

**St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Red Lion**  
**Fourth Sunday After Pentecost**  
**July 3, 2022 – Pastor Chris Nauta**  
**\*standing as able**

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Welcome & Life at St. Paul's (Announcements)

Prelude: "Washington Post" – Sunday School Orchestra

\*Hymn # 89 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

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

Joyful Vibrations: "Fanfare for Bells"  
"America the Beautiful"

Scripture Lesson: Old Testament: Deuteronomy 30: 8-20  
Epistle: 1 John 4:7-19

\*Gloria Patri #70

\*Gospel Lesson: Matthew 28:16-20

\*Congregational Response

Praise Team: "One Nation Under God"

Sermon: "Greetings!"

\*Closing Hymn # 593 "Here I Am Lord"

\*Benediction

Postlude: "Battle Hymn of the Republic" – Sunday School  
Orchestra

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**Until further notice** there will be one, streamlined worship service at 10:00 AM in the sanctuary to minimize contact and the spread of COVID.

**Masking policy statement:** *"We hope that you will wear a mask indoors if you are not fully vaccinated. Please respect others choices to wear a mask or not." The Worship/ Leadership Council*

**There is no Children's Worship/Activity Time** today due to the special program welcoming Pastor Chris. Children may stay in the worship service with their family instead.

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**Today's Scripture reader is Sandy Brown.**

**Today's altar flowers**

are presented in loving memory of parents, Bill & Grace Johnston and son, Kevin Brown, husband Harry Brown and in honor of our entire family by Marilyn Brown.

**The white rose buds on the altar** commemorate the lives of William "Bill" Scott, Norma Neuman and Marion Krecker. Bill passed away on Tuesday, June 28, Norma passed away Wednesday, June 29 and Marion passed away Thursday, June 30. Please remember Mary Lou and her family, Norma's family and Baird and his family in your prayers in this difficult time. Funeral arrangements for all of these saints are pending at this time.

**Today, we welcome Pastor Chris Nauta and his family to St. Paul's Church** as they begin their next chapter here with us. Please make them feel welcome and at home with us!

**Following the worship service today**, there will be a "**Pie Reception**" for the Nautas over in the adult Sunday school room. Please join us for some July 4<sup>th</sup>-inspired pie, coffee & tea and cold drinks and get to know Pastor Chris, Becky, Timothy and Jean as we personally welcome their family into ours.

**St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church on Beaver St. in York** will be hosting a powerful & moving art exhibit entitled "Icons In Transformation" starting August 21 thru October 30, 2022. The exhibit features paintings and sculptures by Ludmila Pawlowska, a Russian born artist now living in Sweden. St. John's is looking for volunteers to assist with this exhibit. For more information on this, please see the flyers on the table at the rear of the sanctuary.

**Prayers needed** for Jeanne Ratliff. She fell last week, breaking her hip and had to have emergency hip surgery. She is currently at Wellspan Rehab Hospital. This came on top of a fall here at the church recently where she broke her arm.

**July/August issue of the Upper Room** is available at the rear of the sanctuary and on the table inside the center tower ramp entrance for your convenience.

**Vacation Time:** Pastor Chris will be leaving on some vacation following the service Sunday, July 17 through Thursday, July 21. He will be back with us for worship again on July 24.

**“A Day With Mark Gregston”** will be taking place here at St. Paul’s on Sunday, September 11, 2022. He will be featured in our 10 AM worship service, as well as two afternoon sessions from 2-5 PM. He will be speaking to parents of teens trying to navigate the contrary culture of today’s world. Mark your calendars to come hear this nationally acclaimed speaker share his stories, wit and wisdom on what teens really need from their parents, along with practical advice to raising kids in this age. There are informational flyers and sign-up sheets on the tables in the rear of the sanctuary for your convenience.

**The next Community Meal and “Beat the Heat” Movie night** is scheduled for Monday, July 11 starting at 5:00 PM for the dine-in and 5:15 PM for take-out. The menu is Chicken, Broccoli & Stuffing Casserole, rolls, applesauce and dessert. The movie is “Breakthrough”, which is based on a true story of one mother’s unwavering devotion and is a stirring reminder that faith and love can create a mountain of hope, and sometimes even a miracle.

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