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**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH**  
**Sunday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 – Saturday September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Hospitalized:** *If you or someone you know is hospitalized or ill, please call the church office at 610-944-0406. If you do not want the name listed in the bulletin, please notify the church office as well.*

**Thank you for your help. On-going Prayer Needs:** Ross McKently, Fern Shankweiler, Steven Sutherland, Elizabeth Ressler, Bruce Schutt, Dennis Raudenbush, Mike Berg, June Wannier, Eric Speece, Dee Eastland, Lynn Dodson, Jenna Sassaman, Devin, and D.J., Jane Folk, Jack Raines, Mary Eastland, Ellis Rice.



**Kenneth Hawkins...** Please sign the "Thinking of You" card.



**September 5<sup>th</sup>, Bible Study 10:00, Lounge**

**Are you interested in becoming a member at St. Paul's?** We would love to have you as part of our church family! Contact Pastor Pat if you would like to talk more about being part of this community of faith.

**PLEASE BE REMINDED:** The office hours are as follows; Monday, 8AM- 1PM; Tuesday, 8AM-12PM; Wednesday, 8AM-11AM; Thursday, 8AM-1PM; Friday, 8AM-11AM. If you are part of a committee that has deliveries to the church, please make sure that the vendor is notified of these new hours.

**Fleetwood Friends Relay for Life Team** is selling Mums. A single pot is \$5.00 or 3 for \$12.00 and the hanging baskets are \$12.00. Orders will be taken this Sunday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> & the 9<sup>th</sup> after both services in the narthex. If you have any questions please call Erin Goldman at 610-507-4559.

**Bible Study:** After this week, bible study will resume on October 3rd.

**Berks Encore Meals on Wheels Needs YOUR Help . . .** We are looking for volunteers to help us in distributing daily meals Monday through Friday to Seniors in the Fleetwood, Kutztown and Blandon areas. Meals are delivered before noon. Volunteers can help one day a week, one day a month or as often as you can. **Call today for more details about how you can help your neighbors in need! (610) 374-3195, Ext. 225**

**THE MUSIC CORNER:** The Early sings at the 1<sup>st</sup> service, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month. Please come join us at 8:30 that morning for a run through if interested. The Chancel and Bell choirs will resume rehearsals on Wednesday, September 5. Bell Choir will rehearse from 6:15 to 7 pm, and Chancel choir will rehearse from 7-8 pm. A couple of folks have expressed interest in joining these groups in the last few months. If you are still interested in joining, please get in touch with Jill. All skill levels are welcome- it is not necessary to read music for either group- just a desire to make music! Children's choir will now meet at the beginning of Sunday School each week at 8:55 am. This will provide an opportunity for all students K-7 to sing once a month in worship service.



**Church Picnic: September 9<sup>th</sup>, St. Paul's UCC Grounds, 11:30-2:30**

Plan to join your church community as a new Sunday School year is celebrated with Rally Day and the annual church picnic. Tentative plans for the day include regular Sunday School classes and first service at 8:55 AM and a Rally Day celebration during the second service at 10:25 AM, immediately followed by an afternoon of food, fun, and fellowship on the church lawn.

**Upper Room and Bulletins:** If you have sponsored the Upper Room or Bulletins from January through July and have not yet made payment, please do so. We do not send bills for these sponsorships. Simply write a check to the church. It is \$60 for Upper Room and \$35 for Bulletins. Please make sure you mark your check/envelope accordingly so it is not credited to your weekly giving. Any questions please see Sue Creswell. Thank you!

**Clean-up Buckets and Hygiene Kits Delivered:** In an effort to help with the recovery effort following recent flooding, St. Paul's Missions Committee organized the assembly of 20 clean-up buckets and 24 hygiene kits. Tremont, Pine Grove, and Hamburg were some of the hardest hit and unfortunately by more than one storm. Jim and Leona Wright delivered them to Tower City on Monday, August 23. After their visit, the Wrights reported, "In our area we don't quite grasp the difficulties of having all roads blocked out of a town. We also don't understand the workings of flood waters coming off the mountains and flooding homes on those mountains. It's a whole different understanding of living in such an area. In conversations with folks both within and outside our church, these were the first heavy rains that impacted them since they have lived in their houses for 25+ years. One never knows when you become the victim of a natural disaster. Thus, we need to glorify God by helping each other!"

**JOINT UNION CEMETARY COMMITTEE** We are looking for two people to serve on a joint committee with the Lutheran church to oversee the operations of the Union Cemetery. Contact Pastor Pat if you are interested.

**THE MISSION FAIR IS COMING!** Attention all committees, auxiliaries, scouts and anyone else who has a ministry associated with our church, we are having a Mission Fair on Sunday, October 28. You will be hearing more about the event, but put the date on your calendar NOW!