

WORSHIP SERVICES

June 10 – Third Sunday after Pentecost

Sermon Title: Inner or Outer

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

June 17 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Father's Day / Recognition of Fathers

Sermon Title: Faith of Our Fathers

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 & 14-17

WORSHIP SERVICE HELPERS

June 10, 2018

Lay Leader: **Lou Hanna**

Head Ushers: **David Tomlinson & Wayne Catoe**

Acolyte: **Anna Hodge** Crucifer: **Lona Beck**

Greeters: **Tammy Bell & Debbie Rucker**

Monday Counters: **Virginia Baird & Pat Willis**

June 17, 2018

Lay Leader: **Mark Armstrong**

Head Usher: **Barry Hodges**

Acolyte: **Jonah Harding** Crucifer: **Payne Arnette**

Greeters: **Martha Collier & Trecey Grant**

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

**You Are Cordially Invited to Attend
A Service of Celebration**

Sunday, June 10, 2018

5:00 p.m.

Central UMC, Florence

***Honoring the Service and Retirement of
The Reverend John W. and Mrs. Carol Hipp***

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

Saint Paul Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 10

9:30 Sunday School

10:30 Worship Service – Sanctuary

2:00 Worship Team Meeting - John Wesley Classroom.

5:00 Retirement Service – Central UMC

Monday, June 11

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

10:00 Youth @ Manna House

5:30-8:30 VBS

6:00 AA Meeting

6:00 Al-Anon Meeting

Tuesday, June 12

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

9:00 Morning Glories Bible Study

11:30 UMW Lunch – Redbone Alley

5:30-8:30 VBS

Wednesday, June 13

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

5:30-8:30 VBS

6:00 Al-Anon – Susanna Wesley

Thursday, June 14

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

2:30 Rail Road Men's Meeting - McNair

5:30-8:30 VBS

6:00 Young Adult Bible Study

Friday, June 15

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

5:30 p.m. God Squad Lock In

Sunday, June 17

Happy Father's Day!

9:30 Sunday School

10:30 Worship Service – Sanctuary

Monday, June 18

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

6:00 AA Meeting

6:00 Al-Anon Meeting

Tuesday, June 19

9:00 Morning Glories Bible Study

10:00 Youth @ Harvest Hope

6:30 S/PPRC Meeting JW Classroom

Wednesday, June 20

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

6:00 Al-Anon – Susanna Wesley

7:00 Chancel Choir

Thursday, June 21

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

6:00 Young Adult Bible Study

7:00 Finance Committee Meeting – Friends in Faith Classroom

Friday, June 22

6:45 Christ Centered Childcare

8:00 Mother's Morning Out

Saturday, June 23

Youth Salkehatchie Trip 23-30 Bus Reserved



Saint Paul UMW News

Saint Paul UMW will meet at Red Bone Alley Restaurant on Tuesday, June 12th at 11:30 am.

All women are welcome to join us.

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

Stewardship Report

OFFERINGS & TITHES

May 27, 2018

Amount Needed: \$13,000.00

Amount Received: \$9,505.00

June 3, 2018

Amount Needed: \$13,000.00

Amount Received: \$8,040.32

YEAR TO DATE

Amount Needed: \$286,000.00

Amount received: \$251,057.37

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

May 27, 2018

10:30: 100

June 3, 2018

10:30: 148

Stewardship is...



Love in Action

Kids Corner

Bible Verse: Give unto the LORD the glory due to His name; Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness. Psalm 29:2



Mark your calendars and join the adventure of Rolling River Rampage June 11th-14th, 5:30pm-8:30pm. Register for children participating or if you're willing to volunteer at <https://rr.cokesburyvbs.com/stpaulumcflorencesc>

Upcoming dates:

June 15th- God Squad Lock-in

Please continue to collect Piggly Wiggly receipts.

Melody beck.melody@yahoo.com

Youth @ Saint Paul

The youth group will be serving at the **Manna House - Monday, June 11th** from **10:00 am - 12:00 pm**. We can only take 5 with us so please email me with confirmation of your attendance soon. Only the first to write me will be able to attend.

The youth group will be helping again this year with **VBS**. Please contact me or Melody if you want to volunteer. **VBS dates are June 11th-14th**.

We will be serving at **Harvest Hope - Tuesday, June 19th** from **10:00 am to 12:00 noon**. We will be helping the staff to organize and sort through donations. We will meet at the church at **9:30 am** to take the bus to Harvest Hope together.

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

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Saturday, July 7th

3 to 6 p.m. Family Activities & Games on the Lawn
MC& DJ, Pete Ludlow with Music in the Tent

5 to 7 p.m. Rogers Chicken Fundraiser Dinner

*Tickets are \$8 and available in SS classes
All proceeds go for future ministries at Saint Paul*

6 to 9 p.m. Revival Service

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

Band: Judah

Sunday, July 8th

10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Service

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

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*

WOMEN'S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

*Missing Pieces: Real Hope When Life Doesn't
Make Sense by Jennifer Rothschild*

When: June 12th to July 31st (no study on July 3rd)

New Time: 9:30am

Where: John Wesley Classroom in the Children's Building on June 12th; Friend's in Faith Classroom in the FLC all other sessions

Cost: \$13.00 for the book which will be handed out at the first session

Contact: Janet Howell (843) 665-5277 or jhstitcher@aol.com

Does God care? Is He fair? Is He even there? God's ways don't always make sense, but He is trustworthy. Come close to Him. Experience unexpected peace despite your heartache. Trust Him more than your feelings. God will reveal Himself to you and fill in your missing pieces.

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**THE DEADLINE TO SUBMIT ARTICLES FOR THE
NEXT EPISTLE IS WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13th!**

MEMORIALS & HONORARIUMS

IN MEMORY OF JASON CHATLOSH

Given by Suzanne & the Saleeby Family, Rick and Janet Howell

IN MEMORY OF HERMAN LIVINGSTON

Given by Dotty & Wade Dickens, James M. Stewart, David F. Vaughan, James F. B. Whitney, Becky & Marvin McDaniel, Robin & Catherine Williams, Andrew Kinder, Belva Lynn Comba, Dr. James C. & Helen T. Owen, Diane Bassett, Tyler Bassett, Win and Mrs. Gracie Bassett, Harold, Ann and Alan Liebenrood, Nancy and Ben Kittrell.

Sympathy

The Pastor and congregation express their deepest sympathy to the family of **Herman Livingston** who passed away on May 18, 2018.

The Pastor and congregation express their deepest sympathy to Chuck Helms and family on the passing of his mother **Delana Helms** on May 22, 2018.

The Pastor and congregation express their deepest sympathy to Emery Higgs and family whose brother, **Neil Higgs**, passed away on May 25, 2018.

The Epistle

The Newsletter of

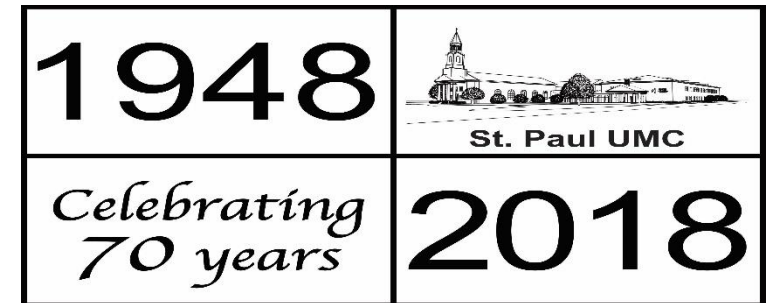
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June 6 - 20, 2018



*Logo and theme selected by the Saint Paul UMC congregation
to celebrate our 70th anniversary.*

July 7 & 8, 2018

Plans are well underway for the 2-Day Kickoff Celebration of our 70th year serving Christ Jesus at Saint Paul UMC.

You do not want to miss these wonderful opportunities to celebrate our ministries, play and worship together and share the good news of our Lord and Savior, Jesus.

See inside for the schedule of events.