

WORSHIP SERVICES

June 24 – Fifth Sunday after Pentecost / Communion

Sermon Title: Now IS the Time and the Day
Scripture: 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

July 1 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost Father's Day / Recognition of Fathers

Sermon Title: Love Genuinely
Scripture: 2 Corinthians 8:7-15

WORSHIP SERVICE HELPERS

June 24, 2018

Lay Leader: **Patsy Slice**

Head Ushers: **Howard Cross & Tom White**

Acolyte: **Daniel Johnson** Crucifer: **Trey Johnson**

Greeters: **Debbie and Robbie Lowman**

Monday Counters: **Gwen Jeffords & Pat Willis**

July 1, 2018

Lay Leader: **Jay Beck**

Head Ushers: **Ross Huggins & Richard Schubert**

Acolyte: **Brooklyn King** Crucifer:

Greeters: **Julie & Brandon Shealy**

Monday Counters: **Janet Howell & Nancy Kittrell**

70th ANNIVERSARY WORSHIP SERVICE PREACHER – July 8, 2018

Reverend Michael Terrance (Terry) Fleming

Rev. Fleming was born in Alexandria, Virginia, and grew up in Louisiana. He graduated from Liberty University in 1992 with a Bachelor of Science degree in management. He spent 18 years on staff at United Methodist churches in Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, and St. John's UMC in Aiken, South Carolina, working with children, youth and programming ministries.

Being called to ordained ministry, Rev. Fleming was licensed in 2008 and ordained in 2014 following his 2012 graduation from Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary with a master of divinity degree. Before his appointment to New Beginnings UMC, Rev. Fleming served Ellore and Jerusalem United Methodist churches.

Rev. Fleming is married to Carla Fair Fleming. They have three adult children and enjoy spending time with their two grandchildren.



Saint Paul Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 24

9:30 Sunday School
10:30 Worship Service – Sanctuary

Monday, June 25

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
10:00 Youth @ Manna House
6:00 AA Meeting
6:00 Al-Anon Meeting
6:30 Trustee Meeting – Susanna Wesley Class

Tuesday, June 26

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out
9:30 Morning Glories Bible Study

Wednesday, June 27

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out
6:00 Al-Anon – Susanna Wesley
7:00 Chancel Choir

Thursday, June 28

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out
6:00 Young Adult Bible Study

Friday, June 29

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out
5:30 p.m. God Squad Lock In

Sunday, July 1

9:30 Sunday School
10:30 Worship Service – Sanctuary

Monday, July 2

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out

6:00 AA Meeting
6:00 Al-Anon Meeting

Tuesday, July 3

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out
9:30 Morning Glories Bible Study

Wednesday, July 4

**Independence Day – Happy 4th
Church Office & CCC Closed**

Thursday, July 5

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out
10:30 Ministry Area Coordinators Meeting –
Conference Room
6:00 Young Adult Bible Study

Friday, July 6

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare
8:00 Mother's Morning Out

Saturday, July 7

70th Anniversary Celebration – Church
grounds
3-6 Family Activities
5-7 Rogers Chicken Fundraiser
6-9 Revival Service

Sunday, July 8

9:30 Sunday School
10:30 Worship Service – Sanctuary
12:00 BBQ Luncheon on the Lawn

Under Special Care

Arlene Crouch – Methodist Manor
Beverly Davis – at home
Jimmy Griggs – at home
Jack Huffman – at home
Mark Lott – at home
Bubba Matthews (Chasity's father)
Norma Phillips – Methodist Manor

Lois Parrott – Methodist Manor
Bill Roy – at home
Ruth Simons – Methodist Manor
Marta Stewart – at home
Irma Tanner – at home
Ellen Walsh – at home
Brooke Watkins – at home

Please support our OutReach Ministers and Ministries

Rev. Rick Howell, Winthrop Wesley Foundation
Lou Jordan, Francis Marion Wesley Foundation
John and Susan McGee, The CRU Foundation
Rachel Hudson, Youth with a Mission

Stewardship Report

OFFERINGS & TITHES

June 10, 2018

Amount Needed: \$13,000.00
Amount Received: \$9,103.86

June 17, 2018

Amount Needed: \$13,000.00
Amount Received: \$10,651.99

YEAR TO DATE

Amount Needed: \$312,000.00

Amount received: \$270,813.22

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

June 10, 2018

10:30: 117

June 17, 2018

10:30: 106

Stewardship is...



Love in Action

Kids Corner

Bible Verse: When you pass through the waters I will be with you. Isaiah 43:2



God is so good. We had a great Vacation Bible School! We learned about God's unfailing love through science, music, art, recreation and fellowship. We collected food for Help4kids. Thank you to everyone who volunteered and for all the prayers this week.

Please continue to collect Piggly Wiggly receipts.

Melody beck.melody@yahoo.com

Youth @ Saint Paul

The youth will be helping with games at St. Paul's **70th Anniversary celebration** on **July 7th** from **3pm-6pm**.

We are planning on some **Laser Tag** fun **July 12th** from **6:30pm-8:30pm** at Elite Tactical Laser Tag here in Florence!

We will be heading down to Aiken, SC to the **Salkehatchie Sandriver** camp, **June 23-30**. Please keep our youth in your prayers!

Pete youthstp@gmail.com

REVIVAL PREACHER AND BAND – July 7, 2018



Reverend Janet K. Buffaloe

Janet is a spiritual mom, carrying the radical love of God to His precious children. Her life mission is to “*know and make known this radical, transforming God, Who is Love!*” She has a love for God, His people, and His Word. Janet served the Lord Jesus 18 years in the United Methodist Church as an ordained Elder in Full Connection, first as a pastor and then as a General Evangelist in the North Carolina Conference, USA. In 2008 God called Janet to ministry among all Christian denominations-

God’s people from all walks of life and Church backgrounds. Janet seeks to live in loving relationship with the larger Body of Christ as a Bridge builder, Fire starter, and equipper of His people, serving via the tool of *Father’s Heart Ministries International* (1 John 3:1), in a loving unity with many other ministries amongst the diverse Church locally, regionally and beyond to the nations!

Judah - Judah seeks to be a “nameless, faceless tribe of worshippers” of the Lord God. Judah has served as part of the ministry of *Father’s Heart Ministries International* to bring praise and worship to God, ministering with and among God’s people via this gift of worship, bringing people into God’s holy Presence. We believe strongly that when God is worshipped from the heart of His people, His Presence is manifested and changes us! In changing us this deep work of Holy Spirit ripples out of our lives powerfully in the places we live our lives and the world is transformed in God’s grace via our surrendered, worshiping lives.

To empower such lives of praise and worship is to be world changers. This is Judah’s heart. And in all, may Jesus Christ be praised!



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**The Epistle will be taking a break
in July and August.
It will return with a fresh look in September!**

MEMORIALS & HONORARIUMS

IN MEMORY OF JASON CHATLOSH

Given by Debbie and Roger McCay

IN MEMORY OF HERMAN LIVINGSTON

Given by Beth and Marvin Owen, Donna and Wilbur Vaughan, Jesse and Betty Whaley, Margaret L. McElveen, Harold, Ann and Alan Liebenrood, Marvin W. Livingston, Robert Kears, David Saleeby, Hayden & Deborah Moore, Lisa Fortuna, Guy and Lisa Hindrix

IN HONOR OF JOAN AND TERRY DANIELS

Given by Doris H. Hammond

IN HONOR OF SANDRA HARRIS

Given by Doris H. Hammond

Rainy Day Plan for July 7th and 8th

**Family Activities and Games will be cancelled
Fundraiser BBQ Dinner will be in the FLC
Revival will be in the Sanctuary
Sunday Lunch will be in the FLC**

The Epistle

The Newsletter of
Saint Paul United Methodist Church



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June 20 – July 4, 2018

70th Anniversary Event Schedule Saturday, July 7th

- 3 to 6 p.m. Family Activities & Games on the Lawn
- 5 to 7 p.m. Rogers BBQ Chicken Fundraiser Dinner

*Tickets are \$8 and available in church office until 6/29
All proceeds go for future ministries at Saint Paul*

- 6 to 9 p.m. Revival Service

*Preacher: The Rev. Janet Buffaloe,
Father’s Heart Ministries International*

Music provided by Judah

Sunday, July 8th

- 10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Service
in the Sanctuary

*Preacher: The Rev. Terry Fleming
Incoming Florence District Superintendent*

We are wearing casual and cool clothing this day!

- 12:00 p.m. BBQ Luncheon on the Lawn

*BBQ, sides, and dessert in the historical tradition of
the church built on the pig fundraisers.*

Music provided by Sherri and Friends