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 Missionaries.....Members of our Congregation

Our Giving to God August 8, 2021
Current - \$2962.00 and Mission - \$205.00
Attendance – 89



ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

201 N. Perry St., St. Marys, Ohio
 August 15, 2021

"No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here."



ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
"We Shine For All Through Christ"
St. Marys, Ohio

Hymn Sing Festival		
<u>August 15, 2021</u>	Seventh Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 a.m.
Order of Service		

CHIMES CALL US TO WORSHIP

WELCOME

PRELUDE	Festal Prelude on “O Worship the King”	Robert Lau
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***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Come, let us sing to God.
All: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.
 Leader: Let us come into the Divine presence with thanksgiving.
All: Let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise!
 Leader: It is good to give you thanks, O Yahweh.
All: To sign praises to your name, O Most High;
 Leader: to declare your steadfast love in the morning,
All: and your faithfulness by night,
 Leader: to the music of the lute and harp,
All: to the melody of the lyre.
 Leader: For you, O God, I have made us glad by your work;
All: At the works of your hands we sing for joy.

HYMN NO. 134 "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

HYMN NO. 131 “Surely the Presence”

***UNISON OPENING PRAYER**

Holy, Creating, Creative God, we sing from the depths of our sorrow. We sing from the abundance of our joy. We sing in voices separate and unique. We sing with one voice as your body. May the words of our mouths, whether in speech or song, and the meditations of our hearts, whether in prose or poetry, be pleasing in your sight. Amen.

HYMN NO. 232 “Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence”

HYMN NO. 507 “A Mighty Fortress is Our God”

CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

Announcements

Introduction of Guests

Joys and Concerns of our Church Family

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

(People offer God's peace to those

HYMN NO. 51 “How Great Thou Art”

HYMN NO. 427 “You are My All in All”

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

(using debts and debtors)

OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD/SPECIAL MUSIC

Howie Spencer

***DOXOLOGY** "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" No. 34

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

HYMN NO. 83 “Children of the Heavenly Father”

HYMN NO. 26 “Many and Great”

MEDITATION "The Purpose of Song" Rev. C. David Hainer

HYMN NO. 94 “Shout to the Lord”

HYMN NO. 680 “Borning Cry”

HYMN NO. 559 “Here I am Lord”

*POSTLUDE	Postlude on “Duke Street”	Richard Williamson
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***Denotes those who are able are invited to stand in body and in spirit**

***WELCOME!** If you are visiting for the first time, we are Glad you are here. If you are a returning visitor Welcome Back. Please let our sanctuary doorway greeters know you are visiting and receive a special gift of welcome.*

ONLINE GIVING IS AVAILABLE

Don't forget that we now have online giving! It is available now by downloading Vanco Payment Solutions onto your mobile device by going to the app store or Google Play and search for "GivePlus Church". The download is free. We also have a button on our website that will also take you to the Vanco site. This service is available for your convenience!



- Please keep the following people in your prayers: John Hall, Don Farley, Verneda Fark, Cheryl Kline, John Long, and Harold McCune. Also, pray for all of our military and emergency services.
- Remember to pray for our shut-ins and for their caregivers that take care of them.
- All prayer requests shall be given to the lead person of our Prayer Team, Carol Schmidt: cschmidt@stpaulsuccsm.com or you can call or text her at 419-305-6164.

The **2021** Altar Flower Chart and the Liturgist sign-up sheets are located here in the sanctuary on the bulletin board by the sound system equipment.

We need Liturgists! Please take a moment to sign up. Thank you.

Get Ready for Rally in the Alley!
See the Special Insert in your bulletin for details.
Saturday, August 21st, 6-9pm & Sunday August 22nd 8:30 a.m. -2:00 p.m.
Free Food and FANTastic Family Fun!

*****Financial donations for Rally in the Alley are always appreciated and needed*****

Welcome to St. Paul's United Church of Christ!

- ✚ **NURSERY AND PRE-SCHOOL TODDLER CARE** - For your convenience, we have a staffed nursery located in the educational building. Should it become necessary for you to leave the sanctuary during worship, you can view the morning service on the TV in the nursery.
PLEASE NOTE - Only Newborn to Kindergarten age children are permitted in the Nursery during our morning worship service to allow safety for the newborns and toddlers. Children 1st Grade and older need to remain in the church. Thank you for your understanding
- ✚ **HANDICAP ACCESSIBLE** rest room is located on the sanctuary level near the elevette room and it also contains a baby changing table.
- ✚ **ENLARGED BULLETINS & HEARING DEVICES** - Available if needed (consult an usher).
- ✚ **TELEVISED WORSHIP SERVICE** - Our worship service here at St. Paul's is shown on **TSC cable - Digital channel 1** or **non-digital channel 2**, every Sunday at 10:30 am and also on Monday evenings at 7:00 pm. There is a one-week delay of the service shown.
- ✚ **WORSHIP SERVICE ON THE INTERNET** – If you do not have TSC cable, you can watch our service on our church web page at www.spuccsm.com or on YouTube.
- ✚ **RECYCLE YOUR BULLETIN** - On the registers at the North and South entrances you will see a tray where you can place your bulletin to be recycled (if you do not wish to take it home). Thank you!

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Sunday	10:00 am	Worship/Hymn Fest with Rev. David Hainer
	10:00 am	Summerfest Worship in the Park with Rev. Rhonda Hainer and St. Marys Ministerial Assn.
Wed.	9:00 am	Quilting
Thurs.	1:00 pm	Grief Heal Group - Lounge
	4:30-5:15 pm	Breaking Bread – Drive-thru Only
Sat.	6:00-9:00 pm	RALLY IN THE ALLEY
Next Sun.	8:30 am	Coffee and donuts outside (in Elevette room if raining)
	9:15 am	Sunday School/Confirmation
	10:30 am	Worship with Rev. Rhonda Hainer – Holy Humor Sunday
	11:30-12:15 pm	FREE Lunch in Fellowship Hall
	12:30-2:00 pm	Outside games and activities
	12:30-2:00 pm	Inside card games

TAKE NOTE:

Don't forget, we have The Upper Room and These Days devotionals located in the Lounge, the Perry Street Entrance and in the Elevette Room

WORSHIP TIME NEXT WEEK RETURNS TO 10:30 A.M.

Helping Each other Adjust to Loss

We can all agree this has been a difficult year, full of challenges and many losses. It has been especially painful for those who are grieving the death of a loved one. Many are longing to be heard, to have their pain acknowledged. They have a need to tell their stories, to be assured that someone is listening and cares, without advice or criticism. HEAL is the St. Paul’s grief support group led by Pastor Rhonda Hainer, who is trained to assist persons in times of loss, struggle, or crisis. **HEAL** or **Helping Each other Adjust to Loss** meets once a month, in the church lounge on September 16th at 1:00 p.m. and is open for anyone who is seeking comfort, clarity, hope for a path forward.

Jericho Prayer Walk is coming up. The walk will take place at Memorial High School on Rt. 66 just north of St. Marys. We will meet nightly at 6:30 by the flagpole behind the school and should be finished by 7:00. The dates are Wednesday August 11th thru Tuesday August 17th as school starts on the 18th. This is for all ages and is a time where we as a community cover our schools in prayer for the upcoming school year. Please join us as many nights as you are able to. Thank you, Steve Stroh.



Scrubbing bubbles? Isn’t there a song about scrubbing bubbles? No, not the one about scrubbing bubbles we work hard so you don’t have to, but something about bubbles and soap? Soap and water just go hand in hand. There are some people in our town that struggle to have soap. Hard to imagine, I am sure. But we can help! The Sunday School Department is CHALLENGING the church members **from August 29th to September 26th** to see who can bring in the most bar soap for Agape. We will give bar soap tallies to let you know who is ahead and who needs to kick it in gear. No matter who wins, we all will have completed a great mission project that included all ages of the church.

DO YOU LIKE TO SING?

Please consider using your talents and sing with the choir. You can be any age and have lots or limited talents. If you sing in the shower, that will work!!! We have great fun together as we rehearse and enjoy each other's company. Time and date for rehearsing is TBA, and our first Sunday singing being August 29th. If interested, please let Jim Huckemeyer know of your interest. Haven’t met Jim yet? He is sitting in the sound booth almost every Sunday.

COMEDY CLUB WORD SEARCH

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally & diagonally throughout the puzzle.

WORDS

- AUDIENCE
- BIT
- BOOKING
- BRINGER
- CLUB
- COMEDIAN
- COMEDY
- COMIC
- CROWD
- FEATURE
- FUNNY
- GAG
- HEADLINER
- HECKLE
- IMPROVISED
- JOKE
- LAUGHING
- OPENER
- OPEN MIC
- PERFORMANCE
- PREMISE
- RIFF
- ROOM
- SATIRE
- SET
- SHOW
- SHTICK
- SKETCH
- SKIT
- SLAPSTICK
- SOCIAL
- STAGE
- TAG
- VENUE