AM starting Feb. 4. Each session is facilitated by trained and experienced counselors from Empath Health Group. Registration in advance is required, so if you're interested in joining the group, call 727-549-7133.

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, JAN. 19

CONNECT

FACEBOOK GROUPS

General: **StPaulUMC**

Children: **StPaulParentsLounge**

Students: **SPUMCParents**

KIDS & STUDENTS

See below for social media links and visit our website for [kids](#) and [students](#). Kids are invited to join us in the Treehouse during worship. Breakfast Club meets every first Sunday of the month from 10-11 AM for cereal and conversation. Students worship, play games and more on Sundays from 6-8 PM.

ADULTS

Visit our [website](#) to learn about Adult Studies and Adult Ministries.

SUNDAY STUDIES

10 AM: Homeward Bound - Rm 202

10:15 AM: Friendship - Rm 201

10:30 AM: Inspirations - Rm 212

TUESDAY STUDIES

Light Seekers - 10:30 AM - Rm 201

HANDICAPABLE WORSHIP

6:30 PM on Wednesdays.

Worship Center and on YouTube

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Need help connecting?

Email church@stpaulumc.org

Fill out Connect Card

www.stpaulumc.org

Need to contact Dr. Don?

don.p@stpaulumc.org



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PRAYER LIST

Angela & Family
Bonnie & Family
Britt R.
Carl J.
Chris M.
Daniel T.
Don & Ka'ren
Donna
Emily
George H.
Janis R.
Joe E.
Jordan B.
Jordan F.
Judah
Kathy S.

Kim & Jack M.
Laura M.
Linda R.
Linda S.
Marc B.
Maureen
Mike K.
Nancy T.
Ola J.
Our leaders
People of Israel & Gaza
People of Ukraine
Renee K.
Rich & Becky D.
Rita

Shannon
Stephen B.
Wanda B.
Women in crisis



LAUNDRY MINISTRY

On second Fridays, volunteers spend a couple hours at a local laundromat starting up friendly conversations with our neighbors and offering to pay for laundry loads. It's a simple way to get to know our neighbors and share God's love through an act of kindness. If you're interested in being part of this ministry, let us know on the Connect Card and we'll help you get starting serving!

KIDS' SOCCER PROGRAM

Our soccer program for elementary school kids returns on Sunday, Jan. 25. Girls in grades 1-4 will register and then play at 12:30 PM. Boys in grades 1-3 will register and play at 1:30 PM. Cost is \$56 for 6 weeks of play. Visit [our website](#) for more info.

SMALL GROUPS

If you're a woman looking for a small group of other women to grow in faith and friendship with, we have several groups that will welcome you. The Best Yes group meets on Weds. at 6 PM in room 202 and is currently doing a study about letting go of fear/anxiety, and putting your faith in action. You can jump into this study any time and attend when you're able. The Together group meets on Weds. at 3 PM. The Hallelujah Girls group meets on Mondays at 6:30 PM. If you'd like more info about these groups, email church@stpaulumc.org or fill out a Connect Card.