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## Vacation Bible School June 13-17, 2011



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



## PROJECT SERVE

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

Vacation Bible School (VBS) 2011 will be an exciting week! Three year olds through rising fourth graders will embark on a *Kingdom of the Son Safari!* They will enjoy age specific crafts, games and stories.

\*All VBS participants must be potty trained.

Fifth and sixth graders will spend the week together serving our community. They will visit and have fellowship with children Brooklawn, serve at Wayside Christian Mission and complete projects around the church to help St. Paul become a little "greener."

The cost is \$10 in advance; \$15 at the door.

Registration forms are available at [www.stpaulchurch.net](http://www.stpaulchurch.net) and at the Information Centers at church. Contact Lorie Williamson at 459-1595 or [lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net) for more information.

## Upward Basketball Camp 2011

St. Paul UMC Gym

June 7-10, 9:00-12:00 noon

The camp is for boys and girls entering second through sixth grades. Registration forms are available at [www.stpaulchurch.net](http://www.stpaulchurch.net) and the Information Centers at church. The cost is \$46 per player. For more information contact Brian Wright at 459-1595 or [bwright@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:bwright@stpaulchurch.net).



## From the Staff

### **Lorie Williamson, Director of Children and Family Ministries**

"Once there was a tree and she loved a little boy. And every day the boy would come and he would gather her leaves and make them into crowns and play king of the forest. He would climb up her trunk and swing from her branches and eat apples. And they would play hide-and-go seek. And when he was tired, he would sleep in her shade. And the boy loved the tree..very much. And the tree was happy."

As I look to future plans for the Children's Ministry I am reminded of the book *The Giving Tree* by Shel Silverstein. To me this book shows the different stages we go through in life and the balance of give and take in true happiness. When children are young, preschoolers, they come to us with their gift of play, excited to learn whatever it is we have to teach. We, like the tree, protect, nourish and provide, and in doing so find great happiness. Our preschoolers here at St. Paul have wonderful opportunities in Sunday school to learn through play. And again, as they continue in Sunday school through third grade, they are presented with hands on activities that teach the great stories of the Bible. Upon Bible presentations in the 4<sup>th</sup> grade, children will move to a traditional Sunday school class. The emphasis will be on learning the Bible, where these great stories are located, and how to find them. But as time goes by and they grow older, they are faced with entirely new issues that require a new type of caring and giving. They may often feel alone, too big to play and yet not old enough to be on their own in many situations. Peer pressures, social pressures, a world of ever changing technology and academic pressures provide stresses that need to be acknowledged and discussed. Now is the time for strong role models, activities in safe and constructive environments, and empowerment by giving tools and rules in which they feel confident making decisions which may not be the popular decision. A new ministry for this pivotal age of fifth and sixth grades will begin this summer, which will include Sunday night groups, lock-ins, fellowship, retreats and mission opportunities. In the end we give with happiness all that we can in the hopes that this will carry them through adolescence unscathed. That it will provide a path on which they can travel without too many detours or at least that we, through Christ, have provided the stump that they can come back to.

"I don't need very much now," said the boy, "just a quiet place to sit and rest. I am very tired."  
"Well, said the tree straightening herself up as much as she could, "well, an old stump is good for sitting and resting. Come, Boy, sit down. Sit down and rest." And the boy did. And the tree was happy."

## Staff Spotlight

### **David Garvin, Associate Pastor and Youth Minister**

David was appointed to St. Paul in January 2011. He came to St. Paul after completing his Masters of Divinity at Duke University Divinity School. During his time at Duke, David served as the pastor of Shiloh UMC in Liberty, NC. David is also a graduate of the University of Louisville (B.A. in economics). David is married to Miranda Garvin, a physical therapist at Frazier Rehabilitation. Both David and Miranda are natives of Louisville. They have one daughter, Eva.

# Community Life

## St. Paul Family Hike-June 18

The Community Life Ministry Team is planning a [Bernheim 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.

## Lemonade on the Lawn

The Community Life Team announces the return of Lemonade on the Lawn on Sunday, June 13, July 11, August 8, and September 12. Join us on the front lawn immediately following the 11:00am service.

## Church Picnic-Sunday, August 7

Mark your calendar! Immediately following worship on August 7, we will go to South Park Country Club ([www.southparkcountryclub.com](http://www.southparkcountryclub.com)) in Fairdale, Ky. South Park is located just a few miles south of the Gene Snyder Freeway at National Turnpike. It is a gorgeous setting for a picnic! We will enjoy games and inflatables, with lots of room to run or shade to relax. It will be a potluck meal with meat provided. Assignments of side dishes, desserts, and drinks will be based on the first letter of your last name as the date approaches. Make plans now for a wonderful afternoon with church family, and feel free to invite your own family, friends, and neighbors.

## St. Paul Church Green Team First Meeting-July 6

Would you like to explore ways to help St. Paul become a "greener" church and building? We will gather to look into ways to put some of the information we learned through *Lent 4.5* into action. Join us for this first brainstorming meeting: Wednesday, July at 7:00pm in room 113. For more information, contact Carrie Burns, [cburns@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:cburns@stpaulchurch.net).

## Summer Camp at Loucon

Recently, a group of prospective campers and their parents from St. Paul visited Loucon for a "Preview Day". If there was any hesitation before they arrived, it quickly changed to "no doubts now!" In a few short hours and a quick tour around the camp, the first time visitors immediately fell in love. Not to mention, that was at a time when was no one else was even around, imagine their excitement when summer arrives and camp is full of people equally in love with the place.

In all my years and experiences at Camp Loucon, I could not begin to count the thousands of people, young and old, who have had their lives transformed there. I hope St. Paul can build a tradition of sending children to summer camp, where they can create memories and reap all of the benefits Loucon has to offer. I also hope in the near future, that St. Paul (like many other United Methodist Churches) might be able to offer financial support to families sending their children to camp. -Brian Wright

## Church Retreat at Camp Loucon

Too old for summer camp? Experience Loucon at the St. Paul church retreat. We are making arrangements for a church wide weekend retreat in the fall. Most of us are so busy that it is difficult to find time to get away. But if we can schedule that time and make it a priority, go to a peaceful place where God's presence can be felt, recharge our batteries while growing closer to God and each other, then we will be much better equipped to handle the busyness when we return. Watch for dates and details as they become available.

## Health and Wellness News

Mark your calendars for September 10 for The 3rd Annual Health & Wellness Fair. This year Life Line screening will be available. There is a charge associated with this procedure. Details will follow. If you're interested in hosting a table to represent your area of expertise (medical, psychological, support services, or nutrition), please call Marilyn Helvey at 419-6095.

# Discipleship & Spiritual Formation

## Knowing God

Richard Rohr, in one of his recent daily meditations, quotes Paula D'Arcy:

**"God comes to you disguised as your life."**

He goes on to explain what he understands that statement to mean:

*"Why didn't someone tell me that earlier—that this life is the raw material that I need to take seriously? Every day, what's right in front of me is the agenda. And even more, the natural world all around us has all the lessons that we need for life, love, death, and salvation. Really! Just look and listen, and note how Jesus himself seems to have looked and listened to lilies, birds, hens, sheep, "red sky in the morning," green and dry wood, moth and worm, etc.*

*You can see how merely believing doctrines and practicing rituals is very often a clever diversionary tactic to avoid my actual life—to avoid the agenda that is right in front of me every day, which is always messy, always muddy, always mundane, always ordinary—and all around me."*

Consider the spiritual practice of **noticing** how God shows up in your everyday life. God is in our midst, disguised and undisguised, when we pay attention.

You can sign up to receive Rohr's daily meditation at [www.cacradicalgrace.org](http://www.cacradicalgrace.org).

Another website to explore, suggested by Carolyn Pieroni, is [www.sacredspace.ie](http://www.sacredspace.ie). It offers a guided time of prayer and a daily scripture passage for meditation.

## New Books in the Library

Lindvall, Michael L., *The Christian Life*

Bickel, Bruce, *Knowing God 101*

Langford, Andy, *Beginnings; an Introduction to Christian Faith*

Moore, Thomas, *Meditations*

Sasser, Dr. Sam, *The Priesthood of the Believer*

Lucado, Max, *Max on Life; Answers & Insights to Your Most Important Questions*

Hillenbrand, Laura, *Unbroken; a World War II Story of Survival, Resilience, and Redemption*

Evans, Nicholas, *The Brave, a novel (fathers and sons)*

Cline, Foster, *Parenting with Love and Logic; Teaching Children Responsibility*

Dalai, Lama, *Ethics for the New Millennium*

Binchy, Maeve, *Minding Frankie*

Armstrong, Karen, *Twelve Steps to a Compassionate Life*

Sparks, Nicholas, *Safe Haven*

The Library is open on Sunday mornings and Wednesdays evenings; if you would like to visit another time, stop by the Information Center on the second floor for a key.

## 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, 10:00am-12 noon, in room 113. Virginia shared the CDs with Mary a week before she went in the hospital. The group will start Tuesday, May 17, and meet for 10 consecutive Tuesdays. If you'd like to participate, please email Mary at [marysfarmer@yahoo.com](mailto:marysfarmer@yahoo.com). She understands that you may not be able to attend all 10 sessions but welcomes you to come to as many as you can.

## Spiritual Formation Director

St. Paul UMC will be hiring a Director of Spiritual Formation. This position will be part-time. If you are interested please contact Ken Curry or Gary Gibson.

# Beyond the Walls

## St. Paul Mission Trip to Haiti

The St. Paul Haiti Team will leave on June 3 and return on June 11. Team members are: Erin McDowell, Sam Foster, Garrison Cox, Jim Murphy, Mistee Spry, Sue Butler and Bob Browning as team leader.

They will be installing two water filters at two different schools/churches that will provide clean water for over 500 students. In addition, they will do a vision clinic and provide supplies for 15 children at the Orphanage of Peace. These children have only bare mattresses and very little food.

Please keep the travelers in your thoughts and prayers.

## Health Kits for UMCOR

### (United Methodist Committee on Relief)

We are collecting new finger nail clippers and metal 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.

## Wesley Walk for Others

### Begins & ends at St. Paul; Saturday, June 4

You can enjoy a two, four, or six-mile walk. Strollers, bikes, and skates are also welcome. Bring your pledge form and your donations to the registration table at St. Paul UMC between 7:30 AM and 10:00 AM. The Walk officially begins at 9:00 AM, but you may start anytime between 7:30 AM and noon. For more information, see Ray Fore or call [The Wesley House Community Center](#) at 968-8231.

## Lighthouse Walk 2011

### Saturday, June 18

The Lighthouse Walk brings together walkers from the Louisville area and the state to support the work and vision of the [Lighthouse Community Center](#). The walk encompasses a one-mile trail through Petersburg Park (Indian Trail and Newburg Road). Walkers will cover the course two or three times to complete two or three miles. Strollers are welcome. Not pets, please. For more information call 458-6300.

## St. Paul Youth Mission Trips

### Fusion Youth Mission Tour - June 18- Food and Clothing Drive

The St. Paul Youth Choir and Sr High Youth are setting out on a 7-day tour to NYC. We have six different missions we are undertaking along the way. In conjunction with our work at [TABITHA'S CLOSET](#) and [FAITH UMC](#), our youth are mounting the FUSION FOOD and CLOTHING DRIVE. Please donate gently used children's clothing of all sizes and non-perishable food items. There are bins at the Information Center in the main building and in the Family Life Center lobby area. The drives ends June 15.

For more information, please contact David Garvin [dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net) or Jim Rittenhouse [jimritt@gmail.com](mailto:jimritt@gmail.com).

### Mid High Mission Trip - July 7-10

#### Lake Junaluska, North Carolina

On July 7-10, the youth will travel to Lake Junaluska, NC for a few days of mission, fellowship, and worship. For more information (registration, costs, deadlines) check the group's facebook page (Metamorphosis Youth @ St. Paul UMC) or contact David Garvin at [dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:dgarvin@stpaulchurch.net). On June 1 at 6:30pm in the Coffee Shop we will have a meeting for all people going on the trip.

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

Find it on [Facebook](#).

## Big Brothers/Big Sisters Needed

The Portland Promise Center has teamed up with Big Brothers/Big Sisters and are seeking loving Christian individuals who would be a mentor for a child or youth. It has also been suggested that a Sunday School Class might consider taking this on as a project so that some of the mentoring activities could be coordinated with other volunteers. For more information, please contact Angel Gustavison at [agustavison@portlandpromise.org](mailto:agustavison@portlandpromise.org) (502-776-2635) or Brad Matthews at [bradmatthews@bellsouth.net](mailto:bradmatthews@bellsouth.net).

# Children and Family Ministries

## Children's Ministry

### **Vacation Bible School & Project Serve: June 13-17**

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

Planning is near completion. We have great age specific crafts, games and stories for our kindergarten–second grade and third and fourth graders. Fifth and sixth graders will spend their week serving by helping our church become a little “greener,” having fellowship with the children at Brooklawn, creating care packages for Portland Promise Center and serving at Wayside Christian Mission. Please continue to pray for our wonderful volunteers and children as we embark on our Kingdom of the Son Safari!

## **Donuts with Dad**

Calling all Dads, Granddads and those who serve as a Dad to others. You are invited to join your special child on Sunday, June 19, during the Sunday school hour (10:15 – 10:45am), as we celebrate you!

## **Wacky Wednesdays**

St. Paul's summer fun—“Wacky Wednesdays” are back! Join us for movies, games, lunch and free play on five Wednesdays throughout the summer (June 29, July 6, July 20, July 27, and August 3), from 10am-1:00pm. Each “Wacky Wednesday” will begin in the Gym; we will dismiss for movie showings in the Youth Center and room 303—your choice of movie; then, lunch in the Coffee Shop (parents provide a sack lunch); then games and free play in the Gym. Pick up is at 1:00pm from the Gym (parents must come in to sign children out!). All are welcome and encouraged to join us! Children who have completed kindergarten and older may attend without an adult. Rising kindergarteners and younger must have adult accompaniment. “Wacky Wednesdays” are free and open to the community. All children attending without an adult must have a signed permission slip, available at the Information Center or on St. Paul's website: [www.stpaulchurch.net](http://www.stpaulchurch.net). Flyers listing weekly movies will soon be available at the Information Center or online.

## Family Life Ministry

The Family Life Ministry Team transforms relationships by providing spiritual education and training to support people in various life stages, by developing connections amongst families, the church, and the community in order to create an intergenerational family of families within St. Paul, its neighborhood, and beyond.

Some possible activities/plans from the Family Life Ministry Team may include:

- Relief for caregivers of aging parents
- Family wide mission opportunities
- Family building programming during Parents' Night Out
- Wesley Night Programming with opportunities for focus groups (Single Parents, Empty nesters, Families with special needs, Families with adult children back in the house, Parents caring for parents) to connect and discuss how issues specifically relate to their lives.

## **Relief for Caregivers**

The Family Life Ministry Team is in the process of assessing the need for “relief for caregivers.” If you are the caregiver of an aging parent and could and would use a service that would provide a few hours of relief in order to run errands or simply decompress, then we would like to hear from you. If we find that there is a need for this ministry, the Team hopes to serve as a coordinator between those in need and those willing to minister. Email Lorie at [lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net) if this would be of service to you or someone you know.

## **Summer PNO**

St. Paul will offer Parents' Night Out during the Summer, on the second Saturday of each month (June 11, July 9, Aug 13, all from 5:00-9:00pm). The cost is \$10.00 per child (cash is preferred), and each participating child should bring their own sack supper. Please email Lorie at [lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:lwilliamson@stpaulchurch.net) by the Wednesday prior if you plan to participate.

# Worship and Music

## Welcome Auburn UMC Youth Choir

On Sunday, June 6 we will have the Auburn United Methodist Church youth choir of Auburn, Alabama join us for worship at all three worship services.

This group of about 35 youth will offer several musical selections at each service. We are indeed blessed to have a great and talented youth choir here at St. Paul. It is equally exciting and heartening to see youth choirs from other congregations join us.

## June 12, 2011 Day of Pentecost

### Red Out for Pentecost

On the Day of Pentecost this year, St. Paul will observe a RED OUT. All are asked to wear red. Rev. Bill Schultz will deliver the message. See details on the back cover page.

## Summer Music Camp

### "A Whale of a Tale!"

Music camp is just around the corner! It is Monday, July 11-Friday, July 15, 9:00am-12 noon. The performances will be on Sunday morning, July 17 at 9:00am and 11:00am.

All rising first through sixth graders are invited to attend. During Music Camp, the children participate in large group rehearsals, small group rehearsals, recreation, refreshments, crafts and music games. During this week the children also learn about good singing technique and participate in activities which allow them to explore beat and rhythm and experiment with musical instruments. They learn an entire musical during camp and perform it on Sunday for the congregation.

Our musical this year will be *Oh Jonah!*, in which the story of Jonah the prophet is brought to life with fun music, dancing, and drama. You'll be delighted with comic angels, a group of sailors, wicked Ninevites and Waldo the Whale! The story of Jonah is more than just a story about a whale swallowing a man, it's a story about our lives also. It's a tale involving obedience, repentance, listening to God and believing that there is mercy and compassion for all who turn toward God.

For more information contact Karla Temple, Music Camp Director at [ktemple@stpaulchurch.net](mailto:ktemple@stpaulchurch.net) or 459-1595.



# Around the Church

## Congratulations on the Birth of...

Bryson Scott Franklin, son of Bryan and Dusty Franklin, who was born on May 13, 2011.

## Celebration of Baptism

Eva Caroline Garvin, daughter of David and Miranda Garvin, was baptized on May 22, 2011.

## Our Sympathy to...

Glenna Heinz and Family on the death of her husband, Robert Louis "Bob" Heinz, who died on May 17, 2011.

## Memorial Gifts

### *In Memory of Ben Cooper*

Rosalind Arnold  
 John and Beverly Ballantine  
 Phillip and Jan Gross  
 Sandal Gulick  
 Jim and Dot Patterson  
 John and Marion Roy  
 Robert Royer  
 Lois Shearer  
 Wells Lovett

### *In Memory of Virginia Watkins*

Jerry and Claudia Bodine

## Pictorial Directories have arrived

If your photo is in the directory, you may pick up your free copy (one per family) from the information center on Sundays or during the week, 9:00am-3:30pm. If your photo was not taken, you may purchase a directory (\$5).

Many thanks to **Laurie Adams** and **Pauletta Matthews** for their coordination of the directory!

THANKS!

To the Hospitality Committee at St. Paul:

Thank you so much for providing the refreshments and snacks to all of the precinct workers and voters on Election Day. It was a much appreciated surprise to all. You all went above and beyond!

Sincerely,

Denise Bartholomew, G-146 Precinct Worker



**St. Paul UMC May 31 - June 12, 2011**

<p><u>Monday, May 30</u> Church Closed Memorial Day Holiday</p>	<p><u>Tuesday May 31</u> 9:00 AM Yoga (YC) 9:15 AM HCM Tai Chi Class (120) 10:00 AM "The Great Themes of Paul" (113) 10:30 AM St. Paul UMC Staff Mtg (319) 6:30 PM Tai Chi (113) 7:30 PM Depression &amp; Bipolar Support Alliance (DBSA) (110, 113) 8:00 PM Better Days AA Group Mtg (CS)</p>	<p><u>Wednesday June 1</u> 9:00 AM Yoga (YC) 5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC) 7:00 PM Rittenhouse (219)</p>	<p><u>Thursday June 2</u> 9:00 AM Yoga (YC) 10:30 AM Christian Literary Circle (219) 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) 7:30 PM Depression &amp; Bipolar Support Alliance (DBSA) (110, 113) 7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (302)</p>	<p><u>Friday June 3</u> 10:00 AM Rittenhouse (219) 5:30 PM Exercise Class P90X (YC) 6:00 PM Tate/Sewell Wedding Rehearsal (Sanct)</p>	<p><u>Saturday June 4</u> Mission Trip to Haiti 7:00 AM Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study (100) 7:30 AM Wesley Walk for Others (YC) 9:00 AM Spiritual Actions AA Group (100) 1:00 PM Tate/Sewell Wedding (110)</p>	<p><u>Sunday June 5</u> Mission Trip to Haiti 8:30 AM Worship (Sanctuary) 9:00 AM Worship (FLC Gym) 9:45 AM Aldersgate Class (319) 9:45 AM LOA Class (Chapel) 10:00 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>
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## Sunday Worship Services

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

**June 5, 2011**

Wesley Sermon Series  
Scripture Luke 10:25-28  
Wesley's View of Piety and Mercy  
Rev. Gary Gibson

Music:  
Auburn United Methodist Church Youth Choir,  
Auburn, AL  
All three services

**June 12, 2011**

*Day of Pentecost*  
Scripture Acts 2:1-21  
Strange, But Exciting!  
Rev. William Schultz

Music:  
8:30 service, Will Simpson, Organ  
9:00 service, Worship Team  
11:00 service, Will Simpson, Organ,  
Chancel Choir

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### Weekly Attendance Report

	Sunday School	Worship
May 15	150	629
May 22	176	741



## Bears on Patrol

This is a new mission project that the Senior Adult Team is proposing for the entire St. Paul congregation:

BEARS ON PATROL is a cooperative effort between Kosair Charities and Law Enforcement Agencies throughout Kentucky and Southern Indiana counties to help comfort young children exposed to traumatic situations, a house fire, domestic disputes, or a variety of personal injuries.

Police officers and Firefighters keep a supply of stuffed bears in their vehicles to distribute to children who are involved in the above situations.

The Senior Adult Team is asking every person of St. Paul bring a new, stuffed TEDDY BEAR to worship on **Sunday, July 24.**

They will be appropriately displayed and dedicated to the cause for which they are given.

Purchase a BEAR - bring it to Church - and know in your heart that you have helped soothe some struggling, little child.

If you have any questions please contact Darlene Schultz (459-59130).