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Dynamite Prayer

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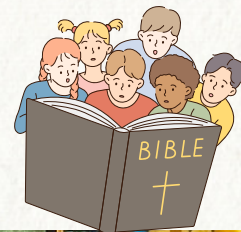
SHAWNEE ST. PAUL'S
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

CELEBRATING OUR KIDS BY BLESSING BACKPACKS AND GIVING BIBLES

Our long standing tradition at St. Paul's of giving a Bible to our kids going into the 3rd grade was continued on Sunday. Reminding them that...Yes...the Bible looks like a BIG READ but it's really 66 small books, and a little reading each day adds up. Prayers for Amariyah Bryce, Maverick Lockhart, and Delaney Prosa as they continue on their faith journeys.



And our teachers also!



Watch for details in next newsletter...YOUTH GROUP STARTS ON WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 20TH!

Call to Action

Prayers for the beginning of school.....

On this page is a series of prayers, we are asking everyone to pray this week as the children head back to a learning environment. Along with the children; please take some time to say a prayer each day for teachers and staff.

Back to School Blessings

Let's Pray

God of wisdom, thank You for the gift of learning.
Prepare our hearts for the school year ahead, and
let our lives show your love.

Amen



Back to School Blessings

Let's Pray

God of new beginnings, bless this school year. Give
our students, teachers, and staff courage to face
challenges, kindness for others, and joy in learning!

Amen



Back to School Blessings

Let's Pray

God of wisdom, bless the teachers,
administrators, and staff who guide and care for
our children. Grant them patience, creativity, and
strength for the work ahead.

Amen



Back to School Blessings

Let's Pray

Loving God, bless our students as they begin a
new school year. Give them curiosity to learn,
courage to try, and compassion for others.
Surround them with your love each day.

Amen.



Back to School Blessings

Let's Pray

Gracious God, bless families as they navigate the
busy days of a new school year. Give them peace
in the mornings, joy in the evenings, and love that
holds them together.

Amen



Back to School Blessings

Let's Pray

Loving God, thank you for our school
communities. Show us ways to be helpful,
respectful, and a light to others today.

Amen



Happenings @ St. Paul's



Help hand out pizza to our Daycare Families

Thursday Aug 14, 2025 @ 3-5:30 p.m.



We will be starting a new series...*Dynamite Prayer*. Copies of the devotional will be available after church on Sunday. Or, if you would like, you can also get it on your Kindle.

Community Dinner

Next Monday,

August 18th

5:00pm Set Up

5:30pm Serving

Always needed: fruit,
cookies, and volunteers



Thank you to those
who give in
memory or honor.

In Memory.

Barbara Colvin

O L Locke

Mary Ann McGee

In Honor

Jerry & Nancy

Glasgow

THIS WEEK
WE WILL REMEMBER...

O.L. LOCKE
TODAY
TUESDAY,
AUGUST 12TH
④
1:30 P.M.

KIM TROTTER SILVERMAN
SATURDAY, AUGUST 16TH
④
2:00 P.M.
WITH RECEPTION TO FOLLOW



This Sunday: Bach Rings Out!

Trish, Sharon, and Steve will be bringing J.S. Bach's Sinfonia (Trio Invention No. 12) to life in a bright and joyful 5-octave arrangement for handbell trio.

Originally written for harpsichord or clavichord, this lively piece is built from three independent melodic lines, with Trish playing the highest notes, Sharon the middle, and Steve on the lowest. With their music spread out across the table, they follow their own parts and sometimes move to a neighbor's score to stay in sync.

Join us Sunday in worship at 10:45 a.m. or watch online through the church's [Facebook page](#), [member portal group](#) and [YouTube](#)!

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday

9:00-12:00 & 1:00-4:00

Closed on Fridays

Service Times

Sunday Mornings

Small Groups 9:30 AM

Worship 10:45 AM

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