

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2016

GREAT DAY OF SERVICE Save the Day!! Saturday, March 19, Peachtree Road United Methodist Church will again be sending their volunteers to St. Paul to help us with a bunch of projects around the church from painting to landscaping to cleaning up and more. Our volunteers will get the chance to work alongside their volunteers with a common goal: get some work done at St. Paul that we haven't been able to address. They will provide supplies and people who have given their time to the work day. We need to have a substantial number of volunteers to join with theirs that day so we can maximize our effort. Usually, the work begins about 9 Saturday morning and runs until around 1 or after lunch (which we will provide). Please make a determined effort to join us to share your time and talents on behalf of God's house, our St. Paul. If you have any questions about the types of tasks we will be working on, see Marcus Merritt or the task list that will be posted in the office.

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING, the United Methodist special offering in support of the administrative costs for UMCOR, will be received Sunday, March 6th. Your donations to this offering allows UMCOR to respond to disasters around the world whenever they occur. Please be generous.

THANKS FROM WESLEY WOODS: Your gifts to Wesley Woods Senior Living in 2015 are making a big impact! Thanks to your generosity, seniors are better able to age with grace. One resident said recently, "We can tell we are loved by all that has been done for us." Thank you for sharing your love, and God's love, with over 1,500 older adults at Wesley Woods.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL is June 6 – 10. Volunteers will be needed in a number of areas. If you will be able to help for part or all of any days that week, please email ellen@stpaulgrantpark.org or office@stpaulgrantpark.org. Henrietta Miller and Fred Curtis will be in charge. Contact hmitchell25@yahoo.com or fcurtis2@gmail.com for more information.

SPOT All are welcome at St. Paul on Tap, St. Paul's informal Bible Study. SPOT meets every other Thursday at 6 pm at Vickery's (933 Garrett St.). Email ashleywaiteriddle@gmail.com for more info!

UPCOMING SPOT DATES:

March 3
March 17
March 31
April 14
April 28

A LENTEN STUDY based on *24 Hours That Changed the World* by Adam Hamilton meets Sundays at 10am in the Prince of Peace Room. “Walk with Jesus on His final day. Sit beside Him at the Last Supper. Pray with Him in Gethsemane. Follow Him to the cross. Desert Him. Deny Him. And then experience the Resurrection.” Facilitated by our Con Ed Intern, Estelli Ramos, the study will run through Easter Sunday and is open to anyone.

SIGN-UP FOR YOUTH GROUP CHOW DOWN SUPPER CLUB. The youth group is looking for some sponsors of their monthly supper club. The location is always at St. Paul, but prepared dinners are requested. Providers can partner with one or more families. Please see the following link for more information and to sign up: <http://bit.ly/1ZEv04J>

CAMP SPARC! REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN! Click on the big red REGISTER NOW button at www.stpaulrec.com.

Camp Schedule:

Camp Hours 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Free Extended Care from 8:00 AM-9:00 AM & 4:00 PM-6:00 PM

Age Groups:

Camp SPARC! is for children who are age 6-12. Youngest children must turn 6 by June 1, 2016. Oldest children must not exceed age 12 as of June 1, 2016. There will be one sports and one arts theme assigned to each week of the 2016 summer. The themes are as follows:

Week One (June 6) – VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (Mornings only); Flag Football & Handcrafts (basketweaving, ceramics, sketching) (afternoons)

Week Two (June 13) -- Kickball/Frisbee & Music

Week Three (June 20) -- Field Games & Visual Arts (Photography, Videography, Comics)

Week Four (June 27) -- Tennis and Creative Writing

Week Five (No CAMP, July 4th holiday)

Week Six (July 11) -- Basketball & Cooking

Week Seven (July 18) -- Soccer & Performing Arts

Week Eight (July 25) -- Softball & Painting

YOUTH FACEBOOK PAGE is Saint Paul Youth Group. Check it out!

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