

Gretchen Mackey will lead the United Women in Faith Miriam Circle in the Mission u study entitled A Deep Knowing: Experiencing Emmanuel Through Every Part of Our Lives. We will explore times in the Bible when people experienced “God with us,” especially times that involve God “calling” people to a particular action or way of being. Through those stories, we will explore what these experiences can teach us about God and what God desires for this world and the ways we move through it.

The study will be held on the following Wednesday dates at 9:30 AM in Room A7:May 13, and, if needed, June 10. We have a limited number of books on hand. Please contact Linda Strickler, 717-816-9771, if you would like one. You may also order the book from Amazon for around \$15.

The study is open to anyone who is interested. Please make plans to join us!

St. Paul United Methodist Church

Sunday, May 10 – Mother’s Day

8:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)

9:45 am Contemporary Family Life Service (Family Life Center)

9:45 am Sunday School Children’s Education(A2), Youth, Faithful Remnants(Lib)

No Choir practice (Choir room)

Monday, May 11

7:00 pm Church Council (Martha/Zoom)

7:00 pm Al-anon (A24)

Tuesday, May 12

10:00 am Pastor Mindi time with children (Sanctuary)

7:00 pm Staff Parish Relations Committee (Zoom/Martha)

Wednesday, May 13

9:30 am Miriam Circle (A7)

Thursday, May 14

6:45 pm Bell Choir Practice (Sanctuary)

Sunday, May 17

8:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)

9:45 am Contemporary Family Life Service (Family Life Center)

9:45 am Sunday School Children’s Education(A2), Youth, Faithful Remnants(Lib)

9:45 am Choir practice (Choir room)

Current Envelopes (Budget is \$4,746)	\$ 6,670.00
Loose Plate (Budget is \$145)	\$ 130.25
All Other Giving (Designated)	\$ 841.05
Attendance (8:30 am and 9:45 am)	67, 44
Online viewers April 26	125

Register for Vacation Bible School

This summer, explore the nature of God at Rainforest Falls VBS!
 When: July 20-24, 2026 Time: 5:45 pm – 8:15pm
 Where: St. Paul UMC, 750 Norland Ave, Chambersburg
 Who: Children ages 4 though 5th grade

Register at – vbspro.events/p/stpaulvbs2026
 Sign up early – some classrooms are limited

Homebound Member with upcoming birthday would enjoy receiving a card:

Gene Hoke (5/12) 261 Martina Dr, Chambersburg, PA 17201-8253

Summer Special Music

St. Paul UMC is seeking musical talent to provide special music for the 8:30 service this summer, from June 7th to August 30th. If you have a talent, vocal or instrumental, please find and fill out a form located on top of the mailboxes by the chapel, and submit it to Frank's mailbox (Music Director).

HUNGRY HEARTS CLOTHING ROOM at FUMC

First and Third Thursdays of the month 1:00 - 3:30
 Second and Fourth Thursdays of the month 3:00 - 5:30
 Clothing Room Donations We are accepting gently used clothing, bedding, small appliances and kitchen essentials. Please place your items in the shopping cart in the office. Thank you for your support of the ministry.

Dear Christian people at St. Paul,

Thank you so much for your generous check of \$500 which your mission crew gave us. Their work here in our area ("lots of shoveling") was another gift. Our area is still working thru the damage from Hurricane Helene. We are very grateful for all the good your crews have given us. **Thank you.**
 Sincerely, Ann Hampton, treasurer and cook of Altamont United Methodist Church, Newland, NC

We need your help!

Our food pantry funds are getting low. We welcome your donations to the Good Samaritan food pantry fund. These funds are used not only to do our once a month food distribution but also the daily cart out front of the office. We serve on average over 130 families per month at our monthly food distribution. We appreciate your support in helping us to care for the needs of the community.

Renew Your Commitment to Peace and Justice

Peace with Justice Sunday is a time for us to renew our commitment to transforming the world through justice and reconciliation. Through your contributions, we support efforts to reduce violence, advocate for human rights, and create sustainable solutions for peace. Join us on May 31, 2026 in making a difference through prayer and giving.