



# The Tower

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### Seniors (Of All Ages) invited to Tour Locust Grove May 10, beginning with lunch at 11:15

The day will begin with lunch at Austin's Restaurant (4950 Brownsboro Rd) at 11:15am. Lunch is from the menu and the restaurant will add 20% to your bill for gratuity.

The tour of Locust Grove, a national, historical landmark, will begin at 1:15pm. Admission is \$6.00. It will begin with an introductory video followed by a museum viewing. We will then have a tour of the house. (There will be a short walk to the house).

Locust Grove, a Georgian house, was the last home of the Revolutionary War Hero, George Rogers Clark, the founder of Louisville. Locust Grove recently underwent a complete interior restoration with period wallpaper and carpeting. The house is three stories and there is no elevator. There are places for those who need to sit on the second and third floors.

The grounds contain numerous side buildings including a smoke house, an ice house, a kitchen and others. A museum store is available.

For more information, contact Sandra and Bill Dickinson, 458-5607.

Transportation can be provided.

Please sign up at the Information Desk.



### Planned Giving Seminar, Presented by Attorney Robert L. Goodin, Jr Tuesday, May 24, 6:30 - 8:00pm, Social Hall

The Endowment and Planned Giving Team at St. Paul is hosting a Planned Giving Seminar. It will be presented by Bob Goodin who is President of Goodin & Associates, P.S.C. and has practiced law over 30 years in the areas of Wills & Trusts, Probate and Trust Administration, and Elder Law. He is a 1976 graduate of the University of Kentucky and 1981 graduate of the University of Louisville School of Law. Bob is a member of Wealth Counsel, Elder Counsel and the Academy of VA Pension Planners, all national groups of estate planning attorneys. He is a past president of the Louisville Financial Planning Association and a member of the American, Kentucky and Louisville Bar Associations. His practice is focused on working with clients and their financial advisors to create effective instructions for protecting clients and their families.

For more information contact Nancy Bruce, [nancy.bruce@wellpoint.com](mailto:nancy.bruce@wellpoint.com).

## From the Staff

### From Jim Rittenhouse, Associate Director of Music

Mary lingered at the tomb.

Pastor Gary's sermon has stuck with me since Easter because for me, it so clearly underscored what the Resurrection can mean. An assurance that God works out God's purpose even in the bleakest hour – a beautiful 'yes' when for all the world you heard 'no' – a coming home to what you feared might be inhabitable. All because we linger... and trust enough to wait to see what God will do.

Mary could do nothing else *but* linger. She was distraught – not only was Jesus buried, his body, his very proof of having walked the earth had been taken. How many times have I found myself just waiting for that one more moment so that the 'right' outcome would happen, or someone would change his mind? Perhaps each day we are faced with battles that keep us bound in fear to the point that we forget about what happens on the *third day*....

We are so blessed with the opportunities to experience worship in all its colors and designs and music and vitality at St. Paul. I feel not only honored, but truly enthused to be a part of what our faith community offers to God. I hope you had the blessing of experiencing a part of the services or the prayer vigil on Saturday. You can find yourself a part of the rich story that is the ground of our faith - Jesus died and rose again.

This past Good Friday evening, after the riveting story of Jesus' Passion was told, Pastor Gary powerfully intoned that Jesus was dead, and that all we had left was to go home ... but I lingered. Each time that candle is taken out, or extinguished, there I am shouting in my spirit, "NO! Please God, NO!" I stayed to hear something different... an "alternate ending," perhaps. But as I waited, God helped me see that it was in the lingering... and the waiting that Sunday comes with all its Hope.

I pray for each of you that whatever you happened to be facing – uncertain finances, uncertain marriages, the death of someone dear, cancer, surgery... that you do not leave before you see what God can do and will do. Happy Eastertide!

## Staff Spotlight

### Carrie Burns, Communications Coordinator

Carrie has been active at St. Paul since 1994 and joined the staff part time in 2008. As Communications Coordinator, her primary responsibilities include *The Tower* newsletter, church website, and church calendar scheduling. Carrie is a Louisville native, graduating from Atherton High and Hanover College. Prior to working at St. Paul, Carrie's employment background includes fund development and special events for the PGA, Kentucky Humane Society, National Multiple Sclerosis Society and Boy Scouts of America. Carrie is married to Robert and they have two daughters, Maggie and Julia.

# Community Life

## Health Kits for UMCOR

### (United Methodist Committee on Relief)

We are collecting finger nail clippers and nail files during the month of May. They will be added to UMCOR's health kits for disaster relief. Please drop off at the Information Desk.

## Network with the Business @ St.

### Paul Small Group

Business is blossoming with The Business @ St. Paul networking group. We are business owners, self-employed contractors and sales representatives who are members of the church (and some non-members) working to help one another grow our businesses. We have a very diverse group of talented individuals with regular discussions on business issues and marketing. Please join us for breakfast on Tuesday, May 17 at 8am at The Café, 712 Brent St in Louisville (near Louisville Stoneware). **Note: Location change.** Please RSVP to Gretchen Mahaffey at [gmahaffey@kfg.com](mailto:gmahaffey@kfg.com) by Monday, May 16. For more information, contact Gretchen at 451-0600.

## Portland Promise Center

The Portland Promise Center Board of Directors invites you to the Third Annual Side By Side Banquet, Saturday, May 21 at the Portland Promise Center (1800 Portland Ave). The Reception and Silent Auction begins at 5:30pm with dinner at 6:30pm. Contact Kathie Stoess at 776-2635 or [kstoess@portlandpromise.org](mailto:kstoess@portlandpromise.org) for tickets and information.

## St. Paul Family Hike-June 18

The Community Life Ministry Team is planning a Berheim Forest hike. Meet in the church parking lot at 9:00am to carpool. We will hike the Iron Ore Trail (2 miles, rated relatively easy) and visit the Canopy Tree Walk. \$5 per car entrance fee on weekends (free for Bernheim members). Return around 1:00pm. Contact Robert Bridges at [MBridges45@aol.com](mailto:MBridges45@aol.com) for more information.

## Wesley Manor "Swing for Seniors" Friday, July 1, Quail Chase Golf Club

Wesley Manor Retirement Community is seeking sponsors and golfers. Sponsorships start at \$250 as Tee/Green Sponsors. If you are a golfer, put together a foursome for \$400. The day includes live and silent auctions, awards, hole prizes, and light refreshments. All of the proceeds will directly benefit the residents who have outlived their assets. Last year alone, Wesley Manor residents received charitable care amounting to more than \$1,325,000 in financial aid for their health care and costs of living. Contact Allen Goulder (245-7078) for more information.

## Safe Sanctuaries Training

### For all Children and Youth Volunteers

For all children and youth volunteers: Sunday, May 15, 10:00-10:45am, room 100c. All youth and adults planning to volunteer with Basketball Camp, VBS, Music Camp, Youth Mission Trip/Youth Choir Trip, must participate in this training once a year in order to volunteer.

## Health and Wellness News

### Walk to Jerusalem Report

Walk to Jerusalem Ends! We did it again—We "walked" to Jerusalem and back in 6 weeks. Last year it took us 12 weeks! Congratulations to all who participated and thank you. Over 7,000 "miles" were logged. The commemorative t-shirts and pins are available on Sundays at the Information Center, Wesley nights in the Social Hall and during the week at the church office. If you are unable to pick them up, please call Marilyn Helvey at 419-6095 and she will deliver them to you.

### Laughter is the Best Medicine

We've all heard the saying "Laughter is good for the soul," be sure you practice this healthy habit. Think about this for starters: Recently one of St. Paul's first grade children saw Pastor Gary at the mall. After exchanging greetings and walking on, she remarked to her mother, "why would God have to shop at the mall?"

# Spiritual Formation

## **Knowing God**

### **Submitted By Angie Dortch**

Spirituality — the life of the Spirit — has enjoyed a renaissance in our day. My parents, of the World War II generation, never talked about it — for them, church and religion existed to take care of spiritual needs. But it seems that in the so-called postmodern world, more and more people have begun to understand spirituality as something entirely distinct from religion. For many, this is a subtle form of judgment against religion. Religion is communal, organizational, institutional; spirituality is personal, private, individualistic. Since America is a society that insists the individual is more important than the community, no wonder so many people feel like spirituality is better than religion! But I think it's actually more healthy to see spirituality and religion as complementary, rather than adversarial. Religion involves form and structure, while spirituality involves consciousness and relationship. In terms of cultivating a God-infused life, religion concerns the skeleton and the muscle, while spirituality concerns the heart and the mind. Here in the world of form, we need both. Taken together, religion and spirituality help us to incarnate the presence of God in our lives.

The religion of Christianity offers a distinctive and beautiful wisdom tradition about how we, as individuals and as a community, can grow spiritually in response to the love of God in our lives. Traditionally, the custodians of this wisdom tradition have been called mystics; therefore, the wisdom tradition of Christian spirituality is also known as Christian mysticism. Please note that this is different from the common mis-use of the word "mysticism" to suggest occult or paranormal knowledge and experience. Christian mysticism is grounded in the Bible, the sacraments, the liturgy, and involves growth in holiness and a dedication to a life of prayer, devotion, and service to others.

Visit [www.anamchara.com](http://www.anamchara.com) to explore this wisdom tradition and how it is available to us today. The first page, What is Spiritual Formation? offers an introduction to this concept: of being formed, by the Holy Spirit, through Christ, in the image and likeness of God. Subsequent pages look at the many tools and resources available to those of us who wish to open our lives to the Spirit's work. It is my prayer that as you read these words, you will be blessed by a sense of the unique and wonderful way in which God is calling you to a more intimate, loving life of participation in the Divine Nature.

## **Labyrinth—Change in schedule for May**

The labyrinth will be set up in the gym on May 25, 1:00-8:00pm.

Walking the labyrinth is a form of prayer that involves body and spirit. It can be a time of simply opening yourself to the presence of God without any particular agenda in mind, or you may walk with a specific prayer concern for yourself or others or perhaps a question for which you are seeking some guidance. If you have never walked a labyrinth, you may find that it leads you to experience God or know God in a new way. There will be resources available in the gym to guide you.

# Discipleship Formation

## Virginia Watkins Memorial Lecture series with Richard Rohr (on CD)

Virginia was a fan of Richard Rohr and particularly liked his 10-CD set, "Great Themes in Paul." Mary Farmer, a friend of Virginia's, will facilitate a 10-week group that will meet on Tuesday mornings from 10:00am-12 noon, in room 113. Virginia shared the CD's with Mary a week before she went in the hospital. The group will start Tuesday, May 17 and meet for 10 consecutive Tuesdays. We'll spend the first 20 minutes in silent meditation, listen to Richard Rohr speak about Paul for an hour, and then have 30 minutes for small-group discussion. There will be no charge for the series. Below is a description of the content taken from the cover of the CD set.

*"In language that Paul might use if he were preaching and writing today, Richard Rohr presents Paul's all-embracing vision and invites us to enter into the mystery of Christ and be transformed. Richard breaks new ground by applying up-to-date theories of our universe, integrating them with Paul's revolutionary thinking about sin, saints, and spirituality.*

*As a learned and dedicated Jew who embraced Jesus, Paul grappled with the issues of sin, death, transformation, law, eternal life, communion, and love. Fr. Richard also searches for meaning and understanding of these issues in light of contemporary psychology, cosmology, and global awareness. Rohr sees us as partaking in the incredible transformation of the whole cosmos that struggles with the pattern of descent and ascent that is revealed and affirmed in Jesus."*

If you'd like to participate, please email Mary at [marysfarmer@yahoo.com](mailto:marysfarmer@yahoo.com). She will email you closer to the time of the class with a reminder. She understands that you may not be able to attend all 10 sessions but welcomes you to come to as many as you can.

## St. Paul United Methodist Women Invitation to Membership

*To the woman:*

- Who finds meaning in her church and is drawn to its fellowship,
- Who wants to combine fellowship with study, worship, and outreach opportunities,
- Who feels she has gifts that are to be shared with others, and who seeks a supportive community to affirm her own sense of purpose and commitment to God.

*United Methodist Women invites you to:*

- Grow spiritually through worship, Bible study, and prayer,
- Celebrate the person you are becoming in Jesus Christ,
- Develop meaningful and lasting relationships, and share who you are and your gifts, take action, and make a difference in your community and the world.

*Our Purpose:*

The organized unit of United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose purpose is to know God and experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church.

Join us on Tuesday May 17, 10:00 - 11:30am in the Library. Questions? Call Genny Scheldorf, 239-5931.

## Study Interest Survey

The Discipleship Formation team would like to find out what studies you are interested in! <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/RFFQ82N> Please take this survey or fill out the white card attached to your Sunday bulletin. Thank you!

## Wesley Night is wrapping up...

The last regular Wesley Night is Wednesday, May 11. Wednesday, May 18, will be the Children's Choirs Performance and Awards Night. Dinner will be in the Social Hall at 5:30pm with the program beginning at 6:30pm in the gym. Everyone is invited!

# Youth Ministry

Fusion NYC • Concert, Tour, Mission Trip

## Youth Choir Concert and Awards Banquet

Sunday, May 25, 7:00pm in the Sanctuary

Our gifted Youth Choir, grades 6-12, will be celebrating the grace of God in their Fusion NYC Concert. All are invited to celebrate the singers afterward at a light reception in the Social Hall. An Awards ceremony will follow where our seniors will be recognized.

## Youth Choir Tour and Mission Trip - June 18-24

St. Paul youth and chaperones head to New York and back in just a few short weeks! There are still spots available! Contact Jim Rittenhouse at [jimritt@gmail.com](mailto:jimritt@gmail.com) or Pastor David at [dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net) or 459-1595.

## Mid High Mission Trip - July 7-10

### Where and What?

This summer a group of St. Paul UMC Youth will be going to Lake Junaluska, NC for a "Surge into Missions" weekend. The St. Paul youth will team with other youth from around the south-eastern U.S. for fellowship, worship, small groups, and mission work. Mission work will vary from construction work to volunteering with the homeless. Work sites will be assigned based upon the information churches provide about the group's skills and interests.

**On June 1 at 6:30pm in the Coffee Shop we will have a meeting for all people going on the trip.**

### Who Is Invited?

- o St. Paul UMC Youth in middle school (rising 7<sup>th</sup> graders–rising 9<sup>th</sup> graders, including those going on Fusion trip)
- o Chaperones

*If you are a youth in the (rising) 10<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade and not going on the FUSION NYC Trip, see David about the possibility of going on this trip. You are welcome to participate!*

### Cost?

Youth Participant  
\$150  
Chaperone  
\$150

### What's Included In Cost?

Transportation (Church Bus)  
Lodging (3 nights at Lake Junaluska)  
2-3 meals each day  
Mission materials

### What's Not Included in Cost?

Meal money  
Money for "fun" outings (i.e. bowling, movie)  
T-Shirt Order (Approximately \$10 per person)  
"Funny money" for souvenirs

### Registration Schedule:

[Registration Form](#) (to be filled out online; but please also print a completed form to turn in with deposit)

**May 15, 2011:** Registrations Due;

Initial Deposit Due, \$75 per person

**June 12, 2011:** Balance of Cost Due; Church owes full payment to LJ

### How Is Housing Handled?

The youth will be housed on the grounds of Lake Junaluska. Lodging will be either apartment or dormitory style. Housing will be determined based upon the availability at the time of our registration. We will follow the guidelines for Safe Sanctuaries, and directives of the church for the safety of our kids.

Contact Pastor David, [dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net) or 459-195 for more info.

# Children and Family Ministries

## Children's Ministry

### **Muffins with Mom-Sunday, May 8**

All moms, grandmothers, or special friends are invited to join their children in Sunday school on May 8 for Mother's Day. No reservations are necessary. Join your child(ren) in their room from 10:10am-10:45am for a special Mother's Day treat!

- Three year olds – room 202
- Four year old – room 200
- Kindergarten/1<sup>st</sup> grade – 305
- Second grade – 312
- Third/Fourth grade – 310

### **Vacation Bible School (VBS), Project Serve, June 13-17**

#### **“Kingdom of the Son: A Prayer Safari”**



**3 YRS-RISING 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS**

Mark your calendars for VBS (3 years-rising 4<sup>th</sup> graders) & Project Serve (rising 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> graders). [Click here for Registration form.](#) There are many areas to help: safari leaders to escort children from station to

station, station leaders (Games, Story, snacks, music) & set up. Please be in prayer as we begin planning for this community-wide ministry. If you are interested in helping, contact Lorie at

[lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net) or 459-1595.

#### **VBS Volunteer Meeting**

May 15, 12:00pm, Social Hall

### **Kids in Christ's Service (KICS) May 15**

Our end of the year KICS celebration will be Sunday, May 15 from 5:00–8:00pm, in room 100. Kindergarten through fifth graders, are invited to join us for dinner, study, missions and games.

## Family Life Ministry

In an attempt not to duplicate other ministries at St. Paul or to duplicate activities already in place, the Family Life Ministry Team has spent the first four months of its conception discussing and brainstorming on what exactly it should be. Our first meeting led us to several questions: What is family, who is family, and what should it be? We deduced that there are many different “categories” of family – the nuclear family, single parent family, couples without children, the church family, empty nesters, young adults, singles, communal family, families with special needs, families with generational gaps (grandparents raising grandchildren or primary caregiver of grandchildren), families caring for aging parents, families where adult children come back to the nest, families who have adopted children. The list could go on and on. We explored the demographics of our church: the ages of our members, what current ministries were already meeting the needs of specific age groups, what categories fit into which age groups? We explored different Family Ministry Models to determine which model would most fit the needs here at St. Paul. How were we to narrow it down to create a ministry with a focus on family yet not exclude anyone in our attempt to define family?

Our answer came in Mark 3:35 which states, “Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.” We come to know God through the relationships we have with church, nature and with other people. We come to know the will of God through relationship we have with God. We come to know family as relationships. We come to know the goal of the Family Life Ministry as providing resources to cultivate these relationships.

### **Camp Loucon Preview Day Saturday, May 14, 9:30am**

All who are interested in previewing Camp Loucon before summer, meet in the church parking lot at 9:30am on Saturday, May 14. We will carpool to Litchfield, KY to discover the joys of Summer Camp! Lunch will be available for purchase.



#### **PROJECT SERVE**

**RISING 5<sup>TH</sup> & 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS**

# Around the Church

## Welcome New Members...

Kelly Malin joined St. Paul UMC on April 10, 2011.

## 2011 Confirmation Class

Lorin Bridges	Samantha Riddle
Logan Dortch	Ellen Sawitzki
Billie Jo Edwards	Luke Stanton
Laura Fryar	Joey Sulzer
Morgan Johnson	Julia Terrell
Taylor Morris	Grant Thompson

## Celebration of Baptism

Hazel Marie Malin, daughter of Matthew and Kelly Malin, was baptized on April 24, 2011.

Billie Jo Edwards, daughter of Cleve and Megan Edwards, was baptized on April 17, 2011.

Morgan Johnson, daughter of Lira Johnson, was baptized on April 17, 2011.

Grant Thompson, son of Mark and Robin Thompson, was baptized on April 17, 2011.

## Wedding Congratulations

Lauren Hargesheimer and Matt Miller were married at St. Paul UMC on April 9, 2011.

## Our Sympathy to...

The Family of Monteena Scott, who died on April 18, 2011.

## Memorial Gifts

### *In Memory of Virginia Watkins*

Don and Marilyn Bierman  
 Catherine Babcock Cranor  
 Ray and Betty Jo Fore  
 Wednesday Morning Bible Study Group  
 Genie Yockey



## Thank you to all those who helped make the Easter Egg Hunt a success!

The rain couldn't keep the Easter Bunny away from St. Paul! A great time was had by all and of course it would not have been possible without the support of those folks who gave of their time & talents. Thanks to the Children's Ministry Team who did a wonderful job of planning and to Ben Wadler for the donation of those yummy sugar cookies. A special thanks to the Easter Bunny and to Nancy & Allan Morris who are always so generous in offering their home to us each year. Let's cross our fingers for next year's weather so that we once again may enjoy the great outdoors!

**St. Paul UMC May 1 - May 15, 2011**

<p><b>Mon May 2</b>            9:15 AM HCM Tai Chi Class (120)            12:00 PM HCM Line Dancing (Gym)            2:30 PM Open Gym            5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC)            6:00 PM AA Group Mtg. (120)            7:00 PM Childcare for Handbell Rehearsal (201)            7:00 PM Handbell Ensemble (302)            7:00 PM Disciple Bible Study (319)</p>	<p><b>Tues May 3</b>            9:00 AM Yoga (YC)            9:15 AM HCM Tai Chi Class (120)            10:30 AM St. Paul UMC Staff Mtg (319)            2:00 PM Senior Adult Spirituality Group (219)            5:30 PM Endowment Team Mtg (113)            6:30 PM Tai Chi (113)            7:00 PM Ministry Leadership Team Mtg (120)            7:00 PM Kaleidoscope Circle Group (100)            7:00 PM La Leche League Support Group (316)            7:30 PM Depression &amp; Bipolar Support Group (110, 113)            8:00 PM Better Days AA Group Mtg (CS)</p>	<p><b>Wed May 4</b>            9:00 AM Yoga (YC)            5:30 PM Wesley Night Dinner (120)            5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC)            6:00 PM Caroler Choir (302)            6:15 PM Preschool Music Class (309)            6:15 PM Kids Klub (305,312)            6:30 PM Contemplative Worship Service (Chapel)            6:30 PM Crazy Love (319)            6:30 PM The Trinity (100)            6:30 Christian Simplicity (110, 113, Lib)            6:30 PM Youth Fellowship (YC)            6:30 PM Beading to Beat Autism (120)            6:45 PM Cherub Choir (305)            7:00 PM Rittenhouse (219)            7:00 PM Wesleyan Choir</p>	<p><b>Thur May 5</b>            9:00 AM Yoga (YC)            9:30 AM Discernment Group            10:30 AM Christian Literary Circle (219)            10:45 AM Christian Simplicity (113)            2:30 PM Open Gym            7:00 PM Cub Scout Pack 40 Mtg (WH)            7:00 PM Greater Louisville Inter Group AA Business Mtg (120)            7:00 PM LOA Cabinet Mtg (319)            7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (302)</p>	<p><b>Fri May 6</b>            Habitat for Humanity Workday            10:00 AM Rittenhouse (219)            5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC)</p>	<p><b>Sat May 7</b>            7:00 AM Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study (100)            9:00 AM Spiritual Actions AA Group (100)            8:00 PM AA Group Mtg. (120)</p>	<p><b>Sun May 8</b>            8:30 AM Worship (Sanctuary)            9:00 AM Worship (FLC Gym)            9:45 AM Aldersgate Class (319)            9:45 AM LOA Class (Chapel)            9:55 AM Sunday School Classes            10:00 AM Pathways Class (White House 2nd Fl)            11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)            8:00 PM AA Group Meeting (100)</p>
<p><b>Mon May 9</b>            9:00 AM MOPS Childcare (305, 303, 312, 309)            9:00 AM MOPS meeting (CS)            9:15 AM HCM Tai Chi Class (120)            2:30 PM Open Gym            5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC)            5:45 PM HCM Senior Services Steering Cmte (110)            6:00 PM AA Group Mtg. (120)            6:00 PM Brownie Meeting (312)            6:30 PM Evening MOPS (113)            6:30 PM Evening MOPS Group (113)            7:00 PM Childcare for Handbell Rehearsal (201)            7:00 PM Handbell Ensemble (302)            7:00 PM Disciple Bible Study (319)</p>	<p><b>Tues May 10</b>            9:00 AM Yoga (YC)            9:15 AM HCM Tai Chi Class (120)            10:30 AM St. Paul UMC Staff Mtg (319)            2:00 PM Senior Adult Spirituality Group (219)            6:30 PM Tai Chi (113)            7:00 PM La Leche League Support Group (316)            7:30 PM Depression &amp; Bipolar Support Group (110, 113)            8:00 PM Better Days AA Group Mtg (CS)</p>	<p><b>Wed May 11</b>            9:00 AM Yoga (YC)            5:30 PM Wesley Night Dinner (120)            5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC)            6:00 PM Caroler Choir (302)            6:15 PM Kids Klub (305,312)            6:30 PM Crazy Love (319)            6:30 PM The Trinity (100)            6:30 Christian Simplicity (110, 113, Lib)            6:30 PM Contemplative Worship Service (Chapel)            6:30 PM Beading to Beat Autism (120)            6:45 PM Cherub Choir (305)            7:00 PM Rittenhouse (219)            7:30 PM Personnel Team Mtg (319)</p>	<p><b>Thur May 12</b>            8:00 AM Louisville Metro Foster Grandparent Prg (120)            9:00 AM Yoga (YC)            9:30 AM Discernment Group            2:30 PM Open Gym            5:00 PM Bryant Morgan MS Archery (YC, Gym)            6:00 PM Worship and Music Ministry Team Mtg (319)            6:15 PM Motet Singers (113)            7:00 PM Cub Scout Pack 40 Mtg (WH)            7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (302)</p>	<p><b>Fri May 13</b>            Habitat for Humanity Workday            10:00 AM Rittenhouse (219)            5:00 PM Tucker/May Wedding Rehearsal (Sanctuary)            5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC)</p>	<p><b>Sat May 14</b>            Habitat for Humanity Workday            7:00 AM Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study (100)            9:00 AM Spiritual Actions AA Group (100)            9:30 AM Camp Loucon Preview Day            6:00 PM Tucker/May Wedding (Sanctuary, 110, 113)            8:00 PM AA Group Mtg. (120)</p>	<p><b>Sun May 15</b>            8:30 AM Worship (Sanctuary)            9:00 AM Worship (FLC Gym)            9:45 AM Aldersgate Class (319)            9:45 AM LOA Class (Chapel)            9:55 AM Sunday School Classes            10:00 AM Safe Sanctuaries training (100c)            10:00 AM Pathways Class (White House 2nd Fl)            11:00 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)            12:00 PM Children's Ministry Team Mtg. (319)            1:00 PM VBS Guide Mtg.(120)            5:00 PM Community Life Tm Mtg (319)            5:00 PM KICS (100)            6:00 PM Spiritual Formation Team Mtg (219)            8:00 PM AA Group Meeting (100)</p>

Check out [www.stpaulchurch.net](http://www.stpaulchurch.net) for the complete calendar as well as more info about the events, including contact info.

## Sunday Worship Services

8:30 and 11:00 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
9:00 AM Contemporary Worship, Gym

**May 8, 2011**

Wesley Sermon Series

Rev. Gary Gibson

Music:

8:30 service: Handbell Ensemble

9:00 service: Worship Team, Cherub and Caroler  
Choirs (grades k-2)

11:00 service: Chancel and Wesleyan (grades 3-5)  
Choirs, Handbell Ensemble

**May 15, 2011**

Wesley Sermon Series

Rev. Gary Gibson

Music:

8:30 service, Laura Leach, Flute

9:00 service, Worship Team

11:00 service, Laura Leach, Flute, Chancel Choir

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	Sunday School	Worship
April 17	177	847
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## Children's Choir Program and Awards Night

**Wednesday, May 18**

**6:30 PM Gym**

Wesley Night Dinner - 5:30pm in the Social Hall

(Our final Wesley Night of the Spring)



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**THE LION KING**

LIVE AT MANDALAY BAY THEATRE

The Preschool music class will begin the evening  
with a special presentation.

The Cherub, Caroler and Wesleyan Choirs will  
then present what they have learned in choir,  
including songs from *The Lion King*.