

Church Calendar  
May 13—20

**SUNDAY, May 13** *Mother's Day*

9:00 am Mother's Day Breakfast—Fellowship Hall  
10:30 am Unified Worship Service—Sanctuary

**MONDAY, May 14**

6:00 pm Girl Scouts—Room 14

**TUESDAY, May 15**

6:30 pm Believing Jesus Study—Conf. Room 2

**WEDNESDAY, May 16**

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

**THURSDAY, May 17**

11:30 am Ladies Lunch Bunch—Olive Garden  
6:00 pm Ladies Dinner Bunch—Olive Garden  
6:30 pm Band Rehearsal—Sanctuary  
7:00 pm Stewardship MAT Mtg—Conference Room 1

**FRIDAY, May 18**

6:00 pm Clean-Up & Fix-It Friday

**SATURDAY, May 19**

8:00 am Spring Clean-Up Day—Church grounds

**SUNDAY, May 20**

**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  
6:00 pm Worship & Prayer Service—Sanctuary

Charm  
is deceptive, and  
beauty is fleeting;  
but a woman  
who fears  
the LORD is to be  
praised.  
*Proverbs 31:30*

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN  
CHURCH**

112 E. Wayne Street  
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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 BUL-  
LETIN & "MESSENGER"**

**NEWS:** All news and infor-  
mation 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](http://stpaulslive.com) under "Resources"

**JOIN OUR WEEKLY  
EMAIL LIST** by filling out the  
form online at: [http://stpaulslive  
.com](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 pep  
pockets and put it in Prayer Box  
in the Gathering Space. These  
requests will be prayed for this  
week by our pastor and mem-  
bers 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 excit-  
ing ministry in a loving envi-  
ronment 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 class-  
rooms.

A typical service lasts about  
70 minutes with a biblical  
message delivered by one of  
our pastors. During worship,  
you will hear passionate mu-  
sic that declares the great-  
ness of God and his work in  
our lives. Different styles  
and expressions of worship  
are offered. We offer tradi-  
tional Lutheran Worship at  
8:00 am and a Modern Ser-  
vice 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 minis-  
tries of our church. If you  
are a guest with us, please  
feel no obligation to give.

*God bless you!*

# The Messenger

May 13, 2018

## TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS

Given in honor and memory of all mothers this day,  
especially our grandmothers, Lena Banky and Anna  
Schell, by the Schell family.

## ONE SERVICE ONLY TODAY

Our Unified Worship Services are held quarterly so  
that the whole congregation can worship together as a  
church family. Thank you for joining us at today's  
Unified Service as we praise, honor and worship God.

## MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

It's Mother's Day and the caring  
men, here at St. Paul's, gave the  
women the day off and did the  
cooking this morning. We hope  
you were able to join us for the  
wonderful Mother's Day breakfast held before worship  
and we sincerely thank our thoughtful men.



## TEACHER APPRECIATION

This week is Teacher Appreciation Week and we'd like  
to thank our Sunday School, Nursery, & Youth leaders  
for their ongoing dedication to our children at St.  
Paul's. We have an amazing group of teachers who,  
each week, support our children and youth on their  
walk with God. A well-deserved thank you goes out  
to: Kara & Scott Valare, Carol Doerfler, Jessica &  
Tommy Ball, Tiffany & Matt Becken, Nate Smith,  
Amanda Meadows & Beth Monroe. You are all a  
blessing to our kids and congregation. Thank you for  
sharing your time and talents with us! Thank you from  
the bottom of our hearts. ~Pastor Tab and Sarah

## WORSHIP & PRAYER SERVICE

Our Modern Worship Team and Prayer Ministry  
Teams are putting together an evening of worship and  
prayer on Pentecost Sunday, which is next Sunday,  
May 20, at 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

If you love to sing His praises and/or would like to  
receive prayer, come join us!

## SUMMER SUNDAYS

Our Sunday morning Summer Schedule begins June 3. Worship Services will be at 8:00 and 10:00 am. (Moving the 10:30 service to the earlier time allows worshipers an earlier start to the rest of the day's activities.) Because of the change, the Fellowship & Learning time in between our services will be shortened, but know that "Church Chat" and Sunday School continues throughout the Summer. (See related article about Children's Schedule.)

## PARENT MEETING

Our school calendar year has finished, but good news.... our kids aren't going to stop learning God's Word! A Parent's Meeting is scheduled for June 3, following the 10:00 am Modern Service. This quick informative meeting will go over the plans for the learning/Sunday School hour for nursery/children/youth. We will also be introducing our new curriculum which we are very excited to roll out this Fall! Any questions, contact Sarah Howard #440-503-8755/sjhoward@saintpauls.org

## CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

First Quarter Contribution Statements are available in the Gathering Space. If you haven't already, please pick up yours 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



## CHURCH CLEAN-UP & FIX-IT FRIDAY

Join us this 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.

## FIFTH ANNUAL SPRING CLEAN-UP DAY

We are planning another spring cleanup and flower planting day this 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.

## NURSERY/CHILDREN/YOUTH SUMMER SCHEDULE

Starting June 3rd, we will switch to Summer hours. This means that the 10:30 am service will be moved to 10:00. So what does that mean for our children's/youth programming? We will be starting Sunday School/Youth groups at 9:00 am. Nursery will be available at 9:00 am, too! This gives parents time to drop off their kids and have a few moments to relax before adult programming starts at 9:15 am. All the great opportunities that are offered during the school year will continue on during the summer, just in a shortened time slot. Kids currently not enrolled in our Children's/Youth Ministry can join at any time.

Any questions contact Sarah Howard #440-503-8755/sjhoward@saintpaulsonline.org.

## 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:

Tuna Helper, Turkey Spam, tomato sauce, Manwich, Fruit Loops, dill pickles, boxed potatoes, tuna in water, mixed veggies, paper towels, TOILET PAPER, Kleenex



## RETIREMENT RECEPTION APPRECIATION

"I wanted to express my appreciation for the reception held in April in regards to my retirement. Your well wishes and the delicious cakes were very thoughtful.

It has been my pleasure to serve in the position of Business Administrator these past seven years.

As a member of the staff, I have enjoyed getting to better know so many members of the congregation.

My wife and I have truly been blessed with being members of the St. Paul's Family."

In Christ,  
Gary Langenderfer