ST·PAUL
United Methodist Church

November 15, 2026

WORSHIP AT 9 AM
25TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SONG OF PREPARATION		Oldet Ibo, Accompanist
INTROIT	*Rejoice the Lord is King*	Choir
WELCOME		Felix Koutsourais, Lay Leader
GREETING	*Oh How He Loves You and Me*	
BAPTISM		Cooper Daniel Walters
SCRIPTURE READING: PSALM 123:1-3		Lois Finney
***HYMNS**	*Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service*	No. 581
	O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing	No. 57
STEWARDSHIP MOMENT		
OFFERING	*Keep Your Lamps*	Choir
***DOXOLOGY**		
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		
MESSAGE	You're Not Crazy Dr. Don Pratt 1 Corinthians 15:58	
***HYMN**	*I Will Trust in the Lord*	No. 464
APOSTLES' CREED		
PRAYER WITH LORD'S PRAYER		
***HYMN**	*Forth In Thy Name*	No. 438
BENEDICTION		
POSTLUDE		

9 AM Worship Leader - Dr. Robert Williams
11 AM Worship Leader - Alison Van Duyne
11 AM Liturgist - Felix Koutsourais

11 AM SET LIST

Just That Good, I've Witnessed It, See a Victory, Cornerstone

The Wiggle Room for nursing mothers and others with churldren is on the right side of the lobby.

VISITING US TODAY?

Stop by the Connection Center at the back of the worship center. You can also visit our website: **stpaulumc.org** or join **our mailing list** to keep up to date on St. Paul UMC.

FILL OUT A CONNECT CARD

Let us know you're worshiping with us and share prayer requests and other needs: **stpaulumc.org/connect-card** Or scan the QR code on the left.

HOW TO GIVE ONLINE

Visit stpaulumc.org and click **the "Give" link** at the top of the page or scan the QR code on the right.

TOWN HALL MEETING TONIGHT

Our town hall meeting to discuss the proposal to sell the Clearwater campus is today at 2 PM. We'll share information about why we believe this is a necessary step for the stewardship of the church and answer any questions you have. There will be no votes taken at this meeting.

STUDENT FRIENDSGIVING

Students are invited to Friendsgiving next Sunday, Nov. 22 from 6-8 PM. We'll have a Thanksgiving feast and enjoy hanging out and playing games. The cost will be $5/person. Students are welcome to bring a dessert or something to share if they'd like, but do not have to bring anything.

MESSY CHURCH

Children's Ministry invites families with kids in elementary school or younger to join us for Messy Church next Sunday, Nov. 22 at 5 PM. It's our last Messy Church of 2026, so join us for dinner and lots of fun activities for the whole family. RSVP on **our website**. It's free!

HELP DECORATE NEXT SUNDAY

We'll be decorating the church for advent next Sunday, Nov. 22 at noon. If you're able to help, meet in the Connection Center after worship next Sunday.

THANKSGIVING AT OPEN ARMS

Thank you so much for the Thanksgiving donations we've already received for Open Arms! Please make sure to drop off all food donations by next Sunday, Nov. 22. We're collecting, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberry sauce, canned vegetables and other side items.

PARENTS NIGHT OUT

Parents are invited to take the night off on Saturday, Dec. 5 while kids (6 months to 5th grade) have fun with us. Cost of $10 per child includes four hours of fun activities from 4-8 PM with dinner, snacks, a movie, a bounce house and more. You can register **on our website** now.

CONNECT

FACEBOOK GROUPS

General: StPaulUMC
Children: StPaulParentsLounge
Students: SPUMCParents

KIDS & STUDENTS

See below for social media links and visit our website for kids and students. Kids are invited to join us in the Treehouse during worship and bring their families to Messy Church at 5 PM on 4th Sundays. Students worship, play games and more on Sundays from 6-8 PM.

ADULTS

Visit our website to learn about Adult Students and Adult Ministries.

SUNDAY STUDIES

10 AM: Homeward Bound - Rm 202
10:15 AM: Friendship - Rm 201
10:30 AM: Inspirations - Rm 206

TUESDAY STUDIES

Light Seekers - 10:30 AM - Rm 201

HANDICAPABLE WORSHIP

6:30 PM on Wednesdays.
Worship Center and on YouTube
@stpaulhandi

Need help connecting?
Email church@stpaulumc.org
Fill Out Connect Card
www.stpaulumc.org

Need to contact Dr. Don?
don.p@stpaulumc.org

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PRAYER LIST

Angela & Family
Big Mike S.
Bonnie & Family
Christopher
Don and Ka'ren
Don L. (Cousin)
George
Janis R.
John K.
Jordan F.
Judah
Linda S.
Loretta W.
Marc B.
Mychelle J.
Our leaders
Peggy E.
People of Israel & Gaza
People of Ukraine
Renne K.
Ryan S. & Family
Scott
Scott W.
Shannon
Tino O.
Women in crisis







Our students spent lots of time worshiping and studying God's Word on their fall retreat. They also explored the city of Inverness and spent time at the lake.

2027 COMMITMENT

If you'd like to make a commitment to support St. Paul in 2027 please fill out a commitment card or the online commitment form. If your pledge is staying the same, please fill out a card and write no change. We do not automatically roll over any pledges. We'll bless the cards to God's service in worship next Sunday, Nov. 22. Thank you for all you do to support St. Paul through your gifts and service!

HANDICAPABLE THANKSGIVING

All are welcome to celebrate Handicapable and thank God for our blessings at Handi's Thanksgiving Worship this Weds., Nov. 18 at 6:30 PM.

FAMILY MOVIE MATINEE

St. Paul Family Members of all ages are invited to a free Christmas Movie Matinee on Sat., Dec. 12 at 2 PM. We'll be watching The Best Christmas Pageant Ever, where a few troublemaking siblings bring chaos to the annual Christmas pageant. But the mischievous kids may unwittingly teach a community the true meaning of Christmas. Martha's Loving Hearts will provide snacks and desserts! This is a free event, but please RSVP on the Connect Card so we can make sure we have enough snacks for everyone.

PHONE UPDATE

The issues with our office phone system have been resolved and our church office phones are working again. We appreciate your patience over the last few weeks while we were working on the problem.