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CHURCH

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WORSHIP AT 9 AM

Prelude		Kathy Tuminello, Accompanist
Introit	<i>God of the Ages</i>	Duke Low
Welcome		Felix Koutsourais, Lay Leader
*Hymns	<i>Come and Let Us Sweetly Join</i>	No. 699
	<i>When We All Get to Heaven</i>	No. 701
*Apostles' Creed		No. 156
Prayer with Lord's Prayer		No. 895
Offering	<i>Shall We Gather at the River</i>	Duke Low
*Doxology	<i>Praise God From Whom</i>	No. 94
Prayer of Thanksgiving		
Hymn	<i>Spirit of God Descend Upon My Heart</i>	No. 500
Message	"The Church is the Hope of the World" Pastor Bob Martin Ephesians 4:1-6	
Directed Prayer		
*Hymn	<i>We've a Story to Tell to the Nations</i>	No. 569
*Benediction		
Reprise		

9 AM Worship Leader: Dr. Robert Williams
11 AM Worship Leader: Meg Roberts

HOW TO STREAM ONLINE

We stream both worships at 9 and 10:30 AM. Next week 10:30 will move to 11 AM. There are currently three ways to stream:

- 1) **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.
- 2) **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.

11 AM SET LIST

THIS IS AMAZING GRACE
by Josh Farro, Jeremy Riddle, and Phil Wickham

GREAT ARE YOU, LORD
by Leslie Jordan and David Leonard

WHAT A BEAUTIFUL NAME
by Ben Fielding and Brooke Ligertwood

LIVING HOPE
by Brian Johnson and Phil Wickham

PASTOR APPRECIATION

October is Pastor Appreciation Month and a good reminder to show our pastors how grateful we are for them! Here are a few ways to show appreciation:

WRITE THEM A NOTE

A handwritten letter or a personal email can let a pastor know how they've made a difference, thank them for the many things they do, or offer other encouragement.

GET INVOLVED

Get involved beyond just attendance and encourage your pastor by cheerfully sharing the load of ministry. There are many ways to serve in the church and all you need to do is raise your hand.

SAY THANK YOU

Thank our pastors regularly! As you thank your pastor, you are encouraging them. Being specific requires some thought, but it's worth it! The occasional thank you note or email goes a long way too!

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.

CONNECT

FACEBOOK GROUPS

FB Group - [StPaulUMC](#)

FB group - [StPaulParentsLounge](#)

FACEBOOK LIVE

Wednesdays at 1 PM

Join Pastor Bob on our St. Paul Facebook ([StPaulUMCLargo](#)) for news, inspiration from scripture and more on Wednesdays at 1 PM.

KIDS & STUDENTS

Children and Student Ministries return to the building next Sunday, Oct. 18. Check page 4 for more information. You can find virtual student worship on our Student Ministry [Youtube](#) and [Instagram](#) Sundays at noon. Follow our Children's Ministry on [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#) for 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

Alan	Michael, Lucy, Patty
Barbara Malcom	Nicole Savona Seitz
Bob and Bonnie Cummings	Nonnie
Bob Rottloff	Our Country
Carl Simon	Our Nation and Leaders
Carolyn Goodwin	Our President and Family
Carr's Children	Phyllis Spaulding
Chris Mitchell	Ray Lewis
Chuck Davis	Rev. Hays McKay
Claryvette	Rob
Cliff Armbruster	Roblyn
Covid-19	Ron Baker
Daughter in-laws	Russ
David Carr	Sandra and Karen
David Malone	Sandy Tennian's Brother
Dawn Green's Family	Saylor Family
Debbie	School Staff
Dee Nash & Family	Shainee's Husband
Dennis Lord	Shirley & Harold Register
Don Naja	Sons
Dorian	Stephen Brower
Duane Wells	Stephen Houle
Everyone's Health	Susan Dobin
Herbert Jacobs	Tammy Barker
Holly Baumann's Family	Tom Martin
Jacob Thomas	Wanda Barker
Jennifer	Yvette Gonzalez Carter
Jerry	
Kathy Herrell Hannas	
Kathy Seitz's Family	
Kim Morris	
Kristie	
Kristina and Jeremiah	
Laura White	
Lawson	
Lindsay & Family	

CHARGE CONFERENCE

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, our annual church meeting approving new leaders, clergy salaries and membership audits will be held virtually. The Bishop's office has instructed churches to hold a "Charge Conference," which means only members of the church council will have a vote. They will meet via Zoom on Sunday, October 25 at 4:30PM. The Rev. Magrey Davega will be our presiding elder. If anyone would like a copy of the information being presented for vote, please contact the church office at church@stpaulumc.org or call 727-584-8165.



STUDENT MINISTRY

Our Student Ministry is currently meeting outside on Sunday nights from 6-7:30 PM in the courtyard by the sanctuary. Join us for games, small group study and more. (In case of rain we will move to a zoom meeting.) You can find videos of what we did last week on our [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#). Worship videos are also posted at noon on our social media.

Student Ministry will move to indoor meetings in the Christian Life Enrichment NEXT SUNDAY, Oct. 18. We will not be serving dinner at this time, and time together will be from 6-7:30 PM. Students will wear masks when in the building, observe social distancing and follow the safety guidelines our adults are following on Sundays.



HANDICAPABLE WORSHIP

Join our Handicapable Ministry for adults with special needs on YouTube each Wednesday at 6:30 PM. Worship videos include a biblical message, spotlights on Handicapable members, songs and more. Visit the channel page at the link below to catch up and subscribe now so you don't miss anything!

YOUTUBE CHANNEL



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Great news! Children's Ministry is back in the building starting next Sunday, Oct. 18! Kids from infant through 5th grade are invited to join us at 9 and 11 AM in the Christian Life Enrichment Center.

SAFETY GUIDELINES

- Kids attending in person worship need to pre-register through our RSVP system. You Each week's RSVP link is posted on our website and app the Sunday before. Choose the Child's RSVP option for type of registration.
- We recommend one parent to drop-off and pick-up your child(ren).
- During check-in, families should maintain 6-foot social distancing
- Kids kindergarten and up will be required to wear a face mask
- We will take the temperature of all kids entering the kids' space and require hand sanitizer or wipes before entering
- Increased sanitation in common areas, toys and child needs. All kids locations will be deep cleaned on a weekly basis
- Ministry volunteers and staff will wear masks at all times within the kids' area
- No food or drinks will be allowed in the kids area. Prepackaged snack will be provided
- No personal items in the classrooms
- Kids' classrooms, restrooms & touch points will be disinfected in between all services
- Toys will be rotated out between services
- Games and activities will be adapted to maintain CDC safety guidelines

RETURN TO CHURCH GUIDELINES

We're excited to be returning to worshipping together as a church family on Sunday, Sept. 13. The safety of our attendees, volunteers, and staff remains our highest priority, so when we do return we will implement new health and safety protocols and other changes shared below. We are all figuring this out together, so we ask for your patience and understanding as we strive to protect all the members of our worship community.



LOCATION

We are worshipping in the Christian Life Enrichment Center (CLEC) where spaced seating, and a larger lobby and restrooms will make it easier for us to social distance.



WORSHIP TIMES

Our 10:30 AM band led worship time has moved to 11 AM to allow more time to sanitize between services. **Our traditional service will remain at 9 AM.**

The new safety measures that we're implementing will mean it takes a bit longer to enter the building and be seated, so when possible, please arrive early for the first service.



PARKING

Our Highland entrance is the drive thru drop-off location for those who have difficulty with mobility. If you're able to walk easily, we ask that you love your neighbor by parking in the spaces furthest from the CLEC to allow our friends who have trouble walking to park closest to the building. The parking lot by the office entrance is for those with limited mobility.



RESERVATIONS

We have a limited number of seats available, so for a time, we will use a reservation system. Making a reservation in advance will ensure that we have a seat for you in worship. See page 7 for more info. We will still be able to welcome guests with seats set aside for visitors.



WELLNESS

Anyone who is sick, coughing, has a sore throat, or a fever is asked to remain home. We're committed to continuing to provide worship online, so anyone who needs to remain at home whether due to illness, being in a vulnerable group, or other reasons can still join us in worship.

As we enter the building we are using no-touch thermometers to take everyone's temperatures. Anyone with a fever of more than 100.4 needs to return home where you can worship with us online.

Everyone needs to wear a mask in the building. If you don't have a mask, we'll provide one to you. If you're unable to wear a mask, you can continue to worship with us from home until masks are no longer needed.

Everyone who enters the building will be provided with hand sanitizer and must sanitize their hands unless a health condition prevents it.





SOCIAL DISTANCING

Individuals or families need to maintain social distancing in the fellowship hall and common areas. Wait to be seated by our ushers, who will place those who are living in the same household in seats together, and maintain 6 feet of distance between those who are not living together. No one is allowed to move chairs or seating except our ushers.

We are all looking forward to seeing each other again and will naturally want to give each other hugs or handshakes; but during this season we will greet each other with smiles and waves that maintain 6 feet of social distancing.

When leaving worship, wait to be directed by the ushers and use the specific exits they guide us to, so we can avoid creating bottlenecks and maintain social distancing.



WORSHIP

Our services are designed to be as touchless as possible by eliminating paper bulletins and hymnals, and using offering collection boxes before or after worship instead of passing the plate.

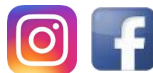
Several studies have shown that singing creates a higher risk for the spread of the virus, but singing and music are an important part of how we worship God together. So that we can continue to connect to the Holy Spirit through music, our worship leaders will sing while the rest of us will express our love of God by humming, clapping, dancing, raising our hands, etc. instead of singing.



CHILDREN

Children's Ministry and nursery will be available at a later date. Children are welcome to worship together with their families and are encouraged to bring electronic devices with headphones to use during worship. They will find lots of videos and resources on our Children's Ministry social media accounts, including Storytime with Mrs. Kaitie and more.

INSTAGRAM:treehousekids412
FACEBOOK:StPaulChildrensMinistry



THANK YOU

We thank you all for working with us to take care of each other, even when it may be inconvenient. You may not be someone who is in a vulnerable group or concerned about catching the virus, but these measures will help us to protect those who are. They only work if all of us buy in and do our part to keep each other safe. Thank you for putting the safety of our St. Paul family members first!



HOW TO RSVP FOR WORSHIP

Due to social distancing requirements, we have a limited number of seats available for worship. To ensure that we have a seat for you on Sunday, we ask that you RSVP online in advance. It's an easy process that only takes a minute. If you don't have the technology to register online, you can reserve your seat by calling 727-584-8165 during our office hours Mon-Thurs 9 AM to 5 PM. If you call after our office closes on Thursday, we will not receive your RSVP and you will not be on the list. If you have a computer, smart phone or other way to register online, we ask that you use the online system. It's faster for you and saves time for our staff as well. You can make online reservations right up until worship time, or until we run out of seats.

VISIT THE RSVP LINK ON OUR WEBSITE OR APP

CHOOSE WHICH WORSHIP SERVICE YOU WANT TO ATTEND

Each Sunday's RSVP page will open the Sunday before after worship ends. You'll have a week to reserve your seat, but don't wait too long. Seats are first come, first served!

AUG 16 Sun, 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM EDT
Sunday Worship at St. Paul UMC
St Paul United Methodist Church: Christian Life
Enrichment Center, Largo, FL

Tickets

AUG 16 Sun, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EDT
Sunday Worship at St. Paul UMC
St Paul United Methodist Church: Christian Life
Enrichment Center, Largo, FL

Tickets

ENTER THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD WHO WILL ATTEND

Be sure to enter the total number of people you are reserving seats for, including yourself. Those who live in the same household will be able to sit next to each other. Those who live in different households will be seated 6 feet apart.

Save Your Seat(s)
Free
Sales end on Aug 16, 2020

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ENTER THE NAME YOU'LL USE TO CHECK IN

Our ushers will check in you and your other household members on Sunday using the name you enter into the form. If you have reserved 3 seats they will all be listed under this name. You will also receive an email confirmation at the email you enter in registration.

Contact Information

First name*
Your First Name

Last name*
Last Name

Email*
church@stpaulumc.org

Confirm email*
church@stpaulumc.org

Home phone
7275848165

Eventbrite can send me emails about the best events happening nearby.

Important notice re COVID-19: Please note any interaction with the general public poses an elevated risk of being exposed to COVID-19 and we cannot guarantee that you will not be exposed while in attendance at the event. The event organizer is solely

Register

HIT THE REGISTER BUTTON & YOU'RE DONE

You'll see a thank you page, and you'll also receive a confirmation email.

Note: If we reach capacity with RSVPs the Eventbrite registration page will automatically close registration, and you will see a message that we have filled all our seats.

WHAT HAPPENS ON SUNDAY?

On Sunday, you'll give your name to an usher. They'll check you in and seat you and your household. Seats will be assigned by the ushers so we can make the best use of our limited seating.

I RSVPED, BUT NOW I CAN'T ATTEND

If your plans change and you are no longer able to attend worship, please cancel your reservation to make your seat available for someone else. To cancel you can click the link near the bottom of the confirmation email that says "View or edit your order." You can also [email us](#) or call 727-584-8165 by Thursday at 5 PM to cancel.

WHAT IF I FORGET TO RSVP?

If there are extra seats and RSVPs have not filled the room, we will be happy to seat you on Sunday. However, if you do not RSVP, you're not guaranteed a seat. We strongly encourage you to RSVP in advance to ensure that we will have a seat for you.