

St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church

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Loving God and People - Empowering Christian Leaders John 15:12 - Ephesians 4:12-13 News and Events for March 3, 2024

Bible In A Year- Gather to discuss Wednesdays @7pm in the Chapel.

Starting January 1st, or at any time that suits you, you can embark on this journey. We have a reading plan available. This is a straightforward course that covers the entire Bible, providing a solid foundation for deepening your faith. It's essential for every follower of Jesus to read the Bible in its entirety at least once. Join in as we journey together.

<u>**Prayer Cards-**</u>Let us know how we can pray for you. If you need prayer please fill out the blue prayer cards located in the pew pockets and at the Welcome Table. Drop the cards in the offertory plate.

Intercessory Prayer- Wednesdays @ 6pm in the Chapel. Join in as we pray for the needs of the church and all the people in it.

Prayer Warriors Needed- Do you have the gift of Intercessory Prayer? Would you like to pray for the needs of our church and all the people in it. Please join our email. We will send you weekly emails updating you on the specific prayer requests. Contact emilie@oceangrove.church.

<u>Anchored KIDS-(Nursery- 8th Grade)</u> Join in on Sunday mornings at the 9am service. Check-in at the back of the Sanctuary with our called and equipped Anchored Kids Team. After worship together, we'll head downstairs for an engaging lesson, fun activity, and creation station!

<u>Anchored STUDENTS-(6th-12th Grade)</u> Sundays 7:00-8:15pm Everyone's always invited! Anchored Sunday Nights are exciting and filled with lots of fun and relevant, engaging discussion and games.

College & 20 Somethings-Join in every Wednesday night

E-mail Dan Palmadessa at danielpalmadessa@gmail.com.

<u>Connect Over Coffee- Mondays @ 7-8pm in the Chapel-</u> Join in with your sisters in Christ for a facilitated discussion on a topic relevant to your life and faith journey.

Christian Slow Flow Yoga- Tuesdays @ 5:15pm in Fellowship Hall-

Join in the fun, all levels welcome. Donations accepted to support church ministries.

Pickle Ball- Thursdays @ 6:30-8:30pm Fellowship Hall- No equipment or experience needed.

Food Pantry March donations- Canned Fruit. Please bring your donations in on any Sunday in March and place in the bins marked Food Pantry. Bins are located at either entrance.

<u>Assisted Living Ocean Grove(formerly Francis Asbury Manor)</u> is in need of ushers/hostesses on Sunday Mornings 10:15 to 11:30am. This will be on a rotating schedule that works for you. Please email Josephine at josephine.braneky@gmail.com for more information.

Save the Date- Rise Against Hunger Sunday April 21 @ 1pm in Fellowship Hall- Join in for a great day of service for all ages.

<u>Comfort Food Thursdays brought to you by the Downstairs</u> <u>Kitchen.</u> Text 848-667-6061 by Wednesdays to place your order. Meals will be ready for pick up on Thursdays from 3pm-5pm on 80 Webb Ave.

Sunday Supper- Pick up March 17th between 10am and 12 noon @ the St. Pauls Kitchen window. Orders due by March 14. An Irish feast-Corned beef & cabbage, Irish soda bread, Clementines & Cucumber salad with Pistachios & Goat Cheese and Chocolate cupcake with Mint icing. To reserve your meal call or text Fran at 201-315-4805.

St. Paul's OGC Angel Fund needs you.

Matthew 22:37-39 "....Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: Love your neighbor as yourself."

The Angel Fund provides relief for those individuals facing a financial hardship. These funds are available for St. Paul's parishioners as well as our neighbors in nearby communities. Donations for 2023 and thus far 2024 are down more than 50% as compared with the two preceding years... but the needs are not. Please support this important outreach ministry with your prayers and your financial gifts. If you give by check, be sure to designate Angel Fund on the memo line; if giving online, choose the Angel Fund Box. Questions?? Call Tom and Arlene at 732-775-1125 option 6. Many thanks.

9am Contemporary Worship Celebration

Format for worship: Praise - Pray - Preach

Songs, Scripture, and everything you need is projected on the screen. Additional information on events, ministries, and mission can be found at oceangrove.church.

11am Traditional Worship Celebration

ENTRANCE

Prelude – Verdant Pastures - Lewis Welcome & Announcements Introit – Lift High the Cross - Nicholson *Opening Prayer *Hymn #295 - In the Cross of Christ I Glory *The Apostle's Creed #881 *Gloria Patri #70

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer #895 Anthem – The Lord's My Shepherd - Mueller Offering Offertory - Jesus Paid It All - Arr. Pinkston; Cheryl Parker Sobolewski, Soloist *Doxology #95 *Scripture Lesson: Matthew 6: 19-24 Hymn #614 - For the Bread Which You Have Broken Message Communion Music - Speak, O Lord - Getty and Townend; Althea Klein, Soloist

SENDING FORTH

*Hymn #553 - And Are We Yet Alive *Benediction Response – Danish Amen Postlude – A Classic Trumpet Tune - Smith



Donations, Offering and Tithes

Support the ministries of St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church through a one-time or regular online giving.

By mail: please make checks payable to:

- St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church or SPOGC
- St. Paul's United Methodist Church

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Join our newsletter by following this QR code. The newsletter will be emailed regularly and is an excellent way to be up on all the happenings St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church has to offer.



Need Prayer?

Prayers Online

Get connected through prayer! Leave a request... pray for others...

Prayers are moderated, so it could take up to a day for it to be posted. Although, when they are submitted they immediately go to several prayer partners by email.