

All Saints Sunday
November 5, 2017

God helps us through every crossing.

Prelude Chimes Choir

*Congregation please stand if able

*The Call to Worship *Psalm 1: 1-6* Pg. 738

*Hymn *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* No. 127

* Entrance of the Light of Christ

Joys and Prayer Concerns of the Congregation
(Please sign attendance pads located at the end of pew)

The Unison Prayer

God of gentle, loving guidance, who brought the Israelites into a new land, filled with new hope and promise: Be with us today, opening our hearts and spirits to an awareness of your abiding love and presence with us. Help us to place our trust solely in you; for we ask this in Jesus Name, Amen

Silent Prayer Morning Prayer Lord's Prayer

Choral Prayer Response *O God, Our Help in Ages Past* No. 117
*O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home!*

Chimes Choir *Now Thank We All Our God*

Children's Message

The Offering of Our Gifts
Offertory *Jesus, Lover of My Soul* Praise Choir

* Doxology (No. 95), Blessing
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen*

9:00 a.m. Chancel Choir *The Majesty and Glory of Your* Tom Fettke

Scripture Joshua 3: 7-17

Message *River Crossings* Rev. Evans C. Bentley

*Hymn *On Jordon's Stormy Banks I Stand* No. 724

Holy Communion Pg. 12

All are welcome. Come to the altar at the directions of the ushers. You may kneel or stand upon reaching the rail. Let an usher know if you need to be served in your pew. Gluten-free bread is located in the small container in the serving tray.

*Hymn *He Leadeth Me (vs. 1 and 4)* No. 128

The Light of Christ Leads Us In To the World

Benediction

*Congregational Response *It is well with my soul* No. 377
When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, It is well, It is well with my soul. It is well, with my soul, It is well, It is well with my soul.

ALL SAINTS DAY

November 1, 2017

Daniel A. Jones

Dennis C. Curson

Royce T. Florence

Jack E. Kirkland

Richard G. Pearch

Norma K. Smith

Reathel Letellier

Jane E. Kosino

Joyce I. Hulvey

Margaret Weaver

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Next Week Greeters: 9:00 a.m. –

Last week's attendance – 194

Budget Information:

Expenditures: \$ 271,867

Income \$ 224,117

Endowment Income and

2016 Carryover used: \$ 47,750

Church Members and Supporters who have passed on to Glory in the past year.

Announcements

Childcare is provided for children, 4 years old and younger in the nursery on Sundays during worship service.

Christian Sympathy to the family and friends of Margaret Weaver who died Tuesday afternoon. Funeral and luncheon were held Saturday at St. Paul's.

Keep in your prayers **Susan Paterson**, in Promedica Stewart Road Rehab; **Marylou Zimmerman** facing health concerns and **Jane Drumm** at Fountain View.

The last UMW Salad Luncheon of 2017 will be this Thursday, November 9, from 11:00am -1:00pm. The luncheon supports New Beginnings Mercy House in Ida, Maternal and Child Health Care, and the Red Bird Mission in Kentucky.

Cancer Relay Vendor Show! Nov. 11th 9:00 – 3:00 in the gym at St. Paul's.

Willow United Methodist Church Chicken Supper... Wednesday, November 8th, 5:00 p.m. until sold out – carry out dinners start @ 4:30 p.m. \$10.00 per person, children 12 & under \$5.00 each. 36925 Willow Rd. New Boston, MI.

Horizon's class is sponsoring a chili cook off on Sunday November 12th, from 10:00am until the chili is gone. Come vote for your favorite. \$1 for 3 tastes. \$5 a bowl. **A gift basket silent auction** will also be held from 9:30 to 11:30am. We would encourage anyone to create a basket and bring it that morning. All proceeds go to support Daniel Snow's Eagle Scout project.

Through the Outreach Committee, St. Paul's has adopted 11 families for the 2017 holidays. 1st, the youth will deliver food for Thanksgiving on Sunday, November 19th. Donations of food, paper products, or cash would be greatly appreciated. Please bring in your donations of

nonperishable food items or paper products on November 19th. 2nd, we will give food and gifts at Christmas.

Acolyte Training will be held the Nov. 19th after the 11:00 worship service.

The sixth annual Advent Tea will be Sunday, December 3, 2017, from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Our speaker will be Kelly Isaacs who will portray Mary, the Mother of Jesus. Starting today you may sign up in the fellowship hall for your table or to join an open table.

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9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.– Worship with Communion
10:00 a. m. – Sunday School
6:00 p.m. – UMYF

Monday , November 6, 2017

7:00 p.m. – Eve Circle at Karen Salisbury's Home

Tuesday, November 7, 2017

Election Day

Wednesday, November 8, 2017

Noon – Kiwanis Club
6:00 p.m. – Christs Kids
6:15 p.m. – Praise Ringers
6:30 p.m. – Ladies Bible Study
7:30 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, November 9, 2017

10:00 a.m. – Community Singers
11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Salad Luncheon
5:30 p.m. – Relay Meeting – Fellowship Hall

Saturday, November 11, 2017

8:00 a.m. – Men's Breakfast at Benny's
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Relay Vendor Show

Sunday, November 12, 2017

9:00a.m.and 11:00 a.m. – Worship
10:00 a.m. – Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Horizons Chili Cook Off - Bake Sale
6:00 p.m. – UMYF



It is time to think about and place your order for Christmas Poinsettias.

6" Red Poinsettia **\$6.00** _____

6" White Poinsettia **\$6.00** _____

6" Pink Poinsettia **\$6.00** _____

Given in memory of _____

**Given in honor
of** _____

By

Amount enclosed _____ **_____ My plant will be an orphan.**

Orders must be in by November 23, 2017