

St. Paul's News

September 2015



From the Pastor's Pen:

St. Paul's,

Happy September! I hope that you all enjoyed your summer and were able to spend time traveling or with family or outdoors or whatever you enjoy doing during the warmer months. Now though with September upon us it is time to get back into the swing of things. You will want to be sure to join us for worship this month as we go back to our fall schedule. We will be discussing texts from Proverbs and James this month as we consider the topic of wisdom and how we as people of God are called to have and use wisdom.

In addition our normal Sunday School schedule will start back up in September at 11:15 every Sunday. Sunday School is available for all ages and if you have never been a part of it I encourage you to try it out this year. The Adult Sunday School class will be starting off with a study called "6 Things We Should Know About God." This is a DVD and bible based study. Join us to learn what these six things are. Also stay tuned for upcoming announcements about an additional bible study opportunity for adults during the week, which we will start in October.

It is my hope and prayer that many of you will consider joining us in learning and study this upcoming year. For we are called as Christians to grow in knowledge and wisdom of God. For as James 3: 17-18, one of the scriptures we will be discussing this month, tells us, "But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle,

willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace." Let us strive for this wisdom from above so that we can faithfully be disciples of Jesus Christ.

Peace,
Pastor Hannah



Special Birthdays

September

21 – Elaine Yager

If you are over 80 and would like your birthday listed, contact the church office.

Lunch
Bunch



Lunch Bunch

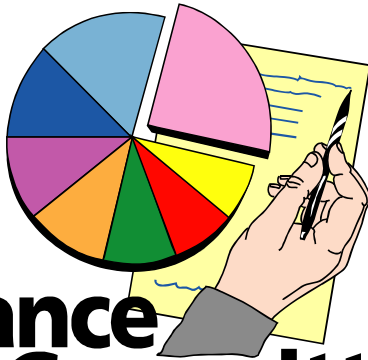
Tuesday Lunch
Bunch
(Includes men &
women)
Sept. 22, noon
Destination to be
announced.



Table Favor Committee



No session is needed in
September since we have
worked ahead. Looking
forward to seeing you in
October.



Finance Committee

Thanks to all that have given very
generously this year. Spending through
July is right on budget. Giving was very
good for the first three and a half months
and has fallen off since. A small number
have missed given for one to three
months. Pray that we can trust that God's
people have the ability and faith to catch up
our giving in the next four months.

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ST. PAUL'S IN MISSION

August Mission Giving:
Third Sunday Ingathering Offering
(Goes to First Call for Help)--\$ 22.00

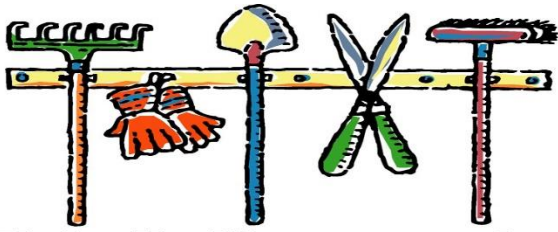
Migrant Students School Supplies were
collected for several weeks in August.
Thanks for the many donations to help
these students begin a new school year!

Henderson Settlement: We received a
recent thank you following our mailing of
Campbell's Soup Labels. We will continue
to collect labels throughout the year.
1,600,000 points were needed to purchase
a minivan. They received 20,000 points
beyond the required amount and those will
be banked for a future purchase. There are
many other products they need and will be
able to use points for those purchases also.

Step by the bulletin board near the
elevator to read more of their letter and see
the list of products which have labels we
can save to send to Henderson Missions.
--Kathy Daniel for the Missions Committee



If you would like to donate flowers for the
altar any time during the year, please call
the church office at (419)447-1743.



Help Us Maintain the Church Grounds

Cleaning of the church: A thank you to Sarah Runion who has been cleaning around the church this summer. She also offered to help with some painting projects which Rich Kinstler was not able to plan in time before she went back to college.

We do not have a janitor so we are depending on volunteers. It is a **BIG** job to keep the church clean. We could use some help. If you could volunteer 1 hour a week, we could designate a small area for you. Please consider helping us!



Acolyte Schedule for September:

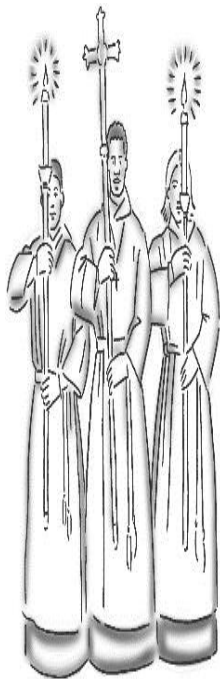
9/6/15: Connor McGinnis and Krystal Lawrence

9/13/15: Kayla and Courtney McGinnis

9/20/15: Robbie and A.J. Lindhorst

9/27/15: Allison Johnson and Carter Lindhorst

If your son or daughter is in Third Grade and older and would like to acolyte, please contact Jill Lindhorst at (419)443-0273 or blindhorst@att.net.



Acolytes



Do we have your e-mail address?

If you would like the monthly newsletter sent to your email, please contact Jill Lindhorst at blindhorst@att.net or (419-443-0273).



Newsletter deadline for the October Newsletter is September 18th.

Please email to Jill Lindhorst at blindhorst@att.net or call (419)443-0273.

