

This Week at St Paul's

F = Fellowship Hall, Z = Zoom

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Sun. 11/9 Pentecost +22	9:00 AM	Holy Communion in person and online: www.facebook.com/StPaulsQtown/live
	10:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Food and Fellowship [F], Joyful Noise Mtg.
Mon. 11/10	10:00 AM	Bible Study [F+Z]
	10:00 AM	Social Ministry Team [F]
Wed. 11/12	8:00 AM	Pr Dave @ Bishop's Convocation in Malvern
	7:00 PM	Cub Scouts 007 [F]
	7:30 PM	Finance Team [Z]
Thurs. 11/13	8:00 AM	Pr Dave @ Bishop's Convocation in Malvern
	7:00 PM	Scouts 007 [F]
Fri. 11/14	1:00 PM	Al-Anon [F]
	7:00 PM	AA [P]
Sun. 11/16 Pentecost +23	9:00 AM	Holy Communion in person and online: www.facebook.com/StPaulsQtown/live
	10:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Food and Fellowship [F]

- * If you'd like to participate in these **activities taking place over Pr Dave's Zoom platform**, go to zoom.us, click "Join a Meeting" at the top right of the page, use meeting ID 3700147169, and if it asks for a password, use 119805 and you should be in. If you're using your phone, these dial-in numbers will work: 929.205.6099 or 312.626.6799. After you dial, you'll be asked for the host's code, and you'll type in 3700147169#, then 119805# and you're in. You can also use **Free Conference Call [FCC]**: Dial 857.232.0157, enter conference code 144261, and you're in.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THIS WEEK:

- The Armed Forces, President Trump and his cabinet, Crossroads Pregnancy Care, David Johnson Sr., Morgan, Ally, & Dontay Hassler, Andrew Edmonds, Don & Karen Ludovici, Derek & Anna Ludovici, Connie Slotter, Norm Diehl Sr., Amy Miller, Chrissy Cousins, Robert & Cheryl Ball, Gary Hertzog, Keith, Joe, Annabelle Weller, Brenda Oelschlager, Roy Weidner, Michael Ludovici, Pr Robert Lescalette, Sable Wilcox, Laura Ulrich, Dave & Karen Hammerschmidt, Barry & Judy, Bob Knapp, Dr. Ken & Family, Bella & Friora, Sheila Simpson, Norman Hottensen, Rita Feikel, Pr Mary Owens, Ted, Heidi Beason, Aaron Hamlin, Kristin Umstead, Sue Weidner, Doris Diehl, Colin Aherne, Joanne Locke, Maurice Aubry, Pat Stever, Melissa Manhart, Pr Rachel Scheible, Karen, Mike, Ted, John Hunsberger, Violet Bradley, Sherry Salinas.
- The war-torn people of Ukraine, Yemen, Israel, Gaza, Palestine, Lebanon, Syria, Libya, Ethiopia, the DRC, Sudan, Haiti, Colombia, Myanmar, Mozambique, and violence-ravaged homes and communities in our own land.
- Families and friends of Bob Shimalla, Pr Rich Knight, Hilda Carmer, Jim Blough, Dennis Silvius, Kelsey Shaak, Kenny Fly, former Pres. Jimmy Carter, Bill Schumacher Jr., Rev. Dr. Walter Wagner, Ann Marie Heidgerd, Frank Lennard Sr., David Morrison, Mary Johnson, Joan Bilger, Kevin Scholl, Pr Andrew Carlsson, Pope Francis, Benita Ukstins, Bob Shaak, Pr Chuck Maxfield.

Serving in Worship Today:

	Today 11/09/2025	Next Sunday 11/16/2025
Ushers	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer needed
Acolyte/Cru	Stefanie Bauman	Linda Hertzog
Counters	Bill Shaeffer	Karen Roehner
Altar Guild	Marie Shaw Volunteers Needed	Marie Shaw Volunteers Needed
Communion	Linda Hertzog	Linda Hertzog
Reader	Rich Baringer	Gordon Bryan

Today's bulletins are sponsored by Joyce Kober in loving memory of her beloved husband Ron, and by Kelly Shaak in loving memory of Kelsey's 28th "Gotcha Day" (Nov. 10)—"and yes, I still got her, right in my heart!"

Thank you to our AA volunteer for November 14th: Connie Slotter



Aly Brown will be in the office on November 11th, 12 and 14th from 7:30am – 11:30am.

Today we celebrate **Veterans Day** with the "**Witting Tree**", remembering and rejoicing in those who serve our nation in the armed forces, and also remembering the 20 veterans who take their own lives every day to end the pain of PTSD, moral injury, and deep woundedness of soul.

Sunday School is back at St Paul's! Our Sunday School kids and teachers will meet **today** from **10:15-11:15 AM**. We have room for all students age 4 through fifth grade, with older kids being helpers/leaders— and we have a great group of students ready to welcome you. We're even discussing possibly breaking out our hand chimes and having the kids (and interested adults as well) prepare some music to share together on occasion. Spread the word and join us for Sunday School!

Stewardship Note: Our congregation's expenses for 2025 have exceeded our income by over \$38,000 so far. Please prayerfully consider how you can support our ministry together. And **if you'd like to give electronically**, feel free to use the QR code printed here: →



If you already contribute to St Paul's automatically using "Simply Giving", when you come in for worship, pick up one of the little "**Simply Giving**" cards in the narthex. When the offering plate comes around to you, just drop the card in the plate as a tangible sign of your giving.

Our **Monday Morning Bible Study is back in action** from **10:00 AM-12:00 NN**— and now we're meeting in the fellowship hall (with Zoom connectivity for those who can't join us in person). We're digging into the Scripture readings for the upcoming week to discover the treasures that await us come Sunday. You don't have to be a biblical "expert" to get a lot out of this study— so get on board and invite your friends to join you!

For many years, we at St Paul's have joined with churches across our nation in "**Operation Christmas Child**" (or as we've often referred to it, "**Shoebox Christmas**"), filling shoeboxes with simple gifts for children around the world. We're kicking

off this effort today along with some ideas for appropriate gifts; then on November 16, we'll collect all the returned boxes and get them ready for shipment. For more information on this ministry, go to www.samaritanspurse.org/index.php/OCC/index or see Cecelia Casey.

Our **November Monthly Special** recipient is **"The Well"**, a long-term restorative safe house program for women who've experienced sex trafficking, labor trafficking, commercial sexual exploitation, survival sexual exploitation, and/or forced prostitution. At The Well, survivors experience rest and healing, and begin to rebuild their lives with the support and guidance of their trauma-informed staff. Please give as you're able!

Throughout November, the **Zion Choral Society** (a local community choir that's been singing together in praise and worship since 1929) is presenting a series of concerts. They'll be in concert right in our backyard **today @ 3:00 PM** (with prelude music beginning at 2:30 PM) at **Quakertown United Methodist Church**, 1875 Freier Rd., Quakertown. Come and share in the joy of fine choral music!

Come on out to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Telford next Sunday, **Nov. 16 @ 3:00 PM** to hear **Thomas Keesecker** in a 75-minute concert of Advent and Christmas music. Keesecker, a composer as well as performer, is known around the country for his sensitive, delightful, and meditative piano arrangements of hymns. A reception will follow the concert; a freewill offering will also be received.

Come join Pr Dave for **Dinner with "The Chosen"** on Tuesday, **Nov. 18 @ 6:00 PM** in the fellowship hall at St Paul's. We'll gather together for a simple potluck meal (so feel free to bring goodies to share), then watch Season 1, Episode 2 of the wonderful video series "The Chosen" on our large-screen TV and share in discussion afterwards. Bring your friends and come on out!

On **Nov. 23 after worship**, we'll hold our annual **Congregational Budget Meeting** to review and approve our 2026 ministry budget. (Copies of the budget will be available by November 16 for your review prior to the meeting.) If you need to attend from afar, we'll have our Zoom platform running as well. We'll email copies of the budget in advance, as well as have it viewable on screen during the meeting.

For the latest announcement updates, go to www.stpaulsqtown.org.

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PLEASE JOIN US FOR A FALL CONCERT SERIES

St. John's Lutheran Church 3104 Main Street Green Lane, PA



Sunday, Nov. 16 at 2:00 P.M.
Rock Solid

Contemporary Praise and Worship team that has been leading services since 1995. The team's mission is to introduce/reintroduce people to Jesus through music.

Saturday, Dec 6 at 6:30 PM
Christmas Carols, Cocoa
and Cookies Concert

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**When: Sunday, December 14th
From 2:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

**Where: 207 N. Ambler Street, Quakertown
Everything \$1.00!!**

Please Join Us!



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