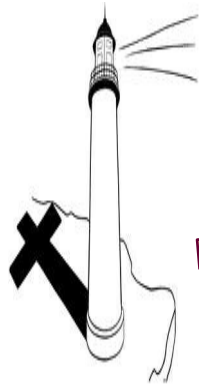


ST. PAUL'S
UNITED CHURCH
OF CHRIST

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Sheboygan, WI 53081

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The Beacon



SEPTEMBER 2018

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Closed
Tuesday-Friday:
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Other times by appointment

CHURCH WEB SITE:

www.sspucc.org

CHURCH EMAIL:

sheboyganstpaulsucc@gmail.com

CHURCH STAFF:

Pastor Jeremy Hysten

Richard Reineking -
Consistory President
John Brown - Vice President
Lisa Flook - Organist
Leslie Ellair - Choir Director
Pat Jaberg - Handbell Director
Lisa Drews - Admin. Assist.
Carol Reineking - Custodian

Midweek Worship
Wednesday @ 6:00 p.m.

Sunday School
Sunday @ 8:45 a.m.

Worship Service
Sunday @ 10:00 a.m.

Communion -
Second Sunday of each
month

Our Mission:

With love and compassion
for all, we guide and nurture
God's children, young and
old, on our spiritual journey
together.

*When I look at your heavens,
the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars that you have established;
what are human beings that you are mindful of them,
mortals that you care for them?*

from Psalm 8

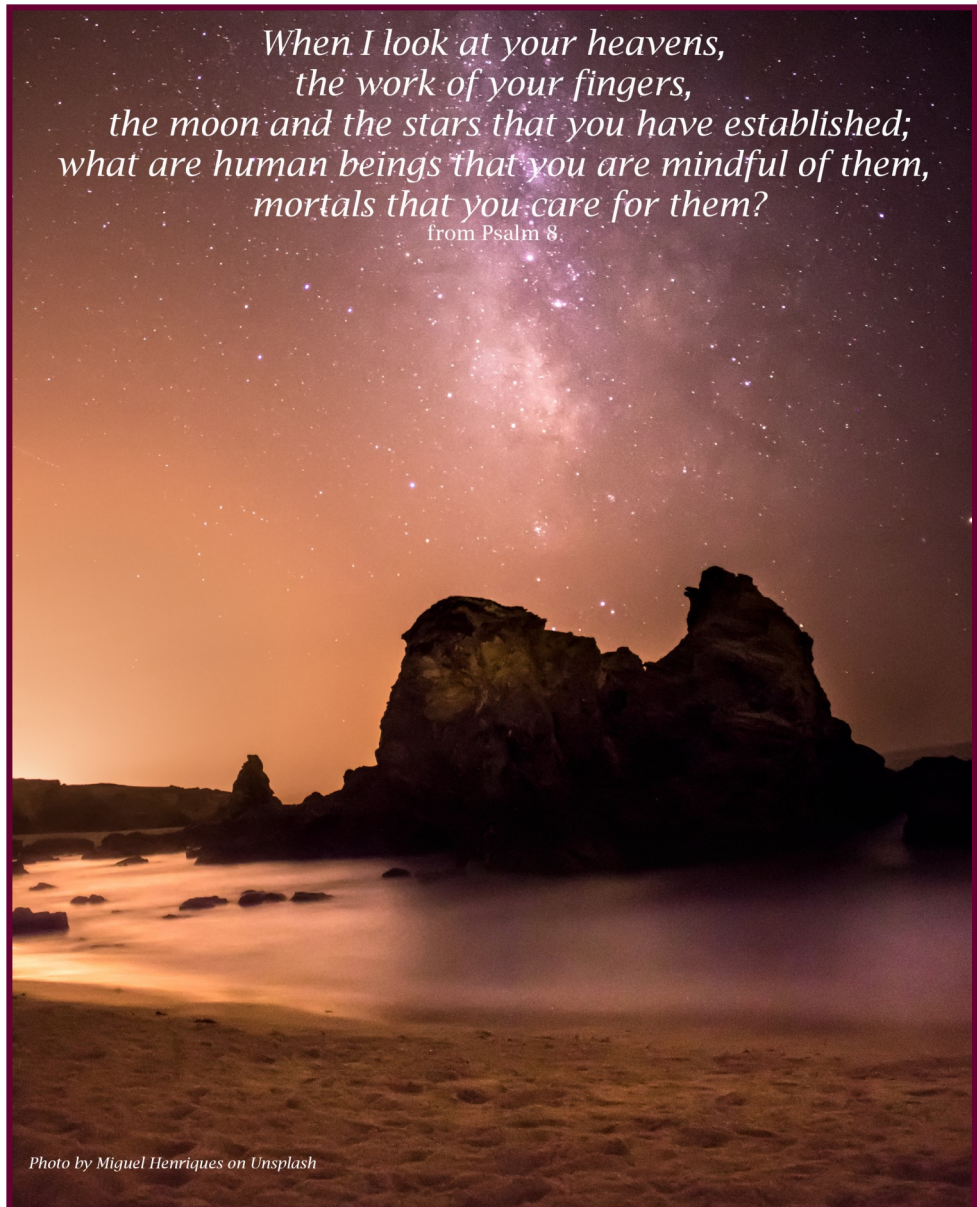
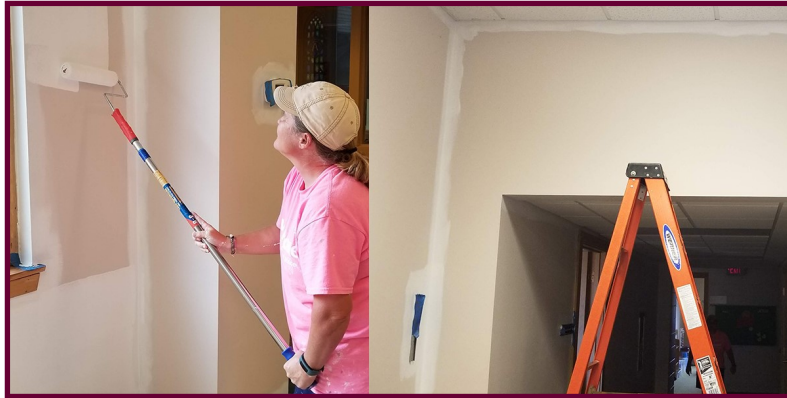


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Pastor's Page

Well, August has passed us by and we find ourselves again in September. School starts soon. The summer festivals are winding down. The last days of summer are fading quickly as we slowly move toward autumn. So what memories will you hold on to from this summer? What were the things you saw, heard, or experienced that made a lasting impact on you? If you would, drop me a note about your keepers from Summer 2018.



You might have noticed some work happening around the church. Laurie has been busy giving the gathering area a fresh coat of paint. Laurie has also been very busy with the garden in the courtyard and also on the south side of church. I hope everyone is enjoying all of our garden's bounty. We hope that the zucchini, cucumbers, and soon to be tomatoes are filling your bellies as well as nurturing your soul. The garden is truly a labor of love for Laurie.



I am also excited for Sunday school and confirmation to get rolling again. Next month we will share some pictures of our new confirmands and our Sunday school classes. I am excited that we will be starting up our children's music, hand bell choir, and chancel choir to help enrich our time in worship together.

There are so many excited things on the horizon for St. Paul's, I hope you will join us as we walk boldly in faith.

Consistory at Work

Consistory Meeting Minutes - St. Paul's UCC, Sheboygan, WI Sunday, August 26, 2018 at 12:00 p.m.

Present: Richard Reineking, Mike King, Linda Mueller, John Brown, Melody Kolb, Pastor Jeremy Hylan, and Mason White. **Absent:** Deb Severns, Donna Rautmann, Joanne Lensink and Daniel Van Straten.

Treasurer's Report and Stewardship Report for June 2018 (Linda Mueller): Linda reviewed the reports.

Total Income: \$8,245. Total expense: \$9,368. Net Income: \$-1,123.

Building Improvement Fund: \$20,291. Parsonage Fund: \$25,281. General Fund: \$ -11,614.

Memorial Fund Savings Account: \$101,895, plus Total Memorial Monies: \$720.

Stewardship Report Weekly Giving total: \$8,033. (Attendance was very close per Linda to what it was last year)

Memorial Fund Savings Account amount includes stock that was sold.

Paid \$302 for window.

Paid down payment of furnace.

John Laux is securing financing for loan. \$105,000 is what is left on the Land Contract. When received, money will go into a savings account (not spending account).

Electric costs were up, paid \$530.

Head Trustee Report (Mason White):

Had nothing new to report.

Mike King reports a loose pew. Mason will check it out.

Board of Christian Education Report (Deb Severns) reported by Pastor Jeremy Hylan:

Jaymz got a teaching position at Head Start and won't be teaching Sunday School regularly. Barb and Tina will absorb his class.

Pastor Jeremy is bowing out of the middle school Sunday school on a regular basis, due to time constraints.

Kent Radloff will be joining the middle school teaching team (6th, 7th, and 8th).

Pastor's Report (Jeremy Hylan):

Jennifer (LLC) – does adult day care and wants to hold their center at St. Paul's weekdays 9 to 3. Starting in January, we would get a monthly building usage fee of \$500, to cover expenses. They have their own liability insurance. They would use the Fellowship Hall and when an event is happening there, they would move to the community room across from the Library. We would close the curtains on the stage to keep anyone from that area. Pastor will check if they plan on putting up any signage.

Pastor Jeremy is taking a course for clergy- Spiritual Entrepreneurship. Starting September 24th and runs for 12 weeks.

Jeremy working on some pastors to join him in co-hosting ministry outside the church.

President's Report (Richard):

Reviewed the carpet samples and we finalized our choice.

Carpet to be installed and coordinated with sound installation. Working on sound – ordering parts.

Boilers will be worked on by Professional Heating starting September 10th. Out with the old and in with the new.

Next year, need to look at painting around the stained glass windows. Frames are peeling and this will help preserve the windows.

Lighting – Seven lights are out in the sanctuary. Looking to replace those bulbs with LED bulbs. Will get electrician to install dimmers for the lights.

Other Business:

None

Respectfully submitted by Consistory Secretary, Melody Kolb

Consistory/Cabinet at Work

Cabinet Meeting Minutes – St. Paul's UCC, Sheboygan, WI Sunday, August 26, 2018 after 10:00 a.m. worship

Present: Jeremy Hylan (Pastor), John Brown, Naomi Holzwart, Agnes Kunstmann, Linda Horn, Linda Mueller, Richard Reineking, Mason White, Mike King, and Melody Kolb

Purpose: To coordinate and promote the entire program of the church.

What's going on and coming up?

Sacrament of Holy Communion: September 9, October 14, November 11, December 9

Recipe collections begin: September 9

Draft Version of Church Directory Available: September 9

Sunday school Kick-Off: September 9

Dartball: We will be hosting dartball again this year at St. Paul's until May

Women's Guild Pot Luck: September 11 at 4:30 p.m.

CE Movie Night & Dinner 6-8:30 p.m.: September 14, December 7

Family Worship: September 16, on third Sundays during the school year

Peanut Butter Drive begins: September 16

Peanut Butter Dedication: October 21 at 10 a.m. Worship Service

Confirmation Class at 5 p.m.: Begins September 12 on Wednesday Nights at 5 pm

Sister's Circle: October 9, November 13, December 11, January 8, February 12, March 12, April 9, May 14, June 11

WG Executive Board Meeting: October 14

Messy Church from 5-7 p.m.: October 17, November 14, December 19, January 16, February 20, March 20, April 17, May 15

All Saints Day: November 4

Thanksgiving Eve Worship: November 21 - (St. Paul's hosts: cakes, torts, pies)

Children's Christmas Pageant: December 16 at 10 a.m.

Chancel Choir Cantata: December 23 at 10 a.m.

Christmas Eve Worship: December 24 at 6 p.m.

Congregational Budget Meeting: December – date to be determined

Annual Congregational Meeting: January 27

Women's Guild Chili Sale: January 27

Ash Wednesday: March 6 at 7 p.m.

Joint Worship with St. John's UCC during Lent

Lenten Breakfasts: March 13, 27; April 10

Last Supper Dramatization: April 14 (**Tentative**)

Maundy Thursday: April 18 at 7 p.m.

Good Friday: April 19 with Ebenezer UCC

Easter: April 21 worship 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. (Easter breakfast to follow 8:30 a.m.)

Confirmation Sunday: May 5 at 10 a.m. Worship Service

Music Sunday/Mother's Day: May 12

Carnival: May 19

General Synod in Milwaukee: June 21-25

Other Business:

*Looking to do the Last Supper dramatization this Lent. Not sure if one or two shows. Keeping dramatization performance at St. Paul's church.

*General Synod (GS) in Milwaukee. This is the Bi-annual WI Conference and is being hosted in Milwaukee for UCCE. Looking for volunteers. Possible bus trip to Milwaukee Center for this event.

*No date set for VBS yet.

* December 7 Movie Night – Date/Shopping, drop off kids.

Respectfully submitted by Melody Kolb, Consistory Secretary



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 10:00 a.m. Worship Service with Hymn Sing	3 Labor Day - Office Closed	4	5 9:00 a.m. Dartball Practice 6 p.m. Midweek Worship	6 7:00 p.m. Handbell Practice	7	8
9 8:45 a.m. Sunday School Begins & Choir Rehearses 10:00 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion Order SCRIP Recipe Collection begins	10 1:00 p.m. Dartball Games @ St. Paul's UCC Tigers @ Saints	11 4:30 p.m. Women's Guild Potluck	12 9 am Dartball Practice 5 pm Confir. Class 6 p.m. Midweek Worship 7 pm Consist. Mtg.	13 7:00 p.m. Handbell Practice	14 6-8:30 pm CE Movie Night & Dinner	15
16 8:45 am Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Family Worship Service, Bible Presentation/Blessing Fall Peanut Butter Drive begins	17 1:00 p.m. Dartball Games @ St. Paul's UCC Creamers @ Saints	18	19 9:00 a.m. Dartball Practice 6 p.m. Midweek Worship 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Confirmation Event at Lakeland	20 10:00 a.m. Healing Hearts 7:00 p.m. Handbell Practice	21	22
23 8:45 am Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship	24 1:00 p.m. Dartball Games @ St. Paul's UCC Saints @ Rookies	25	26 9 am Dartball Pract. 11:30 am Lunch Bunch @ Holidays 5 pm Confir. Class 6 p.m. Midweek Worship	27 7:00 p.m. Handbell Practice	28	29
30 8:45 am Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship The Bell Choir						

September Birthdays

John Hermann	9/01
Maddie Peterson	9/01
Amanda Radloff	9/01
Mark Lensink	9/05
Christina Entringer	9/06
Wendy Bohannon	9/09
LuAnn Arnoldi	9/12
Beverly Wilke	9/13
Trudy Groh	9/17
Meghan Flook	9/18
Steve Flook	9/18
Paul Neils	9/18
Madeline Herr	9/21
Maci Robinson	9/21
Lynda Damrow	9/24
Ethan Entringer	9/24
Kendall Entringer	9/24
Gary Laux	9/25
Melody Kolb	9/26
Leon Jump	9/28
Robert Voechting	9/28



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Countryside Manor: Gladys Leonard

The Waterford: Minnett Suscha

Pine Haven: Madeline Herr

The Shores of Sheboygan : Luella Mueller

Members at Home: Wendy Bohannon,
Violet Kuitert, James Schuh, Caroline Rodewald,
Shirley Schilling, Jeanette Schutt, Cindy Vogel

Schedule for September

Liturgist/Scripture Reader

- 2 - Mason White
- 9 - Ervida Van Straten
- 16 - Youth
- 23 - Vicki Radovan
- 30 - Jaymz Stempihar

Ushers

- 2 - Richard & Carol Reineking, Linda Horn, and Harlen Voechting
- 9 - Jay Englebert, Judy & Richard Belitz, and Jim Schwarten
- 16 - Mason White, Jaymz and Corrie Stempihar, and Laurie Hylan
- 23 - John & Kathy Brown, T. J. Brown, and Steve Flook
- 30 - Mike King, Jeff & Allison Ritt, and Carol Reineking

Acolytes

- Acolytes begin with the start of Sunday School
- 9 - Charlie White
- 16 - Tessa Englebert
- 23 - Shawn Peterson
- 30 - To be determined

September Chancel Lady

Julie Englebert



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION UPCOMING EVENTS



First Day of Sunday School 2018

Sunday, September 9, from 8:45 to 9:45 am
Open to kids ages 3—8th Grade

Sunday, September 9 - Sunday, October 14

Recipe Collections - Church Cookbook

Start collecting your favorite recipes. We will begin receiving or making copies for the church cookbook. The cookbook will be available 1/\$13 or 2/\$25 and delivered before Christmas. Proceeds will benefit Youth Mission trips and Women's Guild. More details to follow.

Friday, September 14 • 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Back to School Movie Night & Dinner

Join us for Tacos and Tortilla Soup followed by fellowship and a showing of a current popular movie.

Saturday, October 27 • 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Trunk or Treat

Join in a FREE night of fun activities, food, crafts and trunk or treating. Or...decorate your trunk and hand out treats.

Friday, December 7 • 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Movie Night, Dinner & Cookie Decorating

Join us for Pizza followed by cookie decorating and a showing of a recent Christmas favorite. Kid drop-off at 6:00 p.m. for any parents that have Christmas shopping to do.

Sunday, December 16 • 10:00 a.m.

Children's Christmas Play

Sunday School children will perform during Church service.

Please see CE Members: Carol, Becky, Deb, Lynda or Julie with questions.

Healing Hearts

Healing Hearts will resume the third Thursday in September. Healing Hearts will then continue to meet at 10:00 a.m. on the first and third Thursday of the month in the church library.

SCRIP News

Monthly SCRIP orders will be taken on the following Sundays: Sept. 9, Oct. 14, Nov. 11 and Dec. 9.

Peanut Butter Drive

St. Paul's U.C.C. will begin a Fall Peanut Butter Drive on **Sunday, September 16th**. The collected jars of peanut butter will be dedicated at St. Paul's U.C.C. on Sunday, October 21st and will then be delivered to The Salvation Army. Thank you for your support.

John Brown Health Update

Kathy and John Brown want to thank everyone for their ongoing prayers and support. John has been blessed with an amazing recovery from his quadruple bypass. He has no heart damage and has been cleared early to start cardio rehab. John is already walking over two miles a day working to build his stamina back. Thank you for keeping John in your prayers.

Special Thanks

A special thank you to Laurie Hylan for painting the Gathering Area in early August.

Special thanks also to Meghan, Kyle and Lisa Flook for instrumental duets, and Daniel and Leslie Ellair for vocal duets shared during our worship services in the month of August.

And special thanks to Mike King for serving as our guest preacher and worship leader on August 12.

Updates to Church Directory

Rev. Barb Loose
1514A St. Claire Avenue
Sheboygan, WI 53081
920-226-4748

The Jabergs
Patricia: 920-207-1158
Mark: 920-207-1159
(No Land Line)

Lunch Bunch

The Lunch Bunch will meet at 11:30 a.m. on **September 26th** at Holiday's (on Superior Avenue.) Please sign up on the yellow sheet in the Community Room.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Coats For Kids

Area residents are asked to donate gently used or new coats of any size, for any age. The greatest need is for CHILDREN'S coats. All coats will be distributed to SHEBOYGAN COUNTY residents who would otherwise go without.

TO DONATE COATS: Drop off coats at Reinbold-Novak Funeral Home at 1535 South 12th Street in Sheboygan, or bring them to the church office. **The collection will continue until October 23, 2018.**

TO RECEIVE A COAT: Coats will be distributed at The Salvation Army at 710 Pennsylvania Avenue in Sheboygan on Saturday, **November 3rd, 2018 from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.**

Rainbow Kids Fall Schedule

Tuesdays at Hope Reformed Church
(612 Ontario Ave., Sheboygan)

All programs are free

"Peer support for children and adults grieving a loss due to; the death of a loved one, divorce, separation, incarceration or abandonment".

This 10-week program begins on Sept. 18. One hour per week from 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. If you are interested, please call Michele at 920-452-2838 or email: rainbowkids@excel.net.

Faith in the Fall - Music Festival

Bring your friends and family for an entertaining and spirit filled day! **Sunday, September 9** at Our Shepherd UCC - 710 Ethan Allen Drive - Howards Grove. From 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Music, food, raffles, and children's tent.

Music Schedule Includes:

- 12 pm - Full of Grace (from Sheboygan Falls)
- 1 pm - Praiseworthy (from Howards Grove)
- 2 pm - The Garage Band (from Grafton)

Free admission. Bring your lawn chairs. Rain or shine. The food menu consists of pulled pork and turkey sandwiches, hot dogs, homemade beans, potato salad and tortes. If you have questions, call 565-3569.

Sheboygan Symphony

Inaugurating their 100th Season

The Sheboygan Symphony invites you to join them **Saturday, October 6** at the inauguration of the regular season. Activities include several major works by Ottorino Respighi as well as the Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra's concertmaster, Frank Almond, featured in the Brahms Violin Concerto.

For further information or to request a season brochure, call the Sheboygan Symphony Office at 452-1985. For tickets please call the Weill Center office at 208-3243. Tickets are also available in the box office two hours prior to concert.

Pave-The-Way Fund Raising Dinner

Saron UCC, W3830 County Rd. J, Sheboygan Falls, WI (near Johnsonville) is holding a "Pave the Way" Fundraiser Dinner on **Wednesday, November 7** from 4:30 - 7:00 pm at Laack's Hall, Johnsonville. Also included in this evening's event will be 50/50 raffles and bucket raffles, along with four \$50 door prizes. Purchase tickets by October 28th from Saron UCC at 467-6202. Thank you very much.