WE ARE ST. PAUL'S!

Sunday Opportunities

Adult class every Sunday 10AM in Wesley House Adult Class in the Library 10AM in the Library Jr. Church 9AM & 11 AM in Room 211

Weekly Opportunities

St. Paul's PreSchool: Scholarship and donations accepted.
Saving Grace Advocacy: Monday - Thursday 9am-12:30pm
A.A. meets every Monday at 7pm in Fellowship Hall.
Dinner with Neighbors Wednesday at 5:30 PM.
Chancel Choir Rehearsal Wednesday 7-8:30 PM in Choir Room
Al-Anon meets every Wednesday at 7:30pm in the Library
Alateen meets every Wednesday at 7:30pm in Wesley House.

Events:

If anyone is interested in joining our prayer chain, please contact Pat Klockow at 574-262-5949 for more information.





Veteran's Recognition Sunday Nov. 9th—both services

Staff Parish Meeting Wed. Nov. 5th at 6pm

Drive n Dine Saturday, Nov. 15th, 5:30pm at Hiennie's





Church Office will be closed Thursday, Nov. 26th and Friday Nov. 27th for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Last Week Attendance: 122 Weekly Average This Year: 120 Last Week's Giving: \$8,150 Weekly Budget Needs \$7,074 October Giving: \$18,767 Month-to-Date Budget: \$28,296 Year-to-Date Giving: \$210,451 Year-to-Date Budget: \$304,182

Annual Budget Needs: \$367,822



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November 2, 2025

Membership Sunday

God and a Covenant People

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

For I pass on to you what I received from the Lord himself. On the night when he was betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread and gave thanks to God for it. Then he broke it in pieces and said, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way, he took the cup of wine after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant between God and his people—an agreement confirmed with my blood. Do this in remembrance of me as often as you drink it." For every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are announcing the Lord's death until he comes again.

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9:00 a.m.

Prelude: "Toccata in F Major" Buxtehude

Welcome:

Passing of the Peace:

Introit: "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Liturgist: Sherrie Huang **Opening Reading:** Psalm 105:1-8

Opening Prayer: Heavenly Father, we come before you with reverence and gratitude for you are loving, faithful and keep your promises. We thank you for your presence with us, for knowing us by name, and for the covenant you have established with us. We sing praise to you and remember your mighty deeds. By your grace, we renew our commitment to you, as we give ourselves freely and fully to you. Amen.

Opening Hymn: Hymn#127 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" **Offertory:** "Consecration and Remembrance" Smith

Offering/Offertory/Prayer: Lord, all that we have is a gift from you. Now we give back our tithes, our pledges and our offerings. May these first fruits of all you have given enable us to do your work. Use our gifts Lord to build up your church and the kingdom of God here in our midst, as we serve and share your gospel with the world. Amen.

Celebration of Membership:

Ron & Joyce Padgett, Samantha Moyer, Ginger Ingleright Steve, Amy & Iliana Olmstead, Scott & Roberta Stone

Anthem: "Bread of Life" Raney

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 10:19-25

Hymn: Hymn#349 "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer/Apostle's Creed/Gloria Patri:

Sermon Scripture: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Message: God and a Covenant People

Communion:

Benediction:

Postlude: "Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name"

11:00 a.m.

Welcome:

Opening Reading: Psalm 105:1-8

Worship: "I Will Follow"

Opening Prayer:

Worship: "What a Beautiful Name"

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 10:19-25

Worship: "I Know a Name"

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Prayer Requests: Tom Fillio, Mark Longacre, Betsy DeFries, Randy Adams, Debbie Wolfinger, Betty Beck, Bill Mann, Anderson Family, Rick Jones, Cam McJunkin, Nancy Willis, Ellie Strukel, Kathy Scott, Sue Miller, Marcy Mercer, Scot Lauderbach, Nancy Fiandts' son Billy, Louise Jones, Billie Carl, Mama Jessie, Mateo and his mother, our leaders, our nation, and our world.

Cancer: Greg Mercer, Cathy Murschel, Janna Tomasini, Randy Zonker, Stephen Jones, Claudia Phipps, Doug and Shannon Gullett, Samantha Moyer, Adler Carris, Kent Pettet, Ms. Joy, and Tim Portolese.

<u>Continuing Prayers:</u> Scott and Stephanie McElravy, Kathy DeFries, Suzanne Hunter, Austin Johnson, Sue Moses, John Thompson.

Prayer Chain: To start someone on the prayer chain call one of these three: Millie Ferro 574-262-4124, Nancy Willis 574-294-2747, or Louise Jones 574-361-5517.