

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Red Lion
Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost
August 28, 2022 – Pastor Chris Nauta
***standing as able**

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

Piano Prelude: "Amazing Grace/My Chains Are Gone"

*Opening Hymn #419: "I Am Thine, O Lord"

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

Scripture Lessons: Old Testament: Jeremiah 2:4-13

Epistle: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16

*Gloria Patri #70

*Gospel Lesson: Luke 14:1, 7-14

*Congregational Response

*Hymn #2031: "We Bring the Sacrifice of Love"

Sermon: "It's Not About Us"

*Closing Hymn # 451: "Be Thou My Vision"

*Benediction

Piano Postlude:

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*

Children's Worship/Activity Time –will be held this morning. Children may go with Andrea Rider following the morning announcements.

Today's Scripture reader is Joni Horne.

Today's altar flowers

are to the glory of God and in loving memory of my aunt,
Edna R. Miller, presented by Susan Beittel.

A graveside service for Marion Kreckler has been scheduled for Thursday, September 1, 2022 at 11 AM at Heiland View Cemetery, Cape Horn Rd., Red Lion. St. Paul's congregation is invited to attend this brief service.

The next Leadership Team meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 8 at 7 PM in the Lounge.

"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 will be on Monday, September 12 starting at 5:00 PM for the dine-in and 5:15 PM for take-out. The menu is ham, green beans, potatoes, cole slaw, rolls, fruit Jello and dessert.

Just a reminder that you can submit prayer requests online through our website (www.saintpauls-um.com). On the home page you will find a link to submit an online prayer request. When you fill out and submit it, the office and pastor will be notified about it. This is open to all, even those who are not a part of our church family.

The September/October issue of **The Upper Room** is available at the rear of the sanctuary and on the table inside the center tower entrance for your convenience.

Please note- the church office will be closed Sunday, September 18 thru Sunday, September 25. Bob and Wanda will be away during that time. **Please see that any items you have to appear in the bulletins on either 9/18 or 9/25 are in to the church office prior to Wednesday, 9/14 to be included in those respective weeks.**

Any regular business during this time can be sent in via email or left on the voice mail for the office. Any pastoral needs or emergencies should be directed to Pastor Chris at 570-529-3466. Normal office hours will resume Monday, September 26, with any messages and/or emails attended to then. Thank you.

An update on one of our members – Frayer Jamison continues to receive care at The Gardens for Memory Care at Easton, 500 Washington St., Easton, PA 18042, where he has been a resident since February 10, 2022. Please keep Frayer and Vivian in your thoughts and prayers.

On Sunday, September 11, 2022, we would like to provide water and a snack for our afternoon guests. If you are willing to donate bottled water or a prepackaged snack, please give it to the church office or Andrea by Wednesday, September 7, 2022. Thank you!

In honor of our guest, Mark Gregston, we are planning a luncheon after the worship service on September 11, 2022. The Worship Team will provide a lunch of hamburger BBQ, cole slaw, baked beans, macaroni and cheese and cookies. Please complete the sign-up form below and return it to the church office if you plan on attending the luncheon on Sunday, September 11, 2022. If you have any questions, contact Andrea Rider or Amy Glock.

Name _____

____Number of people attending the luncheon on Sunday, September 11, 2022.

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