

St. Paul Lutheran Church
609 East Columbia
Farmington, MO 63640

The St. Paul Prophet October 18 & 19, 2008 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

Office Phone: 573-756-7872
Fax: 573-756-0934
School Phone: 573-756-5147
www.stpaulfarmington.com

Rev. J.T. King, Senior Pastor
revjtking@yahoo.com 756-3352 Hm.
Rev. David Oddi, Associate Pastor
pastordave59@yahoo.com 218-9388 Hm.
Bonnie Ratcliff, Secretary
brstpaul@yahoo.com 562-1020 Hm.
701-5053 Cell
Sharon Schwartzkopf, Financial Clerk
stpaulfinance@yahoo.com 747-1198 Hm.
Jim Schifferdecker, Organist
schiff@netscape.com 756-5937 Hm.

Our Mission: Helping people know the love of Christ and live for Him.

"Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, 'Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you'" (Hebrews 13:5).

IN OUR PRAYERS

HOSPITAL: Mae Dement (Greg Dement's Grandmother); Bill Floyd; Greg Franklin; Tim Mccauley; Cathy Novak; Tim Schmidt (Julie Storz borther); Andie Ward (Christie Penno's sister); Judy Welch (fr. Kieninger's).

REHAB: Rusty Townsend

TESTS: Carl Propst (fr. Betty Detring)

SCHEDULED FOR SURGERY: Georgia Clements; Bud Link (Janie's husband); Ann Frederick; Donna Schmidt, (Julie Storz mother).

RECOVERING: Emily Tyree; Mary Crouch (fr. Betty Detring); Chris Miller; Fay Townsend; Rosemary Weber (Michelle Bird's mother).

TREATMENTS: Madison Akers; Seth Barns; Betty Buckley; Carolyn Byers; John Carleton (fr. Betty Detring); Daniel Caughron; Sandra Cosby; Melissa Davis; Philip Freeburg; Tyler Harris; Krista Jackson; Jackie Jarnigan; Debra Lewis; Lil Logan; Judy McClanahan; Rhonda LaPlant (fr. Janet Rickus); Rev. Ralph Ogden; Missy Pope; Ken Powers; Martha Roberts; Carole Margene Reeves; Mary Lou Sloan; Marie Tinnin; Rosemary Vaughn; Kathy Wright.

CONTINUED STRENGTH: Cecelia Amsden; Jeanette Anderson; Jewel Bacon; Fayette Bigger; Chris Bone; Todd Carolyn; Cody Crawford; Pete Dastoor; Lindell Elders; Ann Frederick; Peggy Fontana; Angel Rose Gallagher; Vickie Gallagher; Carol Gillam; Connie Giesselmann; Nadine Giessing; Ruth Graham; Hank Gregory; Joe Green; Peggy Green; Bill Heifner; Bud Hawkins; Jerry Held; Edna Hinkle; Eric Hollinger; Martha Jarrell; Jack Kelly; Opal Kelly; Nellie Kollmeyer; Jan Mayberry; Beulah Mabuice; Kenny Mell; Marie Meyer; Willa Dean Meyer; Woodrow Oberman; Dee Owens; Robert Pearson; Joe Port Sr.; Joyce Simms; Jim Sloan; Dwight Steinmann; Craig Thomas; Don Wilson; Marvin Woodfin.

POWER IN PRAYER: Steve and Mindy Wooldridge, Randi, Colten, Kylee; Cathy Wray and Faith, Robert and Carl Young

SYMPATHY: to Phyliss Eller and family at the death of her uncle Lindell Eller.

SERVING IN MILITARY: Shelly Ammerman; Capt. James Anderson; Jeremy Baumgarth; Pat Byington; Jared Clauser; Jeremiah Crites, Jason Day; Shannon Finley; LTjg Rob LaRue; Philip Mistretta Brandon Leigh; Michael Montgomery; Larry Myer; SSgt. Jonathon Mitchell; Patrick Stackpole; Kyle Sullivan; Terry Throm; Jason Weiss; Josh White and strength for their families.

KINDERGARTEN AIDE: A Kindergarten aide position will soon be open at St. Paul School If you would like to apply for the position, please submit a resume to Mr. Giesselmann, Mrs. Rickus or drop off at the school office.

THANK YOU: We thank you so much for your prayers for Zaden Halbrook. We know God hears our prayers and we give thanks for yours. *The Halbrook and Snider families* (Zaden is now home and doing well.)

CONGRATULATIONS to Gertrude Zimmer who will celebrate her 100th birthday on October 21. Her address is Kingswood Manor Apt 3209, 10,000 Wornall Rd, Kansas City, Mo. 64114. Let's make this a memorable day for her and send her a card.

THIS IS IT!! COUNTRY STORE IS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH FROM 8:00 AM UNTIL 2:00 PM. DON'T MISS IT!!!

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEETING: There will be a meeting for the Sunday School teachers on Sunday October 26th at 11:30 am. Lunch will be provided.

COUNTRY STORE Country Store is next week! Are you working on your items? We really need your participation. Baked, homemade or canned goods always sell. Those craft items that you love, someone else loves also. Make one for Country Store! Plants, flowers, straw, yard ornaments, anything to do with planting will be in the plant section. Don't forget Granny's Attic – Anything that you would put in a yard sale (except no clothes). There is an antique section. There is a Christmas section. Of course, you know there are quilts. There will be homemade doughnuts and chili and hot dogs and homemade apple dumplings. Country Store: October 25 from 8 am to 2 pm. Set up: October 23 (12:00 noon to 8 pm) and October 24 (8:00 am to 8:00 pm): Bring your items those two days.

135TH ANNIVERSARY: St. Paul congregation will celebrate its 135th Anniversary on November 9th with a special service and a dinner. Rev. Wegener will be our guest speaker. Helping hands are needed.

LORD'S LEARNERS will show the movie 'Martin Luther' on Sunday, October 26th at 6:00 pm in the lower level in celebration of Reformation Sunday. Everyone is invited to come!!!!!! Look forward to seeing you there!

\$1,000 GRANT: Thrivent Financial is offering St. Paul a grant for \$1,000 toward an additional set of doors for the storage room in the gym to make our tables and chairs more easily accessible. In order to qualify for the grant we need 10 volunteers who will be able to work on the project. Contact Todd Smith at 518-1432.

FRUITS OF OUR FAITH

Cash Flow for Operating Account

Date	Description	Income	Expense	Balance
10/10	Account Balance			(8,413)
10/12	Actual Tithes	8,688		274
10/15	Tuition	9,599		9,874
	Misc. Operating Exp.		425	9,448
10/19	Estimated Tithes	10,000		19,448
	Property & Car Insurance		1,409	18,040
	KREI		400	17,640
	Misc. Operating Exp.		500	17,140
10/22	Estimated Tuition	9,000		26,140
	Misc. Operating Exp.		700	25,440
	Missouri Natural Gas		366	25,074
10/25	Payroll		27,000	(1,926)
10/26	Estimated Tithes	10,000		8,074
	Health Insurance		16,091	(8,017)
	City Light Water		2,500	(10,517)
	Capital Supply		840	(11,358)
	Equipment Maint. Contract		290	(11,648)
	Misc. Operating Exp.		2,700	(14,348)

Average weekly contributions for the current fiscal year are \$8,200. In order to meet our approved budget, the average weekly contribution needs to be \$10,500.

Building Loan as of 10/18/08 - \$362,640

GRANNY'S ATTIC needs your "stuff"! Be getting your items together. Bring them to the gym Thursday, October 23rd from 12:00 NOON TO 8:30 pm and Friday October 24th from 8:00 am until 8:30 pm. We accept anything but clothing.

FISH FRY: Trinity Fredericktown is having All You Care To Eat, Fish Fry and Spaghetti Dinner Friday November 7th. 4-7 PM. Adults \$8.00, Children (5-12) \$4.00, under 5 is free

AN OPPORTUNITY TO HELP: Help is needed for two separate young people who are struggling. Donations of canned goods, gas cards, cleaning and laundry supplies would be a great help to them. Donations may be left at the church entrances or dropped off at the church office.

TRUNK OR TREAT: October 31st is Trunk or Treat from 5:00 pm until 6:30 pm. Donations of candy or money to buy candy are needed. Donations may be dropped off at the school or church office or monies may be placed in the collection plate marked Trunk or Treat.

UNITED WAY DINE OUT THURSDAYS: Long John Silvers/A&W of Farmington will be the host this week. 10% of the proceeds from that day will go to the United Way of St. Francois County. All proceeds stay in St. Francois County to help those in need in this county.

BOARD OF OUTREACH: Military pictures needed for Video- The goal is to have the DVD ready by November 11th, Veterans' Day. Plans are being made to add pictures to the DVD shown on the 4th of July. Anyone wanting to purchase a DVD – may sign up in gym before and after Bible Class or contact Lesley Oddi, Millie Wiley, Darlene McWilliams, Joann Henderson, or Bonnie (at the church office 756-7872). We are asking \$10 at the time you sign up to cover cost. We appreciate Jon Cozean and his staff for doing such a good job. PLEASE BRING YOUR PICTURE TO THE OFFICE – (ORIGINAL IS BEST) TO BE SCANNED AND YOU MAY PICK IT UP IN ABOUT ONE WEEK. We will only order for those who sign up for a copy.

OPEN GYM: October 26th from 5:00 pm until 6:30 pm. Volleyball, Basketball, etc. Freewill donation for admission will offset cost of sitter.

FALL IS IN THE AIR. We think of leaves turning colors. Take a scenic drive to see such beauty. One can only think of our Majestic God to have created the wonder of fall. See you in church in October.



WEEKLY BIBLE CLASS OPPORTUNITIES

Day	Topic	Location	Teacher
Sunday	9:15 a.m.		
	Book of Acts	School Gym	Pastor Oddi
	1 Samuel	Lower Level	Mr. Giesselmann
	Sunday School	School	PS-8 th Grade
	High School	Youth House	Mr. Kellams
	Youth Confirmation	3 rd grade room	Pastor King
	6:30 p.m.		
	Lord's Learners	Lower Level	Doug Pratt
Monday	1:00 p.m.		
	Life with Spice	Lower Level	Pastor Schack
Thurs.	7:00 a.m.		
	Men's Bible St	Roseners	Pastor King

ATTENDANCE

Sat. 10/11	6:00 pm	67
Sun 10/12	9:00 am	84
	10:30 am	<u>238</u>
Total		389
Sunday School, Bible Class:		96

Elder on duty:

Sat. 10/18	6:00 pm – Jason Garner
Sun 10/28	8:00 am – Bill Giessing
	10:30 am – Thad Kieninger
Sat. 10/25	6:00 am – Richard Detring
Sun 10/26	8:00 am – Mark Jones
	10:30 am – Bill Bertram

ST. PAUL CALENDAR

THIS WEEK:

10/19	8:00 am	Worship, Communion
	9:15 am	Sunday School, Bible Class, Confirmation
	10:30 am	Worship, Communion
	4:00 pm	Youth Group
	6:00 pm	Venture Crew
	6:00 pm	Auction planning mtg. Teachers Work Room
10/20	1:00 pm	Life with Spice LL
	6:00 pm	Country Store LA Room
10/21	9:30 am	Active Start LL
	7:00 pm	Church Council UL
10/22	8:00 am	Ladies Aid
	8:15 am	Chapel
	6:00 pm	King's Ringers UL
	6:00 pm	Girl Scouts LL
	7:00 pm	Rejoice Choir LL
10/23	7:00 am	Men's Bible Class Roseners
	11:30 am	School Dismiss
	12:00 pm	Country Store Set up
	7:00 pm	Adult Information LL
10/24		Pilgrim Articles Due
		Country Store Set Up (all day)
		No School
	9:30 am	Active Start LL
10/25	8:00 am	Country Store
	8:00 am	LL in use – all day
	2:00 pm	Country Store clean up
	6:00 pm	Worship Service

NEXT WEEK:

10/26	8:00 am	Worship Service
	9:15 am	Sunday School, Bible Class, Confirmation
	10:30 am	Worship Service
	11:30 am	Sunday School Teachers Mtg. LL
10/27	1:00 pm	Life with Spice LL
	6:00 pm	Country Store Mtg LA room
	7:00 pm	Esther Circle LL
10/28	9:30 am	Active Start LL
10/29	8:00 am	Ladies Aid
	8:15 am	Chapel
	6:00 pm	King's Ringers UL
	7:00 pm	Rejoice Choir LL
10/30	7:00 am	Men's Bible Class Roseners
	9:00 am	Pilgrim Assembly LL
	7:00 pm	Adult Instruction LL
10/31	9:30 am	Active Start LL
	5:00 pm	Trunk or Treat – school parking lot
11/01	6:00 pm	Worship, Communion



*will begin at 2:00 am on November 2nd.
Please remember to turn your clocks BACK one hour
before going to bed on Saturday November 1st*

October is
Pastor Appreciation
Month

May God bless
You, Pastor King
and you, Pastor Oddi
On this day and every Day
through the year! We are a
very blessed congregation
to have you both serve as
our pastors!
We thank God for you!!