

ORDER OF WORSHIP
May 28, 2017
Memorial Day Weekend

"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden." Matthew 5:14

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENT

PRELUDE: "Abide With Me"

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAISE "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" (Blue #808)

GREET ONE ANOTHER

CAROL CHOIR "I Just Want To Be"

CHILDREN'S SERMON

HYMN OF PREPARATION "Send the Light" (Blue #437)
(PRAYER CARDS *may be passed to the ushers at the end of the aisles*)

REPORT FROM ANNUAL CONFERENCE

MORNING PRAYER

GIVING OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY CHANCEL CHOIR "America"

DOXOLOGY Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE Matthew 5:13-16 (pg. 1501)

MESSAGE "Lighten Up!"

HYMN OF RESPONSE "This Little Light of Mine" (Red #585)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "God Bless America"

Check our website, www.stpaulsbrick.org for last week's message: "Got Hope?"

OUR GREETERS FOR TODAY'S SERVICES ARE:

9:00am: Judy Pesce

10:45am: Mary Burns and Khaleel Russomano

ACOLYTES: Emily Chadwick and Siobhan Collis

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR for today's Services are given
Rebbecah Circle



Flower Chart

The flowers cost \$25.00. We ask that you please use the envelopes provided for your payment. We all enjoy **fresh flowers** at our services each Sunday, and encourage our members to remember their loved ones by dedicating a flower arrangement for them. Please remember you must make your payment in the envelopes provided so we know who has paid. *We will not order flowers unless payment has been received and recorded in advance.*

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS are available. Please see an usher. Equipment is also available to assist you in hearing the services. If this would benefit you, please speak to an usher.

HELP US MINISTER TO YOU!

If you or anyone you know is ill or going into the hospital, please call the Church office and let us know: 732-458-2080.

Our weekly events are updated frequently to keep you posted on the happenings of the church.

<https://www.facebook.com/stpaulsbrick/>



THIS WEEKS EVENTS

SUNDAY 05/28 9:00AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - SANCTUARY
9:00 CHILDCARE- RM 2
9:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL K- HIGH SCHOOL
10:10 FELLOWSHIP-NORCROSS HALL
10:45 CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
10:45 ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM
6:00 NEW MEMBERS CLASS
8:00PM ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL

MONDAY 05/29 **HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY**
BUILDING CLOSED



TUESDAY 05/30 9:00AM MOMS IN PRAYER –ROOM 2
7:00PM SAFEPLACE- STAFF LOUNGE

WEDNESDAY 05/31 6:00AM MEN'S BREAKFAST
9:30 THE QUILTERS – YOUTH ROOM
4:30PM CHERUB CHOIR – 4 YR TO 1ST GRADE
6:00 WOMEN'S SOFTBALL PRACTICE- BLAIR FIELD
7:00 MID-WEEK WORSHIP – YOUTH ROOM
7:00 BOYSCOUT MEETING- LIBRARY
7:30 PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE - SANCTUARY

THURSDAY 06/01 6:00 STRONGER HEARTS FOR CHRIST – NORCROSS
6:30 MEN'S SOFTBALL- BLAIR FIELD
7:00 BIBLE STUDY - LIBRARY
7:00 BOY SCOUTS TROUP 33- NORCROSS HALL
8:00 CHANCEL CHOIR- MUSIC ROOM – 10TH GR.- ADULT

FRIDAY 06/02 8:30AM BULLETIN TEAM – LIBRARY
7:00PM FRIDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

SATURDAY 06/03 7:00AM MEN'S DISCIPLE – YOUTH ROOM

SUNDAY 06/04 9:00AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - SANCTUARY
9:00 CHILDCARE- RM 2
9:00 MISSION WALK- ENTIRE SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:10 FELLOWSHIP-NORCROSS HALL
10:45 CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
10:45 ADULT BIBLE STUDY – YOUTH ROOM
5:00PM CONFIRMATION CLASS
5:00 SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP
6:00 JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP
8:00PM ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS – NORCROSS HALL



June 18th

(what else is there to know for now?)

VBS NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Straight from HERO CENTRAL - We need your help. Please save your empty TOILET PAPER ROLLS. 340 are needed for a craft project. There is a bin in the Narthex for collection. We will let you know when we reach our goal - so keep them coming!

SUNDAY SCHOOL WALK FOR MISSIONS

It is that time of year again. Spring has sprung and walking outdoors is wonderful at this time of year! The Sunday school classes will again be participating in a Mission Walk in order to raise money for Missions. The students will be asking for donations between services beginning May 7th until the day of the walk on June 4th. The rain date for the walk will be June 11th.

Please reach out to the Sunday school classes by sponsoring a child (or two) and help them to make their mission a success!! Please look for the classes between services in the Narthex and outside the gym for sponsorships. God bless you for helping God's children feel as if they are a part of our church family in contributing towards their outreach mission goal.

RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS

May 21, 2017

Worship Attendance Last Sunday		190
Sunday School		72
<u>Giving</u>	<u>Current Expenses</u>	<u>Mortgage Giving</u>
Received last Week	\$5,852	\$1,405
Need per Week	\$9,348	

The amount shown as **Received last Week** includes offerings received at last week's Sunday services. Note: envelope giving includes only the amount on the TITHE/UNIFIED line.

MORTGAGE UPDATE:

The mortgage balance as of May 1, 2017 is \$897,918

Communications

E-Mail Announcements and Prayer Requests

If you would like to be on the church e-mail list to receive announcements, reminders of upcoming events and prayer requests, e-mail your information to penrod@Comcast.net.

Telephone Prayer Ministry

Nancy Penrod 732-458-7641 or church office 732-458-2080.

All Circuit Rider articles should be emailed to Nancy Penrod at penrod@Comcast.net. If you do not have access to a computer you can drop it off in the office or call Nancy at 732 458-7641. All articles should be sent to Nancy by the 10th of the month prior to publication.

Bulletin Notices-All information to be included in the Bulletin is due to the church office by **Tuesday at Noon**. If you have access to e-mail, please send your Bulletin announcement via e-mail to Office@stpaulsbrick.org.

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INTERCESSORY PRAYER

May 21, 2017

"Earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results." James 5:16b (NLT)

HEALING- For friend Maryann in FL who's having surgery this week – Marion Turner; For our family's hurt feelings; For those fighting illnesses, Denise, Melissa, Tommy, Jose and Lorraine; For Jim; For Irene Lea White as she has surgery to remove her tumor; For Teri in the loss of her son; For Irene – surgery, Lorraine H., Lorraine B., Becky, Barb, Dan's son, Nancy, Terry, a young girl with emotional issues, Tracy's son, Roz's granddaughter, Dan – PTSD, Bev, June P., June H., strength and patience for care givers; For Melissa, Bill, Robert, Nonni, Kyle, Suzanne, Geri, Wade, Maureen's sister in law, Patty, Cynthia, Rosemary, Sandy; For brother with cancer and chemo; For Phyllis with a rare brain tumor & is very frightened. Pray for her surgeon and for her complete recovery; For Pat with cancer and having a special procedure on Tuesday; For Michael suffering with bladder cancer; For Nicole G. with severe brain damage; For daughters Carol and Cathy; For Uncle Ronnie; For Heidi's mom Judy who was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer; For the family of Tony Fulton who died last week; For Lenny; For Peg; For Tim as he goes to the doctor for his hip, knees and feet; I hope Lexi's papa feels better – Milana; For Lexi's grandpa, Bob Karren, was placed on hospice this week; For Patty, Alan, Lisa, Cheryl, Mary and Jennie Nunn; For those with cancer – Ron, Nilda, Marty, Peg, Linda, John and Judy; For friend's husband – 3rd round of chemo; For a friend at work diagnosed with colon cancer; For Ron's hip; For Mike with an undiagnosed illness; For Gina – that her treatment for leukemia works and doesn't cause pain – Melissa Jensen; For my brother – health problems with his heart and not operable – Joy Matovsky; For my sister Linda with diverticulosis; For friend Joe M., Connie H. with cancer; For Bob who will have surgery May 31st. Guide the doctor's hand and be with them.

"Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand." Philippians 4:6-7a (NLT)

GUIDANCE- For my family who are going through a difficult time; For Liese and Tony as they deal with the passing of her father; For my grandkids. Keep them on the right path in life; For a friend in Brandywine; For Nick, strength and guidance; For Lyndsay, comfort and strength; For those who have lost parents or loved ones, Hope Wissel & Liese DeBona; For Athena's future; Protection for those in the military; Please help me deal with my personal problems at this time. Just help me make the right decision. Thank you Lord; For a son who is very depressed that he will learn to count his blessings and find peace in God's presence; For Jacklyn taking driving test tomorrow. Lord please watch over her; For our granddaughter and grandson.

"If you though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him!" Matthew 7:11 (NIV)

BLESSINGS- Thank you for all the blessings you have given me. Bless & care for my whole family. Care for all our service people around the world. Bless our country and keep it safe and strong. Bless & care for pastor Alan and pastor Hector.

PRAISE- For friend's 17 yr. old daughter doing better; For 6 years of marriage, guide us in our marriage; For new job opportunities for our daughter; Happy 95th birthday Dorothy Hillner; Happy birthday Travis; For a friend who's off heart transplant list; For my new car.

TRAVEL MERCIES- For my husband Charlie as he travels to Maryland this week – Marion Turner; For Tim.

SALVATION- For my family to find their way back to Jesus Christ; For Makana; Soften Ana and Amy's hearts; For Alec, alcohol recovery and salvation; For Rick; For my husband



Class of 2017



St. Paul's would like to recognize all those students who will be graduating from college or high school this year. If you know someone who fits that category please fill out the information form below (including phone number and email if you know it) and put in the offering basket or drop it off in the office. For more information, or to give names, please call the office at 732-458-2080.

Name _____

Graduating from _____

High School

College

Phone Number _____

E-Mail _____

Address _____

!!!Mid-Week Worship!!!

Come and check it out!!!!

This will be a time of fellowship with refreshments! Worship, Testimony, and Praise.



When: Every Wednesday!

Meeting All Summer!!!

Time: 7:00pm

Where: St. Paul's Youth Room.

We hope to see you there!!!



Asking for Notes of Love

As most of you have heard, after 37 years of ministry the decision has been made to close St. Paul's Christian School. We will be having a celebration of the school on June 12th during school hours from 9am-3pm. All are welcome to attend and share with the school staff and children in a day of fun and celebration.

We need your help as a congregation to make this day as special as possible. We are looking for any letters, notes of thanks, praise, and remembrance; anything you would like to write to any of the staff/teachers showing your love and appreciation for all the years of ministering to the children of St. Paul's. We also need your help letting any of the former teachers, students, and alumni know of the celebration day. You can send your letters to church office at

714 Herbertsville Rd. Brick, NJ 08724

or email them to

Office@stpaulsbrick.org.

Thank you.

