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OVER 95
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ARTS & CRAFTS EVENT

OCTOBER 12
9AM to 3PM

FOOD

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PRIZES

\$1 admission
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UMW missions

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ONE DAY CAMP

Adventure XPerience

ONE DAY
CAMP

OCTOBER 14
TEACHER WORK DAY

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\$25
PER CHILD



Welcome from Pastor Bob

Whether you're a first time visitor or a long time part of our St. Paul family, I'm so glad you've joined us today. Our current series, "Unshakable," uses principles that guided Daniel to help us learn how to navigate whatever life throws at us. This week we're talking about what to do "When the Heat is On."

I hope you'll join us this Saturday for the Arts and Crafts Show. This event helps fund missions outreach of our United Methodist Women, including our own Open Arms Resource Center. We have 95 talented vendors, and everything is handcrafted, so come get your Christmas shopping done early!

K-5 kids are invited to our One Day Camp on October 14. It's a safe place for your kids to spend the day playing silly games, making crafts and having fun. You can register on our website stpaulumc.org or our app.

Look through this bulletin, visit our website - stpaulumc.org, follow our Facebook: StPaulUMCLargo or download our free app to keep up with everything going on at St. Paul. I'm so glad you're part of St. Paul and the work we're doing for the Lord!



Bob Martin

Bob Martin, Lead Pastor

Glorify God ♥ Grow in Faith ♥ Give in Love



WORSHIP at 9 AM

Prelude		Grace Hillman, Accompanist
Introit	Mary and Martha	Bells of St. Paul
Welcome		Pastor Pam Dubov
*Greet	Oh How He Loves You and Me	
		Dr. Robert Williams, Worship Leader
*Hymns	Come Sinners to the Gospel Feast	No. 616
	There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood	No. 622
*Apostles' Creed		No. 881
Prayer with Lord's Prayer		No. 895
Offertory	Lamb of God	Sanctuary Choir
*Doxology		
Prayer of Thanksgiving		
Transitional Hymn	For the Beauty of the Earth	No. 92
Message	"When the Heat is On"	Pastor Bob Martin
	Daniel 3 (selectively)	
Directed Prayer		
World Communion		
*Hymn	Savior Again to Thy Dear Name	No. 663
*Benediction		
*Postlude		

*Please stand, if you are able.

If you need assistance, let an usher know.

Baby changing tables are located in both men and women's restrooms.

9 AM Greeters: Christine Brower and Lynn Jennings

10:30 AM Greeters: Dawn Green, Kathy Seitz, and Rita Fowler

VISITING US TODAY?

If you're visiting us today, welcome! We hope you find St. Paul a comfortable place to worship and that you feel God's love. To find out more about us we invite you to:



VISIT OUR CONNECTION CENTER

If you have questions or would like to talk to someone about St. Paul and what we offer, visit the Connection Center to the side of the lobby. One of our pastors will be there after each service and would be happy to speak with you!



VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.stpaulumc.org



DOWNLOAD OUR St. PAUL APP

It's free for apple or android



JOIN OUR MAILING LIST

SIGN UP ON THE CONNECT CARD



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SERMON NOTES

10:30 AM WORSHIP

A typical 10:30 a.m. worship at St. Paul lasts about an hour. Worship is filled with current Christian music from our praise band. You are invited to sing along with the words on the screens or worship as the spirit leads you. You'll notice there is a time in our worship to give financially. This is how we support the ministries and missions of our church. If you're visiting us today there is no pressure for you to contribute. We hope you experience the love of God here today!



ABOUT
60 MIN.



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NO
PRESSURE

Online Giving

It's easy to give online, make payments or set up one time or recurring contributions. Visit stpaulumc.org and click the Give link at the top of the page, download our free St. Paul app for your phone or tablet or use this QR code.



Flowers

If you would like to honor an event or a special person with flowers, you can give a flower bouquet to the Glory of God. Call the church office at 584-8165 or e-mail us at church@stpaulumc.org to make an order and share your inscription. Bouquets are \$40. You can pick up the flowers after the second worship or donate them to members who are in the hospital.

Deaths

Please pray for the family and friends of
Ruth McAlister
Charlie Tucker
who recently passed on to life eternal.

Stay and Pray Today

If you have anything weighing on your heart, any burdens, worries or pain you would like to give to God, we invite you to Stay and Pray in the chapel after either worship today. A member of our Prayer Team will pray with you, or you are welcome to spend some quiet time with God.

Lost and Found

If you've lost something on Sunday, like an earring, a sweater or glasses call the church office at 727-584-8165 to see if we have it.

St. Paul United Methodist Church CONNECT CARD

Use this card to record your attendance and share your prayer requests, needs and interests. Tear off and return it in the offering plate, the basket in the lobby, or the Connection Center. You do not need to fill out the entire card, only the parts that apply to you!

Date: October 6, 2019 9 AM 10:30 AM

Name: _____
First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____ ☐ Home ☐ Cell

Address: _____

☐ Please update my information.

I am a:

- ☐ 1st Time Guest ☐ 2nd Time Guest
☐ Regular Attendee ☐ Member(s)
☐ Winter Resident: Here from _____ to _____

I came today because:

- ☐ I drove by ☐ I visited the website
☐ I've been here before ☐ I received a mailing
☐ I was invited by _____
Other: _____

I want to join your e-mail list:

- ☐ Weekly Pastor's E-Note ☐ Student
☐ Weekly St. Paul Newsletter ☐ Children
Other: _____

Be sure to put your e-mail address at the top of the card!

I am interested in:

- ☐ Rededicating my life to Jesus
☐ Being baptized
☐ Becoming a member

I need a name tag for:

(Name tags can be picked up in the Connection Center to the side of the lobby two weeks after your request is placed.)

Don't forget to fill out the other side!

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How can we pray for you?

- ☐ For Military Prayer List
- ☐ Do NOT publish in bulletin.
- ☐ Do NOT include on prayer chain.
- ☐ I would like to connect with a Stephen Minister.

I would like to help with:

- ☐ Livestream ☐ 9 AM ☐ 10:30 AM
- ☐ Usher ☐ 9 AM ☐ 10:30 AM
- ☐ Jumpstart ☐ Supervisor ☐ Tutor

Arts and Crafts Show

- ☐ Set Up—Friday, Oct. 11 (requires lifting)
- ☐ Day of Show—Saturday, Oct. 12

Patch Bash—Oct. 18

- ☐ Trunk or Treat (Decorate car)
- ☐ Patch Bash (greet, register, snacks, games)

Homeless Meal Team: 3rd Sunday

I can help ☐ Cook ☐ Drive the van

Remember to fill out the other side with your name and contact info!

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Today is World Communion Sunday

World Communion Sunday offers an opportunity to experience Holy Communion in the context of the global community of faith. The first Sunday of October, Christians in every culture break bread and pour the cup to remember and affirm Christ as the Head of the Church. On this day, we remember that we are part of the whole body of believers. Whether shared in a grand cathedral, a mud hut, outside on a hilltop, in a church, or a storefront, we celebrate the communion liturgy in as many ways as there are Christians. World Communion Sunday can be both a profound worship experience and a time for learning more about our wider community of faith.



This is Pastor Appreciation Month

October is Pastor Appreciation Month and a good reminder to show our pastors how grateful we are for them! Each Sunday we'll suggest ways that you can show our pastors appreciation this month, and all year long.

Pray For Them

One of the greatest gifts you can give your pastors is prayer. Add them to your prayer list and pray for them regularly. You can pray that the Lord guide them. You can pray for the health of their soul, and of their body. You can pray that they are filled to **overflowing with God's love, joy, peace, and power.** You can also pray for the church and the work that they're doing for the Lord through St. Paul. Let's keep our pastors, their families and their work covered in prayer!

GROW IN FAITH

Adult Studies

Adult Sunday Morning Classes

Adults of any age are invited to join one of our Sunday school classes:

9:15 a.m. Sunday school class

Homeward Bound - Room 207 - CLEC

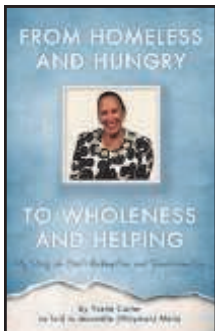
10:15 a.m. Sunday school classes

Inspirations - Purple Door Classroom (101) in **Bldg C**

Bereans - Conference Room 2 in **Bldg B**

10:30 a.m. Sunday school classes

Friendship—Room 201 (Community Room) - CLEC



Yvette Carter Shares Her Inspiring Story

On Tuesday, October 8, the UMW's Hannah Circle will welcome Yvette Carter, director of our Open Arms Ministry. Yvette is a living example of how God heals and changes people. She will speak about her book, *From Homeless and Hungry to Wholeness and Helping*, which

tells her story of redemption and transformation. Everyone is welcome to attend, whether you are part of the UMW or not! Join us in room 201 of the Christian Life Enrichment Center this Tuesday. Refreshments will be served at 6:45 p.m. Meeting starts at 7 p.m.

Light Seekers

Tuesdays | 10:30 a.m. | LuAnne Willey Fellowship Hall

Light Seekers is a gathering of those who seek to know Christ in a personal way. Join them on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. in the CLEC for study, music, and time with friends.

TNT

(Twenties 'N' Thirties)

Sundays | 7 p.m.

Room 202 (CLEC)

Adults in their twenties and thirties, and high school grads, are invited to join TNT tonight in room 202 (CLEC) for a study on learning how to more deeply read the Bible. Follow the TNT Facebook for updates about upcoming studies and events: [!\[\]\(1ed10657a19f9137278430c48fd18626_img.jpg\) StPaulTNT](#)



WHAT'S
NEW

With The UMW?

Gulf Central District Celebration

Saturday, October 19 | 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM | CLEC

St. Paul United Methodist Women are excited to host their annual Gulf Central District Celebration on Saturday, October 19 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the CLEC Fellowship Hall. More than 150 women from four counties will be celebrating 150 years of UMW helping women, children and youth. We will have a short business meeting followed by three guest speakers, including our very own Pastor Pam Dubov, along with communion and a great lunch catered by Pal Joeys restaurant. All ladies, please join us as we discover the great things UMW has done in the past and what we see for the future.

Tickets for lunch are \$12. Childcare is available on request. The deadline for reservations is Saturday, October 12. Please see Rita Fowler or Lyn Sears for a reservation form or e-mail lynsears57@gmail.com. Our women will be providing a continental breakfast, so we need all UMW to participate.

Dorcas

Dorcas Sewing Circle meets this Wednesday, October 9. Join them from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Arts and Crafts Room (212) to do simple sewing projects for nursing homes, children in the hospital, the homeless, migrant workers and others in our community. If you don't have sewing skills, we have other jobs for you!

Rachel-Lydia

The Rachel-Lydia group meets this Thursday, October 10 at 10:30 a.m. in room 106 (Carpenter's Room) of the CLEC. Join them for prayers, devotions, Bible study and fellowship with refreshments. Open Arms is their mission focus this year, and they have been serving through projects like folding and preparing recycled grocery bags for use at Open Arms. New people are welcome!



OVER 95 VENDORS
DISPLAYING ALL HANDCRAFTED ITEMS

LARGEST INDOOR-OUTDOOR CRAFT SHOW

SATURDAY
OCTOBER 12, 2019
9AM-3PM

\$1 admission at the door supports the missions of the United Methodist Women.



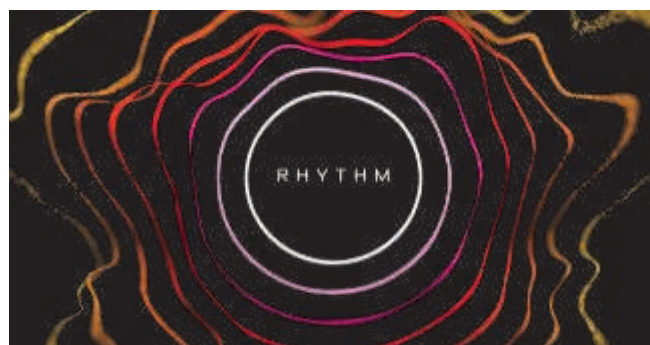
Student Ministry

6th-12th Grade

Alison Van Duyne, Student Ministry Director, alison.v@stpaulumc.org

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For most of us, when we hear the word “worship,” we think about singing songs at church. But could there be more to worship than just music and words on a screen? In this series, we’ll find out what it looks like to worship God with our whole lives. As we do, we’ll see that when we find the right rhythm to our worship, we’ll also find ourselves walking in better rhythm with the God we’re worshipping.



TONIGHT: Worship is about the connection, not your perfection.

Middle school and high school students are invited to join us tonight for **group games, exciting crowd breakers, passionate worship, biblical teaching, and a chance to connect with others through Small Groups.** The group meets in the Mariposa Café, in the Christian Life Enrichment Center at 5:30 p.m. for dinner, then branches out depending on activities. Time together ends at 8 p.m. Dinner is \$3. Register for dinner online in advance: stpaulumc.org.

Pumpkin Patch Shifts

Students can earn money in their student account for retreats and trips by taking shifts at the pumpkin patch. Visit our website for the online sign-up: www.stpaulumc.org

Jumpstart Tutors

High schoolers can serve at Jumpstart on Tuesdays and use their volunteer time towards the community service requirements of the Bright Futures scholarship or for National Honors Society hours. They serve as tutors, help lead games in the gym, and serve dinner to our Jumpstart middle-schoolers. Fill out the Connect Card on page 4 or contact Alison at alison.v@stpaulumc.org if you want to serve.



NOV 10
3 PM

TICKETS: \$20

Let Freedom Sing!

Heralds of Harmony Concert

Mark your calendar for 3 p.m. on November 10 and plan to join us for a patriotic concert from acclaimed men's a cappella group, Heralds of Harmony! All proceeds will be used to fund our St. Paul ministries. Tickets are \$20 and are now available at the church office and online. Pick up a flyer or two in the Connection Center on your way out and share them in your neighborhood or workplace!

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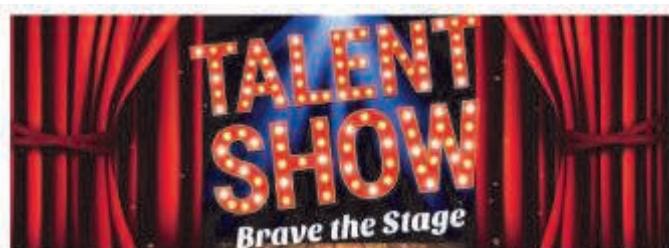
TREEHOUSE
 Children's Ministry
Children Infant- 5th Grade, Kaitie Zimmerman,
 Director of Children's Ministry, Kaitie.j@stpaulumc.org

Sunday Morning: Lil' Kidz Care

Lil' Kidz Nursery Care is available today for infants to 4-year-olds, at 8:45 a.m. in the nursery building (Bldg B) next to the sanctuary. Sign in and you will be given a card that you will need to pick-up your child.

Sunday Morning: Preschool & K-5

Preschool and K-5 kds are invited to attend their own worship and lessons in the Children's Ministry Center in Bldg C at both 9 and 10:30 a.m.



Our Current Study: Talent Show

This month we're learning about courage, being brave enough to do what you should do, even when you're afraid.

"Be strong and brave. Do not be afraid. Do not lose hope. I am the Lord your God. I will be with you everywhere you go." - Joshua 1:9B, NIV



Worship Arts on Wednesdays

Kids in preschool through 5th grade are invited to join us on Wednesdays at 6 p.m. in the Student Room of the Christian Life Enrichment Center starting this week. Worship Arts includes games, crafts, and other fun ways to worship. Pick-up is at 7:30 p.m. in the gym.

FRIDAY, OCT. 18: 6-8 PM
FREE PATCH BASH
 IN THE ST. PAUL PUMPKIN PATCH

Trunk or Treat
Games & Snacks
Bounce Houses
Kona Ice (for purchase)
Special Guests
 Pre-register to skip the onsite registration line
www.stpaulumc.org


**YOUR K-5 KIDS ARE INVITED TO JOIN US
DURING THE OCTOBER TEACHER WORK DAY!**



MONDAY, OCT. 14: 7 AM TO 6 PM
\$25 PER CHILD INCLUDES LUNCH & SNACKS

SILLY GAMES, CRAFTS, A DAY OF CAMP FUN



REGISTER ONLINE: STPAULUMC.ORG

GIVE IN LOVE

Help with Pumpkin Patch

Thank you to everyone who helped put up the tent and unload the pumpkins! We appreciate all your hard work! You can still sign up to take a shift selling pumpkins on the calendar in the lobby or online by visiting our app or our website: stpaulumc.org. we're close to

Help with Patch Bash

On October 18 from 6-8 PM we're inviting the neighborhood to join us in the pumpkin patch for this year's Patch Bash. Our goal is to have 20 cars at the Trunk or Treat. Volunteers will decorate their cars with a family friendly theme and hand out candy. We will provide the candy. The Patch Bash also includes lots of other fun fall themed games and activities so we need volunteers to help with set up and clean up, registration, games, snacks, etc. If you can help with any of these jobs, sign up on the Connect Card.

Donate Candy

We need 9,000 pieces of individually wrapped candy for our Patch Bash and our booth at the City of Largo's Spooktacular. These are both ways we're meeting new families in our community that we hope to connect to our ministries. Take a look at the slide before worship to see our progress toward our goal! You can drop off candy in the lobby on Sunday or at the church office during the week.



Boy Scout Troop 468 Fundraiser

Please visit the table in the courtyard any Sunday in October, or the first Sunday in November, to preorder Christmas wreaths and luminary sets to support Troop 468!

- **Beautiful 22" Noble Fir Wreath—\$25**
Includes a bow and pinecones
- **Luminary set—\$8**
Set of 12 includes sand, candles and bags

Preorder and pay by Nov 3. Wreaths will be in the first week of December. Please contact Diane Cole at 727-422-0018 for any questions. Troop 468 thanks you for your support! Donations are also accepted if you want to support our troop but don't need any decorations.

Homeless Meal Volunteers Needed

We are in need of people to serve the homeless at Peace Memorial on the third Sunday of each month. We need cooks who can use our kitchen equipment for volume cooking to feed about 140 people, and we need someone who can drive the van as well. Cooking is roughly 12-2:30 PM on Sunday, and serving is 3-5:30 PM. If you're interested in committing to serve one Sunday each month, fill out the Connect Card or contact Pastor Pam at pam.d@stpaulumc.org.

Special Olympics Coach Needed

Handicapable Ministry is looking for a volunteer to be our Special Olympics Coach. State requirements to serve as a volunteer Special Olympics Coach include:

- Complete a Class A Volunteer form and submit it **to Special Olympics, along with a copy of one's driver's license.**
- Complete a Protective Behavior Course as well as a short Concussion Course which is done online. This is good for 3 years.
- **Make sure all athletes' medical forms are up to date.**
- Schedule practices.
- Become certified in bowling and track and field in order to take the athletes to State Games. Certification is good for 3 years.
- Attend a coaches meeting once a year in August.

If you believe God is nudging you to find out more about serving in this capacity please reach out to Maria Sauter (727-418-0141) or Horton Townes (727-584-8165 Ext. 206) for more information.

Sign Up to Help with Arts and Crafts Show

The Arts and Crafts show is this Saturday, October 12 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The event raises funds for the outreach and missions of the United Methodist Women. Use the Connect Card to sign up to help or visit our website www.stpaulumc.org to sign up online.

10:30 AM Usher Meeting Next Sunday

Oct. 13 at 11:45 a.m. in the front of sanctuary

If you currently usher at the 10:30 AM worship, or if you're interested in joining the team, please attend a short meeting after 10:30 worship next Sunday. We will be scheduling ushers for fall. If you have been **looking for somewhere to serve and haven't found your spot**, join us and see if ushering is right for you! **If you can't make the meeting but would like to usher at 10:30** please email laurel.f@stpaulumc.org.

Coming this Week

Sunday, October 6

Courtyard Coffee	8:30 AM
Lil' Kidz Nursery	8:30 AM
Worship	9:00 AM
Children's Worship	9:00 AM
Homeward Bound	9:15 AM
Stay and Pray	10:00 AM
Bereans	10:15 AM
Inspirations	10:15 AM
Friendship	10:30 AM
Worship	10:30 AM
Children's Worship	10:30 AM
Stay and Pray	11:30 AM
Handi Boyscout Picnic	11:30 AM
Homeless Meal	3:30 PM
Student Ministry	5:30 PM
TNT	7:00 PM

Monday, October 7

Boy Scouts	7:00 PM
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Tuesday, October 8

Sonrise Men's Study	7:00 AM
Toy Making—Druid	9:00 AM
Light Seekers	10:30 AM
Jumpstart	4:00 PM
Speaker: Yvette Carter	6:45 PM

Wednesday, October 9

UMW: Dorcas	9:00 AM
Toy Making—Druid	9:00 AM
Alpha	6:00 PM
Worship Arts	6:00 PM
Handicapable	6:15 PM
Open Adult Volleyball	7:45 PM

Thursday, October 10

Toy Making—Druid	9:00 AM
UMW: Rachel-Lydia	10:30 AM
Prayer Shawl	4:30 PM
Griefshare	6:00 PM
Handbell Rehearsal	5:45 PM
Choir Rehearsal	7:00 PM

Friday, October 11

Church Office Closed

Saturday, October 12

Soaring Eagles	8:00 AM
Arts and Crafts Show	9:00 AM

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All groups need to submit a facilities request form for all events, including meetings, one time and recurring events. Contact us at 584-8165 or karen.h@stpaulumc.org

Making a Prayer Request

Write your prayer request on the Connect Card and drop it in in the offering plate or make a prayer request on our app. You can also call our prayer line at any time: 559-PRAY (7729).

Hear Our Prayer

Please pray for these people with immediate prayer needs:

A Ann	Family Peace	Mickey Bishop
AB	Faye Hartel	Mike & family
Addicts	Florita	Mike V.
Amber B.	Fred, Penny, Martha,	Mike, Samantha, Kyle
Ann M. McAndrew	Gail Avery	Nick V.
Aubri & Jessi	Gail Blagg Bloomgren	Our Country and President
Barbara B.	Jane Huter	Our Pastors
Blaze White	Jasmine McRoberts & family	Our World
Bob Phillips	Jeff & Dana Cheney	Peter H.
Bob, Sherry, Troy Hartel	Jesse's co-worker	Rev. Hays McKay
Bonnie Cummings	Joan Chesak	Richard Buckley
Bonnie Spencer & family	John B.	Rita Pennington
Brad Jones	John C.	Rodger
Brandi, Kami, & Kamal	John Dibble	Ron & Judy Getz
Carl J.	Joni Allen	Ron Barker
Carl Simon	Jordan & Karen Goodin	Ron Fowler
Carmen Munyan	Josh DeLoach	Rose
Carol Quinton Naja	Karen & Melinda	Ruth McAlister's Family
Caroline Fields	Karen Wolff	Saylor family
Carolyn Goodwin	Kat F.	Settlemine family
Children, Women, Youth	Kathy Herrell Hannas	Sharon Beasey
Cliff Armbruster and family	Kay	Shaw family
Dale, Cindy, Mary	Kim Mobley	Shirley
Dave & Do, Elsie, Cathy,	Kurt & Daughter	Skip & Joan Buchwald
Del & Amy, Dee & Herb,	Kylea Johns	Stephanie & Natalie
Patty & Dave, Alyssa,	Libby Burke	Stephanie Prevost
John, Barb, Jody & Tony,	Lillyann	Stephen Brower
Mosh, Yvonne, Dixie,	Linda Grasso	Susan Pelyak
Chris, Christy, Margo & Ed, Kitty, Helen, Jamie,	Linda, Michelle, Jackson	Tammy Barker
Elena & Shirley	Livio V.	Thank You Lord
Debbie Dubov	Lois Thomson	Tina & Sherry
Dennis Lord	Lorie Reed	Tom & family
Don Hennessy Family	Lyn, Caitlynn, Jim, Meghann, Jimmy, Lauralyn	Trevor, Lashia & Lanni
DP	Marilyn Barker	Vicky
Evelyn B.	Mark, Penny, Chris,	Walker-Huff family
Faith & Kyle, Julie & Derek, Penny	Amy, Ann & Brett,	Walter E.
	Stefanie & Christian	Welch family
	Meg, Jake, Dom & Char	Yvette Gonzalez Carter
	Melissa Hauck Baker	

Seeking Part-Time Preschool Custodian

Son Kissed Preschool at St. Paul UMC needs a part-time custodian 9 hours a week. Hours are 5-8 PM on Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays. Must have a commitment to serving in a Christian environment where the safety and health of children is the highest priority. Must pass a criminal background check. Duties include trash removal, cleaning floors, cleaning bathrooms, and cleaning kitchen. Custodian also notes repairs that need to be made and cleaning supplies that need to be ordered. Salary is \$9 to \$10/hour. If you're interested in applying for this part-time position, email your resume to church@stpaulumc.org

GOOD NEWS

Update from Missionary Carolyn Goodwin

Praise God! Baruch HaShem! I made it back to Uganda safely and was able to hit the ground running continuing our work for the Lord here. Sunday school in Bidibidi, Imvepi, and Rhino Camp kicked off with a very good training in Arua. From there we met with the trainers and the Sunday School teachers and pastors from each church and shared baskets of teaching materials. I have heard very good things about the classes. Kids are excited to come, in fact they are there waiting for the teachers to show up!



More “mommie kits” have been distributed to new parents “to-be” and under-privileged new mothers. This ministry has grown into a close community of young people that have been encouraged

with Christ centered classes in baby and child care, and marriage counseling. Some of the young women are working together to start their own tailoring business. God is so good!

The prison ministry is going very well. The inmates like the training so much that one of the inmates who was released asked the warden if they could come back each Friday to finish the training. In a couple of weeks the inmates will have a celebration with certificates for completing the training.



Our football (soccer) league is gearing up and becoming a reality thanks to the Lightner Award, and donations from St. Paul Handicapable for soccer balls, and Dee and Lisa for soccer shirts. We

thank the Lord this ministry can proceed. We are praying for funds to continue next season, and bring in the Omugo camp. Everyone is so excited in the camps for

this diversion from the effects of trauma and poverty. It gives them something to look forward to and cheer about. **Each shirt has “Football for Jesus” for a logo, and each person involved in the program will be encouraged to build their faith in Christ and give Him the glory and honor in every practice and game.**

Trauma Healing workshops are ongoing and scheduled weekly for the rest of the year. I really thought the workshops would be phased out with Sunday School, **but they are being requested so much, I can't say no.** However, I do need to find someone to help with the schedule now that the league is getting underway and workshops need to be held for each of the teams and families. This is a good problem to have!



These are just a few highlights of what has been happening since my return in mid-August. I thank God for your love and support through prayers and financing to make all these things possible. And I

thank God for His companionship, strength and good health to continue day by day to do His will. What a blessing to share the word of God. I believe this is the **highest calling in life, and I'm so honored and in awe to do His work!**

If you are interested in helping to support any of these ministries, donations can be made to me #3080 at the TMS-Global.org website. Donations are secure, tax deductible & very much appreciated!

Love and blessings,
Carolyn

Another way to support Carolyn's mission is to visit her Support Team's booth at this year's Arts and Crafts Show on Saturday. All proceeds from the booth will be used to support Carolyn's mission in Africa!

The Reverend Bob Martin, Lead Pastor
The Reverend Pam Dubov, Executive Pastor



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Office Hours: 9 a.m.—5 p.m., Monday-Thursday
E-mail: church@stpaulumc.org | www.stpaulumc.org

