



# SAINT PAUL'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**March 3, 2019**

**Eighth Sunday after Epiphany**

**The Profound Challenge of Both/And**

**Rev. Dr. Kandace Brooks**

**The mission of Saint Paul's United Methodist Church is to be a faithful community of disciples who serve as the heart, hands and feet of Christ so that all people come to know the love of God.**

# 8:30 a.m. ORDER OF WORSHIP

Please see our ushers for large print hymnals and bulletins.  
We, also, have hearing loops hearing aids with t-coil technology.

**Gathering**

*From the Inside Out*  
Worship Band

J. Houston

## Welcome and Announcements

### \* Call to Worship

One bread, one body, one Lord of all  
One cup of blessing which we bless  
**And we, though many, throughout the earth**  
**We are one body in this one Lord**  
Gentile and Jew; servant and free; woman and man  
rich and poor; young and old;  
One bread, one body, one Lord of all  
One cup of blessing which we bless  
**And we, though many, throughout the earth**  
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### \* Opening Song

*You Are My Vision*

### \* Affirmation of Faith

Affirmation from Romans 8:35; 37-39

UMH 887

**Call to Prayer**

*Open Our Eyes*

## Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

## Children's Chat

**Scripture**

I Corinthians 13:1-13  
John 6:35-37

New Testament pg. 175  
New Testament pg. 98

**Sermon**

**The Profound Challenge of Both/And**  
Rev. Dr. Kandace Brooks

**Offering**

*We Abide*  
Worship Band Singers

M. Miller

### \* Doxology

## Sacrament of Holy Communion

*In Remembrance*

B. Red

### \* Closing Song

*What Does the Lord Require of You?*

### \* Benediction

**Going Forth**

# 11:00 a.m. ORDER OF WORSHIP

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**Prelude** *Lord of the Dance* D. Wagner

## Welcome and Announcements

**Introit** *Creation Sings* Townend/Getty  
Saint Paul's Dancers and Quartet

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\* **Opening Hymn** *Be Thou My Vision* UMH 451

\* **Affirmation of Faith** Affirmation from Romans 8:35; 37-39 UMH 887

### \* **Gloria Patri**

## Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

**Anthem** *The Upper Room* Besig/Price  
Covenant Chancel Choir

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Rev. Dr. Kandace Brooks

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Worship Band Singers

### \* **Doxology**

## Sacrament of Holy Communion

\* **Closing Song** *What Does the Lord Require of You?*

### \* **Benediction**

**Postlude** *A Song of Rejoicing* R. Thygerson

# Around Saint Paul's

## MUSIC AT SAINT PAUL'S -

**Preschool and Toddler Music Groups** meet each Wednesday at 5:30 in rooms 200 and 202. We invite all children, ages PreK 3-4 and under 3 years old and parent, to join us.

**SPARKS Children's Choir** - Are you learning your music and lines for *Down By the Creek Bank*? We rehearse Wednesday afternoons during SPARKS time. We're singing for the 11:00 a.m. service on April 14 and presenting our musical Wednesday, April 24, 6:15 p.m. in Sanders Hall.

**Youth Choir** is singing for the 11:00 a.m. service next Sunday, March 10. PLEASE be at rehearsal this afternoon!

**Handbell Choir** rehearses at 6:00 p.m. this evening. We'll be playing for the 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. services on March 10.

**The Covenant Chancel Choir** sings in the 11:00 worship service and occasionally during the 8:30 service. This choir sings a variety of music from classical to hymn tunes. We rehearse Tuesday evenings 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. and are currently preparing for our April 7 Lenten Cantata.

**Se'lah** is a choir that performs in the morning services once a month as well as in the community. They've even sung in Honduras! Rehearsals are Tuesday evening 7:30 - 8:30 in the choir room.

**CONFIRMATION** - Confirmation Classes begin **today at 3:00 p.m.** in **room 310**. All youth in 7th grade or above who are interested in participating in these classes are welcome to join. Confirmation Sunday is May 5.

**PANCAKE DINNER** - On Tuesday, March 5, 5:30 p.m., in Sanders Hall the youth will have a Pancake Dinner fundraiser! The FAMU Wesley Praise Team will be performing. This fundraiser will fund scholarships for UMC summer camp! The cost is \$7 for adults \$5 for children, with a max of \$30 for families.

**YOU ARE INVITED** - Wednesday, March 6, 11:00 a.m. in Sanders Hall. Join the team from Canterfield of Tallahassee, the new senior living community on E. Tharpe Street, for **complimentary brunch** and a chance to learn more about the community, including floor plan options, Charter Membership Benefits & MORE! Limited availability – call 850.556.4940 by Friday, March 1, to reserve your seat.

**SAINT PAUL'S CAMPING TRIP** - Sign up for our Spring Camping Trip, March 22-24 at Georgia Veteran's State Park. This weekend has been selected because it is the last weekend of Spring Break. Your family can extend your trip a day before or after. Go to the website for more information and to reserve your site. Great fun and fellowship are planned for a wonderful weekend!

**LENTEN CANTATA** - The Covenant Chancel Choir will present the Lenten Cantata *Sacred Places* Sunday, April 7, at both the 8:30 and 11:00 services. If you are interested in the choir, but can't commit to every Sunday, come join us for this presentation. We rehearse the cantata Tuesday evenings 6:45-7:15 in the choir room. Practice CDs are available. For more information call Cynthia Prescott 556-0168 or email [prescottc1360@gmail.com](mailto:prescottc1360@gmail.com).

**CRAFTY CROPS** - Friday, March 8, 6:00 - 11:00 p.m. and Saturday, March 9, 11:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. This month create a mini album with Susan Saunders! Project materials list will be provided and you come and create something special! For more information, contact Jill Merryday in the church office.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** - Pastor Kandace will be available in Sanders Hall Sunday, March 10, 2019 following the 11:00 a.m. worship service to share information about the recent special General Conference. Feel free to bring a bagged lunch if you would like. All members of the church are invited to participate.

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## WONDERFUL WEDNESDAYS

Dinner in Sanders Hall - 5:15 - 6:15 p.m. Reservations due by midnight Monday by calling 385-5146 or online at [saintpaulsumc.org](http://saintpaulsumc.org). \$7 adults, \$3 ages 4 - 12. March 6: Cheese Ravioli Lasagna. Free childcare in the nursery.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES (one Sunday, every other month)

**Church Greeters** - 8:30 or 11:00 a.m. services. This is a fun duty where you arrive fifteen minutes early, welcome at outside entrance, wear a black apron (optional) and give a yellow gift bag to visitors.

**Sunday School Welcome Desk** - 9:15 - 9:45 a.m. in Sanders Halls, help people find classrooms and answer questions.

Please email Peggy ([peggy@saintpaulsumc.org](mailto:peggy@saintpaulsumc.org)) if you would like to help with these ministries.

**SAVE THE DATE** - May 4, 11:30 a.m. in Sanders Hall. The United Methodist Women will host their annual Friendship Tea in May. If you would like to decorate a table, call Mary Ann Brown, 556-9239, Margaret Hardee, 556-9690, or the church office.

## SUMMER FUN DATES - Register now on the website.

June 9 - 14 Music Camp - Florida Fellowship of United Methodist in Music and Worship Arts - Leesburg

June 17 - 21 Extreme Explorers

June 23 - 29 Youth Mission Trip - Panama City

July 8 - 13 Warren Willis Camp - Leesburg

July 15 - 19 Vacation Bible School

August 4 - 11 Youth Week

**JOIN THE HURRICANE RELIEF HOME TEAM!** - Do you want to help with Hurricane Michael relief efforts, but think you can't participate in a work team? **Yes, you can!** For every Saturday work team, there's a small crew providing "fuel" by preparing a simple lunch - things such as hearty sandwiches, chili, fruit, etc. If you want to volunteer in this way, contact Meg Guyton, 443-4175 or [meghguyton@comcast.net](mailto:meghguyton@comcast.net).

## This Week at Saint Paul's

### Monday, March 4

8:30 am Classical Conversations/200

10:00am Congregational Care/310

### Tuesday, March 5

9:30 am Mommy & Me/200

10:00am Creation Care T-shirt Bags/302

5:00 pm Youth Pancake Dinner/SH

6:00 pm Covenant Chancel Choir/CR

6:45 pm Cantata Rehearsal/CR

7:00 pm Young Adults/Red Eye Café

7:30 pm Se'lah Choir/CR

### Wednesday, March 6

8:00 am Prayer Group/WR

9:00 am Disciple's Path/301

10:00am UMW Board Meeting/L

3:00 pm SPARKS/200 Level

### Wednesday, March 6 Cont.

5:15 pm Dinner/SH

5:30 pm Preschool Music/200

5:30 pm Parents & Me Music/202

6:15 pm Disciple's Path/301

6:30 pm Financial Peace/300

6:30 pm Knitting & Crocheters/311

### Thursday, March 7

9:30 am MOPS Leadership/300

### Friday, March 8

**Church Office Closed**

9:00 am Alzheimer's Respite /200

6:00 pm Crafty Crops/SH

### Saturday, March 9

11:00am Crafty Crops/SH



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### **WELCOME, GUESTS!**

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Nurseries for ages infant to five years are located in the lower level of the sanctuary building. One of our friendly ushers can give directions to restrooms.

### **AIDS FOR THE VISUALLY AND HEARING IMPAIRED**

Are available from our ushers. Kindly return the large-print hymnal at the end of worship. We, also, have hearing loops for hearing aids with t-coil technology.

### **NAME TAGS**

Name tags help us get to know one another better. They are located in the narthexes. If you need a name tag, please indicate on the attendance pad so we can make one for you. Please wear your name tag each week during worship.

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

A wide variety of adult Sunday School classes and age-appropriate classes for children and youth are offered at 9:45. For details, visit the information table in Sanders Hall or call our office.

### **INTERESTED IN JOINING SAINT PAUL'S?**

If you are interested in becoming a member of Saint Paul's, please indicate so on the attendance pad. We will set a date for you to be received with joy!

### **PRAYER/CARE LIST**

The Prayer/Care list is on the table in the main narthex next to the prayer box. Please pick one up and be in prayer for those in our church and in our community.

### **FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR**

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Cecilia and Jay Novak's 50th wedding anniversary.

## **Saint Paul's Staff**

Rev. Dr. Kandace Brooks, Senior Pastor  
Rev. David Gill, Pastor of Congregational  
Care  
Cynthia Prescott, Adult Choirs  
Gaye Herndon, Music Performance  
Associate  
Jill Merryday, Director of Children's  
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Youth Ministry  
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Betsy Gingery, Kitchen Coordinator  
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