



LESSONS FROM THE LIFE OF MOSES

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WORSHIP AT 9 AM

Prelude	Kathy Tuminello, Accompanist	
Welcome	Pastor Bob Martin	
*Hymns	<i>A Mighty Fortress Is Our God</i>	No. 110
	<i>O God, Our Help in Ages Past</i>	No. 117
*Apostles' Creed		No. 156
Prayer with Lord's Prayer		No. 895
Offering	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	Prerecorded Choir
*Doxology	<i>Praise God From Whom</i>	No. 94
Prayer of Thanksgiving		
Hymn	<i>The King of Love, My Shepherd Is</i>	No. 138
Message	"Who's Got Your Back?"	
	Pastor Pam Dubov	
	Exodus 4 (selectively)	
Directed Prayer		
*Hymn	<i>On Eagle's Wings</i>	No. 143
*Benediction		
Reprise		

9 AM Worship Leader: Dr. Robert Williams
11 AM Worship Leader: Alison Van Duyne

HOW TO STREAM ONLINE

We stream both worships at 9 and 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

SEE THE LIGHT

by Ben Fielding and Reuben Morgan

MOVE

by Chris McClarney, Jeff Pardo, and Lindsey Sweat

AVAILABLE

by Ben Fielding, Chris Brown, Jason Ingram, Matt Redman, and Steven Furtick

ANOTHER IN THE FIRE

by Chris Davenport and Joel Houston

2021 COMMITMENT CARDS

Your faithful prayers and generous contributions have allowed your church to continue to offer the love, grace and peace of Jesus Christ to a world currently finding itself in fearful and uncertain times. Turn to pages 6 and 7 to view some of the many ways you have helped impact our local community and beyond, in the name of Jesus. As we look toward 2021, please pray over your contribution in the coming year and how you will partner with God in the work he is doing at St. Paul. You may complete the giving card you receive in the mail and return it to the church office, or you can go to our website or St. Paul app right now and [make your pledge online](#). We plan to dedicate the commitment cards we receive in December, so please submit your card by the end of this month. You have an important role in our church, and we are so grateful for you!

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

Connect with Children and Student Ministries online and in person. Check page 4 for more information.

HANDICAPABLE

Join our Handicapable Ministry for adults with special needs [on YouTube](#) each Wednesday at 6:30 PM for a new worship video.

CHOIR CHAT

Check-in with the choir on zoom Thursdays at 7 PM. To join in, email church@stpaulumc.org for a link to the zoom.

Need help connecting?

Email church@stpaulumc.org



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StPaulChildrensMinistry
SPUMCLighthouse
SonKissedPreschool



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PRAYER LIST

Alan S. & Family	Jay
Audie W.	Jen & John
Baker Family	Jennifer
Barb & Jody	Jerry
Barbara M.	Jojo R.
Bev & Family	Judi & Family
Bill C.	Kathy H.
Bob R.	Kathy's Daughter
Cancer	Kathy's Son
Carl	Kim M.
Carol	Kristina & Jeremiah
Carolyn & Family	Kristina W.
Carolyn G.	LaNan
Cathy, Dan & Family	Laura
Charlene M.	Margie
Charles R's Family	Melissa S.
Chris	Micheline L.
Chris M.	Mike & Family
Chrissy	Mike, Barb, Jerry, Helga
Chuck D.	Nancy
Clara W.	Ostomy World
Corey T.	Our Country
Cristel	Pat
Dave & DO	Patty & Dave
Dee & Family	Phyllis S.
Denise	Rev. Hays M.
Dixie & Chuck	Ron
Don N.	Shirley & Ace
Dorian	Shirley & Harold R.
Dorothy M.	Stephen
Duane W.	Tammy B.
Elsie	TK "Tom" J.
Gary & Family	Tom
Gloria T. & Family	Tom & Family
Greg & Family	Tom M.
Jamie	Virginia Jeffrey's Family
Jan & Fred	Wanda
Jan, Bob & Family	Yvette C.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE TIMES

This year our Christmas Eve worship times are at 4 and 6 PM. Our 4 PM worship will be led by our band, and our 6 PM worship will feature a string quartet. Mark your calendar now and plan to join us. We'll open the RSVP site for Christmas Eve in December so look for an announcement in a few weeks about how to reserve your seat.



THANKSGIVING FOR PINELLAS

We're accepting Thanksgiving food donations for this year's Thanksgiving FOR Pinellas through Nov 19. We still need:

- **Stuffing mix (instant preferred)**
- **Instant mashed potatoes**
- **Cranberry sauce**
- **Canned yams**
- **Turkey gravy (in a jar)**

You can drop off donations at the Druid campus (2039 Druid Rd) Mon-Weds from 1-3 PM or at the church office Mon-Thurs from 9 AM to 4 PM. Pre-registered families will do a drive through pick up on Nov. 23, and our volunteers will fill their trunks with a turkey and all the fixings for a delicious Thanksgiving dinner. **Thanks for helping us share holiday joy with 250 local families during this tough time!**

BOY SCOUTS FUNDRAISER

Luminary sets of 12 are still available from our boy scout troop 468 for \$8. There is no table this year, so if you're interested in ordering luminaries please contact Diane Cole at Dianecole97@gmail.com or call/text 727-422-0018. If you don't need decorations but you'd like to support our scouts, donations are also gratefully accepted. Troop 468 thanks you for your support!

ONLINE SUNDAY STUDY GROUPS

Some of our Sunday study groups are currently meeting on Zoom. If you would like to be part of one of these studies, send us an email at church@stpaulumc.org so we can share the zoom information with you.

9:15 AM: HOMEWARD BOUND
10:30 AM: FRIENDSHIP CLASS
7 PM: TNT (Twenties and Thirties)

PRESCHOOL FALL FESTIVAL

Last week our preschool hosted a fall fest in the courtyard with games, face painting, costumes, crafts and candy. What a fun day!





STUDENT MINISTRY

Student Ministry meets in the Christian Life Enrichment Center on Sundays from 6-7:30 PM. That includes games, worship through music, teaching and small groups. We will not be serving dinner at this time. Students will wear masks when in the building, observe social distancing and follow the safety guidelines our adults are following on Sundays.

You can also still connect with us online even when we are meeting in the building! On Sundays at 8 PM check out our virtual weekly message on our social media accounts.

You can also connect with our Student Ministry each Wednesday night at 6 PM through zoom. We'll talk and listen to each other, and then have the chance to go deeper as we reflect on the Word for the week (Sunday's message). Contact Alison Van Duyne at alison.v@stpaulumc.org for zoom info.



OUR CURRENT SERIES: EXPLAINED

Complicated. Long. Conflicting. Outdated. Contradictory. When it comes to the Bible, you've probably heard all that and more. Maybe nothing brings up more of questions of faith than the Bible. What is it? How does it work? And why does everybody say it's helpful when it doesn't always feel that way? In this series we'll take a closer look at the Bible, why we trust the documents in it and how we use them. In other words, we're talking about the Bible...explained.



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Kids from infant through 5th grade are invited to join us at 9 and 11 AM in the CLEC for Children's Ministry. You can also join us online on zoom at 9:30 and 11:30.

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



WHEN THE BUILDING CLOSED THE CHURCH DIDN'T

ST. PAUL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
2020 IMPACT REPORT



16,056 VIEWS

We switched to online worship only from March through September. Our total online views for Sunday worship increased three times over last year, with 14,595 total views coming live on Sunday and 1,461 views on demand.

99 VIEWERS

Average number of viewers who connected with Pastor Bob each week on Facebook Live during Wednesdays at 1.

432 DOWNLOADS

Total downloads for our app doubled this year.

12,305 VISITORS

Number of visitors to our website increased about 20% over last year.

2020

DURING AN UNPRECEDENTED PANDEMIC, WE FOUND NEW WAYS TO BE THE CHURCH, TO REACH OUT TO OTHERS, TO WORSHIP TOGETHER AND TO SERVE OUR COMMUNITY.

- **Studies and small groups** found ways to meet, whether online or outside.
- **Student and Children's Ministry** got creative online and continued ministry outdoors through home visits, adopt a graduate, and more.
- **Preschool** stayed open to serve essential workers.
- **Handicapable** continued to reach out to members each week by text and phone. They recently moved to online worship with a new YouTube channel. An average of **180** people attended Handi in person or online each week.

MORE OF
WHAT GOD
DID IN 2020
ON PAGE 2



317,520 POUNDS OF FOOD

In addition to the food distributed at our Druid location, our Open Arms Ministry shares food with six other churches and faith-based organizations, including two other UMC churches. 159 tons of food have been distributed since January!

26,500 MEALS PACKED

Before the pandemic, we packed over 26,500 meals in the gym for Open Arms.



856 FACE MASKS

Volunteers made over 850 face masks for local medical personnel.

115 PRAYER SHAWLS

Since March, 115 prayer shawls have brought comfort to people in 13 different states.

1,200 CALLS

Between March and June the 17 volunteers on our Care Team placed over 1,200 calls to connect with and check on over 300 church members and friends, many who were isolated during quarantine.



345 GIFTS FOR TEACHERS

345 goodie bags and handwritten notes of encouragement were delivered to teachers at our partner schools. Over 30 volunteers helped by welcoming teachers on our cheer teams and stuffing bags.

35 STUDENTS

35 middle school students receive meals each week through our Pack-a-Sack ministry.

325 BACKPACKS

Thanks to your donations, our Back to School Jubilee was able to fill 325 backpacks for our partner schools to distribute to kids in need.



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