



“No matter who you are,
No matter where you are
on life’s journey,
You are welcome here.”



Welcome to Worship

at St. Paul UCC

We are glad you are here!

9 am Worship in the Sanctuary
10 am Sunday School

Information for our friends ~

- Our **9am Worship Service** is inspired with hymns, scripture and a uplifting, theological based sermon, in a family friendly environment.
- The Nursery is open during 9 am service (first classroom in the hallway off the sanctuary)
If the small person gets wiggly, there are toys & books to enjoy.
- Hearing devices, large print bulletins, and large Bibles (in church library) are available, please see your ushers if you have any questions.
- Our Worship Service is broadcast on KSTL-690 AM radio & streamed on Jubilee690.com at 9am Sundays and repeated at 9pm.
- We want to know you!! Please sign the Pew Pad today. If you are new to St. Paul, want your information updated or with us every week– let us know you are here!! Please fill in your contact information and we will happily contact you as you wish.
- When you or a loved one is admitted to a hospital, please ask the hospital to notify the church office. If you have a new addition to your family, if your address or phone changes, please contact the church office so we can keep our records current.

LEADING THIS TIME OF WORSHIP

<i>Lay Reader</i>	Roger Relfe
<i>Radio</i>	Brett White
<i>Sound / Control Room</i>	Rick Haar and Dana Rosenzweig
<i>Ushers</i>	Wayne Caughman, Sue Hoffmann, Gay Eckert, Carly Dahm, Joyce Maurer
<i>Welcome Center</i>	Fred & Carol Hotz, Sandy Ritter
<i>Director of Christian Education / Sunday School Teacher</i>	Tyler Kohrs
<i>Music Ministry</i>	Osceola Mueller
<i>Organist / Pianist</i>	Dan Fry
<i>Senior Pastor</i>	Rev. Michelle Torigian

OT = Old Testament NT = New Testament † Please stand if able

St. Paul United Church of Christ

Trinity Sunday

June 16, 2019 9:00 am

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Gaelic Morning

Dan Forrest

INVITATION TO HOLY SPACE

CALL TO WORSHIP (Inspired by Psalm 8)

One: God, how majestic is your name throughout this earth!

All: From the farthest reaches of the planet to the spaces immediately in front of us.

One: Whether we call you Mother or Father, Companion or Lord-

All: How majestic is your name throughout this earth!

One: Whether we see you as Spirit or Savior, Creator or Comforter

All: Your name is majestic throughout this earth!

One: How many ways there are to know you!

How many ways to call you!

All: How majestic is your Spirit throughout this earth!

INVOCATION (Unison)

Divine Whirl who moves about as three-in-one: we can't fully comprehend your complete greatness. Our minds spin as we attempt to thoroughly understand the concept of Trinity, of how you work as Creator God, Christ, and Holy Spirit. Although our minds are finite, we still look towards you in our growing understanding of how you work, God. Inspire us in your movement so that we whirl in your love. Amen.

+OPENING HYMN

Holy, Holy, Holy



1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, God the Al - might - y!
2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Saints a - dore you tru - ly.
3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though we know but dim - ly,
4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, God the Al - might - y!



Ear - ly in the morn - ing we praise your maj - es - ty.
Cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
Though the eyes of hum - an - kind your glo - ry may not see,
All your works shall praise your name in earth and sky and sea.



Ho - ly, ho - ly ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y!
Cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim bow be - fore you on - ly,
You a - lone are ho - ly, you a - lone are wor - thy,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
From the be - gin - ning, God e - ter - nal - ly.
Per - fect in power, in love and pur - i - ty.
God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

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Information about today's service:

All St. Paul United Church of Christ services may be recorded.

Pieces of this service are often video recorded for our website, social media and over can be heard over the radio. Invitation to Call to Worship, Invocation, Prayer of Reconciliation, Assurance of Grace, Receiving our Morning Gifts and Offerings, Dedication Prayer and Benediction written by Rev. Michelle L. Torigian.

Cover art created by Rev. John Gage.

+PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION

One: Spinning, Whirling God, you pirouette as the Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. The three images dance in unison. Unfortunately, with our limited minds, we can only see you in one form. We then curb ourselves to how we experience you. We call you by only a few of your names. We limit our songs. We are drawn by few prayers. We make spiritual growth as easy on ourselves as possible.

All: **Break down the confines in which we place you. Encourage us to move beyond our comfort zones. Help us to know you from a variety of angles, and nudge us to listen to others' stories of you. May our spirits of understanding grow as we see you from different perspectives. Amen.**

+ASSURANCE OF GRACE

One: God knows that stepping outside of our comfort zones and seeing the world from different views is difficult on us. When we stay in safe spiritual spaces, God still loves us. The God who dances in our world will continue to call us new spaces, sharing grace with us in our moments of hesitation. Amen!

All: Amen!

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: May the peace of Christ be with you. **All: And also with you.**

One: Let us share a sign of the peace with one another.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT with Pastor Michelle

MISSION MOMENT Mission Trip Edie Elliott

SPECIAL MUSIC *Medley of Hope* arr. Christine Anderson
Mary Lu Bretsch, handbell soloist

SCRIPTURE Psalm 8
Proverbs 8:1-4 & 22-31

SERMON The Movement of the Trinity

+HYMN

Eternal Father, Strong to Save

1 E - ter - nal Fa - ther, strong to save, whose arm has bound the
2 O Christ, whose voice the wa - ters heard and hushed their rag - ing
3 Cre - a - tor Spir - it, by whose breath were fash - ioned sea and
4 O Trin - i - ty of love and power, pre - serve their lives in

rest - less wave, who told the might - y o - cean deep its
at your word, who walked a - cross the surg - ing deep and
sky and earth; who made the storm - y cha - os cease and
dan - ger's hour; from rock and tem - pest, flood and flame, pro -

own ap - point - ed bounds to keep: O hear us when we
in the storm lay calm in sleep: O hear us when we
gave us life and light and peace: O hear us when we
tect them by your ho - ly name, and to your glo - ry

cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.
cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.
cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.
let there be glad hymns of praise from land and sea.

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PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE with LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.
Amen.**

RECEIVING OUR MORNING GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

One: The Spirit is calling us to use our time. The Christ is beckoning us to use our talents. God is desiring us to use our treasures to construct God's kin-dom. Let us celebrate all of creation and each of the ways God appears to us as we share in this time of offering.

OFFERTORY *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* Robert Hobby

+DOXOLOGY *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ in whom God's grace we know;
Praise Spirit, with us evermore;
One God, triune, whom we adore.

+UNISON DEDICATION PRAYER

How majestic is the name of the Christ - the one who asks us to love through our gifts. How majestic is the name of the Holy Spirit - the one who energizes us to share our time and talents. How majestic is the name of our God - our source of blessings. May we use our gifts as a way to strengthen our world and build the kin-dom of God. Amen.

+HYMN

Come Now, Almighty God

1 Come now, Al - might - y God, help us your
2 Come now, In - car - nate Word, by heaven and
3 Come, Ho - ly Com - fort - er, your sa - cred
4 To you, great One in Three, e - ter - nal

name to laud; our songs we raise:
earth a - dored; our prayer at - tend:
wit - ness bear in this glad hour.
prais - es be for ev - er - more.

Rul - er all glo - ri - ous, o'er all vic - to - ri - ous,
Come, and your peo - ple bless, and give your word suc - cess;
Your grace to us im - part, now rule in ev - ery heart,
Your sov - ereign maj - es - ty may we in glo - ry see,

come and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days!
grant us your ho - li - ness, Sav - ior and Friend!
nev - er from us de - part, Spir - it of power!
and to e - ter - ni - ty love and a - dore.

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+BENEDICTION

One: The Divine is spinning, whirling around you. Taste the sweetness from their fruits. Feel the winds from her movement. Hear the joy from his song. Through the Holy Spirit, may we go forth in strength. Through the Christ, may we go forth in love. Through God, may we go forth in peace. Three-in-one. One-in-three. Moving to bring forth love, justice, and mercy in our world. Amen.
All: Amen!

+POSTLUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy

Piet Post



Welcome

We're glad
you're here!

News & Notes

Sunday
mornings ~

9am Worship
10am Sunday School
stpaulucc.org

FATHER'S DAY ROLL OF HONOR



In Honor of

SERGIO ALVAREZ, from Lynn and Luci Bradley.
DAN FRIEDRICH, from Lee-Alison, Milie, Dani, and Jack.
GARY FRIEDRICH, from Lee-Alison, Milie, Dani, and Jack.
ELGEE PHILLIPS, from Jeanette Phillips.
SCOTT WILSON, from Dani.
SCOTT WILSON, from Lee-Alison, Milie, Dani, and Jack.

In Memory of

PAUL BAUZA, from Stephenie Bauza.
REV. EDWIN C. BEIER, from Janet Heil and Gloria Strohm.
RAYMOND L. BRADLEY, from Lynn and Luci Bradley.
IVAN E. BURTON, from Lynn and Luci Bradley.
HENRY CAUGHMAN, from Wayne Caughman.
A. LLOYD CULLEY, from Jane Bonaldi.
MERLIN 'BUD' ERDMANN AND VERNON WISSEHR,
from Dick & Ruth Ann Erdmann.
NEBAH GANIM, from Sandra & Wayne Pfingsten.
SAMUEL KELLY, from Donna Kelly.
FREDERICK KOCH, from Janice Friedrich.
VERNON KURRUS, MY DAD, from Judy Koch.
ELMER PERSCHBACHER, from Elgee & Jeanette Phillips.
EDWIN PFINGSTEN, from Sandra & Wayne Pfingsten.
WILLIAM SAGE & RICH SUESS, from Barb Suess.
REV. WILLIAM SCHWEICKHART, from Luci and Lynn Bradley.
JACK AND HARRY, from Paul & Sue Sutherland.
VINCENT TORIGIAN, from Pastor Michelle,
Lauren Torigian, and Lori Rogers.

Our wonderful Culinaires will be taking the summer off for some well-deserved rest and relaxation! They will return in the fall with their wonderful meals for the congregation on the third Sundays of the month. Have a great summer!



Do you know what this is?



Come to church on June 23rd. Afterwards, go the Welcome Center and find out in a display presented by the Archives. You'll enjoy it! *Roger Henke*



St. Paul Women's Guild
Tuesday, June 18 6:30 pm
Summer Potluck & Bingo
(Featuring Fried Chicken)

Guests are invited to join us. There is always plenty to share.
 Women's Guild meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month in the Activity Center.

Do you have a VHS &/or Beta video player at home with dust on it?? The Archives is looking for these items to help convert some old recordings to digital. If you have one or both of these items, please contact the church office. Thank you!



The Center of Hope, which will be opening soon, is dependent on volunteer participation. We cannot open until we know that we have at least two volunteers on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9:30 am until 2:30 pm. There is a process that needs to be followed to volunteer, which involves going to the Salvation Army website and signing up, passing a background check and then online training. It is a painless process and does not take much time at all. The Center of Hope will offer area homeless a safe, comfortable place to relax. The Center of Hope will also have showers, ability to wash and dry clothes, and will be given information about community services available.

Anyone needing help with the online application and screening process may contact Carol or Mike at Beacon Ministries (618-222-8942).

Those with a heart for volunteering can sign up to volunteer one day a week or a month. Less time but still want to help? Schedules Can be arranged in time slots as small as two hours. Truly, there is a place for you to help at The Center of Hope. Please consider helping and call us today!

Uni Pres Kindercottage Presents

Our First Golden Gala



**A Celebration of 50 years
Looking Forward to the Future**



**Saturday, June 29
Doors open 5pm
Show begins 5:30pm
Dinner at 6pm**

Featuring:

Anthony Wiggins & Friends Jazz Band

Comedian Natalie Monroe

Silent Auction—Moving Videos

Stirring Testimonials—Cash Bar

**& some surprises to celebrate Brenda Crisp's
50 years of ministry at UniPres Kindercottage!**

Gourmet Buffet from the Bellecourt Banquet Center

**Bellecourt Manor
225 East "A" Street
Belleville, Illinois**

**Tickets \$60/ 8 for \$420
Sponsorships Available
Order tickets/sponsor at:
unipreskindercottage.org
Or by calling 618-874-6505**

Looking for ways to help & have fun this summer???

We have 2 opportunities! Sign up for one or both!!
Read the information below and fill out / return the slips

You have all heard of "Stay-cations"

(vacations where you stay home)

This is a "Stay-Work Trip"

Help during the day & sleep in your bed at night!



The house next door to
St. Paul rented by BASSC
is in need of lots of painting and yard work.
Work days are scheduled for July 15-17. Return by to church July 1.

Name _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

Dates/Times Available (days/ evenings/weekends) _____

Skills / job preference _____



Heritage Hall Restoration

There will be many jobs, ways, & hours
in the Heritage Hall Restoration.
Be a part of this exciting project!
This is ongoing through summer.
Return to church by July 1.

Name _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

Dates/Times Available (days/ evenings/weekends) _____

Skills (ex: Painting/Electric/woodwork) _____

**Are your Kids looking
for a One-Of-A-Kind
Musical Experience
This Summer?**

Join us at St. Paul UCC for our
5 Week Summer Musical Series

Starting Sunday, July 14 and continuing every
Sunday, through Sunday, August 11!

*If your children love to sing and musical theatre,
this is the program for them!*

Sunday, July 14, 2019: Mary Poppins/Mary Poppins Returns

Sunday, July 21, 2019: Wicked

Sunday, July 28, 2019: Footloose

Sunday, August 4, 2019: The Sound of Music

Sunday, August 11, 2019: The Greatest Showman

Each week, there will be two to three songs performed from
each musical during our 9am service, with rehearsals
throughout the week prior as well.

For more information or to sign up, please email our
Christian Education Director, Tyler Kohrs
tkohrs@stpaulucc.org

CRAFTY MANIA

Proceeds to Benefit: A Mission of the Church

**Are you a Scrapbooker, Card Maker, Jewelry Maker, or like to Sew?
What ever your craft, join us!! Spend the day doing what you like!!**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW!!!

What: All Day Crafting
When: Saturday –September 21, 2018
8:30am – 4:00pm
Where: St. Paul UCC
115 West B St (enter on C St)
Belleville, IL



Adults: \$30.00 with lunch / \$25 no lunch

Includes: snacks, vendors, reserved space, attendance prizes

Extended Hours Available! 9am–10:00pm \$35 per person (meals served) /\$30pp NO meals

Contact: Diana Haar @ dmhaar@charter.net

Raffle tickets available for purchase for a variety of items!

Early bird registration due Sept 1 (to be entered in special drawing)

Reservation Deadline is September 13th

Please remember IF the minimum attendance is not met by the deadline, the event will be CANCELLED! If the event is a GO- Refunds will only be given up to Sept 19th.

Make checks payable to: St. Paul UCC

Mail payment & reservation to: St. Paul UCC

115 West B St, Belleville, Il 62220 **Attn: Crafty Mania**

Name: _____

Phone _____ E-mail(print clearly) _____

I would like to sit by _____

My craft is _____

Enclosed is my payment of (please circle ONE below)

Option 1 \$30.00 with lunch 9am – 4pm

Option 2 \$25.00 no lunch 9am – 4pm

Option 3 \$35.00 with lunch & dinner 9am-10pm

Option 4 \$30.00 no meals 9am – 10pm

**SAVE THE DATE FOR
ST. PAUL NIGHT AT BUSCH STADIUM**

**CARDINAL BASEBALL!!
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
CARDINALS vs. BREWERS
7:15 pm game**



Tickets go on sale in a few weeks!
Save the date and get a group together!
\$20 per person (no children's ticket price)

Seats are in the Left Field Pavilion
We'll have a panoramic view of the entire field!
The give away that evening is a

Cardinal Hockey Sweater for those 16 and older.

This is a fundraiser for St. Paul and our goal is to sell 300 tickets – so invite friends, family – everyone you know who's a baseball fan – even if they root for the Brewers!

If we reach our goal, 4 lucky ticket holders will win a pregame field visit to watch batting practice, we'll get a group photo, group recognition on the scoreboard during the game and, if available, sing God Bless America or Take Me Out to the Ballgame. Plus, we'll be earning \$\$ for St. Paul while having a great evening of fun and fellowship! You just can't miss this event!!

Here are a few tips that might be helpful:

- *Only soft-sided coolers no larger than 16"x16"x8" are allowed in the stadium
- *No backpacks are allowed, unless it's a diaper bag
- *Factory sealed soda, water in clear plastic bottles, no larger than 2 liters, are allowed
- *No alcohol or non-alcoholic beer is allowed *Empty cups, mugs or plastic bottles are allowed
- *No aluminum containers, glass bottles, metal cans or thermoses are allowed
- *Food items are allowed but must fit in a bag no bigger than 16"x16"x8"

For questions about what you can bring to the stadium, see mlb.com/cardinals/ballpark/security.

Redbird Express Information:

- *Cost for round trip (cash only) adults \$5; ages 2 – 12 \$2; under 2 free
- *Buses leave (about every 5 – 8 minutes) beginning 2 ½ hours before game time from the water tower at St. Clair Square in Fairview Heights and
if we know that we'll have more than 25 riders, we might be able to get our own bus
- *Drop off is at the corner of Clark & Broadway near Gates 5 & 6
- *The last bus leaves stadium -Clark Street between Broadway & 4th, 45 minutes after game ends

Let's make this a super success & start off our new church year with a home run!!

Brought to you by your St. Paul Stewardship Board

For Your Prayers

Judy Beisiegel
 Diana Haar
 Marsha McCoy
 Ken Sindel
 Bill Whicher

Like to Help?

Do you have pictures of events here at St. Paul?

We are gathering pictures for a new pictorial directory.
 Send pictures to tlakehopper@stpaulucc.org

This Week

Father's Day
Sun, June 16 **9am Worship**

Mon, June 17 10am exercise

Tues, June 18 9am Quilters
 5pm Comm Dinner
 5:30 NAMI
 7pm Womens Guild

Thurs, June 20 6:30 Council

Sat, June 22 10am Ctr Prayer

Please call Tina at 233-3303 for any scheduling questions.
Thank you.

For Your Information

Loose League Golf Group

We keep score, then don't pay attention to it.
At The Orchards

Tuesday, June 18 at 1:30.
 Tuesday, June 25 1:30
 Tuesday, July 2 1:30
 Tuesday, July 9 1:30
 Monday, July 15 1:30
 Tuesday, July 23 1:30
 Tuesday, July 30, 1:30
 Tuesday, August 6 1:30
 Monday, August 12 1:30

The remainder of the summer-- Mondays at 1:30
 Let Donna Davis or Paul Sutherland know if you are coming. We'll wait for you at the turn.

Thank You

Weekly Attendance

9am /11 am June 2, 2019 June 3, 2018
 122/single serv 132/21

Offering for 06/02/2019 - \$6,319	General Fund	Needed each week \$13,281
Giving to...	\$303,586	
Budget to...	\$292,182	
Total Budget	\$690,615	