

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2017

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- Susann Kearney (Ginny's friend; failing transplanted kidney; seeking a second)
- Hannah Moore (young mother threatening delivery at 24 weeks)
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THANK YOU for all your help with Halloween Hospitality. We had 370 trick or treaters stop by the church.

HOMECOMING 2017 The Homecoming Committee cannot express thanks adequately to all who helped make Homecoming 2017 a great day! We are so appreciative of everyone, from set-up, PR, bulletin boards, art, polishing pews, sign-up genius, cooks, trash empty-ers, chair and table movers, vacuumers, coffee and conversation set up, clean up, lawn mowers, singers, musicians, Capital Campaign spot-lighter, historians, ironers, beautifiers, florists and decorators, banner and quilt hangers, card and print makers, liturgist, greeters, Scout Troup 1050, bulletin printers and folders, and everyone who paid attention to every little detail that went into Sunday! It was a great day! **THANK YOU!** Please offer feedback and place in the offering plate or send an email to: candacemccollough@gmail.com . ALSO you can share your vision for St Paul using the cards on the bulletin board entering the sanctuary from Sydney St.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH have completed a seven week unit about worship. During the month of November their topic will be "Giving Thanks." Conversations and activities will focus on ways we say "Thank you" to God.

YOUTH GROUP is thankful for donations of couches and has enough of those now but could still use chairs, side tables and/or a coffee table for the renovated (in process) youth room. Please contact Treah Caldwell (catladyfemme@gmail.com) about your donation.

UPDATED YOUTH SCHEDULE for activities through the end of 2017:

November 19th, chowdown, 6-8pm (note the earlier time, moved due to Thanksgiving)
December 9th, volunteer for Candlelight Tour of Homes, 6-8pm
December 10th, Christmas Party at Treah's house, 2-4pm

THE SUNDAY SHEPHERD still needs one adult volunteer for Sunday, November 12th during the 11AM service. This is the only remaining vacancy for the year. Thanks to those who recently signed up. If YOU have not, please consider volunteering, particularly if you are the parent of a participating child. Please use the link below to sign up. <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4caba62ea2fd0-sunday>.

SUPPORT THE SUNSHINE PROJECT PANTRY. Luke Fuller is doing a project for school in Aid of this project of Maynard Jackson High School which helps homeless kids and those living in food insecure homes by providing food or toiletries. A bin to collect non perishable food items will be in the sanctuary from November 1 – 12. Please contribute.

ST. PAUL BASKETBALL Registration for the 2017-2018 basketball season is open at www.stpaulrec.com. If you have any questions please email recreation@stpaulgrantpark.org. The discount code for \$20 off the registration fee for St. Paul members is stpaul2018.

THE ST. PAUL GOLDEN AGE CENTER received \$30 this quarter as the result of a few folks who registered the GAC on their KrogerPlus Cards. You can do the same and the GAC will receive donations from the Kroger Community Rewards Program. Go to krogercommunityrewards.com to create an account and register your card. The GAC's new NPO number 41641.

REMEMBER YOUR BAPTISM AND PRAY! Our Baptismal bowl is stationed under the Garden of Gethsemane window in the back corner of the nave. Please take a moment to go by, dip your fingers in, remember your Baptism and pray for peace in our world. In the water of the font are stones. Please feel free to take a stone home, keep it in your pocket or purse, and each time you see or feel it, let it be a reminder to you to pause, remember your Baptism and pray.

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT IN THE WORKS St. Paul Boy Scout Troop 150 Eagle Scout Candidate Spencer Scott is currently raising funds to complete his project "Six Flags Over St. Paul" so that the project will be in place by Homecoming. If you would like to support Spencer's project, you can purchase a **Sport or Auto First Aid Kit for \$15.00** and we will hand deliver it your home, or you can make a separate monetary donation.

Please visit the site <https://squareup.com/store/troop-150-eagle-projects> if you would like to purchase a kit online or make an online contribution, or email Spencer-Scott150@gmail.com to purchase directly from Spencer & view product samples.

Spencer and Troop 150 greatly appreciate your support!