



## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS – JUNE 13, 2021

<b>WORSHIP DETAILS:</b>	First Lesson:	Genesis 3:8-15	Second Lesson:	2 Corinthians 4:13-18
	Gospel Lesson:	Mark 3:20-35	Psalm:	51a
	Hymns:	294, 596, 387, 323		

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** This weekend's altar flowers are given by Pastor and Nancy Adams in celebration of their 35<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

**CHRISTIAN FUNERAL:** The Lord called Mrs. Doris Ottenberg to her heavenly home on Sunday, June 6<sup>th</sup>. A Christian funeral service was held here at St. Paul's on Friday, June 11<sup>th</sup>. "Then I heard a voice from heaven say, "Write: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on." "Yes," says the Spirit, "they will rest from their labor, for their deeds will follow them." (*Revelation 14:13*)

**MASK UPDATE:** The Board of Elders has continued to monitor mask wearing in church. They met last week and decided that masks will now be optional in both the 8:00am & 9:30 am service. They will continue to monitor guidelines from the local health department and the CDC over the summer.

**UPPER GRADE TEACHER CALL MEETING:** There will be a call meeting for an upper grade teacher on Wednesday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. This call will be to replace Randy Willms, who retired at the end of this school year. We encourage all voting members to attend.

### **"FOLLOWING" – A NEW SERMON SERIES BASED ON THE GOSPEL IN MARK 2-6:**

Have you been on social media and seen someone ask a question you really want answered? You might comment, "Following." Then you will be notified about how others respond. You may "follow" a favorite business, news outlet, or blog. This summer, we're not planning to "follow" a celebrity's social media account. We are following Jesus. We invite you to follow along as we walk with Jesus in the book of Mark for the next 6 weeks beginning June 6. Jesus gives his followers true rest. He doesn't share his opinions on social media, but our God points us to his powerful Word and invites us to gather around it and grow. Jesus gives his followers so much more than an encouraging "meme" or a motivational speech. He is actually with his followers, leading us through and protecting us from the storms of life and comforting us when we encounter rejection or even death. We hope you "like" and "follow" this series.



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| June 6  | Mark 2:23-28 - Followers of Jesus - Enjoy Sabbath REST               |
| June 13 | Mark 3:20-35 - Followers of Jesus - Gather around God's Word         |
| June 20 | Mark 4:26-34 - Followers of Jesus - Grow in God's Word               |
| June 27 | Mark 4:35-41 - Followers of Jesus - Look to Jesus in the Storms      |
| July 4  | Mark 5:21-24a, 35-43 - Followers of Jesus - Are Comforted in Death   |
| July 11 | Mark 6:1-6 - Followers of Jesus - Are Faithful in Spite of Rejection |

**VOTER'S MEETING:** Our annual Voter's Meeting will take place on Sunday, June 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. to adopt next year's budget along with some other items. We encourage all voting members of the congregation to attend.

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP REGISTRATION:** It's time to register your campers for this summer's Vacation Bible Camp! Camp runs from Monday, July 12<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-6:30pm and is open to students entering 3K – Grade 6 in the fall. There are sign-up forms available on the narthex counter!

**SUMMER OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICES:** Thanks to those that joined us for our first outdoor worship service last weekend! We have two more dates scheduled: July 18<sup>th</sup> (the Sunday after VBS) and August 22 (the Sunday before School begins in the Fall). On those Sundays, there will be just 1 service at 9:00 am. These services will be an opportunity for us to safely worship together as a group of believers. Everyone is welcome to join us on those Sundays. Please invite your neighbors, friends, relatives to join us in this informal and unique way. There are reminder magnets in the narthex – take one for your fridge and share some with friends! **Bring your own lawn chairs!**

**COURTYARD MAINTENANCE:** We are looking for volunteers to support and maintain the Courtyard that is located between the school and church. Our courtyard is the perfect project for individuals who enjoy Mother Nature in all her beauty. The courtyard is a focal point for our students and church members. The courtyard is used by children of all ages and they would greatly benefit from a safe and clean environment. Scope of support would include raking, weeding, watering and feeding plants, pruning, trimming and mulching in appropriate seasons. Nothing required during the winter months. If you are looking to volunteer your time, please reach out to Jeff Graetz at 414-748-2656 or email at [maintenance@stpaulsfranklin.org](mailto:maintenance@stpaulsfranklin.org)

**ALTAR GUILD:**

June 9-15 – TEAM #1 – Beverly Garves, Vanessa McKee, Sherry Kosovich  
June 16-22 – TEAM #2 – Jane Koplein, Joan Shevey, Rebecca Kragh

**GRASS CUTTING (CHURCH):**

June 9-12 – CREW #1 – Gordy Lesser  
June 16-19 – CREW #2 – Dave Qualmann

**GRASS CUTTING (CEMETERY):**

June 9-12 – CREW #6 – Andy Backus  
June 16-19 – CREW #1 – Gary Boldt