



# St Paul Lutheran

VALLEY CITY, OHIO

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OCTOBER 2023

## **FROM THE PASTORAL ASSISTANT'S DESK**

### **A SHORT DEVOTIONAL**

The county fairs have come and gone, football season is here, and the harvest will soon be upon us. Soon, the leaves will begin turning color. This wonderful time of year in NE Ohio can be a busy season for many of us at SPVC. For some of us, including myself, it can become overwhelming and create a great deal of anxiety.

When I begin to get overwhelmed, I often find myself turning to the twelfth chapter of the Gospel of Luke where Jesus talks to his disciples about anxiety. He tells them not to be anxious about anything in their lives. Not what they will eat, not what they will wear, not anything. He tells us that being anxious and worrying cannot do anything for us. Instead, Jesus points to the birds and the field. "Consider the ravens" he tells them, "they neither sow nor reap, they have neither a storehouse nor a barn, and yet God feeds them." He continues, "Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not adorned like one of these."

Indeed, God ensures the birds are fed and clothes the fields. He knows that we need these things too, and He provides them to us. There is a peace in God which surpasses all understanding. It guards our hearts and minds. When we rest and trust in Him, we need not be anxious about anything. Instead, in everything, through prayer and supplication and thanksgiving, we can let our requests, and our worries be made known to God, and we can cast our anxieties on Him.

God has made this promise to us. Don't forget that you can turn to Him and find peace. Life gets busy. The grass withers and the flowers fade away, but the word of the Lord endures forever.

## **SPVC YOUTH HAPPENINGS**

We've got several things going on with our youth that I'd like everyone to know about. First, and perhaps most exciting for me, is that we officially relaunched our SPVC Youth Ministry last month. Secondly, we recently held an informational meeting with some of our families to discuss establishing a troop of Trail Life USA as a new ministry in our community. I'd like to take a brief moment to share some things about each.

## **SPVC YOUTH MINISTRY**

Our SPVC Youth Ministry is geared for students in grades 6-12. The focus of our youth ministry is to develop and strengthen the faith of our youth while preparing them to enter adulthood faithfully after graduation. We meet every other Wednesday night from 6:30-8:00 PM in the youth area downstairs. Pizza, wings, and drinks are provided. At each meeting we take time for fellowship, activities, and devotional / bible study. Youth ministry is not just for our youth, but is open to friends, family, and members of the community. If you'd like to know more or have a student in grades 6-12 that you'd like to get involved, please reach out to me directly.

## **TRAIL LIFE USA**

Trail Life USA is an ecumenical Christian alternative to the Boy Scouts. Currently, we are exploring the possibility of starting a troop as a ministry of SPVC. This ministry is Christ-centered, boy-focused mentoring program that engages boys in service and outdoor adventure to develop godly and courageous leaders. It is structured similarly to the BSA. Right now, we are focusing on our lower grade levels, and planning to start our troop for families with boys in grades K-5. The boys are divided into three patrols: Foxes (K-1), Hawks (2-3) and Mountain Lions (4-5). This ministry is intended to provide our fathers and sons with a unique opportunity to grow in their faith together. Trail Life is both a discipleship program and an evangelical ministry, intended for our youth, friends, family, and members of the community.

For families with daughters, there is a sister organization called American Heritage Girls. If your family is interested in Trail Life USA or American Heritage Girls, please let me know ... especially if you're willing to invest in our children's futures by stepping up as a volunteer or a patrol leader. If you'd like to know more about either organization, please get in touch with me or visit their websites online.

Before we can get our Troop established, we need to get our leadership organized. These positions are at the center of the Troop. Job Descriptions are at the Welcome Center. Once these positions are filled, we will be able to move forward with our charter. The next step is in your hands!

**Senior Ministry Leader (SML):** Pastor Zielinski will fill this role. The SML ensures it is an active ministry of the church and is supporting our goals at St. Paul.

**Troop Ministry Liaison (TML):** Rev. Streeper is the main hands-on staff member. He will coordinate the core leader positions and ensure all the operations of the group are moving forward.

**Core Leadership** (Needed before we can launch): Committee Chair, Troopmaster, Treasurer, Ranger, and Trail Guides.

**Committee Chair (CC):** He will chair the business meetings of the organization where the various leaders will give reports and planning will take place. While aware of all the activities the Troop is planning, this could be a more "behind the scenes" role.

**Troopmaster (TM):** Oversees all "direct contact" leaders (those volunteers who work directly with the boys at each activity), understands all programmatic operations of the Troop, reports successes and challenges faced by leaders and youth. The Troopmaster is the coach of, and Troop Committee representative for the direct contact leaders.

**Treasurer:** Manages and reports on the financial status of the Troop; communicates with parents in Troop budgeting; supervises fundraising guidelines; handles funds; and delegates these tasks as needed.

**Direct Contact Leaders:**

**Ranger:** (one required, age 21+) This is the leader of the K-5 program (Woodlands Trail) and oversee the operation of specific age-levels within the Troop by providing direction, coaching, and support.

**Trail Guides:** (3 required, age 18+) One leader for each of the 3 levels in Woodlands Trail (Fox (K-1), Hawk (2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> grades), Mountain Lion (4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grades). They assist the Ranger in delivering the program to the scouts.

**Other Committee Members:** Advancement Chair, Activities Chair, Membership Chair, Training Chair, Equipment Coordinator, Publicity, Health and Safety, Camping ... whatever positions we see are necessary to have a successful Troop.

Trail Life USA is an evangelistic outreach ministry of our church to serve our community, and to be successful, we need volunteers. As the troop grows and expands, so too will volunteer roles, responsibilities and positions change with it. Whatever capacity you are interested in serving as a volunteer, prayerfully consider it and please get in touch with me.

~ Rev. C.W. Streeper  
[chris.streeper@spvc.org](mailto:chris.streeper@spvc.org)



# TRAIL LIFE USA®

Adventure › Character › Leadership

October 2023

	SERVICE	October 1 SUNDAY	October 8 SUNDAY	October 15 SUNDAY	October 22 SUNDAY	October 29 SUNDAY Reformation Sunday
		Communion	Communion	Communion	Communion	Communion
ELDER	8am	Steve Kato	Steve Kato/Tim Wadle	Steve Kato	Tim Wadle/Chris Duran	Steve Kato
	10:30am	Jim Jackson	Jim Jackson/Sam Jakabcic	Sam Jakabcic	Jim Jackson/ Sam Jakabcic	Sam Jakabcic
USHERS	8am	Dave Hesketh	Mark Gordon	Dave Hesketh	Mark Gordon	Jim Sherry
	10:30am	Joe Bennett	Rich Proeschel	Brian Dearth	Erich Gottl	Jay Moser
GREETERS	8am	David & Mackenzie Duran	Elder	Dean & Beth Bremke	Elder	Heinrich & Irmgard Cordes
	10:30am	Rich & Jenny Proeschel	Elder	Barb Pijor	Elder	Joe Bennett
ELDER INFO	Stephen Kato 330-242-7183	Tim Wadle 216-214-7109	Jim Jackson 330-391-6393	Sam Jakabcic 216-789-1076	Chris Duran 216-577-5164	



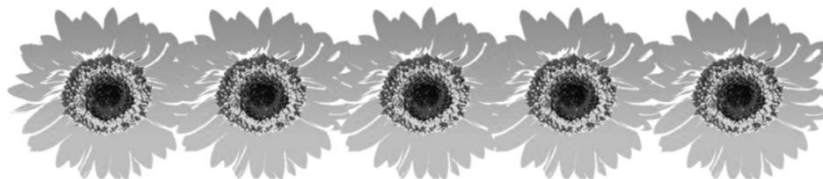
# YOU'RE INVITED!

## LWML SUNDAY

October 8, 2023

12:00 PM

Want to know more about what LWML does?  
We would love for you to join us for a lady-only  
luncheon and information display.



*Glory to God in the Highest*



We are thrilled to announce our second annual Ohio March for Life, on October 6, 2023, in partnership once again with the Center for Christian Virtue! We need you, your friends, and your neighbors marching for life now more than ever in Ohio.

On the ballot this November, Ohioans will be voting on whether to enshrine a dangerous and radical abortion agenda into their state constitution—one that could outlaw basic health and safety protections for women, eliminate parental notification and consent laws that protect minor girls, and allow painful abortions up until the moment of birth.

We need thousands of Ohio pro-lifers to march boldly for life this October, educating their fellow Ohioans about this misleadingly-named constitutional amendment—"Right to Reproductive Freedom with Protections for Health and Safety"—that would virtually erase any existing or future protections for expectant mothers and unborn children in Ohio.

It has never been more important to take a stand for the lives of unborn babies, their mothers, and families in Ohio than this year. We ask YOU to spread the word to all your friends, neighbors, and family to mark their calendars to be a voice for the voiceless in Columbus on October 6th.

We will be meeting at 11:00 AM for the Rally at the Capitol followed by the Ohio March for Life at 12:00 PM.

For more details or to RSVP please see our website at:  
<https://p2a.co/XdMTG1x>

## **PRAYER CHAIN on FLOCKNOTE**

If you have a Prayer Request, Praise or Update please visit:  
[www.spvc.org](http://www.spvc.org) > Prayer ... or... send an email to: [prayer@spvc.org](mailto:prayer@spvc.org)

### **IN-PERSON WORSHIP**

Join us Sunday Mornings:  
8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

### **CHURCH ONLINE**

at [spvc.org](http://spvc.org)

Online services are available to view LIVE at 8:00 AM on Sundays, or on-demand. Visit [www.spvc.org](http://www.spvc.org) - For the most recent service (when active) on the homepage is a viewer for the livestream. Bulletins are available via the link. Select the bulletin for the date of the service you are watching. Livestreams will typically be at normal service times.

### **RECYCLE WORSHIP BULLETINS**

You're encouraged to take home your worship bulletins; use the scriptures, hymns & prayers for your own devotions. Please use the blue recycle tub that's located in the hallway as you leave the sanctuary to **ONLY** place **bulletins (including Large Print as we do recycle the black combs)** and the **unused attendance slips**. Thank you.

### **ST. PAUL YOUTH GROUP**

For grades 6-12 please join us every other Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Questions? Contact Pastor Chris Streeper at: 330-441-0502

### **TRAIL LIFE USA**

This outreach is geared for families with boys in K-5th grade. This is a Christian ecumenical alternative to the Boy Scouts. To learn more about this, please contact Pastor Streeper at 330-441-0502.

### **PREPARING FOR WORSHIP**

#### **Gentle Reminder:**

As the time for the Worship Service approaches, those around you may be preparing for Worship through silent prayer. Please be courteous to them by being mindful of the volume of your conversations. Thank you and may the Lord bless your worship of Him.

### **IN-PERSON SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS**

Join in on Sunday mornings between services at 9:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall. If you are viewing from home, watch live or on-demand just like our worship services (YouTube, Facebook, or [www.spvc.org](http://www.spvc.org)).

### **GOOD STEWARDSHIP**

Please take a moment to collect your Worship folders, filled out or blank attendance slips, used tissues, and any other items left in the pews after leaving the Worship Services. Thank you kindly!

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Sunday school has begun, but we would still love more teachers. Anyone willing to jump in the pool, please contact Pastor Zielinski, or Barb Pijor at: 440-213-5963 (texting is fine)  
Email: [bpijor@gmail.com](mailto:bpijor@gmail.com)

## **WEEKLY EVENTS**

### **SUNDAY**

**8am & 10:30am**

In-Person Worship, or on  
Livestream / On-Demand at:  
spvc.org

**9:15am**

In-Person Bible Class; or on  
Livestream / On-Demand at:  
spvc.org

**9:15am**

In-Person Sunday School

**12-2pm**

Private Communion Available  
here at St. Paul Church

### **MONDAY**

**6-7:30pm**

Confirmation Class

### **TUESDAY**

**5-7pm**

Private Communion Available  
here at St. Paul Church

### **WEDNESDAY**

**10-11:30am**

In-Person Bible Study; or on  
Livestream / On-Demand at: spvc.org

## **MEETINGS**

### **LWML**

Tuesday, October 3rd  
9:30 AM

### **YOUTH GROUP**

Wednesday, October 4th  
6:30-8:00 PM

### **LWML SUNDAY**

Sunday, October 8th  
12:00 PM

### **ELDERS**

Tuesday, October 10th  
7:00 PM

### **QUILTERS**

Wednesday, October 11th  
11:30 AM

### **EXECUTIVE BOARD**

Tuesday, October 17th  
7:00 PM

### **YOUTH GROUP**

Wednesday, October 18th  
6:30-8:00 PM

## **THRIVENT FINANCIAL**

If you're an eligible member, please consider directing Thrivent Choice Dollars to St. Paul Lutheran Church, Valley City, OH. **2023 Choice Dollars expire March 2024**, so it's use it or lose it. You may learn more by visiting: [www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice](http://www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice) or by calling Thrivent at: 1-800-847-4836 and when prompted, say "Thrivent Choice." Thank you for helping to support the mission of St. Paul Church.



## **TRUSTEE WORKBENCH**

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns please contact:  
Adam Criswell at: adamcriswell007@gmail.com

## **BABY BOTTLE MINISTRY**

We will continue the Baby Bottle Project is for the Oaks Family Care Center in Brunswick, OH. We thank you for what you have already turned in. At present, there is no "return by" date, so, you may return your filled bottles whenever you are able to bring them to church. Your participation in this project is greatly appreciated.

## **DVD PLAYERS AVAILABLE**

Self-contained DVD players/screens are still available if you or someone you know is unable to stream the service, is temporarily hospitalized or isolated, or has a TV setup that makes watching DVD's challenging (cable boxes and input switching can be a real pain!). Contact the church office if this would be a benefit. Special thanks to a generous donor who has made these possible.

## **PULL TAB MINISTRY**

YES! we are collecting tabs all year round. Thanks to you these will benefit families at Ronald McDonald House. You may drop off your tabs in the bin that is located on the shelf next to Pastor's Office. For questions, contact Len Maver at: 440-781-9009

## **USED EYEGLASS MINISTRY**

We have restarted the gently used Eyeglass Ministry. Cassie Bremke will be taking donations of the gently used eyeglasses to the local Lions Club. If you have any donations, please place it on the bookshelf located next to Pastor's Office. Thank you.

## **WIGGLE BAGS**

Please help yourself to these goody bags that hold activities that kids may engage and participate in worship service. Hopefully this will help alleviate stress for parents who are worried about their child making it through the whole service, but more importantly, they help teach kids that "big church" is for them too. Please take a moment to collect all the contents of the Wiggle Bags and return it to the "Used Wiggle Bag" plastic bin after the Worship Service. We are grateful to Sandy Turner and Jean Wadle who are keeping up providing clean Wiggle Bags each week. Your donated supplies may be given directly to Sandy Turner or the church office. Thank you.

# **LWML**

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

*"As Lutheran Women in Mission, we joyfully proclaim Christ, support missions and equip women to honor God by serving others."*

### **LWML SUNDAY:** October 8th, 2023

- A display of services and outreach ministry of LWML will be on display in the fellowship hall.
- A salad luncheon for all ladies will follow the 10:30am service.
- Sign-up sheet is at the welcome center.
- Service project at the luncheon: We will make cards of encouragement and thanks for our firefighters and EMTs.

**LUTHERAN MEN'S MINISTRY:** We will be collecting scarves, hats & gloves for veterans at Lutheran Men's Ministries October - November 5th. Please place in the box in the Narthex. Thank you.

**SAVE THE DATE** for the LWML Christmas Tea coming up on Sunday, December 10th from 2-4:00 PM. **Guest Speaker:** Ruth Pangrace, portraying the character of Mary, Mother of Jesus

**NEXT MEETING:** Tuesday, November 7th at 9:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

### **OFFICERS FOR 2023**

**Treasurer.....**Len Maver  
**Corresponding Secretary.....**Margit Gery  
**Recording Secretary.....**Diane Johnson  
**Chaplin.....**Kathy Fargo

*The "Leader for the meetings"  
will be rotated throughout the year.*

## **HOME VISITS**

Book your visit with Pastor Zielinski, or, visit: [www.spvc.org](http://www.spvc.org) and click "Book with Pastor Zielinski" to see available times, or by contacting the Parish Administrator, Christine Cox at 330-483-3883.

## **VALLEY CITY FOOD PANTRY**

If you or someone you know needs food assistance, please contact LifeSpring Food Pantry at 330.328.3091. The monthly drive through food pantry is the third Saturday of the month from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM at 1638 Lester Road, Valley City, OH. [www.valleycity.org](http://www.valleycity.org)

## **FELLOWSHIP HALL USAGE & RENTAL**

To schedule your event please contact Christine Cox, our Parish Administrator at 330.483.3883 or, email at: [christine.cox@spvc.org](mailto:christine.cox@spvc.org)

Once your event is approved, a Fellowship Hall Rental Form will be placed in your church mailbox or emailed to you.

Please complete it and return the form along with your fee remittance to the church office. Thank you.

## **ST. PAUL PARISH ADMINISTRATOR**

Christine Cox  
[christine.cox@spvc.org](mailto:christine.cox@spvc.org)  
330-483-3883

### **OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday:** 9:30am - 1:30pm

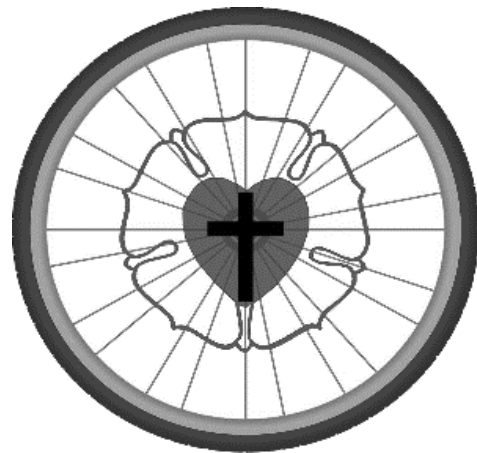
**Tuesday:** Off

**Wednesday:** 9:30am - 3:00pm  
(10am-11:30am for Bible Study)

**Thursday:** 9:30am - 1:30pm

**Friday:** Off

## **ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CYCLING FRIENDS**



This is a fun way to have fellowship and focus on wellness out in God's nature.

Hope to see you join us!

For ride and more information about this please contact Walter Dill Jr. or visit:

[facebook.com/groups/lutherancyclingfriends](https://facebook.com/groups/lutherancyclingfriends)

## **COMMUNION OPPORTUNITIES**

**Pastor is providing individual communion opportunities.**

1. Check the posted times for “walk-in” communion below.
2. Scheduling an appointment with Pastor at church or in your home.

**“Walk-In” times at Church:**

- Sundays, 12 – 2:00 PM
- Tuesdays, 5 – 7:00 PM

**Scheduling an appointment for communion  
at church or in your home:**

**To schedule a time other than the walk-in times:**

- Call Pastor 440-458-0189
- Visit [www.spvc.org](http://www.spvc.org) and click “Book with Pastor” to see available times for appointments.

## **TITHES & OFFERINGS**

As our Lord provides for us and we return to Him a portion of His generosity. You have several ways to continue contributing:

1. In-person Worship on Sundays at 8:00 & 10:30 AM
2. Mail your contributions to the church.
3. Talk to your bank about "bill-pay" options. They can likely send a check directly to the church on a scheduled basis.
4. Visit [www.spvc.org](http://www.spvc.org) and click on “Give Online” - you’ll be taken to our secure online giving site where you can make a one-time or on-going contribution.

*Each one must give as he has decided in his heart,  
not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.  
2 Corinthians 9:7 (ESV)*

# **OUR VERY SPECIAL MEMBERS**

## **JESSE, Erika**

*Avenue at Strongsville Care  
18936 Pearl Road, Room #152  
Strongsville, OH 44136  
440-870-2600*

## **NIKEL, Marion**

*Brunswick Pointe Transitional Care  
4355 Laurel Road, Room #211  
Brunswick, OH 44212  
330-741-8000*

## **PETCHLER, Joyce**

*5236 Creekside, Unit E-18  
Brunswick, OH 44212  
216-387-8056*

## **RAUHAUS, Marilynn**

*Plum Creek  
891 Marks Road Room #C-2  
Brunswick, OH 44149  
330-416-8441*

## **SCHULTZ, Bill**

*6988 Spieth Road  
Medina, OH 44256  
330-421-2050*

## **SILK, Dorothy**

*Kemper House  
10890 Prospect Road, Room #226-B  
Strongsville, OH 44149  
440-8461100*

## **TIBBITTS, Don**

*7160 Abilene Drive  
Payton, CO 80831  
330-225-4767*

## **BURGESS, Rev. Jeff & Bailey**

*St. Paul Lutheran Church  
7701 East M-36  
Whitmore Lake, MI 48189*

*6905 Cheddar Valley Drive  
Brighton, MI 48116*

## **BUVINGHAUSEN, Rev. Garrett & Emilia**

*Resurrection Lutheran Church  
2215 N. Llano St. Fredericksburg, TX 78624*

## **MONDAY, Dakota (Doug)**

*6600 N. Clinton St.  
Fort Wayne, IN 46825*

## **FORBES, Connor E.**

*(Adopted Seminary Student from Concordia  
Seminary, Saint Louis, MO)  
Campus  
P.O. 801 Seminary Pl.  
Saint Louis, MO 63105-3196*

## **CLARK, David & Megan**

*(Adopted Seminary Student from Concordia  
Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN)  
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# 2023 ST. PAUL OFFICERS & KEY PEOPLE

Updated 9-2023

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**PASTORAL ASSISTANT**.....Rev. Chris Streeper  
330.441.0502.....chris.streeper@spvc.org

## EXECUTIVE BOARD OFFICERS

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**Treasurer Elect**.....Michele Gatt  
330.723.5608  
mlgatt@zoominternet.net  
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charles.toth@spvc.org  
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**PARISH ADMINISTRATOR**.....Christine Cox  
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Judy Scaife.....330.723.7756

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Art Heyse.....440.570.2682  
John Willkom.....330.321.3746

## LWML

**President**.....Rotating  
**Recording Secretary**.....Diane Johnson  
**Treasurer**.....Len Maver  
**Chaplin**.....Kathy Fargo  
**Corresponding Secretary**.....Margit Gery

## BOARD OF ELDERS

Steve Kato (Head).....330.220.3723  
skato@parker.com  
Chris Duran.....216.577.5164  
Jim Jackson.....330.391.6393  
Sam Jakabcic.....216.789.1076  
Tim Wadle.....216.214.7109

## MUSIC MINISTRY

**Choir:** Sarah Moser.....440.453.0180  
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**Organists:**  
Hannah Criswell.....419.388.3135  
Audrey Harris.....815.762.2442  
Marlene Shook.....330.483.4830

## ALTAR GUILD

Dianne Holland (scheduler).....330.410.8428  
James & Jeanette Rafter.....440.926.1007  
Susan Willkom.....330.723.7137  
Carole Zwingelburg.....330.725.1054

## BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

**Superintendent**.....**VACANT**  
Nursery Roll.....Barb Pijor  
Preschool & Kindergarten.....Jessica Ehrman  
Gail Jackson  
1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade.....Jennifer Herbert  
4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade.....Beth Bremke  
7<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade.....Helen Schoolcraft  
Sarah Wade  
Adult Study.....Pastor Zielinski  
Music.....Alice Tyrpak

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Adam Criswell (Head).....330.418.7470  
Kyle Bremke.....440.309.0227  
Jason Ehrman.....330.421.6759  
Bill Steingass (6 months here).....330.350.2505

**BABY BOTTLE MINISTRY**.....Christine Cox

**BAPTISMAL BANNERS** Tammy Rhodes....440.476.0684

**CARD MINISTRY**...Joyce Ellenberger & Carol Hesketh

**CHRISTIAN NURTURE** Barb Pijor.....440.213.5963

**CUSTODIAN** Liz (Rob) Zacharias.....330.461.0840

**DINNERS** Beth Bremke.....440.669.3180

**ENDOWMENT FUND**.....**VACANT**

**EVANGELISM** Dave Hesketh.....330.410.6150

**FELLOWSHIP HALL RENTAL** Christine Cox....330.483.3883

**FUNERAL MEALS** Sandy Turner.....330.620.6579

**PRAYER CHAIN** Flocknote/Emails....Christine Cox

**SECURITY SYSTEM:** (Safe Harbor Security & Fire)  
Dean Bremke.....216.316.0810

**SEXTON** Jason Ehrman.....330.421.6759

**WELLNESS BOARD** Beth Bremke.....440.669.3180

**WIGGLE BAGS**.....Sandy Turner & Jean Wadle

# **ST. PAUL HELPING HANDS**

## **“SMALL TASK MINISTRY”**

### **ARE YOU IN NEED OF A HELPING HAND?**

Use this list to see who is available on the day of the week you need and reach out to them to set things up.

#### **BEREA**

Tammy Rhodes

Cell: 440-476-0684

Email: [tarhodes1982@hotmail.com](mailto:tarhodes1982@hotmail.com)

**Available:** Saturday & Sunday all day, Monday through Friday after 6pm

#### **BRUNSWICK**

Dave & Carol Hesketh

Cell: 330-410-6150

**Available:** Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Paula Pietch

Cell: 440-897-4847

Email: [grasshopper48@gmail.com](mailto:grasshopper48@gmail.com)

**Available:** Tuesday, Friday, Saturday

Jean Wadle

Cell: 216-387-0271

**Available:** Various times

Tim Wadle

Cell: 216-214-7109

Email: [twads47@yahoo.com](mailto:twads47@yahoo.com)

**Available:** Any

#### **LAGRANGE**

Branko Djordjevic

Cell: 440-655-3749

**Available:** Any

Charlie Djordjevic

Cell: 440-655-3729

**Available:** Any

#### **LITCHFIELD**

Sandy Turner

Cell: 330-592-9405

Email: [slturn71@gmail.com](mailto:slturn71@gmail.com)

**Available:** Any

# 2023 OCTOBER CHURCH EVENTS

| SUNDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                           | MONDAY                                                | TUESDAY                                                                                  | WEDNESDAY                                                                     | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY                                                              | SATURDAY                                                                                                            |
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| <b>1</b><br><b>LWML</b><br>Collecting Mites<br><b>8:00 &amp; 10:30am</b><br>Sunday Worship<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Bible Class<br><b>12-2pm</b><br>Walk-In Communion                                                 | <b>2</b><br><b>6-7:30pm</b><br>Confirmation<br>Class  | <b>3</b><br><b>9:30am</b><br>LWML                                                        | <b>4</b><br><b>10am</b><br>Bible Study<br><br><b>6:30-8pm</b><br>Youth Group  | <b>5</b>  | <b>6</b><br><b>5-7pm</b><br>Duran / Richter<br>Wedding<br>Rehearsal | <b>7</b><br><b>2pm</b><br>Duran / Richter<br>Wedding                                                                |
| <b>8</b><br><b>8:00 &amp; 10:30am</b><br>Sunday Worship<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Bible Class<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Sunday School<br><b>12pm</b><br>LWML Sunday<br>Luncheon<br><b>12-2pm</b><br>Walk-In Communion        | <b>9</b><br><b>NO</b><br>Confirmation<br>Class        | <b>10</b><br><b>NO</b><br>Walk-In<br>Communion<br><br><b>7pm</b><br>Elder Meeting        | <b>11</b><br><b>NO</b><br>Bible Study<br><br><b>11:30am</b><br>Quilters       | <b>12</b> | <b>13</b>                                                           | <b>14</b>                                                                                                           |
| <b>15</b><br><b>8:00 &amp; 10:30am</b><br>Sunday Worship<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Bible Class<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Sunday School<br><b>12-2pm</b><br>Walk-In Communion                                                 | <b>16</b><br><b>6-7:30pm</b><br>Confirmation<br>Class | <b>17</b><br><b>5-7pm</b><br>Walk-In<br>Communion<br><br><b>7pm</b><br>Executive Meeting | <b>18</b><br><b>10am</b><br>Bible Study<br><br><b>6:30-8pm</b><br>Youth Group | <b>19</b> | <b>20</b>                                                           | <b>21</b>                                                                                                           |
| <b>22</b><br><b>8:00 &amp; 10:30am</b><br>Sunday Worship<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Bible Class<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Sunday School<br><b>12-2pm</b><br>Walk-In Communion                                                 | <b>23</b><br><b>6-7:30pm</b><br>Confirmation<br>Class | <b>24</b><br><b>5-7pm</b><br>Walk-In<br>Communion                                        | <b>25</b><br><b>10am</b><br>Bible Study                                       | <b>26</b> | <b>27</b>                                                           | <b>28</b>                                                                                                           |
| <b>29</b><br><b>8:00 &amp; 10:30am</b><br>Sunday Worship<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Bible Class<br><b>9:15am</b><br>Sunday School<br><b>12-2pm</b><br>Walk-In Communion<br><br><b>TIME CHANGE</b><br>Saturday, Nov. 4th | <b>30</b><br><b>6-7:30pm</b><br>Confirmation<br>Class | <b>31</b><br><b>5-7pm</b><br>Walk-In<br>Communion                                        |                                                                               |           |                                                                     | <b>Worship &amp;<br/>Bible<br/>Studies<br/>found on<br/>Livestream<br/>and/or<br/>OnDemand<br/>at:<br/>spvc.org</b> |



# 2023 OCTOBER BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARIES

| SUNDAY                                                                      | MONDAY                                                                                        | TUESDAY                                                | WEDNESDAY                                                       | THURSDAY                                                                                    | FRIDAY                                                                         | SATURDAY                                                                          |
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| 1                                                                           | 2                                                                                             | 3                                                      | 4                                                               | 5                                                                                           | 6                                                                              | 7                                                                                 |
|                                                                             | Dave Scaife<br><br>Jeff & Irma Hill (30)                                                      |                                                        | Cheryl Dearth<br><br>Susan Little<br><br>Adam & Ashley Read (9) | Tim Keller<br><br>Paula Pietch<br><br>Marlene Shook<br><br>John & Pam McGuire (32)          | Yurledis Zielinski<br><br>Rich & Ann Olee (65)<br><br>Bill & Karen Siiman (39) | Betsy Wilson<br><br>Jim & Anita Praisler (28)<br><br>Mike & Charlie Wohlever (56) |
| 8                                                                           | 9                                                                                             | 10                                                     | 11                                                              | 12                                                                                          | 13                                                                             | 14                                                                                |
| Tom Keller<br><br>Billy Schnurr                                             | Dennis Balliet<br><br>Colleen Kato<br><br>Chris Ruhrkruat<br><br>James & Jeanette Rafter (30) | Mea Ehrman<br><br>Lauren Kukurza<br><br>Philipp Weintz |                                                                 | Debbie Harrill<br><br>Gabriella Read<br><br>Sandy Turner<br><br>Dave & Tracy Gigliotti (35) | Joyce Haury<br><br>Dave & Mackenzie Duran (5)                                  |                                                                                   |
| 15                                                                          | 16                                                                                            | 17                                                     | 18                                                              | 19                                                                                          | 20                                                                             | 21                                                                                |
| Dianne Schmidt                                                              |                                                                                               | Julia Baker<br><br>Brian & Cheryl Dearth (36)          | Owen Hawke<br><br>Delaney Herbert                               | Rick & Michele Gatt (32)<br><br>E.J. & Kari Morar (5)                                       | Hailey Murawski                                                                | Jim Praisler                                                                      |
| 22                                                                          | 23                                                                                            | 24                                                     | 25                                                              | 26                                                                                          | 27                                                                             | 28                                                                                |
| Curtis Hawke                                                                | Gail Jackson<br><br>Scott & Joann Wieseman (41)                                               | Joe Bennett                                            | Jessica Ehrman                                                  | Jim & Gail Jackson (49)<br><br>Bill & Linda Steingass (60)                                  | Izsac Metzger                                                                  | Jerry Weigel                                                                      |
| 29                                                                          | 30                                                                                            | 31                                                     |                                                                 |                                                                                             |                                                                                |                                                                                   |
| Garrett Beck<br><br>Lilian Cox<br><br>Gabrielle LaChance<br><br>Kim Schultz |                                                                                               |                                                        |                                                                 |                                                                                             |                                                                                |                                                                                   |

# 2023 OCTOBER BAPTISMS

| SUNDAY                     | MONDAY                                                            | TUESDAY        | WEDNESDAY            | THURSDAY                                                                                     | FRIDAY       | SATURDAY           |
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| 1                          | 2                                                                 | 3              | 4                    | 5                                                                                            | 6            | 7                  |
|                            |                                                                   | Brielle Read   |                      | Chris Duran<br>David Duran<br>Greg Tyrpak                                                    |              |                    |
| 8                          | 9                                                                 | 10             | 11                   | 12                                                                                           | 13           | 14                 |
|                            | Abigail Bennett<br>Cameron Eckert<br>Meghan Smith<br>Nancy Wilson |                |                      |                                                                                              | Elsie Gordon | Elvira Winterstein |
| 15                         | 16                                                                | 17             | 18                   | 19                                                                                           | 20           | 21                 |
| Beth Bremke<br>Emma Hibler | Judah Streeper                                                    | Bill Steingass | Veronica Winterstein | Dennis Balliet<br>Christine Cox<br>Nicole Gatt<br>Rachael Gatt<br>Brian Schnurr<br>Tim Wadle |              | Dorothy Silk       |
| 22                         | 23                                                                | 24             | 25                   | 26                                                                                           | 27           | 28                 |
| Marlene Shook              |                                                                   | Joe Bennett    |                      | Luke Zacharias                                                                               |              | Diane Johnson      |
| 29                         | 30                                                                | 31             |                      |                                                                                              |              |                    |
| Lydia Beck<br>Todd Gery    | Sean Clark                                                        | Colleen Kato   |                      |                                                                                              |              |                    |