

**St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Red Lion**  
**First Sunday of Lent**  
**Scout Sunday**  
**February 21, 2021 - Pastor Tim Funk**

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Life at St. Paul's

**\*\*Pledge to the Christian Flag**

I pledge allegiance to the Christian Flag and to the Savior for whose Kingdom it stands; one Savior, crucified, risen and coming again with life and liberty to all who believe.

**\*\*Pledge to the American Flag**

**\*\*The Scout's Oath & Law (Scouts only)**

Choruses of Praise led by Worship Team

"Lord I Lift Your Name on High"

"I'll Never Be the Same"

Scout Leaders' Presentation

Larry Moore Scholarship Presentation

Prayers of the People of God & The Lord's Prayer ("debts")

Scripture Lesson: Proverbs 6:16-19

Sermon: "Be Careful Who Your Friends Are!"

Closing Chorus of Praise led by Worship Team

"Shout To The Lord"

Benediction

Postlude

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**Through Easter** there will be one, streamlined worship service at 10:00 AM in the sanctuary to minimize contact and the spread of COVID-19.

Note: there will be children's worship activities offered during the service.

Please wear masks and distance 6 feet from others. Families may sit together.

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**Scripture reader today** is Joni Horne.

**Today's altar flowers**

are to the Glory of God and in honor of all St. Paul's Scouts, both past and present.

**The pedestal flowers**

are from the memorial service for Lydia Ann Phillips Flinchbaugh held here in the sanctuary yesterday.

**Prayer Vigil:** Each Tuesday through the month of February, St. Paul's members are invited to take 15 minutes from 4:00 – 4:15 PM to pray for our country, community and church wherever you are. The church sanctuary will be open during that time, too.

**Community Meals for January & February** have been canceled due to COVID and the uncertain winter weather. We plan to resume the meals in March.

**Maintenance Projects:** Good News, the roof repair is finished, the organ is now at full strength and the new computers have been installed. Next, we tackle the Sunday school tower's stained glass window that is allowing water intrusion. After that, the sanctuary ceiling damaged by the leaking roof needs repaired. The total cost for these projects is well over \$150,000.00. So far, we have received \$41,969.47! Thank you. With the Lord's help and your generosity we will complete these projects and keep our facilities presentable to all who worship with us and, most importantly, to God. You may give to this fund online at our church website or use the envelopes labeled "Upcoming Maintenance Projects" available at the rear of the sanctuary. Envelopes may be placed in the offering plate or mailed to the church.

**The Bible Adventure Released Time Bible Program** is now using our facilities. It is run by Joy-El Ministries, a Christian organization committed to "providing an opportunity for public school students to receive Biblical instruction from caring adults." Approximately 15 students in grades 3-5 from Pleasant View

Elementary participate in the program on Wednesdays from 1:30 – 3:30 PM. All we do is open our facility. Transportation and teaching staff are provided by Joy-El and The Red Lion Bible Church. We are excited to support this ministry.

**The Leadership Council** meets Thursday, March 4, 7:00 PM in the Sunday school room.

**Zoom** – I would like to offer my time to meet with individuals to demonstrate how to participate in Zoom meetings. Several people were unable to attend the previous Sunday morning session but still want to learn how to use Zoom. If you would like a one on one session, contact me and we will make arrangements to meet at St. Paul's. Andrea 717-449-9942 or [andreastpaulsumc@gmail.com](mailto:andreastpaulsumc@gmail.com).

**Scripture readers needed.** We are looking for volunteers to read the Scripture on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please sign up on the sheet in the back of the sanctuary. It covers the period January-April, 2021. You will be notified by phone the week prior to the Sunday selected of the verses you will be reading so you have time to review them. Thank you for helping with this important job.

**Inclement Weather:** How do you know when services at St. Paul's are canceled? The main means is via email. Check your inbox on Sunday mornings. The cancellation should be posted by 7 AM. You also can find it on the snow watch on ABC 27 out of Harrisburg. Sometimes it is on the screen, other times it is on their website. The next place to search would be the church's website, [www.saintpauls-um.com](http://www.saintpauls-um.com). If that doesn't work for you, just call the church office 717-244-2355 or contact Pastor Tim directly at 717-501-4339.

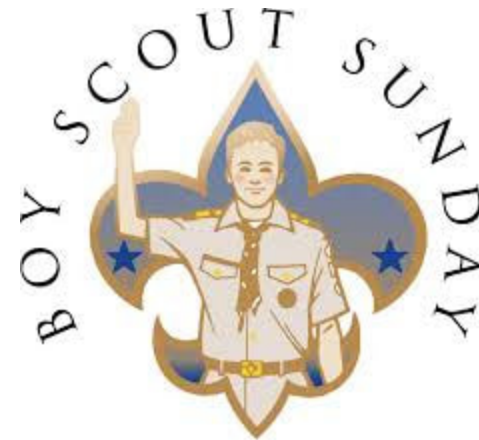
**2020 Financial Statements** are now completed and have been mailed. If you have not yet received yours, or you find a discrepancy with yours when received, please call the church office (717-244-2355). The delay in sending them out was caused by a computer malfunction. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

**Looking for a good home:** The Pettit family is looking to find a home for Yvonne's home practice organ. It is a 1960's Baldwin Cinema II. She had used it regularly and it is still in good working

order. It can be yours for a donation to St. Paul's. If interested, please contact either Dave or Missy Ehrhart at 717-244-2253.

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45 First Avenue, PO BOX 250  
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10:00 AM

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# AMBA

# Blood Screening

# Event

Sponsored by:

St. Paul's United Methodist Church

Date: Saturday, April 24, 2021

Time: 6:00 AM — 10:00 AM

Place: St. Paul's U. M. Church

45 First Avenue

Red Lion, PA

**33 Specific Blood Tests**

**Plus other optional tests**

**COST: \$41.00**

**Plus a \$5.00 sponsor fee that will go to the  
Capital Fund.**

Tests include Cholesterol and Triglyceride Levels, Glucose check for Diabetes, Blood Cell Counts and Mineral Levels in the blood, checks for Liver Disease and Kidney Disease along with so much more. Thyroid Function and Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA) for an additional small fee. These tests would normally cost \$300.00 to \$350.00.

**Please call and make an appointment at:**

**1-800-234-8888**

This is a good health check for all ages AND  
it helps our church!

**HELP SPREAD THE WORD!!!!!!!**