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# **WORSHIP AT 9 AM**

Prelude Kathy Tuminello, Accompanist Pastor Bob Martin Welcome Lift High the Cross No. 159 \*Hymns Oh How I Love Jesus No. 170 \*Apostles' Creed No. 881 **Prayer with Lord's Prayer** No. 895 Offering \*Doxology **Praise God From Whom** No. 94 **Prayer of Thanksgiving** Hymn My Jesus I Love Thee No. 172 "Lamenting During Dark Days" Message Pastor Bob Martin

Psalm 55 (selectively)

**Directed Prayer** 

\*Hymn Savior Again To Thy Dear Name No. 663

\*Benediction Closing

> 9 AM Worship Leader: Dr. Robert Williams 10:30 AM Worship Leader: Alison Van Duyne

#### **HOW TO STREAM ONLINE**

We stream both worships at 9 and 10:30 AM. There are currently three ways to stream:

- Visit our website stpaulumc.org and click on the link on the front page. You can also click on Live Worship in our free app or click here to visit the streaming site directly. When the streaming site opens, click on the play triangle to start streaming.
- If you have Facebook follow us to get a notification when we start streaming. You can also visit our Facebook Live page: facebook.com/StPaulUMCLargo/live
- 3) Stream on Youtube: youtube.com/stpaulumclargo1

### **HOW TO GIVE ONLINE**

Visit our website stpaulumc.org and click **the "Give" link** at the top of the page. You can also click on Give in our free St. Paul app (search St. Paul United Methodist in your app store). Make a one time gift or set up a recurring gift. You can use credit card or ACH to donate.

#### **10:30 SET LIST**

#### **FREEDOM**

by Brett Younker, Kristian Stanfill, Hank Bentley, Jordan Frye, and Mia Fieldes

#### MY HEART IS YOURS

by Brett Younker and Daniel Carson

#### **GOOD GOOD FATHER**

by Anthony Brown and Pat Barrett

#### MORE THAN ENOUGH

by Jordan Frye, Kim Walker-Smith, and Lindsey Sweat

# HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!



# CONNECT

#### **FACEBOOK GROUPS**

FB Group - StPaulUMC
FB group - StPaulParentsLounge

# FACEBOOK LIVE Wednesdays at 1 PM

Join Pastor Bob on our St. Paul Face-book (StPaulUMCLargo) for good news, inspiration from scripture and more on Wednesdays at 1 PM.

#### **KIDS & STUDENTS**

You can find Student worship on our Student Ministry Youtube and Instagram Sundays at 6 PM. Check our website for our students' summer online schedule. Follow our Children's Ministry on Facebook or Instagram for storytime with Mrs. Kaitie, silly videos, and more ways to connect.

#### **CHOIR CHAT**

Check-in with the choir on zoom Thursdays at 7 PM. Anyone is welcome to join in, whether you currently sing with the choir or not! Email **church@stpaulumc.org** for a link to the zoom.

#### Need help connecting? Email church@stpaulumc.org



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# PRAYER LIST

Al Lewis Allen Suban Bob Van Hooser Bonnie & Bob Cummings Carolyn Goodwin Children, Women, Youth Chris Mitchell

Cliff Armbruster Cody Smith Coronavirus Crispus & Family Darlene Mitchell

David

David Malone

Debbie Dennis Lord

Don & Lorraine Piro

Don Naja

Elmer Campbell's Family

Fisher & Family Healthcare workers

Jennifer Karen

Kathy Hannas

Kathy Herrell Hannas

Kathy Kuilema Kim Morris

Larry Lashbrook Melissa Hauck-Baker

Melissa Smith

Michael, Lucy & Patty Our Country & World Our Pastors & Church

Peace Praise

Rev. Hays McKay

Robert & Marilyn Bossard

Ron Barker & Family

Roy Neville
Saylor Family
Stephen Brower
Tammy & Family
Tammy Barker
The World

Yvette Gonzalez Carter

#### **Military Prayer List**

Aaron Austin & Max Carl Huffman Dominic Napolitano

Eric J Pitts
John Moss IV
Lawson

Nancy Benson

Peter

Stephen Brower III

Zach Lepley

#### A PRAYER FOR TRUE JUSTICE

Heavenly Father, our hearts are heavy. Broken. Please give us eyes to see and ears to hear where Your Spirit is working. Help us to see every person the way that You see them. Break our hearts for what breaks Yours, God. Let us not merely say that we love each other. Give us strength to mourn with those who mourn, to weep with those who weep. Let Your justice roll like waters. Let Your righteousness and love flow from us like rivers of living water. Purify our hearts, Lord, and fill us with genuine hunger for justice, for mercy, and for true peace. Heavenly Father, let justice and mercy start with me. In Jesus' Name, Amen. (From YouVersion)

#### STUDENT MINISTRY SUMMER

This summer our Student Ministry has lots of ways to connect online.

#### MONDAY MEDITATION

- Focus on your mental health
- Find a quiet spot that brings you peace
- Snap a photo and share it with us

Check our **Instagram** for resources, quotes, and articles

#### TRIBE TUESDAY

Join us for Bible study at 3 PM via Zoom. It'll be 30-45 minutes and will focus on God's Word. **Contact Alison** for the zoom ID.

#### WEDNESDAY SERVE

Wednesday Serve encourages students to:

- serve a family member or friend
- find another way to serve like cleaning up a park or the beach, write letters to our emergency workers or healthcare professionals.
- VolunteerFlorida.org needs people to help distribute food at many of the various schools around the county/ (13+ only. Adult must also be present.)

If you're serving, take a photo and share it with us via **email**, text, or **social media**.

#### TRY IT THURSDAY

Try something new every Thursday! It can be a recipe, a new exercise or sport, a new adventure... Take a photo of what you're trying, and tag us @stpaul\_lighthouse.

## TNT GAME NIGHT

Our TNT group for adults in their twenties and thirties has been meeting on zoom and doing a video study on the Basics of Apologetics. If you'd like to join them on Sundays at 7 PM email **web@stpaulumc.org** for the zoom info. On Sunday, June 28 they're taking a study break for a zoom game night! Email if you want to join them!



Lunch Pals is a lunchtime mentoring program where students who could especially benefit from a supporting relationship are matched with mentors from the community. Mentors meet with a student for lunch on a day and time that works best for your schedule. Show up, listen, encourage and be a friend. It is that easy! Conversation starters and resource materials are provided to assure that your experience is impactful and fun. Support is always available. Want to be a mentor? Attend a workshop webinar online in the convenience of your office or home one of these times:

08/20/2020 — Noon to 1:00pm 08/25/2020 — 6:00pm to 7:00pm 8/27/2020 — 9:00am to 10:00am 09/09/2020 — Noon to 1:00pm

#### VISIT PCSB.ORG/MENTOR TO REGISTER

#### PRAYER SHAWL



Look at this happy smile! In the past two months the Prayer Shawl Ministry at St. Paul UMC has been blessed to share 54 prayer shawls in six different states. They are sharing the love of Jesus, one prayer shawl at a time, If would like a prayer

shawl for yourself or to gift one to someone else in need of prayer or comfort, contact Patsy at butterflyplants08@aol.com

# REOPENING UPDATE

We are working with a team of staff and laypeople to finalize a reopening plan. We will make that available as soon as it is finalized, but in the meantime here are a couple things I can share with you:

We will return to worship in the LuAnne Willey Fellowship Hall instead of the sanctuary. We are moving worship to the Fellowship Hall in our Christian Life Enrichment Center because the flexibility of the space and standalone chairs allows us more freedom to configure seating that follows the CDC social distancing guidelines for large groups. The lobby area and bathroom facilities in the CLEC are also larger to allow safer movement.

We don't have a reopen date yet. We are tracking the case numbers in our county every day and the averages every week. We are looking for a sustained downward trend for 14 days in number of cases and percent of positive tests. This will be our sign that it's safe for us to reopen and allow us to set a date. When a date is set, we will share it through email, on our website, in worship announcements, etc. In the meantime we invite you to worship with us online and we are proceeding with setting up our worship space in the hall so we will be ready when it's safe to go ahead.

We have looked at a study by the CDC and other medical studies by epidemiologists which indicate that when people sing in groups, they create a higher risk for transmission of the virus. The findings also showed wearing a facemask does not preclude the risk of spreading the virus when singing. Our team is prayerfully seeking an answer for how we worship if we cannot sing. I ask you to pray about it as well.

Other churches around us are opening, why aren't we? Let me say this, "Churches are indeed essential, but our parishioners are not expendable." Many of the churches that are reopening have younger aged congregants that we do. The average age of a person attending our church is in the upper 60's to low 70's. All re-

ports say this is the most at risk age group, and we want to be careful that our reopening does not put any of you at risk. I hold onto the mandate of Jesus when he said, "Love your neighbor as yourself." Because I and our staff and reopening team love you, we will do all we can to also protect you out of that same love.

When we do return to building worship, we will no longer greet one another with hugs and handshakes. We will find alternative ways to express our love for each other. We will also replace passing the plate for offering with "giving boxes" which will be located throughout the room.

We are discussing having medical protocols as people enter the building, such as temperature checks and wearing face masks. Instead of seeing it as an inconvenience, I ask that we work together and comply to ensure everyone's safety. You may not be worried about the virus for yourself, but by going through these protocols you are also protecting your friends and fellow St. Paul family members. We will also place stationary and mobile hand sanitizer stations throughout the building.

We will comply with social distancing. Our seating will be arranged so that those in the same household may sit together, but those outside the household will sit in seats that are socially distanced 6 feet apart. We are working on a seating plan to allow as many seats as possible while maintaining the safety of social distancing.

As you can see, there is a lot to work through and this is merely the tip of the iceberg on the many decisions that must be made to return to on campus worship during a pandemic. I want to continue to ask your grace, prayers and cooperation as we finalize our plan.

Blessings,

Pastor Bob Martin