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Worship Times

Sundays
10:15 am
With
Holy Communion

Sunday School
9 am



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Our Annual Fall Bazaar



We are working hard on our fall event! **On Saturday, November 11 is our Big Event! Our Fall Bazaar will be from 8 am to 1 pm** and the rooms will be filled with vendors with flea market items and crafts.

This is a huge fundraiser for our church and we hope everyone comes out and enjoys browsing and has lunch with us! And don't forget to fill out your order form for homemade apple dumplings, vegetable soup and hoagies! (Order form enclosed in newsletter.)

Something new this year is our **Books to Bows Room**. You will find all kinds of books to buy for all ages at very

reasonable prices and fresh bows to add to your wreaths or your packages under the tree.

We will also be selling hoagies and baked goods!

We hope to see you there!



Blood Drive

The Miller Keystone Blood Drive will be here at St. Paul's on **Saturday, November 4.**

The time is from 8 am to noon.

Please see or call Marlene Duchak or Jodie Moyer to donate.

Consider donating and help save a life.



Give Thanks



Reminder:

Don't forget to check out
our new website!!

stpaulssassamansville.com



Enjoy November

Eat an apple
Jump in some
leaves
Drink some cider
Take a walk
Feed the birds
Give to a charity
Help someone
Take a friend to
lunch
Be thankful



Note from Pastor Matt

Buy a pumpkin for Thanksgiving Day. Get out different colored Sharpies and let everyone write something they are thankful for. For a different twist, spray paint the pumpkin off white and the colorful markers will really stand out.



I'm the New Secretary----Andrea Kershaw

I am so excited to be working at St. Paul's as the church secretary!

I bring to this job almost 19 years of working as a Parish Administrator. I took some time off and it feels good to be doing a job I am comfortable in and also bringing my creativity to use again.

My husband and I have attended church back here numerous times and we enjoy all of the members that we have had the pleasure of meeting.

The beauty of this job is that I can walk to work!

We have the beautiful wooden barn that you see when you come in to the church parking lot!

My husband Robert and I have four children....Brent, Rob, Jana and Alicia. We also have a daughter in law, Kelly and a son in law, Chris and a soon to be one year old grandson, Jordan. We are currently enjoying the empty nest time in our life!

I will be working from home at different times and back in the office. I have set Wednesdays from 9 am to noon as a set time that I will physically

be there if you want to stop and say hello, need anything or have questions.

I hope and pray that my time here will be a benefit for all of you and that together we can help St. Paul's grow!

You are a lovely congregation and truly do God's work!



Mom-Mom and Jordan time



All submissions to be included in the December issue of The Epistle are due by **10 am on Wednesday, November 15.**

Please email things to Andrea at office@stpaulssassamansville.com

November Ministries

Lay Readers

- 5 Geoff Littlefield
- 12 LeRoy Roshong
- 19 Boy Scouts
- 26 Doris Moyer

Counters

- 5
- 12
- 19
- 26

Council Members

- Diane McGlinchey
- Ruthy Heydt

Ushers

- 5 Debbie Spencer
Diane McGlinchey
- 12 Donna Long
Joan Davis
- 19 Carol Adams
Madison, Brooke and
Leah Eisenhard
- 26 Kim and Sara Ibach

Acolytes

- 5
- 12
- 19
- 26

Altar Guild

Flower Sponsorships

- 5 **OPEN**
- 12 **OPEN**
- 19 Allen and Ruthy Heydt
- 26 **OPEN**

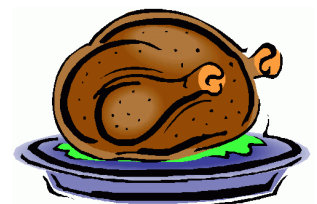
Bulletin Sponsorships

- 5 **OPEN**
- 12 **OPEN**
- 19 Allen and Ruthy Heydt
- 26 **OPEN**

Thursday, November 9

Montco-Berks
Golden Age
Club at Calvary
U.C.C., Barto at
noon

Holiday meal



Pastoral Acts



Funerals

October 7 *Helen Mercer*
 October 18 *Harold Renninger*

Memorials



In memory of Helen Mercer

4 shares

Sue Prutzman

5 shares

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mathias
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keppler
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cook

12 shares

Leroy and Jean Roshong

20 shares

Virginia Renninger, Rev. Linda
and Dennis Renninger, Sarah
Renninger

Organ Fund

Ken Hunsberger

The Heim Family: Fern, Nancy
and family, Brian, Denise and
Tiffany

Cleora Shellaway
Diane McGlinchey
Ruth A. Dussinger

Inside Story Headline

The purpose of a newsletter is to provide specialized information to a targeted audience. Newsletters can be a great way to market your product or service, and also can create credibility and build your organization's identity among peers, members, employees, or vendors.

First, determine the audience of the newsletter. This could be anyone who might benefit from the information it contains, for example, employees or people interested in purchasing a product or in requesting your service.

You can compile a mailing

list from business reply cards, customer information sheets, business cards collected at trade shows, or membership lists. You might consider purchasing a mailing list from a company.

Inside Story Headline

Next, establish how much time and money you can spend on your newsletter. These factors will help determine how frequently you publish your newsletter and its length. It's recommended that you publish your newsletter at least quarterly so that it's considered a consistent

source of information. Your customers or employees will look forward to its arrival.

Your headline is an important part of the newsletter and should be considered carefully.

In a few words, it should accurately represent the

contents of the story and draw readers into the story. Develop the headline before you write the story. This way, the headline will help you keep the story focused.

Inside Story Headline

Examples of possible headlines include Product Wins Industry Award, New Product Can Save You Time, Membership Drive Exceeds Goals, and New Office Opens Near You.

One benefit of using your newsletter as a promotional tool is that you can reuse content from other marketing materials, such as press releases, market studies, and reports.

While your main goal of distributing a newsletter might be to sell your product or service, the key to a successful newsletter is making it useful to your readers.

A great way to add useful content to your newsletter is to develop and write your own articles, or include a calendar of upcoming events or a special offer. Your headline is an important

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Remember in your prayers

Our Church members, family and friends.....

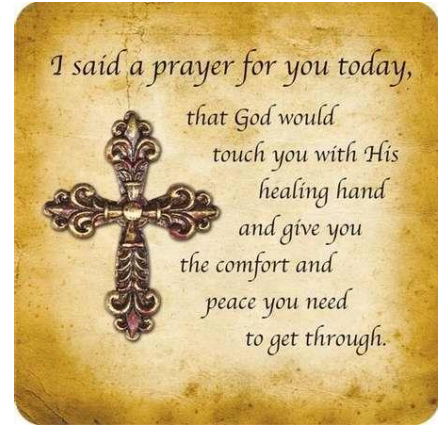
- Betty Gilbert
- Mary Moyer
- John Hilbert
- Esther Renninger
- John and Thelma Simmons
- Cleora Shellaway
- Helen Johnson
- Marie Stauffer
- Arlene Hess
- Kim Frain
- Robin Koch
- Christopher and Elizabeth
- Rosemary Hojecki
- Paul Mathias
- Pam Spohn and father, Carl
- Danielle
- Kayla
- Pastor Ann Baly
- Mary Ann Levan
- Family and Friends of Steve Stricker

The young men and women serving in our armed forces....

- Noah Ziegler
- Peter Duchak
- Matthew McHugh
- Eric Littlefield

For the families who mourn loss of their loved ones...

- Helen Mercer
- Harold Renninger



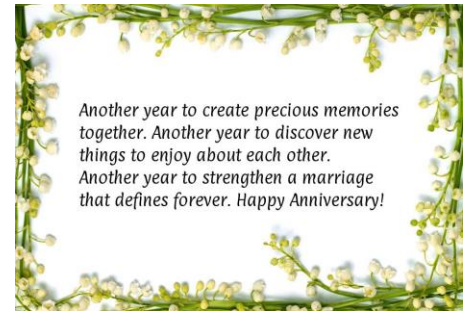
Happy Anniversary!

Donald and Barbara Cook
November 6
Celebrating 49 years!

Happy Birthday to You! It's Your Special Day!

November

- 3 Geoff Littlefield
- 4 Mary Weller
- 7 James Hoffman, Jr.
- 9 Arlene Hess
- 21 Dawn Hydock
- 22 Kristi Heydt, Kimberly Heydt
- 24 Bryan Ibach
- 27 Shirley Beattie, Marilyn McLaughlin
- 28 MacKenzie O'Connor
- 30 James Levensgood



Celebrating 62 years!

Congratulations!!!!

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Upcoming events----Christmas Season



December 9	10 am	Hanging of the Greens / Christmas Decorating and Lunch
December 10	6:30 pm	Norristown Chorale Christmas Concert Director Mr. Ross Boerner
December 17	10:15 am	Children's Christmas Program / Worship Service
December 24	10:15 am 3:00 pm 7:00 pm	Lessons and Carols Worship Service / No Communion Impromptu Pageant Family Christmas Service with Holy Communion Christmas Candlelight Communion Service
December 25	10:15 am	Christmas Day Holy Communion Service

We're on the Web!

See us at:

Stpaulssassmansville.com

Mission Statement

"To know Christ and make Christ known
Spread the Gospel by word and action"

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