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The St. Paul's Newsletter

*Seeking to Know, Grow In,
and Show the Ways of Jesus.*



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Opportunity!

By Pastor George

Most of us learn early on that we can either view challenges as problems or as opportunities. Our resulting attitude and motivation are greatly affected by how we view challenges. When St. Paul's sanctuary was struck by lightning and resulted in an attic fire, we were faced with a challenge. Fortunately, our fire departments viewed the fire as an opportunity to put out the flames quickly and save the building from total destruction. Thank God they took the opportunity to do just that!

In a recent meeting with the Oversight Committee and the General Contractor of the Restoration, Brad Kazmaier, it was noted that many beneficial opportunities are being capitalized upon:

- the sanctuary will be freshly painted,
- new carpeting will be installed,
- electrical wiring will be updated (did you know the sanctuary still had "knob and tube" wiring in the attic and that "fuses" were still being used? Both hazards),
- sound system updated for clearer and more consistent sound,
- improved lighting in sanctuary, side room and lobby,
- pews cleaned,
- front doors replaced (thanks to the family of John Schriefer),
- insulation updated,
- new exterior siding,
- Asbestos was removed from basement duct work,
- cleaned and painted basement,
- high speed internet connected in office, library, pastor's study and sanctuary (thanks to Nathan Walker),
- the pipe organ is receiving cleaning and because of the removal of the pipes, some much needed repair work is being completed at a reduced cost.
- New roof on sanctuary, library, study and lobby,

Since the fire I am often reminded of the words of Joseph from Genesis 50:20 when Joseph's brothers feared retribution for the way they mistreated Joseph. Joseph said to them, "As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good". That's one of the messages throughout scripture (and in our lives), isn't it? What some might

intend, or what some might simply perceive, as evil... God works things out for good. God is in the habit of bringing good out of the worst of situations! Yeah God!!

As your pastor, I continue to pray and ponder the good God might be bringing out of this temporary inconvenience. It's allowing us to make many needed updates that will positively serve the generations to come. Just as previous members of St. Paul's impacted the past 147 years of this church's ministry, we have an opportunity to ensure that this legacy continues.

I shared in a variety of places recently the status of my home church in Eau Claire, Michigan. When I was a teenager dozens of families with children were a part of the church. Today they are in conversation with a newer church in the area to sell the sanctuary and educational building because so few worship there and they can't keep up with the bills. How sad? I have silently pondered how something like this could happen. All it takes is for a church to stop reaching out to the community, especially to the younger generations, for the process of decline to begin. Perhaps that's why many long time members at St. Paul's frequently express joy at seeing the numerous young people getting involved - it's a sign that their church will be around for at least another generation or two. Again, Yeah God!!

Continue to pray for your pastor and other church leaders as we seek God's guidance in this time of opportunity concerning the restoration of the sanctuary. May we face this opportunity with boldness and with vision so that St. Paul's Church continues to be a place where we celebrate the timeless message of the gospel in fresh and creative ways. After all, the message never changes, but the methods continually adjust so the church can advance. As the apostle Paul put it, "I have become all things to all people, that by all means I might save some" (1 Corinthians 9:22).

God help us as we face and respond to this *opportunity!*



Council Highlights

- Discussed the need to correct the heat and fume issues with the new stove.
- Continue looking at staffing options with Jennifer's resignation becoming effective on July 31
- Discussed the needed improvements to sanctuary sound and possible projection improvements which will be much less costly with the current renovation/restoration which is underway
- Have requested bids on needed Pipe Organ repairs while it is being cleaned
- Discussed the possibility of having only two sections of pews in the main sanctuary which would allow a center aisle. Bids for new pews as well as consideration of other options will be looked into.
- Approved the purchase of two refillable Oil Filled Candles for use in worship. This would allow the candelabras (utilizing seven candles each) to be used for special occasions.

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 Jim Buescher.....Buildings & Grounds

Recent marriages:

Nick Lange & Kendall Smith -June 12, 2010.
 Ryan Warner & Candace Swartz -June 19, 2010

New baby

Ella Jane Ruether, daughter of Justin & Gretchen Ruether, granddaughter of Herb & Elise Homeyer, born 6-9-2010

Financial Reports are now also posted outside the church office.

Brief Recap:

GENERAL FUND

Checking Acct Bal. (4/30/10)	\$ 732.42
Deposits	\$ 13,912.03
	\$ 14,635.45
Expenses	\$(13,118.41)
Balance On Hand (5/31/10)	\$ 1,517.04

Due to the restoration happening at St. Paul's the Women's Guild has decided to cancel the community luncheon we usually host in July. Instead we invite the women of our church to join us for a salad luncheon in Fellowship Hall on Wednesday, July 7 at 12 noon. Just bring a favorite salad of any type to share with friends and enjoy an afternoon of food, fun and fellowship.

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New email address for Cheryl Parsons:
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Phoebe Collier new phone 636-432-3059

If you wish to receive the newsletter in color via the email (this would not only help the environment but would enable St. Paul's Church to be better stewards of our finances - saving on printing, paper and mailing), please call or email the church office.

Growing through Prayer

Please communicate prayer requests via office phone, e-mail or by utilizing the Getting Connected Card.

Please pray for: Family of John Brown (Mildred Brown-widow, Sharon Seeley-daughter, Jennifer Walker-granddaughter) who passed away on July 1, his funeral was held July 3 here at St. Paul's; VBS (Vacation Bible School) - last year we served 106 young people. Pray for those who will participate as well as the leaders who will reflect the joy of Jesus to them; Anabel Morgan (Scott Morgan's mother)-recovering at the Morgan's home, emphysema; Charlie Frankenberg-recovering from knee surgery; Eldon Green-continual pain & loss of sensation in hands due to Korean War injury; Bob Schuster; Eleanor Lutz; John Spires; Art Logan, Jerome Bunge; Warner Hinnah; Those battling cancer: Mary Hackmann Dierkes; Celeste Mueller; Dee Schuster; Barb Ebker; Charlie Frankenberg, Wally Klippel, Byron Mott; Those serving in the Military: Tim Thornton, Keith Theissen, Anthony Kazor, Devon Martin, Zach Rigg, Andrew Hunewill, Chris Boehlein & others seeking to faithfully serve God & Country! Pray for members in nursing homes or who are otherwise limited due to mobility/illness



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Please Remember those who can't always be with us with prayer/a visit/letter/card/phone call.

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Praying for Members of St. Paul's

Each week during worship households from St. Paul's will be lifted up in prayer during worship. If there are special requests, please communicate those to the church office. PLEASE pray for these families throughout their designated week.

May The Lord Strengthen & Bless them in such ways that they'll be a blessing to others in their lives!

July 4

Taylor Hamrick
Allan & Nita Hasenjaeger
Darrell & Linda Hasenjaeger
(Adam, Luke, Eric, Bria)
Lulu Hasenjaeger

July 25

Kent & Janet Howard
Kaela Howard
David Howard
Dustin Howard

August 15

David & Carla Lange (Dana)
Nick & Kendall Lange (Colsie)
Don & Wanda Lange (Jason, Brian)
Jodi Lange & Dominic Mayer
(Bryce, Brayden, Kersten, Kennady)
Amy Laymon

July 11

Trudy Heady
Tom & Angie Hilbert
Warner & Bernice Hinnah
Larry & Brenda Hoemann

August 1

Russell & Marigene Kersten
Robert & Elaine Klausmeier
Alexander & Anne Konieczny
Dennis & Billie Kramme

August 22

Dynthia Liesmann
Jeremy Liesmann
Mark Liesmann
Nancy Liesmann

July 18

Walter & Genny Hoffmann
Herbe & Elise Homeyer
Justin Homeyer
Mary Hulsey

August 8

Dale & Helen Krampe
Carl Krampe
Tim & Deb Kichem (Cara, Colleen)
Edna Lee Kunze
Dennis Landrum

August 29

Art & Billie Logan
Chris Lowry
Mike Lowry
Michelle Ludwig
Leonard & Eleanor Lutz



Emmaus

Our Mission

Arising from faith in Jesus Christ, the mission of Emmaus Homes is to enhance the quality of life for adults of all beliefs who have cognitive, intellectual and other developmental disabilities.

Emmaus Homes has provided services to men and women with developmental disabilities for over 117 years. Today, approximately 250 people receive services on Emmaus' two campuses in St. Charles and Marthasville, Missouri, as well as in five counties throughout eastern Missouri. Through a variety of residential and programming options, staff members work with clients to help them reach their highest levels of physical and social independence.

The campus' have housing to meet the needs of all levels of mental and physical disability. Some group homes have live-in staff as home managers, while others have shift staffing to meet the needs of those who require more supervision. For individuals able to live more independently, supervised apartments are available

within walking distance of the main campus and TEMCO, a sheltered workshop. In addition, individuals may live in group homes, apartments and individually supported living homes located off-campus in surrounding communities.

To promote spiritual wholeness, full-time chaplains on each campus provide a variety of services to residents and employees, including worship services, pastoral counseling, visitation to residences and hospitals and Christian education.

Recreation is an important part of maintaining a happy, healthy life. Emmaus Homes offers a variety of activities to meet the interests of clients, including sports, Special Olympics, arts and crafts, gardening, music, choir, community outings and much more.

Emmaus Homes is a private, not-for-profit facility related to the United Church of Christ's Council for Health and Human Service Ministries.

The residents and staff of Emmaus Homes' Marthasville Campus are an integral part of the Marthasville community. People from the community volunteer regularly at the campus and participate in its special events. Residents regularly participate in off-campus activities and trips, providing them a wide variety of experiences beyond their Emmaus Homes community.

The Emmaus Homes voice and bell choirs give opportunities to cultivate their musical talents. These choirs are often invited to perform for area churches and other organizations, and members are eager to visit and share their lives with others.

[TEMCO, Inc.](#) – TEMCO, a sheltered work shop located on Emmaus' property in Marthasville, provides Emmaus residents, as well as those persons from nearby communities, training and employment opportunities in assembly, light industrial and packaging services. TEMCO is a separate entity not directly operated by Emmaus Homes.

Emmaus Homes has a continual need for enthusiastic, dedicated and caring staff and volunteers.

Some areas in which volunteers are needed include:

- **Clerical** - working in various capacities from special projects to general office tasks.
- **Maintenance** - Skilled workers are needed for special repair projects. Also needed are volunteers for general maintenance projects, such as painting, cleaning, mowing grass or landscaping.
- **Chaplain's assistant** - assisting the chaplain with various duties, including the voice and bell choirs. Also help on Sunday mornings getting residents to and from the chapel, as well as an occasional pianist or organist.
- **Recreation** - assisting in areas such as arts and crafts, outings to local attractions and events, nature club, garden club or with special events on campus. Lots of opportunities exist in this area.

Committees - Volunteers are needed to help plan special events, serve on campus auxiliaries and help lobby legislatively, regarding issues affecting people with developmental disabilities.

Opportunities to volunteer exist at both Emmaus Homes' campuses. For more information, contact 636-534-5218 or

krammed@emmaushomes.org

August Extra Step: OCWM - Our Church's Wider Mission

Our Church's Wider Mission, often referred to simply as OCWM, has two parts: OCWM [Basic Support](#) and OCWM [Special Support](#) (Special Mission Offerings). Our church participates in *Special Support* missions by participating in One Great Hour of Sharing and the Veterans of the Cross/Christmas Fund. This August's Extra Step and 5% of our general budget support OCWM *Basic Support*.

Our Church's Wider Mission Basic Support provides funding for the work of UCC Conferences and for the work of the UCC's national ministries. Each congregation decides how much of its members' financial support it will contribute to Our Church's Wider Mission Basic Support. Congregations send their OCWM gifts to the Conference. Each Conference decides what percentage of those gifts to keep for the work of that particular Conference, and what percentage it will send to the national setting of the UCC. Some of the National Basic Support money is used for ministries to Conferences, local churches and members, as well as for ecumenical, prophetic and missionary ministries on behalf of the UCC. Contributions from individuals to their congregations comprise the funds from which OCWM Basic Support is given to the Conferences and national ministries.

Our Church's Wider Mission is the name we use to describe the work we do as the United Church of Christ beyond the local church—through our Conferences, national ministries, and UCC-related institutions. Our Church's Wider Mission is also the name we give to the financial support given by UCC members and congregations that makes this broader mission possible. Congregations are central to the ability of The United Church of Christ to do mission in local communities, within the United States and internationally. As a congregation works in its own community, it is a representative of the entire denomination and embodies the UCC in that place. And when a congregation determines its giving to Our Church's Wider Mission, there is a direct impact on levels of funding for the Conference and national ministries. Every local congregation has a responsibility to be aware of opportunities for local mission and to be knowledgeable about the work underway by its own Conference and by the national ministries.

To learn more about Our Church's Wider Mission, you can watch an 8 minute video on youtube:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZuDtdh7HnII&feature=player_embedded

THOSE SERVING DURING WORSHIP

<u>Date</u>	<u>LEAD USHER:</u>	<u>GREETERS:</u>	<u>COFFEE HOUR:</u>
4	Jim Buescher	Walter & Genny Hoffmann	Karen Sida
11	Wilma Zeh	Rich & Barb Strubberg	Brenda Garris
18	Don Lange	Celeste Schriefer & Ruth Dreyer	Pat Shacklette
25	Cheryl Parsons	Kuchem & Rohe families	Marigene Kersten

JULY

COMPASSION UPDATE

Eldon Green
sponsors Gentim Anutama Sharon from India!
She is 8 years old.

St. Paul's Softball Team Schedule



July:

7 - 7:30pm
14 - 7:30pm
21 - 8:30pm
28 - 9:30pm

Come on out and play or
cheer on the team!

Altar flowers:

June 1

In honor of Darrell & Linda Hasenjaeger's 19th wedding anniversary on June 8th, by Lulu Hasenjaeger and family

June 13:

*Flowers on altar are given by Tim & Arlene DeVore in memory of Lulu Ridder, who passed away 5 years ago on June 15.

*Flowers on plant stands are in memory of Harold & Lorena Lange, Robert & Gloriamae Hartman, Rosa Rainwater, and Reuben & Violet Smith, placed by their grandchildren, Nick & Kendall Lange, married yesterday.

June 20:

given by Ron DeVore in honor of the baptism anniversaries of Jacob & Isaiah DeVore.

June 27:

by Henry & Jeanette Stegner to the glory of God.



Bo and I would like to thank everyone for their well wishes and beautiful anniversary cards. They were very much appreciated. It is so nice to be able to share special moments with special friends. Thanks again.

—Bo and Karen Sida



Thanks to Nathan Walker for hard wiring the church for internet.

Many thanks to Rich Strubberg for restoring baptismal font (it looks beautiful!) and repairing chairs in fellowship hall.

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<u>Date</u>	<u>LEAD USHER:</u>	<u>GREETERS:</u>	<u>COFFEE HOUR:</u>
1	Lulu Hasenjaeger	Walter & Genny Hoffmann	Doris Bunge
8	Jim Buescher	Rich & Barb Strubberg, Jr. Berg	Pat Shacklette
15	Wilma Zeh	Celeste Schriefer & Ruth Dreyer	Barb Strubberg
22	Lulu Hasenjaeger	Kuchem & Rohe families	Doris Bunge
29	Ron Freese	Leonard & Ellie Lutz	Karen Sida

AUGUST

YOUTH CONNECTION

CALLING ALL THOSE INTERESTED IN CREATIVE ARTS

Consider joining Hands Fulla Good News, the creative arts team at our church. This fall, the team will practice before the Wednesday dinner.

The team will be working on a mime presentation, puppet skits, traditional skits, human videos of songs, and drama with sticks! New members are welcome, from 5th grade to senior citizens. Younger members will be considered if they are highly motivated.

In the fall, a possible calendar of performances will be made, and those on the team will be able to coordinate their other activities with the church activities! There is a strong possibility of a short mission trip.

If you would like to help lead, leader meetings will be on Wednesday evenings this summer on some of the Wild Wednesday nights. Leaders will help select songs, direct and choreograph the performances.

Training will be offered if new team members want to become proficient more quickly - either this summer, or in the fall, depending on the new team members' schedules.

For more information, contact Cheryl Parsons by phone 636-932-9961 or email cheryl.ann.1210@gmail.com.

Children's Church during Summer Worship

This summer we will be offering fun, special Bible activities for children birth through Kindergarten. After the Children's Time during worship, children will be dismissed to the preschool room. Children's worship bulletins and activity bags are available for those in 1st grade and up.

VBS ITEMS NEEDED!

For one of our VBS "Hero" crafts, we are in need of new or gently used solid colored and/or white pillowcases. We will need 100 pillowcases for making "Hero Capes". We also need empty, clean Gatorade bottles. Please drop off donations to the VBS BOX located in the lobby. There are a variety of additional snack and craft supplies needed for VBS this year. Please check the lists in the hallway outside the Fellowship Hall. If you are not able to volunteer to help, this is a GREAT way you can help make VBS a success!



Hands Fulla Good News

Trip to Indianapolis!

MAKE YOUR OWN PUPPET, OR ONE FOR THE TEAM!

August 13-15



Veteran puppet directors and puppet makers Jim and Bonnie Scott have offered a puppet making day for our team at their home in Indianapolis. On Saturday, a workshop will be held and each person will be able to make their own puppet.

ANYONE welcome to come who has basic crafting skills - we would love to have several new puppets. Consider coming even if you are not a part of the regular team!

(Please note that this is the same weekend as the youth retreat)

We do need to make "reservations" as soon as possible, as puppet materials will be put together by the Scotts prior to this weekend. Please contact Cheryl Parsons by phone 636-932-9961 or email cheryl.ann.1210@gmail.com for more information or to sign up.



F.R.O.G. (Fully Rely On God) Adventures for Elementary Age Children this Summer

July 10 - **Camping, Fishing and Boating @ Bo & Karen Sida's**. Bring a life jacket for canoe. Bring a fishing pole. Bring a tent. Weather pending, some will camp out on Friday (7/9), fishing in the evening and then rising early to fish in the morning. If camping isn't for you, bring your young one(s) in the morning for fishing and boating. We will finish by 11am. For smores, etc., please RSVP to Pastor George by July 7.

August 15 - **Skaterz (Skating)** in Union, 1-3pm. \$5.50 + skate rental (you can bring your own). We will leave St. Paul's at 12:30pm and return by 3:30pm...or you can meet us at the rink. RSVP to Pastor George by August 8.

Confirmation to begin this Fall

By Pastor George

Confirmation is an intentional discipleship process whereby young teens study, reflect on, apply and claim the Christian Faith as their own. A new confirmation class will begin for those entering grades 7 & 8 this fall. If you are interested, please contact Pastor George. The confirmands will have their first retreat on the weekend of August 20-22, culminating in a float trip on the Current River. Please RSVP to the church office (636-433-2482 or office@stpaulsuccmo.org) by Monday, June 28.

YOUTH MINISTRY SUMMER PLANNING 2010

For Youth entering the 7th-12th Grades

Summer continues and so do our various activities, mission trips & events.
Register early via the registration forms at the fellowship hall entrance or the Youth House.

July 6-7: NOAH, The Musical (<http://www.bransonshows.com/articles/NoahsArkinBransonMO.cfm>) includes a replica of Noah's Ark and involves dozens of live animals, etc., telling the story of Noah's Ark. Bill and Jean Webb are helping to sponsor this trip to Branson and will help Pastor George chaperone the event. We will stay at a hotel with an outdoor pool. We will leave early on the 6th and return around 6pm on the 7th.

July 9: Serving at Founder's Day, Marthasville Emmaus Home. We will help with the set up, leading of games and serving in other areas of need. We will lead the clean-up crews following the event. Friday departure and return times TBD.

August 13-15: Youth Retreat at the Kazmaier's Lake House. This will be an end-of-the-summer & Back-to-School celebration! We will depart on Friday morning or early afternoon (TBD) and return Sunday evening. While there will be some adult-led adventures & some student-led programming, the bulk of the weekend will be spent enjoying the lake (skiing, fishing, swimming, etc.). Be sure to invite a friend to this "sure-to-be-a-blast weekend" and get your registrations in ASAP!

August 20-22: Congregational Mission Trip to Shannondale. We will depart Friday evening after school and head down to Salem, MO. We will help with end-of-the-season clean up, with winterizing the facilities, and even some repair work to the campground. Due to the amount of work to be done, various adults from St. Paul's will also be present. We will worship together on Sunday morning and then go on a Float Trip on the Current River in the early afternoon. We'll return by 5pm.

Beginning June 30, 6-8pm: WILD WEDNESDAYS are BACK!! Throughout the summer (ending September 1) we will up-the-ante on our adventurous & crazy Wild Wednesdays. Discover a new meaning of "trust", "risk", "fear", "bravery", "teamwork" and "messy". In the process your understanding of *ADVENTURE* will include *FAITH!!!* Invite your friends & prepare for *Adventure!!!*



**June 20-23,
Southwestern
Michigan
Mission trip** to
serve a small congre-
gation in Southwestern
Michigan.

Ten youth and two
adults shared in an
incredible adventure of
faith, friendship and
service.

Hero Headquarters Registration Form

Please turn completed form and payment into the church office.

	Child 1	Child 2	Child 3
First Name			
Last Name			
Male/Female			
Medications Allergies Other Info			
Grade Completed			
Date of Birth			
Age by July 12			
My child would like to be grouped with a specific child if possible			

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Address/City/State/Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Other Phone _____

Email address _____

Home Church _____ Are you an active member _____

Emergency Contact while at VBS _____

Phone _____ Relationship to participant _____

Authorized Adult Pickup _____

Meet unlikely Bible heroes who are often overlooked. In fact, we don't know a single one of their names! They were not famous leaders or called by God to perform amazing miracles – yet their small acts were used by God to do wonderful things!



Join us for
High-Energy Music
Super Hero Challenges
Power Projects
Amazing Bible Hero Stories
Action Games
Super Snacks
Surprise Guest Superheroes

Children 3 years old – students that have completed the 5th grade are welcome to register. Students that have completed 6th grade and up can volunteer to be Hero Headquarter Helpers.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!



Birthdays

July

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| 3: Dee Schuster | 18: Truman Hagenbuch |
| 6: Rock Roloff | 20: Shawn Benson |
| Elise Thierbach | 21: Adrianna Engelage |
| 11: Charlie Eichmeyer | 22: Herb Homeyer |
| Lulu Hasenjaeger | Vera Mittler |
| 12: Hazel Eichmeyer | 23: Shawn Wohler |
| 13: Dan Thornton | 24: Jeremy Scholz |
| 14: Dale Krampe | Doris Bunge |
| Candace Siem | 29: Shane Wohler |
| 15: Marigene Kersten | Jerome Bunge |
| 16: Don Deeker | 31: Cynthia Liesmann |
| Jennifer Kazmaier | |

August

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| 1: Pauline Scholz | 19: Kannady Mayer |
| 2: Emma Zeh | 20: Michael Freese |
| 3: Nicholas Lange | Don Barringhaus |
| Connie Barringhaus | Trudy Heady |
| 4: Richard Dothage | 21: Wanda Lange |
| 5: Richard Parsons | 22: Dana Lange |
| Brittney Collier | Bryan Niemeyer |
| 6: Sheri Cordle | 24: Derik Roloff |
| Nita Hasenjaeger | 25: Linda Mittler |
| 7: Wayne Zeh | Sarah Duey |
| 9: Mike Borgmann | Kaela Howard |
| 10: Diana Garbs | Jessica Pepmueller |
| Kyle Monzyk | 26: Bonnie Borgmann |
| 12: Allan Hasenjaeger | Clara Zeh |
| 13: Marilyn Erisman | 27: David Berg |
| Gretchen Ruether | Jennifer Borgmann |
| Adam Theissen | 28: Lori Riegel |
| 14: Debbie Garbs | 29: Jodi Lange |
| Christine Scholz | Leonard Lutz |
| 15: Eleanor Lutz | 30: Devon Martin |
| Raena Carver | 31: Melba Roloff |
| 16: Erich Dohrer | Joan Shacklette |
| 17: Brooke Hartzell | |

Wedding Anniversaries

July

- 7: Matt & Cherie Monzyk
- 10: Steve & Megan Zeh
- Jim & Karen Joerling
- 14: Allen & Celeste Mueller
- 23: Dan & Patty Thornton

August

- 1: Wade & Cheryl Swartz
- 3: Tom & Angie Hilbert
- 5: Shawn & Robyn Wohler
- 12: Jason & Laurie Witte
- 26: Allan & Nita Hasenjaeger
- 29: Leonard & Eleanor Lutz— 1948
- 31: Jim & Cindy Buescher

Baptism Anniversaries

July

- 1: Adam Witte
- Owen Witte
- 18: Benjamin Ridder

August

- 4: Hannah Struckhoff
- 11: Eli Scholz

Upcoming Events at Emmaus:

July 9th, 2010—Founders' Day Celebration at West Campus

Aug. 27, 2010 - Emmaus Homes' Charity Golf Tournament

Tuesday, September 28th -Friends of Emmaus Fall Meeting-, starts at 10am, lunch served. All welcome.

Sunday, October 2010 - Friends of Emmaus Fall Bazaar and Quilt Auction

Saturday, November 13th- Taste of Home Cooking School

February 5, 2011 - Emmaus Homes Open Your Heart Gala

To be added to the mailing list for invitations and information, please contact Gabrielle Ballard, Events Coordinator at 636.534.5214 or ballardg@emmaushomes.org.

Shannondale Trip: August 20-22, 2010

Many of you heard Jeff Fulk, pastor of Shannondale, speak at our church in March. Plan on breathing the fresh air there as we go to help clean up the buildings and grounds after the hard use of the facilities during the summer. There will also be time for fun in fellowship, to enjoy a canoe float trip or tube trip.

There are lodge, camping and cabin facilities at Shannondale, and families with all ages of children are welcome to attend this weekend. Many of our church members have been to Shannondale, and we welcome the chance to renew the tradition of St. Paul's annual visits. In the future, there is a chance for our youth to become connected with the youth of the church of Shannondale!

St. Paul's Church Serving & Celebrating Together!

On Friday, July 9, we will be helping with Founder's Day at the Marthasville Campus of the Emmaus Homes. We will have three different crews for individuals and families, based on your availability and interest: Set Up, Running Games and Clean Up. All are also invited to be a part of the meal, too. Please communicate your interest via the lobby table sign-up sheet or email Pastor George. It's sure to be another occasion of simultaneously making a difference and having fun together! Sign up today!!

St. Paul's Calendar, July 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 1-5pm Quilters	2	3
4 <i>Worship 10am, Communion</i>	5 No quilting	6 <i>Vacation Bible School Workday</i> Prayer Ministry Session @ Kramme's 4:30pm Small Group @ Kramme's -Discovering Prayer, 6:30pm. Youth 7th-12th to Branson to see "Noah"	7 <i>Women's Guild</i> salad lunch 12noon 6-8 pm "Wild Wednesday" 7-Worship Leaders Softball 7:30	8 1-5pm Quilters <i>Vacation Bible School Workday</i>	9 <i>Emmaus Founder's</i> Day-help w/ setup, games, cleanup 10-11:30am-VBS Crew Leader training	10
11 <i>Worship 10am, 11:30-Set-up for Vacation Bible School</i>	12 9am-4:30pm Quilters <i>Vacation Bible School 9am-noon</i> Council 7pm	13 <i>Vacation Bible School 9am-noon</i> Prayer Ministry Session @ Kramme's 4:30pm	14 <i>Vacation Bible School 9am-noon</i> 6-8pm "Wild Wednesday" 7-Worship Leaders Softball 7:30	15 1-5pm Quilters <i>Vacation Bible School 9am-noon</i>	16 <i>Vacation Bible School 9am-noon</i>	17
18 <i>Worship 10am,</i>	19 9am-4:30pm Quilters Christian Education Committee 7pm	20 <i>Prayer Ministry Session @ Kramme's 4:30pm</i>	21 <i>6-8pm "Wild Wednesday"</i> 7-Worship Leaders Softball 8:30	22 1-5pm Quilters	23	24
25 <i>Worship 10am,</i>	26 9am-4:30pm Quilters	27 <i>Prayer Ministry Session @ Kramme's 4:30pm</i>	28 <i>6-8pm "Wild Wednesday"</i> 7-Worship Leaders Softball 9:30	29 1-5pm Quilters	30	31

St. Paul's Calendar, August 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 <i>Worship 10am Communion</i>	2 <i>Pastoral Relations Committee 7pm</i>	3 <i>Prayer Ministry Ses- sion @ Kramme's 4:30pm</i>	4 7pm-Worship Leaders	5 <i>1-5pm Quilters</i>	6	7
8 <i>Worship 10am</i>	9 9am-4:30pm Quilters	10 <i>Prayer Ministry Ses- sion @ Kramme's 4:30pm</i> <i>Choir Practice 7pm</i>	11 7pm-Worship Leaders	12 <i>1-5pm Quilters</i>	13 <i>Youth Retreat @ Kazmaier's lake home (through Sunday)</i>	14
15 <i>Worship 10am</i>	16 9am-4:30pm Quilters	17 <i>Prayer Ministry Ses- sion @ Kramme's 4:30pm</i>	18 7pm-Worship Leaders	19 <i>1-5pm Quilters</i>	20 Congregational Mission Trip to Shannondale	21
22 <i>Worship 10am,</i>	23 9am-4:30pm Quilters	24 <i>Prayer Ministry Ses- sion @ Kramme's 4:30pm</i>	25 7pmWorship Leaders	26 <i>1-5pm Quilters</i>	27	28 Wedding, Alisha Theissen & John Longsdon, St. Ignatius, 2pm
29 <i>Worship 10am</i>	30 9am-4:30pm Quilters	31 <i>Prayer Ministry Ses- sion @ Kramme's 4:30pm</i>				

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July

4th - Jonah 2:1-10
"Praying for Freedom"
Celebration of Holy Communion
4th of July Worship Celebration

11th - Ephesians 6:10-20
"Seeing the Armor of God"
A special presentation by Rev. Karl Kindt,
in the Full Armor of a Knight!
Kickoff of VBS

18th - Jonah 3:1-5
"The Challenges of 'Turning Around'!"
VBS Celebration Sunday

25th - Jonah 3:6-10
"When God Relents"

August

1st - Jonah 4:1-4
"Can God's Mercy be Displeasing?"
Celebration of Holy Communion

8th - Jonah 4:5-8
"Finding Contentment Beyond Circumstances"

15th - Jonah 4:9-11
"God's Mercy Wins!"

22nd - Matthew 25:31-46
"A BIG Reason to Serve Others"
Shannondale Sunday

29th - Book of Jonah
*"A First Person Message from the
Perspective of Jonah"*

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