

## Coming This Fall: New Photo Directory!



Our last church photo directory was 5 years ago, and the company that promised free updates has gone out of business. SO... we will be doing a new directory this fall! Denise Hosier will be chairing and producing the directory, so see her with any questions.

**Something NEW!** We will not be using an outside company to take photos. We will be happy to accept

your photo of you and your family (landscape orientation, please, if possible) or you can use your photo from the previous directory. Or else see Denise after church any Sunday in September and she'll take a picture of you.

**Timetable for directory:** Photos collected and/or taken in September, directory designed and printed in October, and hopefully ready for distribution in November. Since we're not using a company, there's a printing cost involved in producing these, so we ask for a small donation (suggested \$5) if you are able to help with the printing costs.

**IMPORTANT!** We need your updated phone and email information to include in the

directory. If you no longer have a house phone and use a mobile number, PLEASE GIVE US YOUR PHONE NUMBER! Email the information and photos to Denise, [communications@stpaulsthorofare.com](mailto:communications@stpaulsthorofare.com) or use her personal email if you have it.

With everyone's help, we should be able to put out a wonderful, useful book for all our church family this fall. Thanks for your cooperation!



## Rally Day for Sunday School

Calling all Sunday School students!

Rally  
SUNDAY

We'll be back in session on Sunday, September 10. We'll start at 9:30 a.m. during the worship service by welcoming the kids with a Children's Message by Dave Fish. Pastor Dave will be praying, asking the Lord to be with you through the school year. Then our first Sunday School class for the fall will be at 10:45 a.m.



Join us as we learn and grow together!

**Mark Your Calendars!**  
Pumpkin Party, Friday, Oct. 27  
Bazaar, Saturday, Nov. 4



St Paul's will be hosting the Red Cross Blood Drive on:

**Thurs. Sept. 14, 1-6 p.m.**  
**Thurs. Nov. 2, 1-6 p.m.**

Our nation's blood supply is fragile - there is a significant need for blood donors! All blood types are in high demand. Please consider donating at this or any local drive.

Please contact the Red Cross at 800-RED-CROSS or at [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org) to schedule your appointment today!

# Prayer REQUESTS

## ALL Prayers:

For our country  
 For the Ukrainian people  
 For peace  
 Logan S upcoming surgery feeling down  
 Kathie S chemo  
 Cameron always needs prayer & family  
 People of Maui  
 Don S. hosp  
 Steve hosp & Hope  
 S family tire on RV  
 John B double pneumonia plus secondary infection  
 Hope T in and out of hosp serious health issues  
 Kim hopefully coming home soon  
 Ryane G brain tumor radiation & chemo  
 Jake S age 9 cancer returned & family  
 Sherrie T on hospice brain cancer  
 Sherry B inoperable brain tumor  
 Family & friends of Yvonne L  
 Kathy & family covid  
 T family suffered losses  
 Rev Bill D poor prognosis & Gloria  
 Brayden age 7 fract elbow came through surgery well  
 Retired atty hosp serious health condition  
 Praise for new baby Luca  
 Family & friends of Bob T  
 Don & Jannie loss of brother Gloria L  
 Jennifer's friend mental health  
 Jennifer's aunt cancer  
 Penny B knee surgery & mom Mary  
 Friend with balance issues  
 Bob N lung cancer and fall  
 Charles C heart attack having cath  
 Carol M knee surgery & pain  
 Randy H health issues  
 Felice T detached retina surgery

Cathy's brother life threatening illness  
 Randy H serious health issues  
 Jen facial surgery

A friend tough time  
 Wildfires in Hawaii  
 Jim kidney stones in pain  
 Kathy health issues  
 James D hosp very weak  
 Dan M torn retina coming along  
 Sandy back surgery long hosp  
 Hermine M for knees & health  
 Norm B tests  
 Randy H health issues  
 Mike bypass surgery at home  
 Christian G blood infection life-threatening  
 All with bereavement or loneliness  
 Lynn lost friend  
 Brad pancreatic cancer  
 Sherry brain tumor  
 Sue M stomach surgery  
 Jennifer & Lexi bad auto accident  
 Marcia D for Jesus to lead  
 Emily R pregnancy concerns  
 Hailee swollen hand  
 Pastor Dave, Donna, & family  
 Family & friends of Megan D

**Every week:** All those in need, unspoken requests, all service men/women, our nation and leaders.

## Ongoing Prayer Concerns:

Mary B., Joyce N., Hope T., Gerry M., Chris S., Janet B., Ruth S., Kathie S., Sharon R.

## Serving in the Military:

Caitlyn Um, Erynn Plasket, Dan Solano, Chris Yard, Rachel Rachuba, Donna Rachuba, Ed Schwebel, Brandon Howell, Shaina Serrano

## Shut-Ins & Nursing Home Residents:

Lil Q., Janet B., Rosie P., Mary B., Gloria L., Ruth S., Sue T.

## September Birthdays & Anniversaries

1- Jacqueline Clement  
 2- Colin Grassia  
 5- Cathy Hurff  
 9- Doris DuBois  
 9- Margaret Gogolin  
 11- Alice Kern  
 11- Ellie Luoma  
 12- Mario DiVento  
 12- Samm Smith Domeraski  
 13- Bill Blair  
 13- Christian White  
 14- Rebecca Gibson Eller  
 14- Danielle Ferrara  
 14- Tommy Gittinger  
 14- William Walsh  
 18- Ginny & Rich Gibson  
 19- Sandy Daws  
 19- Kathie & Mike Spellman  
 20- Dana & Steve Kovack  
 21- Casey Kovack  
 21- Amanda Strock Kaiser  
 22- Jason Gittinger  
 22- Mary Ann & Larry Jones  
 24- Diane Favretto  
 27- Michelle Black Hand  
 28- Don Black  
 28- Olivia Ferrara  
 28- Sandy & Jack Spellman  
 30- Cailyn Houghton



## October Birthdays & Anniversaries

1- Ron Cervantes  
 1- Michelle & Kevin Wright  
 4- Merrilee Chappell  
 4- Ashley Dugan  
 4 - Elaine Walsh  
 5- Sandi DiLeo  
 5- Nancy Huebshman  
 7 - Angela & Jason Houghton  
 7- Rich & Gerrie Lynn Dyal  
 8- Victor Ferrara  
 11- Aubrey McLaughlin  
 11- Bob Rowand  
 11- Scott Weems  
 12- Leisa Keegan  
 13 - Brooklyn Gittinger  
 13- Anthony Panetta  
 14- Chris McGee  
 14- Lillian Quillin  
 15- Janet Brown  
 17- Jacqueline Gullifer  
 17- Ann & Jay Hamel  
 17- Elliemae Rutter  
 17- William Rutter  
 20- Mary Sierocinski  
 21- Cindy Fifis  
 22- Dana Kovack  
 24- Donna & Wayne Sierocinski  
 25- Rori Beidle  
 27- Rich & Diane Favretto  
 28- Betty Chipman  
 28- Debbie Richman  
 28- Cheri Clement  
 29- Sharon & Gary Rutter  
 29- Hillary Toppin  
 30- Joe Bryan Jr.  
 31- Jack Heritage

## THE LAMPLIGHTER

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# A Way for Us to Share the Covenant

It seems so simple ... perhaps all too simple for those of us in the 21st century who want to appear sophisticated and complicated in our lives. A piece of bread or a wafer or a cracker and a sip of juice, wine or some other beverage ... not enough to quench our thirst nor eliminate our physical hunger.

But this special meal, Holy Communion, was never meant to be simple, and it was never intended to satisfy what we feel are our body's needs. It exists as a spiritual connection for us with God, as an essential element of worship established for His followers and believers by Jesus. It is clearly not simple in process nor in meaning, even though we merely eat a small piece of bread and drink from the cup.

Holy Communion is part of the pact that God established with humanity through Jesus Christ, God's last "Covenant" with humanity. Our role in that Covenant is to faithfully pause in settings where we prioritize God and Christ while inviting the Holy Spirit to take control. "This is the new covenant poured out for you and for many."

Paul teaches us that he "received a tradition from the Lord, which I hand down to you." Jesus said, "This is my body, which is for you; DO THIS TO REMEMBER ME. Every time you drink from the cup, DO THIS TO REMEMBER ME." Paul continues, "Every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, YOU broadcast the death of the Lord until He comes." And so when we receive Holy Communion it is both a private and public statement that we remember God's love for us through Jesus Christ.

When I was a boy, my pastor reminded me of how essential Holy Communion is to a walk of faith. It was not a snack ... it was not a wasteful extension of worship (as a Baptist, like United Methodists, we only had Communion once a month) but rather it was a time to prayerfully and, as Pastor Lewis taught, RESPECTFULLY



experience a very unique moment of connection with God that has always been part of the Christian tradition. He taught me to pray deeply before I ate the little piece of bread and drank grape juice from the plastic cups passed around our church's sanctuary by the ushers. He taught me to use the moments of Holy Communion to FOCUS in on remembering what Jesus Christ meant to me.

Francis of Assisi declared this about Holy Communion, "What a wonderful majesty! That the Lord of the whole universe, God and the Son of God, should humble Himself like this under the form of a little bread for our salvation." John Wesley, whose theology led to the creation of the Methodist Movement in the 1700s, declared, "it is the duty of every Christian to receive the Lord's Supper as often as he can."

After I became a pastor I had many conversations with Pastor Lewis, the pastor from my youth. I frequently brought up the subject of Holy Communion, asking him to tell me exactly what he had taught me as a youth. He always laughed softly, saying he couldn't remember. But I did ask him about the once-a-month sharing of Communion in the Baptist church and he replied that it was a time saver. Pastor Lewis admitted being bothered by the casualness of this essential Sacrament by his denomination. "Dave, that's why you need to make sure any church you serve values every opportunity to share in the meal Jesus established."

He was my friend, my mentor, and to the end of his days my pastor. I have his books of ministry. And when you wonder why we offer Holy Communion every Wednesday morning at 7am (doors open at 6:45am) both in person and online, it's because of the lessons I want to pass on. I value and am thankful for Holy Communion. I need to pause in my week for that moment of closeness with God and Christ. We stream the service online because many people cannot get to church that early in the day, but God's power is there in the quiet worshipful places in our homes and also in the church.

And on Sunday October 1st Christian churches around the world will celebrate World Communion Sunday, acknowledging the common bond we share through the Lord's Supper, the Great Thanksgiving. We can use that day as a day of growing our faith, transitioning into a more faithful life, a day to share with younger generations the value of God's Covenant with us, and as an act of faith.

I urge you to consider making the time and travel sacrifice of joining us on Wednesday mornings for the 20-minute service of Holy Communion. Or at the very least, pausing in a quiet place at home to turn on our streaming of worship and to have elements that God can bless for you.

Holy Communion ... established by God through Jesus Christ for you, me, and every other believer to share in the Covenant through our active participation in confession, prayer, and worship.

Blessings,

*Pastor Dave*

## Outreach

### Happy Fall, Y'all!

Looking forward to cooler weather and more mission work!

#### Upcoming Mission Projects & Offerings

##### • September

- ◇ Our first Sunday offering (Sept 3) will go to Maui Relief via the United Methodist Committee on Relief.

Wind-driven wildfires on Maui prompted evacuations and caused significant loss of life and widespread damage. UMCOR awarded an emergency grant to the California-Pacific Annual Conference, which includes the Hawaiian UMC, to provide shelf-stable food, water, hygiene items and tools to help survivors recover belongings. As first responders continue to provide initial aid, please join UMCOR in prayer and by making a gift to St. Paul's marked "Maui."

- ◇ On the third Sunday (Sept 17) the offering will benefit Shared Ministries, for the outreach of the United Methodist Church.

##### • October

- ◇ Our first Sunday offering (Oct 1) is World Communion Sunday Offering.
- ◇ On the third Sunday (Oct. 15) the offering is for Ranch Hope.

Ranch Hope, a South Jersey United Methodist ministry, cares for at-risk teens who need the structure and faith-based ministry to get their lives back on track.

Thank you all so much for your support! of all our Outreach & Mission projects!

*Cheri Clement*

## Red Bird Mission Team 2023



Your 2023 Red Bird Mission Team members were all thrilled to be representing you and every other church member down in the mountains of Kentucky. Each of us had different skills, which allowed us to help our new friends who are living in poverty. Even Pastor Dave has found plenty to do, and he admits he's not particularly skilled in DIY projects ... plus he is afraid of power tools!

We only had a small group this year but we would like to double our number next year! Ask yourself why you did not go on this year's trip. Now, some of you are not retired, but we had a team member using their vacation time. Some of you are retired, and some that went on this year's trip are retired, too. They figured out a way to leave the couch and join the team, so maybe you can, too!

We have had individuals in their 80s head to Red Bird with us and families have come as a group. Plan on coming now ... second week in July 2024 and talk to Jim Clement!

### SOUP SUNDAY

1st Sunday of the month

Next Soup Sundays 9/3 and 10/1

Order online or by calling or seeing Mary Ann Jones.



Thanks to Ish at the PISTON Diner for the delicious soup!

**Sunday School Bazaar**  
Saturday, November 4, 9-2

**We will be happy to collect your "treasures" in Hickman Hall during the month of October!**

# We All Need to be Revived!

Over fifty percent of the world's population lives closer than 3 kilometers (you are going to have to look that one up and discover something on your own) from a freshwater body, which can be a lake, a stream, or a river. Only ten percent of the population lives further than 10 kilometers away.

Now, it is true that pollution and global warming have had an impact, but it is abundantly clear that we humans need fresh water. As I write this, I have a glass of cool fresh water next to my i-Pad, and I debated drinking "fizzy water" as my grandson would call the collection of sparkling water that is in my refrigerator.

I love the image I captured of the entrance to the Buffalo River where it merges into Lake Erie. A lighthouse, a sailboat, and people. The water wasn't quite still, but that day as I walked a path my parents often enjoyed, I felt peace.

This summer I gave an assignment to the church family to read the Twenty Third Psalm once a week, every week for life. I am not sure how many of you, if any, have added to your life's weekly schedule the reading of these 118 words (King James translation) as a faith commitment. I hope some of you have and that you have been blessed by God in doing so.

This Psalm is meant for those of us



who are living, and it offers us one of God's many gifts for us, the restoration of our souls amidst our hectic lives that must deal with the world, at least our small corner of the world, daily. Don't you want, or perhaps don't you need your soul to be restored?

Imagine if all our souls were restored weekly what that would mean to the missions, projects, and worship experiences here at St. Paul's. WOW ... I started thinking of the possibilities if we were known as Gloucester County's source of discovery for the restoration of souls.

The Free Bible Version translation begins this way, "Since the Lord is my shepherd, I have everything I need. He gives me rest in green fields. He leads me towards quietly flowing streams. He revives me."

So friends, are you ready to allow the Lord God ... God's Holy Spirit ... to be your life guide? Are you willing to actually take advantage of the rest in green fields ... to

find your water source and to be revived?

At least one a month throughout the year I try to go to Longwood Gardens to work. I work in one of the treehouses using my i-Pad and Wi-Fi. Right by the Italian fountains so I can hear the water spray and look out on the pond in front of my workplace. I feel so at peace there, even though I am working ... I can sense God there knowing how much I need God. It works for me.

But as we move through the autumn months towards Advent and Christmas together, we need to consider who we are and how together we can make St. Paul's more vital, serving more children and young families, and taking on new missions for God. I think we need to experience the restoration of our souls, so again I ask that once a week you read the Twenty Third Psalm and if possible read it in a different Bible translation each time. The Bible app on our phones and tablets offers many different English translations for free.

Together, I am confident that as the Psalm says (from the Free Bible Version translation), "The Lord will guide us as a church family along the right paths because that's the kind of person he is."

*Pastor Dave*



**MEGAN'S PRETZEL SUNDAYS** are celebrated on the third Sunday of each month and sponsored by the Community Relations Team, the CRT. We remember Megan Delaney for her love of pretzels and her generosity in donating the money to purchase pretzels for the year. Shown is volunteer Jaime Whittaker, who picks up the pretzels each month. Thanks Jaime and Megan for the pretzels!

# Help Us Reach More People!

**“You will be my witnesses to the end of the earth.” Jesus in Acts 1**

Growing up I could never imagine having the capability of sharing the Word of God or my faith testimony to “the end of the earth.” Heck, I couldn’t imagine being a faith-filled witness beyond Western New York. But then technology changed and like Dick Tracy in the comics we now can use a device on our wrists to connect with the entire world.

St. Paul’s United Methodist Church started streaming our worship services before COVID was a term we all would dread hearing, and we soon discovered that our little church in West Deptford was reaching people on every continent in the world. People worshipping with us in Germany and Liberia; praying face-to-face online with people in Pakistan.

I think everyone knows we have a FACEBOOK page, but we also have an INSTAGRAM page and a TWITTER account. Since THREADS is quickly replacing X (The new name for TWITTER) amongst people who care about messaging we need a THREADS account.

Once we started streaming our Sunday worship services and then our evening Bible Study we began getting responses from strangers who had never set foot in New Jersey. They came to worship online with us on Sundays and Gail from North



Carolina has even become a valued member of our Wednesday evening ZOOM Bible study.

And friends, today we can have the capability to effectively reach even more people who can help us grow St. Paul’s, stay financially viable, and who are needing to hear the teaching lessons of Jesus Christ. But to do so, our church needs to find that one special person willing to take on the challenge of putting our message onto INSTAGRAM, THREADS, X (formerly known as TWITTER), and FACEBOOK as their personal mission for the church. The message has to be ongoing and regular rather than occasional, which means someone has to be in charge.

The word “memes” was created by author Richard Dawkins in 1976. It was his attempt to explain how society can replicate understandings and evolve through simple repetitive

and/or visible messaging. The first “memes” were those smiley faces we call “emoticons” and in today’s world “memes” have become more sophisticated while sharing a wide variety of messages. We use “memes,” like the one of Woodstock and Snoopy, on our Facebook page all the time because a visual message is more effective than several paragraphs of written language.

Are you someone who enjoys spending time online? Are you the creative type who has fun designing art and perhaps “memes?” Well, we need you. We need someone who will regularly post messages about St. Paul’s online using either church created memes and messages or if the person is creative, their own “memes” and messages about St. Paul’s (obviously, reviewed ahead of time).

The cool thing is the person who takes on this responsibility can be a teenager or an octogenarian. The person just needs to have the interest, because it really won’t take a lot of time for someone already hanging out online. So if it is you, your child or your grandmother please sign up because then St. Paul’s will be in a better place to share all the ways we worship God and serve out our faith! Send me an e-mail ([pdatstpauls@gmail.com](mailto:pdatstpauls@gmail.com)) if interested!

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## Fellowship Is Back! Please Sign Up!

Our After-Church Socials will begin again on Rally Day, September 10th! We need volunteers to bring snacks and help with setup and cleanup each week. There is a link to the online sign-up form on our website. We will also bring a printout of the sign-up sheet every week to church so you can sign up on the clipboard in Hickman Hall if you’d rather.



Fellowship has always been an important part of our church and it has been very quiet down in Hickman Hall all summer. Help us change that by coming downstairs after church each week for coffee, snacks, and good conversation!

In Christ,  
*Molly & Peggy,*  
Fellowship Coordinators



**CHRISTMAS IN JULY** brought out the red and green! Many of our members wore their Christmas finery.



**CHICKEN BBQ**  
**Sunday,**  
**October 29th**  
**Mark your**  
**calendars now!**



**Bernice Nolte**, on her 93rd birthday. The flowers, arranged beautifully by Nancy and Michael Huebshman, were in church in honor of her birthday. Bernice holds St. Paul's close to her heart. She sends her love to her church family, and many thanks for all the birthday cards and wishes!

**WELCOME BACK** to Mike and Tiffany Daly and little Nicolas. They visited us in August and a group went out to brunch afterwards. Thanks to Patty Fish for organizing our time together!



We stepped up to the plate with St. Paul's!! We were there when the Philadelphia Phillies play the Kansas City Royals on Saturday August 5th. It was a perfect game ... mid-summer and a Phillies team that won! And everyone had fun! Sponsored by the CRT, the Community Relations Team. Thank you all for being part of the essential ministry of our church!!!

# Children's Ministry



VBS wrapped up on Thursday evening, July 27th with a total of 73 kids in attendance! How great is that! Because there were over 70 kids, they got to pelt Pastor Dave with paintballs at the end of the program on Thursday. Many thanks to our VBS volunteers, kids, PD, parents, and support persons. We appreciate their dedication and hard work in preparing and working VBS. It makes a difference in the lives of our kids.



# It's Time to Hold a Confirmation Class



I just want to CONFIRM the interest!! Because several people have reached out to me to ask

about CONFIRMATION for our teenagers and that is really GOOD NEWS to me!!

We United Methodists use the term "confirmation" to mark the first time a baptized Christian publicly "confirms" their intention to live the vows of the baptismal and membership covenant and so becomes a professing member of the local congregation and The United Methodist Church. If you carefully note, this is not necessarily the first time these young people have expressed their

faith, but it is their step up to become "professing members of our church and the United Methodist Church."

Traditionally, I have limited Confirmation classes to young people who are in Grade 8 or older but for this season since we have not had a Confirmation class in such a long time, I am going to open it up to young people Grade 7 and older.

I need to know the sincere interest amongst our young people, because participating in a Confirmation class requires students to attend regularly with only a few excused absences allowed. There is weekly homework that must be completed by the students and projects that they will be engaged in. The classes will for the most part be held at

church but there will be some classes held online via ZOOM. The day of the week and time of day for the classes will be determined once we know who is interested in being confirmed. Confirmation will be scheduled for the Spring of 2024.

Here's the basic criteria:

- Student is in Grade 7 or older as of September 2023
- Student believes in Jesus Christ and wants to be confirmed in the United Methodist Church
- Student is willing to commit to the work of the class and to attend 90% of the classes.

So if you know a young person who meets those basic criteria, please speak with me or contact me at [pdattstpauls@gmail.com](mailto:pdattstpauls@gmail.com).

## Calling ALL Ladies!



Women's Bible Study will begin on Wednesday, September 6 at 10:00-11:30 am in the church sanctuary. All women are invited to attend. We also welcome your friends and/or family if they'd like to join us. Our leader, Patty Fish, does an amazing job in facilitating our discussion and helping us dig deeper into the Bible.

We will be reading and discussing "*Love Stories from the Bible Speak*"

by Shannon Bream. If anyone needs a book, contact Patty. Cost is \$20/book. The books are also available on Amazon.com or [christianbookdistributors.com](http://christianbookdistributors.com).

For more information contact [pattymfish@hotmail.com](mailto:pattymfish@hotmail.com) or 609-209-5391 (call or text). We are all excited to get back together and look into God's Word!

### Did You Know?



#### DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN the Church Got Condemned?

I remember it very well. There was a big windstorm in March, 1984, a few months before I was to get married in the church, and the Sanctuary was deemed unsafe. All the wedding invitations had been sent, and to say I was upset is an understatement. Pastor John Morrison told me not to worry, Rev. Gary Turk from Evangelical UMC in Clarksboro offered his church. In a few short months, Pastor Morrison and Father Curran (St. Matthews) pulled off a lovely wedding.

We had church in Hickman Hall for a whole year while the Sanctuary was being repaired by installing the large arched beams that hold up the roof. God is good, all the time!

—Lori Brown

# St. Paul's Calendar

## September-October 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>27</b> 9:30am Worship 4:00pm End-of-Summer Picnic Red Bank Battlefield 13th Sun after Pent	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> 10:00am Woman's Club of WD HH	<b>30</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>31</b>	September <b>1</b>	<b>2</b> 8:00pm AA meeting
<b>3</b> 9:30am Worship 11:00am Soup Sunday 14th Sun after Pent Second Offering: Maui Relief	<b>4</b> Labor Day	<b>5</b> 10:00am Deptford Designers	<b>6</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 10:00am Women's Bible Study 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 8:00pm AA meeting
<b>10</b> 9:30am Rally Day! 9:30am Worship 10:45am Sunday School 15th Sun after Pent	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> 6:30pm Woman's Club of West Deptford	<b>13</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 9:00am St. Paul's Food Pantry 6:00pm Trustees Meeting 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>14</b> 1:00pm Red Cross Blood Drive 7:00pm Choir prac	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 8:00pm AA meeting
<b>17</b> 9:30am Worship 10:30am Megan's Pretzel Sunday 10:45am Sunday School 16th Sun after Pent 2nd offering: Shared Ministries	<b>18</b> 7:00pm Leadership Team	<b>19</b> 10:00am Deptford Designers	<b>20</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 10:00am Women's Bible Study 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>21</b> 5:00pm Woman's Club of WD Garden District Meeting 7:00pm Choir prac	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> 8:00pm AA meeting
<b>24</b> 9:30am Worship 10:45am Sunday School 17th Sun after Pent	<b>25</b> 7:00pm Guiding Lights Mtg HH (Patty Gerry Sue)	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 9:00am St. Paul's Food Pantry 10:00am Women's Bible Study 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>28</b> 7:00pm Choir prac	<b>29</b> 5:30pm Girl Scouts - Flower Bed Clean-up	<b>30</b> 8:00pm AA meeting
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<b>8</b> 9:30am Worship 10:45am Sunday School 6:30pm Potluck Supper & Church Conference 19th Sun after Pent	<b>9</b> Columbus Day Indigenous Peoples Day	<b>10</b> 6:00pm Woman's Club of West Deptford	<b>11</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 9:00am St. Paul's Food Pantry 10:00am Women's Bible Study 6:00pm Trustees Meeting 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>12</b> 7:00pm Choir prac	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 8:00pm AA meeting
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<b>22</b> <b>Family Promise Week</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 9:00am St. Paul's Food Pantry 10:00am Women's Bible Study 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>26</b> 7:00pm Choir prac	<b>27</b> 6:30pm Sunday School Pumpkin Party	<b>28</b> 8:00pm AA meeting
<b>29</b> 9:30am Worship 10:45am Sunday School 11:00am Fall Chicken BBQ 22nd Sun after Pent	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Halloween Reformation Day	<b>1</b> 7:00am Holy Communion 10:00am Women's Bible Study 7:00pm NA Mtg 7:30pm Evening Bible Study ZOOM	<b>2</b> 1:00pm Red Cross Blood Drive 7:00pm Choir prac	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 8:00pm AA meeting