

SAINT PAUL'S

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



August 16, 2026
"Youth Testimonies"
9:30 a.m.

Order of Worship: Sunday, August 16, 2026

9:30 a.m. Service of Worship

12th Sunday after Pentecost / Youth Sunday

*stand as you are able

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. MaryAnn Piccioni, Associate Pastor

***Call to Worship**

Makaylah Verheyen and People

Jesus offers a new-old commandment, that we should love each other.

**With the incredible power and the unfathomable depth of God's love
for us we can, we must, love one another.**

And it is in this, our love for one another, that the world will know
whom and what we worship.

Come, children of God, let us love one another.

Katherine Hawker

***Opening Songs of Praise**

Praise/Great are You Lord

Youth Band, and People

Lighting of the Candles

Acolytes

***Affirmation of Faith**

2026 Confirmation Class Creed

(on screen)

Emma Apthorp and People

***Passing of the Peace**

(Please join in singing *Spirit of the Living God*, UMH 393 as you return to your seat.)

Prayers of the People

Hartley and Cayle Bryant and People

(People's response: Lord, hear our prayer)

Response

The Lord's Prayer

M. Miller

Youth Choir

The Offering

Offering Prayer

Casey Fernandes, Director of Youth Ministry

Offertory

For Everyone Born

arr. T. Trenny

Youth Choir

***Doxology**

UMH 95, *Old 100th*

Scripture

Matthew 28:19-20 and John 13:34-35

Cai Hewitt and Ryan Kline

Testimonies

Mission Trip

Braxton Durham and Amelia Fugate

Warren Willis Camp

Charlotte Droessler and Mac Martin

Music Camp

Elizabeth Fugate and Julia Cox

*Closing Song	<i>Goodbye Yesterday</i>	Youth, Band, and People
*Sending Forth	<i>Sanctuary</i>	Grayson Leach and Youth
*Benediction	Numbers 6:24-26	Youth and People

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Ushers: Matthew Cook, John Robert Quinton, Jackson Quinton

Altar Design: Rev. MaryAnn Piccioni, Casey Fernandes, and James Fernandes

Thanks to: Eli Jeffre, Jarrett Mattson, Dylan Cantin, Casey Fernandes, and Stephany Nystrand for their leadership and guidance in helping with this service of worship to the glory of God.

Flowers On The Altar

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God
and in celebration of
Wade and Wanda Pierce's 47th wedding anniversary.

ATTENDANCE PADS

In each pew you will find a black folder containing a sign-in. We would love for you to let us know you are here. You can also share your contact information, request info on various ministries, sign up for dinner or request a name tag.

Thank you for joining us in worship today! This QR code will take you to our webpage, where you may subscribe to our WEEKLY NOTES and give safely and securely online to support the ministries of Saint Paul's UMC.



THIS WEEK AT SAINT PAUL'S

Sunday, August 16 - Youth Sunday

Worship, 9:30 a.m., Sanctuary

Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.

Acolyte Training, 10:45 a.m., Sanctuary

Cheers Social Justice Program, 10:45 a.m., Sanders Hall

Handbell Choir, 5:45 p.m., Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship, 6:00 p.m., Sanders Hall

Monday, August 17 - Chair Yoga, 11:00 a.m., Sanders Hall

Tuesday, August 18 - Alzheimer's Support Luncheon, 11:30 a.m., Parlor

Men's Reading Community, 12:00 p.m., Ology Brewing Company

Trustee Meeting, 2:00 p.m., Room 325

Covenant Chancel Choir, 6:15 p.m., Choir Room

Se'lah, 7:30 p.m., Choir Room

Wednesday, August 19 - Prayer Meeting, 8:00 a.m., Zoom

Alzheimer's Respite, 9:30 a.m., Parlor

Ed Wynn Luncheon, 11:00 a.m., Sanders Hall

PreSchool Music, 5:10 p.m., Room 200

Wednesday Night Dinner (Chicken Cordon Bleu), 5:15 p.m., Sanders Hall

Town Hall Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Sanders Hall

Disciple Fast Track Study, 5:45 p.m., Room 327

Discipleship Learning to Lead, 6:00 p.m., Room 326

Kids@Art, 6:00 p.m., Room 200 & Foundation

Wednesday Night Youth Rooted, 6:00 p.m., Parlor

Youth Choir, 7:00 p.m., Room 200

Thursday, August 20 - Circle of Support, 10:00 a.m., Parlor

Yoga Class, 11:00 a.m., Sanders Hall

Friday, August 21 - Alzheimer's Respite, 9:00 a.m., Parlor

Crafty Crop, 1:00 p.m., Sanders Hall

Saturday, August 22 - Crafty Crop, 10:00 a.m., Sanders Hall

Sunday, August 23 - Worship, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m., Sanctuary

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Cheers Social Justice Program, 9:45 a.m., Sanders Hall

New Member Class, 9:45 a.m., Room 325

Handbell Choir, 5:45 p.m., Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship, 6:00 p.m., Sanders Hall

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