

# St Paul Touchpoint

July 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Bulletin Board of

## St. Paul Lutheran Church

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### REGULARLY SCHEDULED EVENTS

English Service—Sundays	9:00 AM	
Spanish Service—Sundays	11:00 AM	
Sunday School--Sundays	10:45 AM	
Lutheran Hour Ministries--Sundays	9:00 AM	9:40 WINZ AM Radio
LWML Monthly--1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday	6:30 PM	Women's
Lifelight Bible Study—Mondays	7:30 PM	Rm. 10
Men's Bible Study—Thursdays	7:00 PM	Upper Room
Book of the Month—		Third Friday of the month
ELDERS' MEETING	Second Tuesday, 7 PM	Next 08/14
CHURCH COUNCIL	Fourth Tuesday, 7 PM	Next 08/28

### SUNDAY SCHOOL & BIBLE CLASSES

Preschool 2/3/4	Room # 5
Kindergarten/Grades 1-2	Room # 12
Grades 3-5	Room # 1
Grades 6-8	Room # 8
Grades 9-12	Upper Room
Adults	Room # 6
Senior Adults	Room # 10
College/Young Adult	Office Conference Room

Continue to give faithfully and generously to our church from your time, talents, and financial resources, for this too is the worship of

God and benefits His people and our community.

*Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not Reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.*

*2 Corinthians 9:7*

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**LIFTING UP OTHERS IN PRAYER:**

*Please do keep us updated on the status of your prayer requests. Call or email the church office to confirm or modify your requests for prayer or praise. From time to time we will change the prayer list according to our best knowledge.*

**Tangina's Husband, Chris:** Pray for Chris, as he is facing open heart surgery. Pray for success and fast recovery.

**Gigi Graff:** Now at Eastridge recovering from surgery. Continue to pray for the Graff family as they mourn the passing of their beloved son, Tim. Pray also for Gigi and John's on-going health and life challenges, in particular for John as he is home away from Gigi. All our love to the Graff family. J

**Koki Garcia:** Pray for Koki, now mourning the passing of his stepfather. Also pray for his Stepmother, Kika, who is battling cancer-related health issues.

**Daisy Perez:** Pray as she is going through chemotherapy.

Giselle Morales: Pray in relation to medical issues.

**Rebecca Sabrana** (Serena Lowman's mom): Do pray for Rebecca who is at Kendall Hospital. Pray for best outcome.

**Giselle and Tony Morales:** Giselle and Tony are here in Miami visiting and for medical testing. Recovering now here in Miami. Pray for best recovery.

**June Erdman:** Now doing better at home. We saw her at church on Sunday. Continue to pray for best recovery.

**Katrina Jones:** Praises for her mother's health as it has turned out for the best—"God is Good!" Continue to pray for Ed as he deals with health issues.

**Evelyn Fredrickson:** Pray for health related issues.

**Elizabeth Wenzel:** Always pray for Elizabeth as she deals with health and living situation issues.

**Shut-Ins:** Always pray for the members of our community who are unable to join us for worship but whom we always miss among us. Pray that they may always feel welcome in our midst, valued, and spiritually cared for.

**Teens and Young Adults:** Pray for a consistent Christian witness towards our teens and young adults as they confront an increasingly hostile culture which denies godly values.

**Pray for those who are still looking for employment  
Continue to pray for the victims of senseless gunfire. Pray for our country at large as we honestly and painfully deal with issues related to gun violence. May our prayers lead to concrete, godly actions, to peace, and to safety for all.**

Do pray especially in this sad season in which the issues of mental illness and suicide are prominent in the media for all those who suffer mental anguish, depression, social isolation, and the absent of hope which comes from the love of God in Jesus Christ.

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**FRIENDSHIP SUNDAY**

**SUNDAY AUGUST 26 AT 12:30**

**COME JOIN US FOR BAKED ZITI AND HELP ORGANIZE BOOK BAGS FOR MIGRANT CHILDREN.  
(Children and youth will receive five community hours)**

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**Thrivent Financial BASEBALL NIGHT**

**Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:10 PM**

**Marlins vs A's**

**Discounted tickets are \$15 (\$33.25 otherwise)**

*Baseline reserved seats*

*\$5 Donation to Habitat for Humanity*

*Postgame Fireworks AND MUCH MORE!*

**DEADLINE TO ORDER—AUG 10TH**

**Reserve at: <https://marlins.eventbrite.com>**

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**Lay Leadership Summit**

**August 23<sup>rd</sup> to the 25<sup>th</sup>**

**“It’s Time!”**

**Kissimmee, Florida**

**Lake Buena Vista South, Embassy Suites**

**Contact Pastor Sielk if interested.**

**MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY AT 7:30**

**“The Study of The Apostles”**

**Led by Serena Lowman and Pastor Sielk**

**Signup Sheet at the Narthex—Contact Serena for further information**

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**Men’s Bible Study--Every Thursday at 7PM**

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**FELLOWSHIP HOUR HELP NEEDED**

Do you enjoy fellowshiping with your fellow congregants after the worship service? Do you also enjoy the fine snacks avidly consumed by all? **WELL, KNOW THIS: THE FELLOWSHIP HOUR NEEDS VOLUNTEERS, FOOD FOR SNACKS, AND ACTUAL CASH FOR IT TO CONTINUE TO CARRY ON SEAMLESSLY AND JOYFULLY AS WE KNOW IT.**

**SO: DO VOLUNTEER TO SERVE, DONATE FOOD AND SNACKS, AND OFFER YOU FINANCIAL SUPPORT.**

**Thanks!J J J Thanks!**

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**2018 LWML Convention**

**Florida-Georgia District**

**Orlando Airport Marriott**

**Orlando, FL**

**September 28-30, 2018**

**Lutheran Women in Mission!**

**<http://www.flgalwml.com/>**

Visit the above site for more information and talk to your local LWML members

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**BASCP is in desperate need of crayolas and pencils with erasers. Please leave your donation in the basket at the narthex. THANKS.**

**(Yes, we are off session, but help is still needed- again, Thanks)**  
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**ELDERS’ CONTACT NUMBERS:**

*Anyone in our congregation may contact any of the Elders at anytime for issues related to ministry, spiritual concerns, and counseling. Please use this roster as your guide. You may elect to contact any Elder you like.*

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