

THE CONNECTION

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Greetings from Pastor Paul

I am writing this from my new office at Westside and I feel a little overwhelmed at the moment. I have never had a pastoral transition that involved keeping everything from one church and adding everything from a second church. It will become normal over the next few weeks and months, until then be patient and help me as I make this transition. I think, however, this is the right move for St. Paul's and Westside because there have been a lot of things popping up to make the transition. Evil never wants God's plan to move forward but I continue to step out in faith as I have for years and I know if I trust God, it will all work out in the end. So, I am looking forward with excitement as we begin this adventure together and I hope you are too.

A few things to keep an eye on in the weeks to come at Westside:

July 10th at 5pm volunteer to help make a meal for Family Promise, please contact me and I will get you in touch with the right person.

July 11th at 7pm Hallelujah Saints Band will be performing at Westside. Come enjoy some patriotic music and meet old and new friends.

July 12th at 8:30am Outside clean up is scheduled here at Westside, bring your gardening gear and watch the new pastor sweat.

July 24th help serve a meal at Our Daily Bread soup kitchen, see Jo Ellen for more information

Finally, we are in need of a group of people to help on Sunday morning to run sound, camera and slides. If you are able to help please let me know.

I look forward to meeting you all in the near future, until then I will see you in the mission field.

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Paul

Sunday I will be looking at the scripture in Matthew when Jesus asks the disciple "Who do people say I am". I hope you will join me Sunday in person or online as we explore this question and I give you a little bit of my faith journey and who people say that I am.

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO ARE SERVING

Sunday, July 6, 2025

WORSHIP SERVICE 9:00 A.M.

Worship Liturgist
Song Leader
Pianist/Organist
K.I.D.'s Connection

Sally Leidy
Pam Ditto
Shawn Stevens
Jessica Schelb/Carol Blass

Sunday, July 13, 2025

Hospitality & Fellowship 8:30; Worship 9:00 a.m.

Worship Liturgist
Song Leader
Pianist/Organist
K.I.D.'s Connection
Communion Stewards

Clarissa Frail
Pam Ditto
Sally Leidy
Jacqui Dill and Karen Rader

Sunday, July 20, 2025

Worship Service 9:00 a.m.

Worship Liturgist
Song Leader
Pianist/Organist
K.I.D.'s Connection

Pam Ditto
Pam Ditto
Michelle Cole

Sunday, July 27, 2025

Worship Liturgist
Song Leader
Pianist/Organist
K.I.D.'s Connection

Gene Aufderhaar
Pam Ditto
Jacqui Dill

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

July 10 5:00 p.m. Family Promise Meal

July 12 8:30 a.m. Sprucing up the property—"many hands make for light work."

July 13 8:30 a.m. Hospitality before worship – visit and share with Pastor Paul

July 14 7:30 p.m. Leadership Team Meeting

July 24 Our Daily Bread Soup Kitchen Call JoEllen Cook for information

July 31 C.U.P. distribution Call Kay & Tim Kunkleman for information

CONNECTION CORNER

BIRTHDAYS IN JULY

July 6	Deb Briggs
9	Pam Boedicker
18	Bill Frueh
	Katherine Schelb
25	Shawn Stevens
31	Phil Osmon

ANNIVERSARIES IN JULY

July 22 – Deb & Jim Briggs

Greeting cards are in the Café for your use. Help yourself to the one you need.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Delores Gossard	Leonard Jacobs
Dave & Helen McElderry	Jack & Becky Crabtree
Dewey Taylor (Springview Manor)	Eileen Hartles
Deb Pettigrew	Ron Farley
Dave Vanbidder	Cancer Patients
Baby Isla Meeks	Medical Professionals
First Responders	Government Leaders
Pastors	Beverly Shade

FAMILY PROMISE MINISTRY AND THE C.U.P. (Church United Pantry) Ministry are both in need of a variety of needs. Baskets are in narthex for you to place any donated items.

C.U.P. Needs for July are: Toilet Tissue; and for August, Soap or Body Wash are the items Westside is ask to provide. They also welcome dried and canned food items.

Family Promise needs are: Cleaning supplies; paper products; bath towels and wash cloths; Men, women and children shampoo; lotions; snacks for children.