

# St Paul Touchpoint

June 10<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 06/12
CHURCH COUNCIL	Fourth Tuesday, 7 PM	Next 06/26

### 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.*

**George Torres:** Praises and Thanks! Coach's procedure has been deemed unnecessary by the VA. This is great news. God is good.

**Giselle and Tony Morales:** Giselle and Tony are here in Miami visiting and for medical testing. Last Sunday Giselle had a stroke and is in Baptist Hospital. Pray for best recovery.

**Pastor Puerto:** Please continue, intensely and fervently, to pray for Pastor Puerto and his whole family during this hour of sudden and devastating tragedy concerning the death of his son Charlie. Pray for the grace of God to be his primary comfort as he deals with the aftermath of such perplexing and truly sad event. *Let us all remember that God receives all of His children, even those who may have stumbled on his way to His everlasting arms.*

**June Erdman:** Please pray for June, now at home, had been at Jackson South, as she is not doing well. Her daughter and son are taking good care of her. Also continue to pray for **Elly Mim's grandson** as he recoveries from the liver transplant.

**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.

**Mary Reeds:** Pray for her friend **Judy** as she travels in Scandinavia for five weeks. Pray for safety and enjoyment and a general good time. *(It's good to have good friends. God is good)*

**Linda Oxholm:** Pray for Linda as she is still looking for an efficiency apartment which would accept pets. Any information, please contact her or the Church office.

**Gigi Graff:** Continue to pray for the Graff family as they mourn the passing of their beloved son, Tim. Pray also for Giggi and John's on-going health and life challenges.

**Nila Parages:** Upcoming procedure liver related. Please do pray.

**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.

**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 that they may always feel welcome in our midst, valued, and spiritually cared for. Pray that they may learn to be meaningfully engaged with the world around them in all the issues of the day, and yet not lose the centrality of their Christian faith.

**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.**

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## **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**Last Sunday to Sign Up!**

**(But you can just show up and volunteer. They'll find a task for you! J) June 11<sup>th</sup> to June 15<sup>th</sup>**

**Come to Celebrate 'Easter in June'!**

Be one of the many of who help with VBS this year.

Your effort will help minister in the name of the Lord to the precious kids of our community.

**SIGNUP SHEET IN THE BACK OF THE NARTHEX**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO HANNAH SIELK!**

She has been selected to be a **Community Life Builder** at the **Real. Present. God. 2019 LCMS Youth Gathering**

**July 11-15, 2019, in Minneapolis**

<https://blogs.lcms.org/2017/2019-youth-gathering-theme/>

She will be working as a part of those committed and passionate volunteers who will share the message of Christ for the duration of the conference and support the logistics of the event. We are very proud of Hannah's gifts and her willingness to serve.

**J GO HANNAH! J**

**ANNUAL VOTERS' MEETING**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup> at 12:15 Noon**

**Plan to be here and be part of this congregational meeting addressing important issues.**

- AGENDA:**
- 1) Planning Council Nominations**
  - 2) Proposed 2018-2019 Budget**
  - 3) Proposed future projects from the Vision Mission Committee.**

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**COMING SOON!**

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

**"The Fruits of the Spirit"**

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--THURSDAYS AT 7PM  
IN THE UPPER ROOM**

**ALL MEN ARE INVITED TO FELLOWSHIP, STUDY, AND SERVE GOD**

**J BESIDES, WE HAVE FANCY RECLINERS AND A BIG TV.... J**

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**2018 FLGA District Convention**

**The 33rd Regular District Convention will be held in Orlando,  
June 22-24, 2018 at the**

**Wyndham Orlando Resort International Drive.**

Pastor Sielk and Mike Parages will be attending

All information regarding the Convention will be posted at:

<http://flgadistrict.org/conventions/>

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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.

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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.*

Mike Parages: 305 525 9904

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