

Church Calendar
April 15—22

SUNDAY, April 15

Worship: 8:00 & 10:30 am; Sunday School: 9:15 am

9:15 am Church Chat—Gathering Space
9:15 am Prayer Huddle—Chapel

MONDAY, April 16

TUESDAY, April 17

6:30 pm Pack Meeting—Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm Believing Jesus Study—Conference Room 2

WEDNESDAY, April 18

6:30 pm Ignite—Youth Room
7:00 pm Troop Meeting—Rooms #14 & 16
7:30 pm Organic—Youth Room

THURSDAY, April 19

11:30 am Ladies Lunch Bunch—El Vaquero
6:00 pm Ladies Dinner Bunch—El Vaquero
6:30 pm Band Rehearsal—Sanctuary
7:00 pm Stewardship MAT Meeting—Conf. Room 1

FRIDAY, April 20

SATURDAY, April 21

4:00 pm Spaghetti Dinner & Raffle—Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY, April 22

Worship: 8:00 & 10:30 am; Sunday School: 9:15 am

9:15 am Church Chat—Gathering Space
9:15 am Prayer Huddle—Chapel
5:00 pm Bible Study—Gathering Space



ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

112 E. Wayne Street
Maumee, OH 43537
Phone: 419-893-0205

Office Hours:

Mon-Fri: 8:00 am—noon & 1:00—4:30 pm

IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY and it's after hours, you may reach Pastor Paul at 419-382-5747 or Youth Pastor, Tab Greenlee at 567-377-9895.

DEADLINE! FOR BULLETIN & "MESSENGER"

NEWS: All news and information for the weekly bulletin and "Messenger" is due by 8:00 am on Wednesday morning for that coming Sunday's issue.

ALL WEEKLY SERMONS are available online at <http://stpaulslive.com> under "Resources"

JOIN OUR WEEKLY EMAIL LIST by filling out the form online at: <http://stpaulslive.com> under "Resources".

PRAYER REQUESTS for our Prayer Chains should be given to Bettie Barrett. You can reach her at either 419-893-3850 (home) or 419-343-3480 (cell).

PRAYER REQUEST CARDS If you have a prayer request, please fill out one of the **Prayer Request cards** found in the pew pockets and put it in Prayer Box in the Gathering Space. These requests will be prayed for this week by our pastor and members of our Prayer Group.

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WELCOME HOME

Thank you for joining us for worship at St. Paul's. Our goal is to create a welcoming environment where you will feel at home. If you are a first-time visitor, we are happy you have chosen to worship with us. Please stop by the Welcome Center; we have a gift for you. Also, please fill out one of the St. Paul's Welcome Cards found in the chair pockets.

We have prepared an exciting ministry in a loving environment for your children of any age. Make sure to stop by the Check-In area at the Welcome Center to register your children and receive directions to their classrooms.

A typical service lasts about 70 minutes with a biblical message delivered by one of our pastors. During worship, you will hear passionate music that declares the greatness of God and his work in our lives. Different styles and expressions of worship are offered. We offer traditional Lutheran Worship at 8:00 am and a Modern Service at 10:30 am.

Each week, there is a time in our service for the St. Paul's family to give financially to support the ongoing ministries of our church. If you are a guest with us, please feel no obligation to give.

God bless you!

The Messenger

April 15, 2018

TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS

Given by Robert, Connie and Mike Stone in loving memory of their mother, Beatrice Stone, who peacefully passed away on February 21st, in Venice, Florida.

SPAGHETTI DINNER & BASKET RAFFLE!

Join us this Saturday, April 21, from 4:00-7:00 pm for a delicious spaghetti dinner!



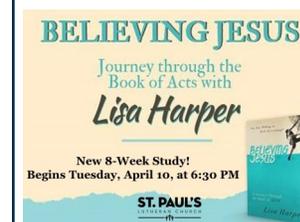
We will be using a delicious spaghetti and meatballs recipe from our own St. Paul's cookbook! There will be dinner, desserts, and raffle baskets. All proceeds will go to our wonderful church. Please come out and join us or just pick up dinner and take it home.

Cost: \$10.00 adults, \$5.00 kids, FREE for kids under 2. Large family discount: max \$30.00. Invite your family, friends and neighbors!

Volunteers needed in every area: cooking, set-up, clean-up and pre-planning. Donations for raffle baskets also needed. If you are interested, please contact Beth Heisey at (248) 709-2599. Sign-up sheets are also available in the Gathering Space. Hope to see you all there!

"BELIEVING JESUS" STUDY

The new 8-week study, "Believing Jesus", began last Tuesday, at 6:30 pm. It's A Journey Through the Book of Acts using the book by Lisa Harper.



New 8-Week Study!
Begins Tuesday, April 10, at 6:30 PM

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Are you interested in joining us? You are welcome! Talk to Joyce Oravec (419-410-4241).

MEAL TRAIN

Have an upcoming surgery or outpatient procedure and would like dinner taken care of when you come home? Your St. Paul's family would love to help. We can do one day or a week. Help is just a phone call away! Contact Beth Heisey at (248) 709-2599. I will get your information and then let us take care of the rest!

WELCOME CENTER GOODIES

Baked goods or healthy goody donations are still needed at the Welcome Center to make Sunday mornings even more welcoming. Please sign up at the counter or online at the Hospitality Ministry Page at the St. Paul's website. We appreciate all you can do. Your offerings really make a difference. Thank you!

ALTAR FLOWER DATE

Sunday, April 29 is open on our Altar Flower calendar. If you are interested in placing flowers on the altar on the 29th, please call Becky, in the church office (419-893-0205), soon. As a reminder, the cost is \$20.00.



LADIES LUNCH & DINNER BUNCH

GOOD FOOD! GOOD FRIENDS! NEW FRIENDS! Ladies of all ages are invited to meet at El Vaquero restaurant, on Route 25, in Perrysburg, near Churchill's, this Thursday, April 19, at 11:30 am OR at 6:00 pm, to enjoy good food and good company together. Bring a friend!

SALEM LUTHERAN AGAPE MEALS

The Outreach Mat has joined with the L.C.R. MAT to provide and serve meals to the struggling families from the neighborhood surrounding Salem Lutheran Church. (Huron, Summit, Lagrange area).

Our next date at Salem is Tuesday, April 24, from 4:30 – 6:30 pm. There is a sign-up sheet near the nursery. The van leaves the church parking lot at 4:30 pm. We usually return about 6:30 pm.



CALLING ALL CRAFTERS, KNITTERS & CROCHETERS!



We are looking for unused yarn of all kinds for ministries we have here at St. Paul's. If you have a closet or boxes of unused yarn, we would LOVE your donation for use with our chemo cap ministry or with the prayer shawl ministry.

Drop the yarn off in the Salem Lutheran wooden bins by the coat hanging area or contact Sue Schad (419-893-2330) if you need help getting the yarn to church. Thank you!

INTERESTED IN A ROAD TRIP?

We are thinking of going to the ARK and Creation Museum, near Cincinnati, just over the line in Kentucky. It would be a 2-night trip (we are looking at June) as each venue would



need a day to visit. There is a lot of walking involved.

Combo ticket for both venues = \$60; Seniors (age 60+) = \$45. Hotel room is extra, plus carpooling options. Contact Sue Schad (419) 893-2330 if you have questions. Look for the sign-up sheet, in the Gathering Space, and sign up to indicate your interest.

FIFTH ANNUAL SPRING CLEAN-UP DAY

In the past, we've had some extraordinary volunteers and the Boy Scouts who have helped clean up the grounds and plant flowers around the church to make everything look beautiful.

We are planning another spring cleanup and flower planting on Saturday, May 19, from 8:00 am – 12:00 noon. Do you need any experience in gardening? No, just a willingness to serve. Bring any rakes or shovels or weed clippers you might have. Dress for getting dirty and join us for a fun morning of fellowship and weeding!



Meet in the church parking lot at 8:00.



"See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God!" (1 John 3:1)

GOD'S STOREHOUSE

(St. Paul's food pantry)

God's Storehouse is our "hand up" for many families in the Toledo and Maumee area who are struggling to make ends meet in these difficult times.

This Week's Needs:

Liquid dish soap, Fruit Loops, ketchup, mayonnaise (not Miracle Whip), Tuna Helper, boxed potatoes, Stove Top, dill pickles, bar soap, paper towels, TOILET PAPER, Kleenex



THE COMMUNITY FLEA MARKET WILL BE BACK AT ST. PAUL'S THIS YEAR!

Mark your calendar for Saturday, June 9th, from 10:00 am—4:00 pm.

Watch for more information coming soon about space and table rental as well as the many ways that you can have a part in the fellowship and fun of the day by helping.



The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control.
(Gal. 5:22)