

Church Calendar  
April 22—29

SUNDAY, April 29

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

- 9:15 am Church Chat—Gathering Space
- 9:15 am Prayer Huddle—Chapel
- 9:15 am Discipleship Training—Conference Room 1

MONDAY, April 30

- 6:00 pm Girl Scout Meeting—Rm 14

TUESDAY, May 1

- 6:30 pm Cub Scout Den Meeting—Rms 12, 14, 16, 18
- 6:30 pm Believing Jesus Study—Conference Room 2

WEDNESDAY, May 2

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

THURSDAY, May 3

- 6:30 pm Band Rehearsal—Sanctuary
- 7:00 pm LCR MAT Meeting—Conference Room 1

FRIDAY, May 4

SATURDAY, May 5

- 9:30 am Saturday Stitchin' - Gathering Space

SUNDAY, May 6

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

- 9:15 am Church Chat—Gathering Space
- 9:15 am Prayer Huddle—Chapel
- 9:15 am Discipleship Training—Conference Room 1
- 5:00 pm Bible Study—Gathering Space

### MOSAIC MINISTRY MEALS

Mosaic Ministries of South Toledo (formerly Western Avenue Ministries) has moved to the former St. James School on the corner of Orchard and Broadway. Help is needed for the May meal on Tuesday, May 8th. Cooks are needed about 12:30 pm to prepare the meal at St. Paul's. Workers are also needed to transport and serve the meal. The meal is served at Mosaic Ministries at 5:30 pm. Please sign up on the sheet located on the bulletin board between the nurseries in the Gathering Space. It only takes about an hour to serve approximately 100 folks. Please join us for an hour. Questions? Contact Jeanne Crossen at [Jrcrossen1024@yahoo.com](mailto:Jrcrossen1024@yahoo.com) or 419.944.4173.

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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#### 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 29, 2018

### TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS

Given by Jeff & Laurie Erford in honor of their 30th Wedding Anniversary.

Given in honor of their 46th Wedding Anniversary, with thanks to God, from Gayle & Diana Lohrbach

### NEXT UNIFIED WORSHIP SERVICE TAKES PLACE ON MOTHER'S DAY!

Join us on Sunday, May 13, from 9:00—10:00 am, in the Fellowship Hall for a breakfast put on by our caring men here at St. Paul's. Instead of our typical "Muffins with Mom" event on Mother's Day, the men of St. Paul's have graciously offered to give the women the day off and do the cooking. *(Women: We get our chance to reciprocate the favor on June 17th, for Father's Day.)* To help with this event, contact Eric Howard (614-549-0141) or Zack Heisey. All are welcome to join us and enjoy this tasty breakfast before our Unified Worship Service. Hope to see you there!



Following the special Mother's Day Breakfast, will be a special **Unified Worship Service at 10:30 am**. These are held quarterly so that the whole congregation can worship together as a church family and to honor our two styles of worship. Because our last Unified Worship Service was in the traditional style of worship, this service will be in the modern style. Switching back and forth between the styles for these Unified Services, gives all the opportunity to experience and appreciate both styles of worship.

### CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

First Quarter Contribution Statements are now available on the table in the Gathering Space. If you haven't already, please pick up yours this morning. Thank you!

## WELCOME DENNIS KOWALSKI

We are happy to welcome Dennis Kowalski as our new Accountant. Dennis came on board this past week.

Dennis is a Northwest Ohio native, graduating from Central



Catholic High School and The University of Toledo, and a resident of Maumee. The first half of his career was spent in the corporate world, working for several major corporations in the Accounting and Finance arenas.

In 1994, Dennis decided to leave the corporate world and established his tax, accounting and business consulting practice. He is self-employed and a member of Creative Financial Partners in Perrysburg. Dennis brings his expertise in accounting, tax, finance and business practice to a wide array of individuals and small businesses across the country.



**Prepare our hearts, Jesus, to receive your message of truth and love revealed in worship this morning.**

## THE COMMUNITY FLEA MARKET RETURNS

By popular demand, St. Paul's is hosting another Community Flea Market. Mark your calendars for Saturday, June 9, from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

We will be renting out parking lot spaces and tables for you to display your items. Spaces are \$25 for single lot/\$40 for double lot. 8-foot tables are an additional \$5 each and will be set up for you. We have a limited amount of tables available, so early registration is recommended. Pre-payment in cash or check made out to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church is required to secure your space and/or table. The deadline for registration is May 31st.

Our amazing youth groups will be selling hot dogs and drinks. St. Paul's is also blessed with some wonderful bakers that will be selling delicious baked goods! Our goal is to unite our community with St. Paul's so we will also have a Prayer & Info Tent set up to reach out to those in need of prayer.

This is a great opportunity for you to get involved with your neighbors, bring in much needed funds to your home church, and earn some summer cash for yourself by selling your unwanted items! You provide your items; we provide the space and all advertising!

To reserve your space/table contact:  
Judy Clymer (419) 893-2149

To donate drinks for our youth to sell contact:  
Beth Monroe (419) 344-8582

To offer help/suggestions and any other inquiries contact:  
Karen Scribner (419) 460-7059



## 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 day 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.



## CHURCH CLEAN-UP & FIX-IT FRIDAY



Join us on Friday, May 18, at 6:00 pm. We will be inside, cleaning up and fixing small issues around church. Bring your tool belts, mops and smiling faces to this event. We will have

small and big jobs so there's something for all ages. Pizza and drinks provided! Come enjoy some fellowship and help beautify our wonderful church! There's a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Space. Any questions, call Beth Heisey at (248) 709-2599.



## SPAGHETTI DINNER REPORT

Last Saturday's Spaghetti Dinner was a huge success. We had a great turnout and we raised \$1,200 for our wonderful church. God is good and we are very grateful for all the helping hands, fellowship, and giving hearts here at St. Paul's.

## 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 body wash, pickles, tuna, Turkey Spam, tomato sauce, bar soap (gentle), dish soap, Beefaroni, boxed potatoes, paper towels, TOILET PAPER, Kleenex



## SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Summer Worship Schedule begins June 3rd. Worship: 8:00 and 10:00 am.



## THANK YOU, SUSIE & BRUCE!

Jeremy is attending a wedding this weekend and he has given the band today off.

In their absence, we are blessed, once again, to have Susie and Bruce Kunkle with us to lead worship and to provide music for our Modern Service. Thank you very much, Susie and Bruce, for sharing your talents with us today.