

Faith & Fellowship

Prayer Circle - People praying in their homes for those in need. Requests can be made by contacting Norma McLellan 613-267-4241 or the church office.

Prayer Shawl Ministry - Handmade prayer shawls are provided to members in hospital and to children being baptized. Contact the church office to request a Prayer Shawl.

Pastoral Care – Offering assistance and support in times of personal crisis, providing Christian concern with confidentiality. Contact the church office or the Minister.

Fellowship Time – Organized by the Congregational Life Team and hosted by St. Paul's Teams and volunteers. Friendly conversation with coffee, tea and cookies in the Fellowship Hall following Sunday service. All are welcome!

St Paul's Knitters and Stitchers – Members meet on Tuesday mornings in the cozy corner of the Gathering Room for knitting, sewing and fellowship. All are welcome to join, from beginners to experts.

Memorial Library – Open Sunday mornings after church and during office hours. A collection of up-to-date faith based books and media for you to borrow.

Y&R – A fun social group that gathers for food and fellowship at members homes and participates in various activities and fundraisers to support local charities. Watch the bulletin for announcements about upcoming activities. All are welcome to join!

Visitors & Newcomers

We warmly welcome you to our community of faith and we hope you will want to worship with us regularly.

Please share some information about yourself and how you would like to participate in church life at St. Paul's.

Drop in the collection box at the back of the sanctuary or submit to the church office.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Town: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

- I would like to receive the weekly E-newsletter
- I would like a box of envelopes
- I am interested in PAR
- I would appreciate contact with the Minister
- My children would like to join Sunday School
- I am new to Perth
- Would you like to be involved in church teams and activities?

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH



COMMUNITY OF FAITH



*A spiritual hub for
creativity, discovery, and growth*



**EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO SHARE IN
THE MINISTRY OF ST. PAUL'S
10:00 A.M. Sunday Morning Service**

MINISTER

Rev Don McLean
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DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

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OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday: 8:30AM to 3:00PM

**The land on which we gather is the traditional
territory of the Algonquin People**

**YOU
BELONG**
Here!

WE ARE AN AFFIRMING CHURCH

St Paul's is an inclusive Christian community of faith that nurtures spiritual growth. We have committed to working for a culture of inclusion with respect to race, culture, ethnicity, age, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, family status, socio-economic status, faith tradition and ability.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

Regardless of membership status, all are welcome to worship and participate in church life. If you wish to join, you may request transfer of your membership from another church of any denomination. If you are not affiliated with a church, you may obtain membership through United Church Baptism and Confirmation.

BAPTISM & CONFIRMATION

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated several times during the year. Confirmation is offered upon request. Please contact the church office for more information.

WEDDINGS & FUNERALS

To discuss wedding or funeral arrangements with the Minister please contact the church office.



ST. PAUL'S CHOIR

We have two choirs led by our *Director of Music, Brad Mills.*

Junior Choir rehearses every Thursday at 6:00 p.m.

Senior Choir rehearses every Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

The choirs sing a wide variety of music, from traditional to contemporary. New choir members are always welcome!

ST. PAUL'S HANDBELL CHOIR

The Handbell Choir, under the direction of Ann McMahon, rehearses on Tuesday afternoons. Their performances are enjoyed a few times a year at St. Paul's and throughout the community.

INSTRUMENTS

We have two fine instruments in the sanctuary at St. Paul's, a three manual pipe organ with digital enhancement and an 1877 Knabe Grand Piano that was donated to the church in 1997 and completely rebuilt. We also have a grand piano in the Music Room.



We offer Sunday School Classes every Sunday morning for all ages. Children join their parents for the beginning of the service and proceed to class mid service. The Children & Youth Team host a variety of fun activities throughout the year, including the popular Mystery Friend Program.



UNITED CHURCH WOMEN

St. Paul's has 3 Units that meet on a monthly basis. A general meeting of all the units is held on the third Wednesday of the month. All women are welcome to attend. Contact the church office for more info or check the Sunday announcements for upcoming UCW meetings and events.

USE OF FACILITIES

St. Paul's offers various rooms for use by community groups and individuals, including rental of small and large meeting rooms, the Fellowship Hall and Kitchen, and the Sanctuary for concerts and performances.