

This Week at St Paul's

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Sun. 4/21 Easter 4	9:00 AM	Holy Communion, in person and online, w/ Holy Baptism www.facebook.com/StPaulsQtown/live
	10:30 AM	Food and Fellowship Hour
Mon. 4/22	10:00 AM	Bible Study via Zoom/FCC*
	7:00 PM	Congregation Council via Zoom/FCC*
Wed. 4/24	6:30 PM	Confirmation Class @ Trinity, Quakertown [Yerger Bldg.]
	7:00 PM	Cub Scouts Pack 007
Thurs. 4/25	7:00 PM	Scouts BSA Troop 007 – pick up hoagies @ 8:00 PM
Fri. 4/26	1:00 PM	Al-Anon
	7:00 PM	A.A.
Sun. 4/28 Easter 5	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
	3:00 PM	Choral Concert @ Bucks Latvian Baptist Church

* 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, if it asks for a password, use 119805. If you're using a 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, type 3700147169#, then 119805#. You can also use **Free Conference Call [FCC]**: Dial 857.232.0157, enter conference code 144261, and you're in.

Today's bulletins are sponsored by Gordon and Diane Bryan in honor Grandson Wyatt Stever's birthday April 21, Daughter Emily Stiglich's birthday April 23, and dear friend Bruce Krogslund's 26th anniversary of sobriety on April 23.

Thank you to our AA Treat Volunteer for Friday, April 26th: Sue Young

St Paul's **new address** is **849 Old Bethlehem Road**, Quakertown, PA 18951. Please make the proper adjustments when mailing items to the church.

We rejoice today as God's resurrection life embraces *Olivia Celeste Pugliese* into His family and lavished upon her the gifts of forgiveness, life, and salvation through the sacrament of **Holy Baptism**. Olivia's parents are Cody Pugliese and Jen Westevelt; her sponsors are Keith and Chelsea Brown. Welcome to God's family and ours, Olivia!

Sunday School is back for kids ages 4 through fifth grade (with older kids as helpers/leaders), meeting from 10:30-11:30 AM on the second and fourth Sundays of each month. Come join us April 28 for our next Sunday School class!

Come join us each week for **Monday Morning Bible Study** from **10:00 AM-12:00 NN** via Zoom or Free Conference Call. (See the asterisk note above for instructions on how to connect.) 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 come on out and invite your friends to join you!

Stewardship Note: Our congregation's expenses for 2024 have exceeded our income by almost \$9300. Please prayerfully consider how you can support our ministry together. If you'd like to give electronically and would like some information on how to do that, please contact the church office.

For April, our **Monthly Special** recipient is **Lutheran World Relief**. LWR responds to natural disasters and complex crises, helping people recover, rebuild, and reduce their vulnerabilities to future shocks; and works with partners to rapidly develop and implement programming based on short- and long-term needs. Please give as you're able!

Our Scouts are holding a **Hoagie Fundraiser in April**, featuring Italian or turkey hoagies with or without onions. Hoagies are **\$7** each; an order form is posted in the narthex (front vestibule) and the fellowship hall for your use, or go to Scouts007.org. Hoagies will be freshly made and available Apr. 25 after 8:00 PM. Thanks for your support!

Our Upper Bucks Lutheran Conference is planning a **"Lutheran Day at the Iron Pigs"** on Sunday, **June 23** at Coca-Cola Park outside of Allentown, with gates opening at 12:35 PM and the first pitch at 1:35 PM. Tickets for this event are **\$30/person**, which includes a 2½-hour all-you-can-eat buffet, unlimited soft drinks through the eighth inning, and seating at the Picnic Patio along the left-field line. Children under 2 are free. If you're interested in attending this game, please let Kelly Shaak know (and please get your check in to Karen Roehner as soon as possible. Make checks payable to "St **Paul's** Lutheran Church" with "UBC Lutherans @ Iron Pigs" in the memo line. (This way, Karen can send our conference treasurer Pr Bradley Gow a single check for all of us, thus preserving his sanity... 😊)

The Mennonite churches in our area are sponsoring a **Souderton "End Gun Violence" March** next Sunday, **April 21** from **1:00-2:30 PM**, beginning and ending at Zion Mennonite Church. The march will include singing, a 1.3-mile walk, prayer, and letter writing. More information can be found at heedinggodscall.org.

The Bucks County Latvian Baptist Church will be hosting the **75th Annual Latvian Baptist Choral Concert of Sacred Song** on Sunday, **April 28 @ 3:00 PM**. Singers, soloists,

instrumentalists, and conductors from across North America will gather for the weekend, culminating in the concert, featuring sacred music composed primarily by several generations of Latvian composers. A free-will offering will be accepted at the door. The concert will be followed by a dinner banquet, program, and fellowship in the church annex. Banquet tickets at \$20/person are available by advance reservation only, by contacting Gatis Keris no later than April 14 at gatkeri@aol.com.

Our Social Ministry Team is now helping **pack food bags at the Quakertown Food Pantry** the first Thursday of every month from 1:00-3:00 PM. No experience necessary— everyone's welcome to provide this vital ministry to the community. Contact Sara George, primrose40@aol.com or 215.538.3786 if you're interested in helping.

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



75th Concert of Sacred Music
Choir Composed of Latvian Baptist Singers from Boston,
Bucks County, Chicago, Cleveland, New York, Philadelphia, and Toronto

April 28, 2024 ~ 3:00 pm
Bucks County Latvian Baptist Church
1142 Apple Road, Quakertown, Pennsylvania

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Bvkskaunlijas latviešu baptistu draudzes dievnāmā
1142 Apple Road, Quakertown, Pennsylvania

The concert will be followed by a banquet in the fellowship hall.
Banquet tickets \$20 by advance reservation.
Please contact Gatis Keris (215) 536-3977, or by email gatkeri@aol.com



Concert Night to Support
The Drop



Freedom in Christ
"Feel the weightlessness in his freedom"

May 11, 2024
Concert is FREE
Doors open 5 pm
Concert 6 pm - 7:45 pm



Once Called Saul

First UCC Church Quakertown
151 South 4th Street
Quakertown 18951

There will be an opportunity to give a donation if you are interested.
100% of donations go to support The Drop.

Serving in Worship Today:

	Today 4/21/2024	Next Sunday 4/28/2024
Ushers	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
Acolyte/Cru	Stefanie Bauman	Linda Hertzog
Counters	Bill Shaeffer	Patty Schumacher
Alter Guild	Bruce Kroglund & Volunteer Needed	Bruce Kroglund & Volunteer Needed
Communion	Bill Baringer	Linda Hertzog
Bulletin	Aundie Hamlin	Administrative Assistant
Reader	Brett Shaw	Sasha Baringer

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THIS WEEK:

- The Armed Forces, President Biden and his cabinet, Crossroads Pregnancy Care, David & Mary Johnson Sr., Morgan, Ally, Dontay, & Emily Hassler, Andrew Edmonds, Don & Karen Ludovici, Derek & Matt Ludovici, Barbara Graser, Charyl Westervelt, Connie Slotter, Norm Diehl Sr., Amy Miller, Karen Capella, Chrissy Cousins, Bob Shimalla, Robert & Cheryl Ball, Melissa Manhart, Tammy Zepiora, Aaron Hamlin, Gary Hertzog, David & Carol Marks, Katie, Cassidy Owens, Kelly & Jim, Kelsey Shaak, John Apple, Dr Jenn Phelps, Karen K., Keith, Joe, Ron Diehl, Annabelle Weller, Kelly, Kareem, Brenda Oelschlager, Brody, former Pres. Jimmy Carter, Roy Weidner, Bill Schumacher Jr., Michael Ludovici, Pr Robert Lescalette, Pr Erika Wesch, Sable Wilcox, Laura Ulrich, Mary Beth Baringer, Dave & Karen Hammerschmidt, Barry & Judy, Ron & Fred Diehl, Bob Knapp, Dr. Ken & Family, Bella + Friora, Sheila Simpson, Norman Hottensen, Rachel & baby Benjamin Marks, Christine, Rita Feikel, Tina Young, Pr Mary Owens; victims of natural disasters and gun violence.
- The war-torn people of Ukraine, Yemen, Israel, Gaza, Palestine, Syria, Libya, Ethiopia, the DRC, Sudan, Haiti, Central America.
- Families and friends of Ray Constable, Bob Cope Sr., Connie Sheetz, Bob Westervelt Sr., Karen Blicht, Brittany Kane, Paul Ahlum Jr., Jim McKelvey, Shelly Doremus, Jerry Diehl, Cindy Cunnane, Mitsy Foulke, Sue Becknell, Jolly Ekpe, Edna Hottensen, Jodi Ritto, Gunars Berzins, Dick Wimmer, Irma Guinther.