

**St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Red Lion**  
**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**June 20, 2021 - Pastor Tim Funk**

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Life at St. Paul's (announcements)

Opening Scripture: Philippians 4:4-7

Choruses of Praise led by Worship Team  
"Hallelujah"  
"In Christ Alone"

The Apostles Creed

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

Scripture Lesson: James 2: 14-22

Sermon: "The Church, the Hub of the Community" by Andrea Rider

Closing Choruses of Praise led by Worship Team  
"My Life Is in You, Lord"

Benediction

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**Through the summer** there will be one, streamlined worship service at 10:00 AM in the sanctuary to minimize contact and the spread of COVID-19. We plan to hold some outdoor worship in May and June.

During worship we offer children's activities. Children will be dismissed after the opening announcements.

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

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**Today's Scripture reader is** Wanda Strickler.

**Today's altar flowers**

are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of my three siblings who passed away recently; Dale Cooper, 12/7/2018; Gene Cooper 6/21/2020; & Patricia Cooper Fox 1/23/2021 by Glenn Cooper & family.

**Children's Worship schedule:**

June 20 - No Children's Worship. A special request has been made for the children to attend the service because the message will be of great interest to them.

June 27 - Children's Worship during 10 AM Service

July 4 - No Children's Worship due to the holiday.

**Ongoing Outreach Ministries-**

**Mondays**

Parking Lot Party: 10 AM – 12 Noon for children ages 4-12.  
Contact Andre Rider for more info: 717-449-9942 or [andrestpaulsumc@gmail.com](mailto:andrestpaulsumc@gmail.com).

**Tuesdays**

Tutoring: 5 - 6 PM for ages 8-18.  
Parking Lot Party: 6 – 8 PM for children ages 4-12.

**Wednesdays**

Tutoring: 9 - 10 AM for ages 8-18  
Parking Lot Party: 10 AM – 12 Noon for children ages 4-12.  
Beat the Heat Movie Night: 6 – 8 PM in Sunday school room.  
(select Wednesdays-next one June 23<sup>rd</sup>)

**Thursdays**

Tutoring: 5 - 6 PM for ages 8-18  
Parking Lot Party: 6 – 8 PM for children ages 4-12.

**Next Sunday**

**Worship in the sanctuary:** The sermon will be given by Rev. Gary Shockley, Susquehanna Conference Director of Equipping Ministries via the internet.

**Stained glass repairs** are being done on the two windows in the Sunday school tower, as well as one in the bell tower and outside of the Pastor's study. There will be scaffolding and/or lift equipment set up inside and outside at these various locations.

Please exercise caution if you have to pass through any of these areas. Thank you.

**Preschool Registration** is open for the 2021-2022 School Year! St. Paul's is accepting preschool registrations for both the 2-day and 3-day classes. This year, eligible 3 day students may also choose to register for a 5-day program. Additional information can be obtained by calling the church office at 717-244-2355 or on our website at [www.saintpauls-um.com](http://www.saintpauls-um.com).

**Pastor Tim on Vacation:** He takes his extended time off from June 20 – July 10. Pastor Josh Wargo of Chapel Church is on call should you need a pastor. His phone number is 570-606-5989. Andrea Rider preaches on June 20. For the other two Sundays we are going to try something new. Worship will be live but the messages will have been pre-recorded in order to be shown on the media screens. On June 27, Rev Gary Shockley, our Conference Equipping Vital Congregations Director speaks. On July 4, Pastor Tim shares an Independence Day Message.

**The next Leadership Council meeting** is Thursday, July 15, 7:00 PM in the Lounge.

**The July/August Upper Rooms** are available at the rear of the sanctuary and on the table in the center tower entrance.

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**Our next "Beat the Heat" movie night** will be Wednesday, June 23 at 6 PM in the adult Sunday school room. We will feature "*A Question of Faith*". Please sign up and choose the type of sandwich you would like for dinner. Slips can be placed in the offering plates, or given directly to Andrea.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Type of sandwich(es):

\_\_\_\_ Ham & Swiss

\_\_\_\_ Turkey & Provolone

\_\_\_\_ Roast Beef & Swiss

Any questions, contact Andrea at 717-449-9942 or [andreastpaulsumc@gmail.com](mailto:andreastpaulsumc@gmail.com).

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10:00 AM

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## **Additional Announcements**

### **Preschool Fundraiser—Discount Cards are still available!**

They feature local businesses and discounts and will pay for themselves with just a few uses—all for only \$5.00. These are available in the church office. Thank you.

### **During our “working” lunch May 2, the youth members came up with some great ideas for service projects:**

#### **Kids Helping Kids**

(from our children and youth to the needy children in the Red Lion community.)

Below are some of the ideas the youth had to raise funds to put toward their goal. Check the weekly bulletins for information on how you can support our youth and their efforts to support St. Paul's.

- Sandwich and Sub Sales
- Car Washes
- “Camp-In (athon)” sponsorships

Any questions, feel free to contact Andrea at [andreastpaulsumc@gmail.com](mailto:andreastpaulsumc@gmail.com) or 717-449-9942

**Scripture reader spots still available** for Sundays through August. A sign-up sheet is available on the table at the rear of the sanctuary. Please consider serving in this important part of the worship service. For more information, call the church office at 717-244-2355. Thank you.

**Please Note— Each Friday morning**, Penn Waste comes in to empty our dumpster in the parking lot. We ask that you avoid parking in the row directly out in front of the dumpster on that day, so that the truck can get in to dump it. Otherwise, they will forego us and the trash will sit for another week, making an odorous situation, especially during the summer heat. Thank you for your attention to this detail!

**A BIG thank you goes out to** Joyce Brown, Mike Smith and Kent Smith. Joyce has been spending much time on caring for the flower beds out front. Mike has been helping us out with our electrical issues in the church, saving us the time and expense of calling an electrician. Kent not only cares for our building, but has mulched all of the beds, and has been working to re-paint the lines on both of our parking lots. When you see these folks, please extend to them a sincere word of thanks for a job well done!

## **This Week's Activities at St. Paul's**

Today: Worship 10:00 AM *Happy Father's Day* (sanctuary)

Monday, June 21st: Parking Lot Party 10 AM-Noon (adult SS)

Tuesday, June 22nd: Tutoring 5:00-6:00 PM (adult SS)  
Parking Lot Party 6:00-8:00 PM (adult SS)

Wednesday, June 23rd: Tutoring 9:00-10:00 AM (adult SS)  
Parking Lot Party 10 AM-Noon (adult SS)  
Praise Team 6:00 PM (sanctuary)  
Beat the Heat Movie Night 6PM (adult SS)

Thursday, June 24th: Tutoring 5:00-6:00 PM (adult SS)  
Parking Lot Party 6:00-8:00 PM (adult SS)

Friday, June 25th:

Saturday, June 26th:

**Update on Upcoming Maintenance Projects giving**— to date, a total of \$42,766.47 has been received towards the list of projects totaling over \$150,000. We thank you for your stewardship in this on-going project to keep the Lord's house maintained!

**Gift Cards still available for purchase**— Order forms for these are at the rear of the sanctuary. Completed orders can either be left in the church office, placed in the offering plate or given directly to Wanda Strickler. Card orders normally will be available in the church office after Wednesday of the following week unless otherwise noted. All of these can be used like any other gift card, the full face value of the card is what's available for spending and a percentage of the purchase of each card comes back to St. Paul's! Won't you consider purchasing some of these as a way of helping out our church? Thank you.

**Would like to hear from us**— Bob Blouse, who is now living with daughter Stacie in Massachusetts, would love to hear from his friends here at St. Paul's. His mailing address is as follows:

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