



Sunday, June 19, 2022
2nd Sunday after Pentecost

“No matter who you are,
No matter where you are on life’s journey,
You are welcome here.”





Welcome to Worship

at St. Paul UCC

June 19, 2022 ~ 9:00 am

Happy Father's Day to all who father!



TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS

<i>Senior Pastor</i>	Rev. Michelle Torigian
<i>Director of Music</i>	Tristan Frampton
<i>Organist</i>	Robert Chamberlin
<i>Liturgist</i>	Stephenie Bauza

WELCOME

Rev. Michelle Torigian

PRELUDE

Beautiful Savior

Silesian Folk Tune, arr. by Kevin Hildebrand

CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 42)

One: As a deer longs for flowing streams of water, our souls reach out to seek our God.

Many: Where is our God? In the cleansing of the rain, in the refreshing of a pool, in the predictability of a faucet.

One: With glad shouts and songs of thanksgiving, our voices lift toward our God.

Many: Where is our God? In the melody of voices raised in concert, in the stillness of silence, in the noises of spontaneous praise.

One: As deep calls to deep, we come to worship the Living God.

Many: Where is our God? In the echoes of our prayers, in the reverence of bowed heads, in the hope of raised faces. The Holy One is with us.

INVOCATION (UNISON)

Holy Wisdom, we hear you calling us to gather and to hope in your name.

Ignite sacred courage in us to proclaim the good news of God's radical love and justice from the comfort of the sanctuary. Inspire a compelling vision of a gracious, beloved, and empowered community that propels us to participate in your creative work in our time. Renew our hope for humanity so that we might rejoice in this inhabited world and delight in our siblings. Amen.

358 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

B \flat Eb B \flat B \flat F7 B \flat F Eb Eb B \flat F7 B \flat

1 Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, Joy of heaven to earth come down,
 2 Breathe, O breathe thy lov - ing Spir - it in - to ev - ery trou - bled breast;
 3 Come, al - might - y to de - liv - er, let us all thy life re - ceive;
 4 Fin - ish then thy new cre - a - tion, pure and spot - less let us be;

E \flat B \flat F7 F \sharp dim7 Gm E \flat B \flat F7 B \flat

fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing, all thy faith - ful mer - cies crown.
 let us all in thee in - her - it, let us find the prom - ised rest.
 sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er, nev - er - more thy tem - ples leave.
 let us see thy great sal - va - tion per - fect - ly re - stored in thee:

Gm Gm Gm D7 Gm D B \flat E \flat B \flat F C7 F7

Je - sus, thou art all com - pas - sion, pure, un - bound - ed love thou art;
 Take a - way the love of sin - ning, Al - pha and O - me - ga be;
 Thee we would be al - ways bless - ing, serve thee as thy hosts a - bove,
 changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, till in heaven we take our place,

B \flat E \flat B \flat F7 F \sharp dim7 Gm E \flat B \flat F7 B \flat

vis - it us with thy sal - va - tion, en - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.
 end of faith, as its be - gin - ning, set our hearts at lib - er - ty.
 pray and praise thee with - out ceas - ing, glo - ry in thy per - fect love.
 till we cast our crowns be - fore thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

REFLECTION ON GIVING

The gifts of God come generously and abundantly. We hold, nurture, and amplify them as they are entrusted to our care. We respond faithfully by sharing them for the good of community and creation. In this act of faith and trust, we transform our resources of time, talent, and finances into the good news in the world.

***DOXOLOGY** (Tune: *Old Hundreth*)

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ in whom God's grace we know
Praise Spirit, with us evermore
One God, triune, whom we adore. Amen.**

***BLESSING OF THE GIFTS (UNISON)**

We give you thanks, God Our Help, for the abundance of the gifts you have planted in us as seeds that we may share in bloom. May these offerings be received and magnified for your glory. Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN**

This Is a Day of New Beginnings

BEGINNINGS

(See next page)

***BENEDICTION**

May peace be with you as you confront lies with truth and fear with hope. May the Abiding One strengthen you to stand in truth and hope. May the Living Water refresh you with new streams of righteousness. May Wisdom be the voice you follow now as you go out into the world- encouraged, emboldened, and renewed.

POSTLUDE

The Rejoicing, from Suite in G
Charles Callahan

355 This Is a Day of New Beginnings

Unison

E_b Fm Gm7 Abmaj7 Ab6 E_b/B_b Fm/Ab

1 This is a day of new be - gin-nings, time to re - mem - ber
 2 For by the life and death of Je - sus, love's might - y Spir - it,
 3 Then let us, with the Spir - it's dar - ing, step from the past and
 4 Christ is a - live, and goes be - fore us to show and share what
 *4 In faith we'll gath - er round the ta - ble to taste and share what

Cm B_b B_b/Ab E_b/G Fm/Ab Gm7(b5)

and move on, time to be - lieve what love is bring - ing,
 now as then, can make for us a world of dif - ference,
 leave be - hind our dis - ap - point - ment, guilt, and griev - ing,
 love can do. This is a day of new be - gin - nings;
 love can do. This is a day of new be - gin - nings;

C7(b9) C7 Fm E_b/G Abm6 Abm 1-3 *B_b* 4 *E_b*

lay - ing to rest the pain that's gone.
 as faith and hope are born a - gain.
 seek - ing new paths, and sure to find.
 our God is mak - ing all things new.
 our God is mak - ing all things new.

Sing only first version of verse 4



*The flowers on the altar today are by
Diane Drake in loving memory of Rick on their
50th Wedding Anniversary*




THIS SUNDAY
Culinaires' Breakfast
Immediately after worship
Free will offering will be taken for the meal.

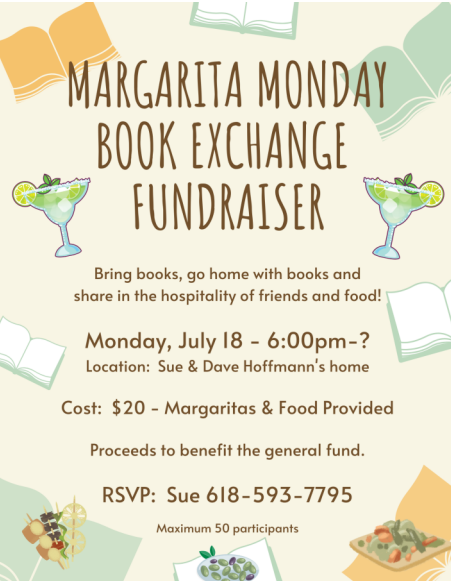


MATS FOR
COMMUNITY COMFORT
NEXT MEETING
Tuesday, June 21st from 1-3pm
in the craft room



THANK YOU FOR SHARING AND CARING, SANDY RITTER

MARGARITA MONDAY
BOOK EXCHANGE
FUNDRAISER



Bring books, go home with books and share in the hospitality of friends and food!

Monday, July 18 - 6:00pm-?
Location: Sue & Dave Hoffmann's home

Cost: \$20 - Margaritas & Food Provided

Proceeds to benefit the general fund.

RSVP: Sue 618-593-7795

Maximum 50 participants

Reminder

As Covid numbers rise we ask you to do the following for the health of the community:
If you have been exposed to Covid, please wear a mask & be aware of social distancing.
If you are sick, have the symptoms of Covid, or have Covid, please stay home.

Thank you!

Healthy members of the community are not required to wear a mask, but anyone is welcome to wear one inside the building.

Archives Artifacts - St. Paul trivia from the desk of Roger Henke

In January of 1960, our congregation voted to change the name of our church to the current one. What was the previous name?

This Week

For Your Prayers

Sundays

- 9am Traditional Worship
- 10am Coffee Hour after worship
Culinaire's Breakfast
(3rd Sunday of the month)

Here is how to stay in touch with St. Paul

1) **Watch the services and check for event updates on FACBOOK -**

Like us at *St. Paul United Church of Christ Belleville, IL*

2) **Go to stpaulucc.org**

-and you will find: videos of services, sermons, archives, and much more!!

3) **Listen to the radio! 690am**

9am Live Sundays & repeat at 9pm

- Gus Kuether
- Lori Coleman
- Carol Hotz
- Shirley Martin
- Sue Kuether
- Eileen Wetzel
- Grace Wolf
- Marilyn Dinkelman
- Mackenzie Shelton, niece of Lana Gentry

- Christopher Mitchell
- Scott Schmidt, brother of Steve Schmidt
- Laura Sadler
- Mona McAllister
- Brian Sample, nephew of Kathy Birkner
- The family of Bobbie Smith
- Kylo Williamson, great grandson of Gordon and Dorothy Maiworm

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please send prayer requests to pastormichelle@stpaulucc.org or call 618-233-3303



Praying for your health and well being!

ANSWER: St. Paul Evangelical and Reform



Watch videos on YouTube:
<https://www.youtube.com/>



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St Paul United Church of Christ, Belleville, Illinois

Weekly Attendance

9am June 5, 2022 80 + Online Participants June 6, 2021 54 + 23 Outside

Offering through 6/10/2022 - \$27,295.60

General Fund

Needed each week \$7,696

Giving to Date  \$191,749

Budget to...  \$177,088

Total Budget  \$400,199