



May 31, 2026

Tidings

St. Paul's Lutheran Church 120 N. Easton Road Glenside, PA 19038

Serving This Morning

Presiding: Pastor Henrik Sonntag

Acolyte:

9:30: Thomas Erat

Assisting Ministers:

9:30 AM: Vicar Jeff Wenzel, Leslie

Maxwell, AnnaLisa Mariani

Musicians:

Rae Ann Anderson, Music Director

Greeter/Usher

9:30 AM: Gretchen Frederick, Marilyn Kowalick



Flower Delivery: Marilyn Kowalick

Hospitality: Karen O'Brien

Last week's member giving: \$1685.85

Counter: Eileen Rall

Attendance: Last Sunday

9:30

In Person: 58

YouTube: 45

Facebook 63

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Flowers are available for June.



Do you have a family member who is graduating? Send us their information so that we can celebrate and congratulate them!

Summer Schedule!

Our summer schedule has begun. **One service each Sunday, at 9:30 AM.**

We will return to two services in September after Labor Day. Keep an eye on your Tidings for the most recent updates.



Food Pantry needs:

- Pancake Syrup
- Dish Detergent
- Incontinence Products
- Sugar
- Bagged Beans
- Pancake Mix
- Ramen
- Juice
- Crackers
- Shelf - Stable Milk
- Toothpaste
- Ketchup
- Mayonaise
- Paper Towels
- Cleaning Liquid
- Instant Coffee
- Powdered Milk
- Bagged White Rice
- Diapers (For One-Year-Olds)

Thank you so much for your generosity! Clients are served on Thursdays from noon to 2 PM.

Two Pantry Committee members are there to help, and to keep the pantry organized. If you have any questions, please contact Chris Claypoole.



One Love: Barbecue Time!

On **Sunday, June 7**, we will have a celebration of food, fun, and fellowship with a barbecue on the patio following the

9:30 AM service. Use the sign-up sheet in the Great Room to say what you will be bringing.

"Let's get together and feel alright!"



Mount Carmel Avenue will be closed between Tyson Avenue and Houston Avenue, from 9 AM Friday, May 29, until 8 PM Monday, June 1, for work on the SEPTA railroad crossing.

Congregation members who use that route to get to church on Sunday, May 31, should allow extra time. Drivers will be directed to use Edge Hill Road, Easton Road and Jenkintown Road.

BREAD FOR THE WORLD'S 2026 OFFERING OF LETTERS

As people of faith, we are called to give of our time, talent, and treasure for a greater purpose. Bread for the World invites you to use your voice to help end hunger on **Sunday, June 14.**

Every year, Bread for the World organizes churches, community organizations, and people of faith from across the country to write letters to their representatives in Congress who have the power to impact the policies and programs that can end hunger. By taking part in Bread for the World's 2026 Offering of Letters, you can help support domestic and international nutrition programs.

A series of administrative and congressional actions have dealt devastating blows to the United States' international assistance and domestic social safety net programs. Families rely on this assistance and these programs, especially in times of crisis, and the cuts have resulted in an increase in hunger.

Congress is being urged to

- Restore and protect U.S. nutrition programs
- Fund and strengthen global food, health and development programs
- Pass a strong, bipartisan Farm Bill

Your letters matter! Combined with those of other advocates across the country, they are expressions of faith and hope, calling on U.S. decision-makers to pursue a world without hunger. God uses these letters to change hearts and minds.

Before and after the service on Sunday, June 14, stop by the tables in the Great Room where you will have the opportunity to participate in Bread for the World's campaign here at St. Paul's. Lend your voice to urging our elected leaders to protect and strengthen policies and programs that make a difference for people struggling with hunger in the United States and around the world.

--Good Works Team



It's not too early to start thinking about Summer Music Camp! Please plan now to be a part of St. Paul's 2026 **Summer Music Camp** and register on our church website. It will take place

over the week of **August 24** and will feature the musical *Moses and The Freedom Fanatics*. Contact Rae Ann Anderson.



Our Prayer List Has Been Updated!

We have updated the St. Paul's prayer list, removing some names, to reflect prayers we hope have been answered. If you had a name on the list you wish to have restored, or have a name you wish to be added, please contact the church office.

IN OUR
Thoughts and Prayers

Sharon Birkbeck
Robert Breuer
Helen Edelman
Kenneth Feinour III
Roselee Feinour
Julie Gable
Lorraine Gingo
John Hagan
Bruce Hanes
Dick Harrington
Barbara Hoffman
Judy Horvath
Cathy Keim
Thubi Kolmobe
Connie Kowalski
Ceci Krull
Tom Lackman

Linda Landes
Robin Logan
Mike McCormick
Laurie Mueller
Mary Scarpello
Gwendolyn Neveil
Scott Robinson
Nancy Shenk
Alicia Simpson
Annabelle Sittler
Richard Sittler
Stephanie Smith
Paul Stadelberger
John Thompson
Mike Trant
Anne Zimmerman



Private First-Class Carson Campbell

In Loving Memory

The family and loved ones of Amy Riemenschneider
The family and loved ones of Andrew Politz
The family and loved ones of Rodney Barnhart
The family and loved ones of Eric Carlson



If you or a loved one is sick, hospitalized, facing a serious health concern, or has experienced a death in the family, please contact the church office or Pastor Sonntag directly. We may not always be aware unless someone lets us know.

Sharing this information helps us:

- Stay informed
- Offer prayer, support, and pastoral visits.

Our church family is here to walk with you through all seasons of life. Please don't hesitate to reach out to us. We are here to support and care for one another.



Chancel Reimagined -- Update: We have completed most of the Chancel construction renovation. The metal and wood pipes have been reinstalled. In the meantime, we ask for your continued support and commitment to the project. If you have made a pledge, please check that your giving is current. If you have not made a pledge yet, we would appreciate your consideration and generosity. As of now we have raised \$500,000 of our three-year, \$500,000 capital campaign. Thank you for helping us reach our goal! **An update on the Chancel Reimagined project is available on our website.** To view it, please click **INFO** → **Organ Update**



Pastor Daniel Marrone, our previous vicar, will be ordained and installed on **Saturday, June 13, at 2:00 PM** at Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit, 333 N Main St, Manahawkin, NJ 08050. All are welcome to attend!



Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday
WEEKLY
Sneak Peek

Sunday, May 31

8:30 AM Summer Choir Rehearsal
9:30 AM The Eucharist Nave

Tuesday, June 2

6:30 PM Girl Scouts FH
7:00 PM Prayerful Yoga GR

Wednesday, June 3

7:00 Lydia Circle GR

Friday, June 5

7:00 PM Free Concert-Ajibola Rivers Nave

Sunday, June 7

8:30 AM Summer Choir Rehearsal
9:30 AM The Eucharist Nave
11:00 AM One Love BBQ Patio



Please feel free to reach out to any of the staff with questions, concerns or general inquiries.

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Rae Ann Anderson: raanderson@stpaulsglenside.org

Chris Garcia: cgarcia@stpaulsglenside.org



Messenger Deadline Reminder

If you would like to submit an article to our monthly newsletter, please send it to cgarcia@stpaulsglenside.org no

later than the third Monday of every month. Articles for July/August Messenger are due on **Monday, June 15.**



Come sing in The Summer Choir!!

Have you wondered if the choir is a place for you at St. Paul's? Do you wonder if you could find that singing voice you had in high school or college? Do you wonder if the music is more inspiring to sing than it is to listen to from the pew? Would you feel at home in the cushioned choir chairs?

To answer these questions, come sing in The Summer Choir starting on **Sunday, May 31, at 8:30 AM.** From May 31 through September 6, we will practice from 8:30 to 9:15 AM – have a brief coffee break – and then re-group to lead the summer worship service. It usually involves singing one anthem and leading the Psalm and the liturgy. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Rae Ann Anderson, Director of Music