

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday 4/17 Message: "Transformed: Physical Health"

8:00 am Guatemala Team Coffee Fundraiser (Coffee Bar)
9:20 am Education Time / Basics 1 & 2 Class (Conf. Room)
6:30 pm THRIVE Community (TRANSFORMED for Youth)

Monday 4/18

7:00 pm Schlosser Small Group (Conference Room)

Tuesday 4/19

5:45 am Body & Soul Exercise Class (Rm 122) All Welcome!
8:00 am SPL Foundation Meeting (Conference Room)
6:30 pm Lay Ministry Meeting (LCR)

Wednesday 4/20

10:30 am Ministry to Mature (Great Room)
6:30 pm Basics 1 & 2 Class (Conference Room)

Thursday 4/21 Handbell 5:30pm, Choir & Winds 6:30pm

5:45 am Body & Soul Exercise Class (Rm 122) All Welcome!
6:30 am Men's Bible Study (Conference Room)

Friday 4/22

4:30 pm TRANSFORMED Leadership Team Meeting

Saturday 4/23 Message: "Transformed: Mental Health"

9:00 am Confirmation Pictures/Rehearsal/Testimonies
4:00 pm SPL Praise Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
4:30 pm Power Small Group (Great Room)
6:00 pm Contemporary Worship (SHiNe Time - 6:15pm)

Sunday 4/24 Message: "Transformed: Mental Health"

8:00 am Traditional Worship
9:20 am Education Time / Basics 1 & 2 Class
10:30 am Contemporary Worship (8th Grade Confirmation)
1:00 pm Ladies Shower Celebration for Bender Family
6:30 pm THRIVE Community (TRANSFORMED for Youth)

TICKETS ON SALE NOW... (Visit the Fellowship Area)

- Community Pancake Breakfast (supporting Guatemala Mission Team) on Saturday 5/7 from 7:30am-10:30am.
- Women's Fellowship Brunch "A Woman's Life TRANSFORMED: The Roles We Play" on Saturday 5/14 at 10:00am.

LADIES SHOWER CELEBRATION FOR THE BENDER FAMILY

Sunday, April 24th from 1:00-3:00pm (Please RSVP)

Visit the Crib Display in the Fellowship Area for more info

Take a Gift Tag for a needed gift or visit their Target Baby Registry

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

April 24th

8th Grade Confirmation (10:30am Worship @SPL)
Ladies Shower Celebration for Baby Bender (1:00-3:00pm)

April 26th

Call Day at Concordia Seminary - St. Louis (7:00pm)

April 30th With Presentation by Coach Derek Leonard

"Football, Family & Faith" Men's Ministry Event (8:00am @SPL)

May 7th Get Your Tickets in the Fellowship Area Today!

Pancake Breakfast for Guatemala Mission Team (@SPL)

May 14th Get Your Tickets in the Fellowship Area Today!

Women's Brunch Sponsored by Women's Ministry (@SPL)

May 15th SPL Foundation Planting for Eternity Weekend

SPL Semi-Annual Voters Meeting (2:00pm @Great Room)

June 5th Save the Date - See today's handout for more information

Retirement Celebration for Pastor Wray Offermann (4:00pm)

June 13th-17th Watch for more volunteer & registration info to come!

"Cave Quest" Vacation Bible School (VBS) at SPL

June 23rd Serving opportunities available: Contact Andrea Gerhard

WBGL Backyard Bounce @St. Paul's Lutheran Church (8a-12p)

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TRANSFORMED

How God Changes Us

Be transformed by the renewing of your mind...

ROMANS 12:2

PHYSICAL HEALTH



6:00 PM & 10:30 AM WORSHIP

APRIL 16 & 17, 2016

Pastor Wray Offermann

Pastor Eric Trickey

Pastor Doug Bender



Do you not know that your **BODY**
is a **TEMPLE** of the **HOLY SPIRIT**,
who is in **YOU**,
whom you have received from **GOD**?
1 CORINTHIANS 6:19 (NIV)

Prayer Before Worship

Lord, as we gather here we see the transforming power of Your Spirit. You are mightily at work among us. Now carry forward this good work You have begun in us. Grow us and stretch us as Your people that we might have greater impact for You. Thank You for all You have done and are yet to do among us. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Call to Worship

The River

Welcome & Announcements

Invocation

Opening Praise

A Thousand Hallelujahs

Memory Verse Review

2 Corinthians 5:17 (NLT)

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 6:19-20 (NIV)

All I Am

Message

"TRANSFORMED: Physical Health"

1 Corinthians 6:19-20



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Offering

Our offerings, gifts, and tithes are returned to Jesus in response to His sacrificial love for us. During the offering time, please complete one of the worship cards found in the pew in front of you and pass it to the center aisle.

Beautiful Things

Confession and Absolution

Lord Jesus, how seldom do we honor our bodies as reflections of Your creative genius. We complain about our perceived flaws. We neglect and sometimes abuse our bodies by the lack of rest and care. We can use our bodies as a source of self worship and sinful pride. We forget that our very physical beings belong to You; that You have bought us, body and soul, at the great price of Your shed blood. Forgive us and renew our desire to honor You with our bodies. Amen.

Words of Institution (Saturday 6:00pm Only)

Celebrating the Lord's Supper (Saturday 6:00pm Only)

If you have not communed with us before, please read "Our Belief: Receiving the Lord's Supper" located on the following page. We encourage families to commune together. Prayer ministers are located at the front and back of the sanctuary to pray with you during this time.

Communion (Saturday 6:00pm Only)

Restore My Soul

Wonderful God

Hungry

Prayers of the Church

A handout with this week's prayer concerns is available at the Usher's Booth for those who would like to continue to pray about these concerns.

The Lord's Prayer

Blessing

Closing Song

Whatever It Takes

TRANSFORMED MENTAL HEALTH April 23rd & 24th

TRANSFORMED PHYSICAL HEALTH

Following the seven weeks of our TRANSFORMED series, we will begin our First 90 Days, a cycle of community offerings where you can dig deeper into one of the seven areas. For Physical Health, we will offer a variety of physical activities in a group setting, for men and women and also for families beginning in June (details to come in the weeks ahead).

Individually you might consider these additional resources:

- Made to Crave* (Lysa TerKeurst) *Pray Fit* (Jimmy Pena)
- The Daniel Plan* (Rick Warren)
- Reshaping It All: Motivation for...* (Candace Cameron Bure)

Flowers on the Altar

Flowers on the Altar are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Verna Minton from her family.

Our Belief: Receiving the Lord's Supper

The Apostle Paul wrote, "A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup." (1 Corinthians 11:28) In order to examine yourself before attending the Lord's Supper, when offered, ask yourself the following questions:

1. Do I believe I am a sinner, and am I sorry for my sins?
2. Do I believe Jesus, by His death, offers me forgiveness for all my sins?
3. Do I believe I receive the body and blood of Jesus in and with the bread and wine? (They are not merely symbolically present.)
4. Do I truly desire to turn from my sinful ways?

If you are able to answer "yes" to these questions, we invite you to join us for the Lord's Supper, when offered. Children and adults who cannot answer affirmatively are invited and encouraged to come forward for a blessing but should refrain from receiving the bread and wine.*

*For those who are unable, or prefer not to consume wine, cups with white grape juice are located in the center of the communion trays.

MESSAGE NOTES

PHYSICAL HEALTH

Community Life Discussion Questions are available along with the weekly Prayer Concerns at the back of the sanctuary.

TRANSFORMED REMAINING BOOKS

If you PREORDERED and paid for one of the TRANSFORMED All-In-One Workbooks and have not yet picked up your books, stop by the Connection Center to pick up your order [today](#).

MEN'S MINISTRY EVENT

Join us for "Football, Family & Faith" on Saturday, April 30th from 8:00-9:00am in the Great Room. Enjoy donuts & coffee and connect with 5x State Champion Coach Derek Leonard.

SUNDAY MORNING EDUCATION TIME 9:20AM

- Pastor's Class continues to meet in the Great Room.
- WSCL Community Group has moved to Room 122.
- Sunday Basics 1 & 2 has move to the Conference Rm.
- God's Word for Today has moved to Room 213.

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER Follow @SHiNeSPL

Children's Ministry: SHiNe with us on Sundays at 9:20am (Saturday 6:15pm) for children's education time. PreK-K meet in 206. 1st-4th Gr. meet in 203. Gr. 5/6 meet in the Choir Room.

BUILDING BLOCKS: Class for Parents/Caretakers and Babies to 3 year olds on Sundays at 9:20am in Room 211.

Youth Ministry: THRIVE Senior High Youth Sundays at 9:20am (Rm 214) (pastordoug@spldecatur.org). **All grades (7-12) are welcome in 214 on Sundays.** Confirmation Rehearsal 4/23 at 9am.

THRIVE Community: SPL Youth - Join Pastor Doug for TRANSFORMED on Sundays at 6:30pm each weekend (3151 St. Andrews Ct.!) Materials are provided for you.