

The St. Paul's Page

St. Paul's United Church
11526 76 Avenue NW
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Introduction to Theological Banquet
September 8th, 2024

Sunday morning worship services begin at 10:30. Worship services are also live-streamed and uploaded for later viewing [here](#).

If you are joining us for the Sunday worship online, please see our [service bulletins](#). Alternatively, the QR code can be scanned to view the bulletin for this week.



Surprise

Just about the time I get dogmatic,
Certain that I know it all,
You upend what I thought was fact.
Just about the time I drown in tears,
You enter in with unmitigated joy.
Just about the time I yawn in monotony
You come in dancing in with a lively step.
Just about the time I think I know you,
You turn up, show another side of yours,
And there I am surprised again.

Today: I am attentive to my inner stirrings.

from *Fragments of Your Ancient Name* by Joyce Rupp

ACTIVITIES AT ST. PAUL'S SEPTEMBER 8 - 15

SUN 09.08	10:30 am	Sunday Worship Intro to the Theological Banquet	Rev. Anna Constantin
MON 09.09	9:30 am	Iyengar Yoga	Foote Auditorium
	5:00 pm	Moxy B Studio	Foote Auditorium
	6:45 pm	Sew Couture	Dunn Room
	7:00 pm	AA Support Group	Bentley Room
	7:00 pm	A Joyful Noise Choir	Foote Auditorium
TUE 09.10	6:30 pm	Board Meeting	Dunn Room
	7:00 pm	Tai Chi	Foote Auditorium
	7:30 pm	Nar Anon Support Group	Bentley Room
WED 09.11	9:30 am	Staff Meeting	Friendship Room Sanctuary
	7:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal	
THU 09.12	9:30 am	Quilting Group	Foote Auditorium Upper Hall Foote Auditorium Foote Auditorium
	1:00 pm	GeriActors	
	5:00 pm	Moxy B Studio	
	7:00 pm	Tai Chi	
FRI 09.13			
SAT 09.14	10:30 am	Braille Tones	Foote Auditorium
	5:00 pm	RARICANow AGM	Foote Auditorium
SUN 09.15	10:30 am	Sunday Worship Theological Banquet: Evangelicals	Rev. Anna Constantin

Prayers and Support for Jasper

The congregation of Jasper United, as well as all those evacuated from Jasper and all first responders, continue to be held in our hearts and in our prayers. [Please click here](#) for full details on offering both prayerful and financial support to Jasper United

As we explore the different streams of faith in the **Theological Banquet**, through video and discussion. This is an opportunity to come and explore each stream further based on Janet Gear's book, *Undivided Love: Navigating Landscapes of Living Faith*.

9-10 on Sunday mornings in the Library September 15-October 20th (there will be no study on October 6th)

Wednesdays September 11-23 (no study on October 9th) via zoom. Please email the office for the zoom link.

Please contact Rev. Anna for any questions or if you would like to purchase a copy of the book. Reading the book is optional for this study.

Photo Directory

We will soon be looking to update pages for our Photo Directory. If you are not included in the current one we will be asking for a photo taken on a phone in portrait orientation (vertical). More information to come.

**News from Northern Spirit Region:
September 20 transphobic marches and our responses**

The transphobic and homophobic “hands off our kids” marches we dealt with last September are making a comeback across our Region and the country Friday September 20, 2024. [Please click here to read more](#), including encouragement for all our members, communities of faith, and community ministries to speak faithfully, proactively, and positively against fear and hate.

Iyengar Yoga with Anita Cullen

These classes are for all levels of yoga experience (including complete beginners) and modifications are provided when needed. We work with postural alignment starting with the feet, legs and hips to create firmness and strength in the body. Working with our own body weight to create extension and length in the limbs for better alignment in the spine. We use props for added benefit including blocks, belts, blankets and chairs. Classes are Mondays from 9:30am to 11am and every other Wednesday from 7pm to 8:30pm. Please contact Anita for specific dates and more information. Email: anitacullen2003@yahoo.co.uk Mobile: (587) 986-8574.

St. Paul's 75th Anniversary Book

As we look forward to the fall, we want you to know, we have been working diligently over the past year on our 75th Anniversary History Book. We hope to have it ready for October!

Welcome - Come see what we do!

On the next two Sundays, September 8th and the 15th, we will serve coffee in the Foote Auditorium. Members of committees and Church groups will be available. Come and ask questions and find out what they are doing and planning for the fall.

There will be cookies!

Coleen Falk, Membership & Congregational Care

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Thank you for all the ways you contribute to our community. If you wish to contribute financially to St. Paul's, please scan the QR code.



Save the date! General Council annual meeting is October 19, 2024

The General Council's annual meeting is October 19. It will be held online using the CHURCHx platform. Details will be posted in the next few weeks.

We invite you to join us online soon after the October 19 meeting – on Tuesday, Oct. 22 at 6 p.m. – for an informal, thoughtful town hall with the General Secretary and members of the GCE. Everyone is welcome.

[40 Days of Engagement on Anti-Racism](#) returns this fall! The series is an excellent way to delve deeply into exploring anti-racism—as well as to engage in related faith reflections and ideas for action. This year's series features several dynamic speakers for the online events, which all run on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. ET, in October and November. There are also accompanying [study groups](#), which offer ways to integrate and reflect on the content with learners from across the church. [Register for this year's live events](#)—and please [sign up for the newsletter](#) to stay up-to-date with regular content for this year's exciting program.



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