

St. Paul's News

NOVEMBER 2018



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

November has arrived...the month of Thanksgiving. Our church family has much to be thankful for!

The church continues to be a bustling place, with Youth Club and Connections in full swing, along with the sharing kitchen and various meetings and people working around the church building. People are coming and going all throughout the day! It is wonderful to see.

As United Methodist, November often means charge conference, and it is no different for us at St. Paul's. Our charge conference is scheduled for Saturday, November 10th at 9:00 a.m. The conference will be hosted by Faith UMC. Please join us and our ministry partners at Faith and participate in our charge conference. Holy conferencing the backbone of United Methodism, as it offers each person a chance to have a voice and also offers members the chance to have a vote on things concerning the church. Please join us on the 10th.

We continue to raise funds for the roof replacement and work is set to begin very soon! If you have not yet donated to our roof campaign, please prayerfully consider doing so. We praise God that we have already raised approximately

63% of the funds needed. If you have any questions regarding the roof replacement campaign please contact Rich Kinstler.

As you are aware, this past July, St. Paul's was placed in a team ministry connection with the congregations of Republic Trinity and Melmore UMC. We have already seen the benefit of this team ministry in numerous ways, including participation of Republic young people in our Youth Club program and the upcoming Youth Fellowship Lock-In. Additionally, several people in our congregation have gone to the evening praise and worship service (The Flame) at Republic Trinity. These are exactly the type of meaningful interactions that we were hoping for when the district superintendent connected these three congregations. In order to improve communication between the three congregations, I will be including a notice each month in our newsletter telling of the "Team Ministry Happenings". Make sure you check out what is happening in each of the churches and let me know if you have any questions! What an exciting time for the three churches!

As we begin this month of Thanksgiving, I will leave you with a word from 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, "Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

God bless you and keep you!

Pastor Charlene





**NO LUNCH BUNCH THIS MONTH
PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL
THANKSGIVING DINNER
ON SUNDAY NOVEMBER 18TH**



Third Sunday Ingathering Offering **\$91.00**
Will be donated to First Call for Help to help
those that are in need in our community.

World Communion Sunday Offering **\$ 35.00**

Shoe Box Ministry Gifts will be collected on
November 4th and 11th. Shoe boxes are
available in the church office if you did not
get one on October 28th. Boxes must be
returned to the church office by November
11th. Thanks to all who participate in this
annual mission project to children in need
around the world.

November 25th we will be taking an Offering
for UM Student Day. Special Offering
envelopes will be provided in your bulletins.

-Kathy Daniel for Missions Committee



If your son or daughter is in Third Grade or older
and would like to acolyte, please contact Jill
Lindhorst at 419-443-0273.
Please consider helping us!!



**YOUTH FELLOWSHIP WILL BE
HAVING A LOCK-IN ON SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 10TH STARTING AT 6:00
PM AND ENDING AFTER SERVICE
ON SUNDAY THE 11TH
ALL TEENS ARE INVITED TO COME
AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS TOO!!
PLEASE CONTACT AMY OR ROB
OCHIER FOR MORE INFORMATION
567-220-9676 OR 567-220-9675**

**THERE ARE INFORMATION
PACKETS AVAILABE IN THE
CHURCH OFFICE**



Christmas shopping just got easier! This year the Salvation Army has requested we simply purchase clothing for the boys and girls. They want to be able to give each child pajamas and a day outfit. They said they would like an assortment of sizes of clothing for boys and girls as they have many children in need.

We will still have paper angels on our Christmas tree near the elevator. You may take an angel if you want as a reminder. There will be general information on them regarding clothing for children, such as: Purchase a day outfit and or pajamas for boys and or girls. The suggested limit is \$20.00 and a return by date of December 12th. The Salvation Army did state they will have Christmas tree tags in the stores with toy ideas on them, if you would rather take one of those feel free to do so. You can turn it back in to the store or to St. Paul's. If you have any questions or need someone to do the shopping for you call Sandy Arnold at 419-447-6145.

Sincerely,
The Missions Committee



TEAM MINISTRY HAPPENINGS

MELMORE UMC: Join our ministry partners at Melmore United Methodist Church on the evening of Saturday, November 10th as they have an evening of fellowship and fun! Featured performers include Will McDaniel (Christian Comedian) and Seeking Peniel (Christian Worship Band). The event runs from 4-6 pm at the Historic Melmore Town Hall.

REPUBLIC TRINITY: Come and check out The Flame praise and worship service at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday evenings. It will be a wonderful time of uplifting music, and study of the word of God. Those attending from St. Paul's will definitely recognize the guitarist who plays at The Flame! Come and worship with Trinity (202 Broadway Street, Republic)



Thanksgiving DINNER



**DON'T MISS
THE DEADLINE!**

**Newsletter deadline for December is
November 17th, 2018.**

Please email to secretary@tiffinstpauls.org

NOVEMBER 18th

@ 12:00

In The Fellowship Hall

**Provided: Turkey, dressing,
mashed potatoes and gravy,
pumpkin pie, bread and tables
service**

**Please bring a salad or vegetable to
share.**

**RESERVATIONS: Can be made on
Sunday November 4 and 11 or by
calling the church office at 447-
1743.**

**A freewill offering will be taken to
cover expenses.**

Join us for this annual event!

ROOF FUND PROGRESS UPDATE!

Progress

Overall Target
Overall Total
On Track Target

