

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

September 4, 2022 Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost 8:30 a.m./10:00 a.m.

Order of Service

Welcome to our Worship Service today. It doesn't matter who you are, where you've been, or what you've done. You matter to God, and that means you matter to us. If you are new among us today, please fill in the Welcome card located in the pew rack and drop it in the offering plate.

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE
CHIMES CALL US TO WORSHIP
WELCOME
PRELUDE

"Give Me That Old Time Religion"

Hugh Livingston

HYMN #348 vs 1&2 "Softly and Tenderly"

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: All who are righteous, shout joyfully to God!
All: Sing a new song to our Creator!
One: God loves righteousness and justice.
All: Sing a new song to our Creator!
One: Come, let us worship God

***HYMN ON SCREEN** "The Church in the Wildwood"

***HYMN ON SCREEN** "Give Me That Old Time Religion"

CALL TO CONFESSION

HYMN #354 "Just As I Am"
HYMN #504 vs 1&2 "Just a Closer Walk With Thee"

WORDS OF ASSURANCE (Unison) (Psalm 28:6-7)

⁶ Praise be to the Lord, for He has heard my cry for Mercy. ⁷The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in Him, and I am helped. My heart leaps for joy and I will give thanks to him in song.

HYMN # 426 vs 1&3 "Blessed Assurance"

CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

Announcements
Joys and Concerns of our Church Family

Introduction of Guests
Birthdays

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you. **People: And also with you.**
(People offer God's peace to those nearby. It can be a handshake, fist bump, a wave, or whatever you are comfortable with.)

***HYMN #525 vs 1,3** "When We All Get To Heaven"

WE OPEN UP TO GOD

HYMN # 481 vs 1 "Every Time I Feel the Spirit"
HYMN #478 "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***HYMN #428** "When Peace Like a River"

OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

HYMN #359 (sing twice) "Give Thanks"

OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD *DOXOLOGY PRAYER OF DEDICATION
Variations on "Amazing Grace"

***HYMN #688 vs 1 & 2** "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

GOD SPEAKS TO US

THE SCRIPTURE READINGS

Psalm 96:1-9 - Hymn #66 vs 1&3 "To God Be The Glory"
Psalm 100 - Hymn #95 vs 1 "Praise Him, Praise Him"
Psalm 147:1-12 - Hymn #51 "How Great Thou Art"
Romans 8:38-39- Hymn #437 vs 1 "Jesus Loves Me"

SERMON

Hymn on Screen "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus"
Hymn #500 "Precious Lord, Take My Hand"
Hymn #522 "Shall We Gather At the River"
Hymn on Screen "At Calvary"

Hymn #520 "Swing Low Sweet Chariot"
Hymn on Screen "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder"

WE RESPOND WITH FAITH AND COMMITMENT

BENEDICTION
*HYMN #716 "God Be With You 'til We Meet Again"

WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS AND SERVE

POSTLUDE "I'll Fly Away" Mark Hays
*Denotes those who are able to are invited to stand in body and in spiritDepart to serve
**There is after service communion following the 10am service

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Becky Anderson, Church Pianist

Joan Leffel and Jane Nuss, Children's Ministry Coordinators
Cynthia Hanover, Choir/Church Pianist
Andrea Spencer, Organist
Madeline Frankenhauser, Children's Music Director
Brad and Nam Gehrlich, Custodian
Amy Keller, Confirmation Teacher
Jeanette Tangeman, Back Bay Missionary

LiturgistJim Huckemeyer
AcolytesDeacons and Elders
Missionaries.....Members of our Congregation

Our Giving to God August 28, 2022

Current - \$1334.00/ Mission - \$55.00 ---- Attendance – 8:30a – 29 and 10:00a – 68

The altar flowers today are from Mary McDonald in memory of her husband, Tom McDonald

*The loose offering today is designated to the Organ Fund.
Next Sunday, the Loose Offering will be designated to Rally Day*

***The 2022-2023 Women's Guild booklets are set out around the church.
Please feel free to pick one up.***



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



S.A.R.A. Ukrainian Emergency Fund

The Heartland Conference [S.A.R.A. partnership](#) will serve as a conduit for aid to partners in Ukraine who are suffering as a result of the war. Please know that your gifts of any size make a difference in this critical time. Those wishing to make a donation can send it to the following address:

Heartland Conference UCC/S.A.R.A. Ukrainian Emergency Fund
PO Box 1230
Worthington, OH 43085

GET TO KNOW ST. PAUL'S CHILDREN! – Rally Day Open House Sunday School starts on September 11th, and we need a few more teachers and teacher assistants. These positions do not have to be a regular commitment, you can help just one Sunday, or multiple Sundays. Any help you can give us is welcome. This is a fun way to get to know our families with young children and an easy way to fulfill your baptismal promise! Contact: Joan Leffel or Jane Nuss.

AGAPE MINISTRIES FOOD PANTRY	
Items Needed to Re-stock the Food Pantry	
Chicken & Beef Broth	BREAKFAST ITEMS
Diced Tomatoes	Pancake Mix
Scalloped Box Potatoes	Waffle Mix
Instant Mashed Potatoes	Cereal
Pork & Beans	Fruit Bars
Sloppy Joe Sauce	BAKING ITEMS
Egg Noodles	Sugar & Flour
Macaroni & Cheese	Oil & Vinegar
Can Peaches	CONDIMENTS
Spaghetti Sauce	(NO KETCHUP NEEDED)
Hamburger Helper	BBQ Sauce, Pickles
Taco Kits & Salsa	Mustard, Mayonnaise
	Salad Dressing
Personal Care	
• Deodorant	• Toothbrushes & Toothpaste
• Body Wash	• Shampoo
• Feminine Products (Maxi, liners, and regular)	
• Diapers (Sizes 5 & 6 Needed Most)	

Name: _____ Date: _____

Hymn Titles

E B D V S U S E J O T E B Y R O L G E E G Z V Y
M D R N E D L O G E H T M E L A S U R E J F W C
O T O W P P S Y N P K V U F D O S L Z Q L A J L
C F W O X M T R O I V A S L U F I T U A E B L P
S I G Z S D B W H U J U C V C Q R Y R F H E C D
A G N Z L N F X F O Z J T N U C X P F O N N Y C
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N G L R Y F S B W A V V W V T H S H L R J D C K
O E S I H T S I E V O L S U O R D N O W T A H W
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T T N R E M H T I W E D I B A D S O G P A H D P
A S I X U C Y I F G T E R O U E S I T U G R H X
V I F F F A I T T T J A F W F J G V G L M F T Z
L E L E C A R G G N I Z A M A P K J D N J D F R
A V O N O D K N G L C L M Z R S H R L Q O D O K
S O V V V R C U R P H K D I I M S J O K T S K X
N L D G O V W K C O R E H T N O T L I U B J Y Y
G G Z T Y X K L I R E G N A M A N I Y A W A O M

Abide With Me	Amazing Grace	Away in a Manger
Beautiful Savior	Built on the Rock	Glory be to Jesus
How Great Thou Art	Jerusalem the Golden	Joy to the World
Love is the Gracious Gift	My Song is Love Unknown	Salvation Unto Us Has Come
Thy Strong Word	What Wondrous Love is This	

WELCOME! If you are visiting for the first time, we are Glad you are here. If you are a returning visitor, Welcome Back. Please complete the Welcome card located in the pew pocket in front of you and place it in the offering plate. Should you have a prayer request, please complete the back side and place in the offering plate.

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 "Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement" 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!

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Please keep the following people in your prayers: Diana Prichard, Shirley Harold, John Long, Virginia Burroughs, and Vern Luedeke. Also, pray for all of our military, medical, 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 **2022 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 (on the bulletin board by the soundboard) or call the church office to sign up. Thank you.

CRISIS CENTER DONATIONS

The Women's Guild will no longer be collecting hotel size shampoos, lotions, etc. for the Crisis Center. We have several sacks of these items, if you know of another organization where we can donate these. Next month there will be an updated list of items the Crisis Center is in need of and this list will be published in the October newsletter. Thanks for all your help with this mission.

BREAKING BREAD COMMUNITY DINNER NEWS: If you would like to make a financial contribution to help with costs for the weekly community dinner, these will be gratefully accepted. Donations can be placed in the Sunday offering plate or mailed to the

church office. Please be sure to indicate your name on the envelope if you would like to receive credit on your giving statement.

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** restroom 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. This is now shown LIVE on Sundays and shown a day later on Mondays.
- ✚ **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

Today	8:30 am 10:00 am	Worship with Rev. Jeanette Tangeman Worship with Rev. Jeanette Tangeman
Mon.		Church closed for Labor Day
Wed.	9:00 am	Quilting
Thurs.	4:30-5:15 pm	Breaking Bread Community Meal
Next Sun.	9:15 am 9:15 am 10:30 am 11:00 am	Sunday School Adult Forum Worship with Rev. Rhonda Hainer -- RALLY DAY Rally Day Pizza Party and Ice Cream Social

ATTENTION ALL CRAFTERS

The Women's Guild would like to have another Craft Show to coincide with their Fall Harvest Meal, Bake/Craft Sale on **October 5, 2022**. If you have the extra time, maybe you could make and donate a craft?

Quiet Bags have new fun pages in them for all ages. Hidden pictures, stories to read, some coloring pages. Check them out!

Psalm 96:1-9

New Revised Standard Version Updated Edition

Praise to God Who Comes in Judgment

- ¹ O sing to the LORD a new song;
sing to the LORD, all the earth.
- ² Sing to the LORD; bless his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.
- ³ Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the peoples.
- ⁴ For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised;
he is to be revered above all gods.
- ⁵ For all the gods of the peoples are idols,
but the LORD made the heavens.
- ⁶ Honor and majesty are before him;
strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.
- ⁷ Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples,
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- ⁸ Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name;
bring an offering, and come into his courts.
- ⁹ Worship the LORD in holy splendor;
tremble before him, all the earth.

Psalm 100

New Revised Standard Version Updated Edition

All Lands Summoned to Praise God

A Psalm of thanksgiving.

- ¹ Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth.
- ² Serve the LORD with gladness;
come into his presence with singing.
- ³ Know that the LORD is God.
It is he who made us, and we are his;^[a]
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
- ⁴ Enter his gates with thanksgiving
and his courts with praise.
Give thanks to him; bless his name.
- ⁵ For the LORD is good;
his steadfast love endures forever
and his faithfulness to all generations.