

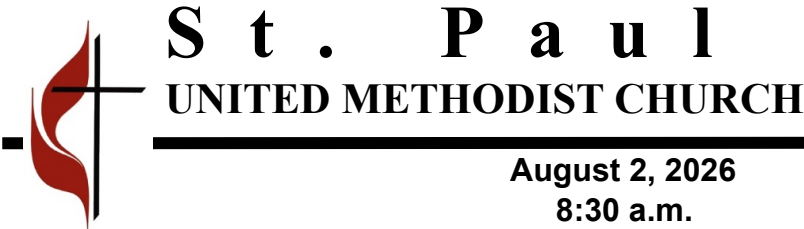
Our Vision

St. Paul UMC is a faith community who is seeking to love like Jesus with intentional kindness, live like Jesus by being good neighbors to the people of Chambersburg, and act like Jesus by welcoming all and meeting people where they are.

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Prelude Built on a Rock by L.M. Linderman arr. E. Broughton

Welcome and Announcements:

***Call to Worship:**
Leader: Lead a life worthy of the calling to which you are called:
People: We cannot do this alone, we dare not try this alone, so we gather as God's people.
Leader: Lead a life worthy of your calling, a life filled with service and meekness.
People: We come to build up Christ's Body, in humility and gentleness,
Leader: with patience and love. Lead a life which reflects your calling, that life of peace grounded in the Spirit.
People: We rejoice in our oneness in Christ; we would share the grace offered to us.
Leader: Live a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called.
People: We gather as God's family at the Table prepared for us, waiting to be fed by the Bread of life.

***Opening Prayer:**
Leader: Together let us pray.
People: Spirit of God, enlighten our hearts to the reality of divine presence in our midst. Let our worship be pleasing in your sight, so that our gathering is an experience of deep communion with you and one another. In the name of Jesus Christ, this is our prayer. Amen.

***Opening Hymn:** To God Be the Glory No. 98

To God be the glory, great things he hath done! So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the lifegate that all may go in.

Refrain

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice! O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son, and give him the glory, great things he hath done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood, to every believer the promise of God; the vilest offender who truly believes, that moment from Jesus a pardon receives. (Refrain)

Great things he hath taught us, great things he hath done, and great our rejoicing thru Jesus the Son; but purer, and higher, and greater will be our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. (Refrain)

First Lesson: 1 Samuel 3: 1-10

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

Special Music: John Nineteen Forty One from “Jesus Christ Superstar”
Amber Heberlig, Violin by A.L. Webber

***Second Lesson: Ephesians 4: 1-6**

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

***Hymn:** Jesus Calls Us No. 398
Jesus calls us o’er the tumult of our life’s wild, restless sea; day by day his sweet voice soundeth, saying, “Christian, follow me!”

As of old the apostles heard it by the Galilean lake, turned from home and toil and kindred, leaving all for Jesu” sake.

Jesus calls us from the worship of the vain world’s golden store, from each idol that would keep us, saying, “Christian, love me more!”

In our joys and in our sorrows, days of toil and hours of ease, still he calls, in cares and pleasures, “Christian, love me more than these!”

Jesus calls us! By thy mercies, Savior, may we hear thy call, give our hearts to thine obedience, serve and love thee best of all.

Congregational Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer (in unison):

“Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.” Amen.

Sermon: “Yes, Lord” Pastor Mindi Gochnaur

The Affirmation of our Stewardship

Offertory I Am a Child of the Father by T. Birchwood

***Congregational Response** No. 95

*** Prayer of Dedication (in unison):** Attentive God, you see us as we are and meet us in the movement of our days. As we bring these gifts, shape our lives to reflect your righteousness—faithful in love, honest in action, steady in compassion. Open our eyes to behold your face in the neighbors we serve and the work we share. Let our giving becoming praise in motion, a testimony that we seek your presence not only in stillness, but in faithful steps forward. Receive these offerings as signs of our trust and our desire to live in right Amen. (Romans 8: 12-25)

Holy Communion

***Closing Hymn: Trust and Obey No. 467**

When we walk with the Lord in the light of his word, what a glory he sheds on our way! While we do his good will, he abides with us still, and with all who will trust and obey.

Refrain

Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share, but our toil he doth richly repay; not a grief or a loss, not a frown or a cross, but is blest if we trust and obey. (Refrain)

But we never can prove the delights of his love until all on the altar we lay; for the favor he shows, for the joy he bestows, are for them who will trust and obey. (Refrain)

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at his feet, or we'll walk by his side in the way; what he says we will do, where he sends we will go; never fear, only trust and obey. (Refrain)

***The Sending Forth and Benediction**

***Postlude: Toccata on "Salzburg" by J. Hintze arr. R. Brunner**

***Those who are able please stand.**

**The altar flowers are in loving memory of Charles Scott
by Joyce Scott.**

Serving in Worship Today

Greeter	Dave & Judy Bowers
Worship Leader	Wendy Freyer
Head Usher	Verne Strickler

Worship Resources: CCLI #1518856, Streaming #20211595, umcdiscipleship.org, re-worship.blogspot.com

During the service, the nursery is staffed and available for your children on the main floor Sharing room (A9).

Welcome Families with young children! St. Paul UMC values our children. We strive to teach each child who visits with us more about God and Jesus.

When you enter the Sanctuary or FLC for church, you will see a white rack in the back of the room. On this rack are "Fruits of the Spirit" cloth bags. Inside each bag is an activity book based on Biblical stories. There is also a small notebook, a pen, and a pack of crayons. Please feel free to borrow one of these Children's Activity bags for the duration of the church service.

When the service ends, we kindly ask you to return all of the materials to the cloth bag and hang the bag back on the white rack before you leave to go home. That way, the bags are there for all children to enjoy. Thank you.