

February

Youth News 2018



Come join us for

ST. PAUL'S FAMILY BOWLING at LEGION LANES

1 Memorial Drive in Hamburg
*(must provide your own
transportation)*

on Sunday, March 11
from 1 to 3 pm

Cost: \$10 / person
includes 3 games,
shoe rental, pizza & pop.

Please sign-up by contacting
Kelly Beller at 698.4581.

***Prizes will be given out
during the games for special
splits, scores or marks!!!!

Bring your parents,
siblings, cousins or friends
for a fun time
of fellowship
and bowling!!!!!!!



**THE JR HIGH
YOUTH**
will
host a
PARENT



**RECOGNITION
Spaghetti Lunch**

on Sunday, March 4 at 12:15 pm.
Yes - this means the JR youth
will be serving a spaghetti meal
for their parents! Please bring a
dessert to share. Please RSVP to
Sue Hoover at 992.9112 by
Sunday, Feb. 25 if you, your
parents & siblings plan on
attending. (Counts as Service
Hours!!!!!!!)



JR/SR HIGH

YOUTH:

Would you like to help raise money for the hungry? What do you have to do? Be a part of World Vision's **24-HOUR FAMINE AWARENESS EVENT** from **Sunday, Feb. 18 (noon) to Monday, Feb. 19 (noon)**. The event will "fast-off" with our 10:45 am worship service.



Friends are invited to join us for this exciting event. Lots of fun activities are in the works. Permission slips to participate **MUST** be turned in by Tuesday, Feb. 6!!! Also, be sure to pick up your pledge sheets.

SUPPORT THE OUR FAMINE!!

In February many of our JR/SR High Youth will be participating in our Famine Awareness Event. This is an amazing event that raises social awareness of hunger and malnutrition world-wide. We are aiming for 100% participation from our Sunday School students. There are a couple of ways that this can be achieved besides participating in the actual event.

We are asking all of our Sunday School students to donate \$1 or some of their loose change for this cause. \$1.25 feeds **ONE** child for **ONE** day! **ALL** money raised will be used to support the cause of the 30 Hour Famine.

The 30 Hour Famine
began in the U.S. in 1992

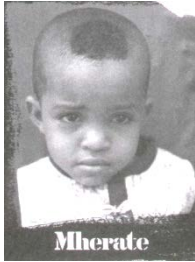
We (St. Paul's)
participated in our
FIRST famine in 2001
and have raised **over**
\$24,000 for world hunger!

WE ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE!!!

In 1960, the number of
kids dying each day from
preventable causes like
hunger, disease and poverty
was **MORE THAN 54,000**.
In 2015, the number of kids
dying each day was reduced
to **MORE THAN 16,000**.

WORLD VISION:

There is a marvelous story of a man who once stood before



God, his heart breaking from the pain and injustices in the world. "Dear God," he cried out, "look at all the suffering, the anguish, and distress in the world. Why don't you send help?" God responded, "I did send help. I sent you." - David J. Wolpe - **If you would like to make a special offering to support WORLD VISION, please place your donation (make checks payable to World Vision) in a pew envelope and mark the envelope "World Vision" and put in any Sunday offering.**

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Sunday, Feb. 25

- during the 10:45 am service
- We hope you will join us!



Creative Fun 4 Kids

Children and their parents (or caretakers) are invited to come join us for a **FREE playgroup** with crafts, games and stories!

This group is for children 2-4 years of age and will run on Thursday mornings for **THREE** weeks: Feb. 1, 8, 15 10-11 am

We will meet in the Fellowship Hall at St. Paul's.

Pre-registration is required.

Please contact Tina Rigley at 992.9112 or tmrigley1012@yahoo.com.

Come join the fun!





Happy Birthday!

- Riley Wierzba - 2/2 - 3rd
- Anna Parnitzke - 2/9 - 8th
- Shaughnessy Shephard - 2/11 - 10th
- Sophia Donovan - 2/12 - 4th
- Adrianna Henry - 2/13 - PreK
- Tyler Kocher - 2/19 - 6th
- Bryce Northrup - 2/19 - 10th
- Jaxson TenHagen - 2/23 - K
- William Archabald - 2/28 - 4th

Youth Bells
 for those in grades 5-12
 rehearses on
 Sunday afternoons
 from 12-12:45 pm

Please see Stacey Callinan if you would like to join the group.

**SCOUT RECOGNITION
 SUNDAY
 February 4
 During all
 Worship Services**



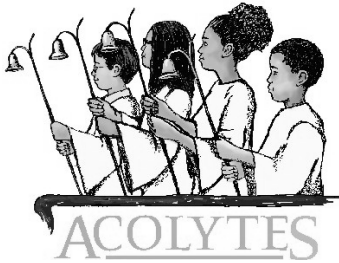
**VBS 2018
 July 23 - 27
 Mark your
 Calendars!!!**

**Famine
 Awareness Event
 Feb. 18-19
 Make it
 YOUR Fight!!!!**

**JR/SR Spring
 Youth Retreat
 At Camp Pioneer
 April 20-22**



ACOLYTE SCHEDULES



A= Acolyte
V= Video-Taping

EARLY SCHEDULE

Feb. 4	A	Kaylin Janowsky
	V	Ben Shephard
Feb. 11	A	John Gangemi
Feb 18	A	Zach Kocher
	V	William McMahon
Feb. 25	A	Sydney Minier
March 4	A	Lizzie Agle
	V	Luke Blandino
March 11	A	Chase Bugenhagen
March 18	A	William Houck
	V	Kaylin Janowsky

LATE SCHEDULE

Feb. 4	A	Brianna Rigley
Feb. 11	A	Anna Parnitzke
	V	Josef Dunlap
Feb. 14 *	A	Maddie Sutherland
7pm		
Feb 18	A	Lucas Shank
Feb. 25	A	Maggie Zittel
	V	Jessica Zittel
March 4	A	Peter Mroz
March 11	A	Lauren Hickok
	V	Josef Dunlap
March 18	A	Anna Parnitzke

A CHILD'S VALENTINE PRAYER

From "My Happy Heart"
By Melody Carlson

"I thank You, God,
for those I love,
And thanks for
this good day!
I made this card,
though it's not much,
It's rumpled and it's small.
But, God,
I give my heart to You.
For I love You best of all!
Thank You
that You fill my heart,
With all the love You do,
I love You, God,
I always will -
My heart belongs to You!"

S.H.I.N.E.!
Share His Incredible
News

Everywhere!!!



**SCOUT
RECOGNITION
SUNDAY**



February 4

Scouting provides fun, fellowship, and training to many youth in our congregation as well as youth in our community. It emphasizes honesty, self-reliance, and respect.

Through a year-round program, it affects character, citizenship, and personal fitness.

The success of Scouting depends on many volunteers, who serve in a variety of leadership roles.

We
PRAY FOR
all the scouts
and the splendid
volunteers who serve as
Cubmasters, Scoutmasters,
Venturing Advisors, and
other positions of
leadership.

You are invited to
join us for an
exciting adventure
to see



in the Amishlands
of Lancaster, PA

**3 Days - 2 Nights
June 25 - 27, 2018**



COST PER PERSON:

Double \$379

Triple \$349

Quad \$329

Single \$499

**CONFIRM YOUR
RESERVATION
ASAP**

by calling Lisa Beller
at 992.9112

\$25 non-refundable
deposit due by March 1, 2018
50% due by April 2
Final payment due by May 1

Welcome!

OUR FAMILY NIGHT

to welcome

NEW MEMBERS

to our Church is

scheduled for

Saturday

April 14

in the church

FELLOWSHIP HALL

We will have a

Pot-Luck

dinner at 5 pm

The performance of
"Three Norn's Bakery"
will start at 6 pm.

All church members,
family and friends
are invited to come.

This is a great opportunity
to get better acquainted
with those new to our
fellowship!

PASTOR'S

PLAY: This year's play, written by Pastor Lutz, is called: "Three Norn's Bakery."



The play is scheduled to be performed on April 13 in Gowanda and April 14 here at St. Paul's.

Play practice will begin on Monday, February 5.

Sunday School

Teacher

Appreciation

BRUNCH

Sunday,

February 11

12:15 pm



"STAYING SAFE IN A PREDATORY WORLD"

Mondays 7-9 pm

4 Workshops

St. Paul's Fellowship Hall
3487 N Boston Rd, Eden

OPEN to the Community



2/5 - Sexual Predators

Jennifer Klein (Licensed Clinical Social Worker)

3/12 - Addressing the Opioid Epidemic

Theresa Walker (Samaritan Counseling Center)

4/9 - Suicide Awareness / QPR Training

Kim Zittel (Licensed Mental Health Counselor)

5/14 - Identity Theft

Brian Makey (Thrivent Financial)

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED!

*PRE-REGISTRATION IS ENCOURAGED
BUT NOT NECESSARY (please call 992.9112)*

*Hosted by the L.E.G.O.S. House and
the Stephen Ministry Team of St. Paul's Lutheran Church*