

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7TH

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- Ginny Pavey and Family (Death of Ginny's Mother-in-Law Imogene Williams)
- *Chris Cline (broken leg)
- *Jan Gore (assisted living)
- Maggie Sweeney (pituitary tumor)

PASTOR CASSIE'S "OFFICE" HOURS Stay tuned for Pastor Cassie's Office Hours in the next few weeks!

UNITED METHODISTS AT ATLANTA PRIDE Every year Trinity UMC holds a demonstration of love at Pride and have invited us to join! We will hold signs about God's inclusive love, offering support, hugs, pictures, and a general welcoming message of God's love. It will take place on Saturday, October 13th from around 2pm to around 5ish. Meet at the corner of 14th Street and Piedmont Ave at the entrance to Piedmont Park. If you are interested in participating let Pastor Cassie know!

ST PAUL EPISTLE coming soon: A quarterly newsletter of events, stories and news to be published quarterly. Got info or suggestions? Send articles/news/ideas or volunteer to: candacemccollough@gmail.com or call 404-234-8514. Deadline for the first installment coming in November is October 15th!

CHILDREN AND YOUTH ROUNDTABLE POTLUCK "Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me." On Wednesday October 17th, from 5:30pm-7pm we will gather for a Children and youth ministries roundtable discussion and potluck. We invite anyone who is interested in exploring the ways that St. Paul UMC can live into welcoming children and youth into our midst to join us for this exciting event. We will dream, explore, and plan for the future of our children and youth ministries here at St. Paul UMC. For more information please contact Pastor Cassie at cassie@stpaulgrantpark.org or Rebecca Wallace at rebecca@rtwcommunications.com.

HALLOWEEN HOSPITALITY Join us as we provide hospitality and fun to the Grant Park Community! This year we will have a comfort station, candy, and even chances to ring the St. Paul bell in the bell tower! Interested in having a great night of Halloween fun? Join us on Halloween Night, October 31st, from 5-8. The more the merrier! In preparation for Halloween we are asking for donations of candy for that night. Donations can be dropped off in the Church Office. Let Pastor Cassie know if you would like to volunteer on Halloween! (Costumes encouraged but not mandatory).

DISTRICT CONVERSATION DAY The ADOX District is providing a Conversation Day for clergy and laity to hear from one another following a model for leading conversations on A Way Forward and the upcoming General Conference in their local churches. Each church is encouraged to send three lay people (if possible one of them should be between the age of 21 and 35) with a clergy person. You are encouraged to speak with Pastor Cassie about your interest. **Conversation Day is scheduled to be from 10 AM until 3:30 PM October 27 at Decatur First UMC. Lunch is available with gluten-free and vegetarian options and will be paid for by the District. Please register at the following link so that there will be adequate seating and food.**

ADOX Conversation Saturday, October 27 at Decatur First UMC –deadline to register is October 23.

THE CANDLELIGHT TOUR OF HOMES is a wonderful tradition at St. Paul and will take place on December 8th and 9th. We are looking for volunteers in all areas. IF you are interested in helping at the Candlelight Tour of Homes please get in touch with Don Wallace (donwallace1968@gmail.com).

SUPPORT ST. PAUL WHILE SHOPPING AT KROGER St. Paul is a part of the Community Rewards program at Kroger. You can support St. Paul by registering your KrogerPlus cards. To benefit St. Paul every time you shop, visit <http://www.kroger.com>, log into your Kroger account and click Enroll. You can search for St. Paul United Methodist Church either by name or by our Non-Profit Organization number BL488. We will receive a quarterly check from the program based on the amount of your purchases.

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YOUTH ROOM needs a 220 volt window air conditioner. We can pick it up if you have one that works you would like to donate. Contact the office to make arrangements. Thanks.