

St. Paul's United Methodist Church

July 28, 2010

St. Paul's United Methodist Church is a fellowship of Christians who proclaim God's gift of Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. In the name of Christ, we offer hope, renewal, and fellowship.

Our mission is to develop disciples to minister to our community and to the world.

Dear Parents and Confirmation Student,

Confirmation is one of the rites of passage, a milestone in a young Christian's life. We invite you and your youth to participate in this year's Confirmation experience at St. Paul's. I am excited about the program this year and eager to support your youth on their faith journey with the assistance of Mr. and Mrs. King.

NEW this year, *we will meet on Sunday evenings*. Class will begin at 5:00 p.m., with dinner at 6:00 p.m. Youth are encouraged to attend the Middle School Youth Group from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Some important dates to begin our class year:

Wednesday, September 1 Registration forms due

Sunday, September 12 Required Parent & Youth Meeting, Rickard Chapel
6:00 – 7:30 p.m. w/dinner RSVP to Susan Mason @ 248-651-9361

Saturday, September 18 - Confirmation retreat overnight, Group Building
Sunday, September 19 Drop off, 7:00 a.m. Saturday; Pick-up 2:00 p.m. Sunday

Sunday, September 26 Confirmation Class begins
5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. 5:00 – 6:00, Confirmation, Rickard Chapel
6:00 – 6:30 p.m., Dinner, Hickey Hall
6:30–7:30 p.m., Youth Group, Hickey Hall

The Confirmation fee is \$65.00. This includes dinner each Sunday, one overnight retreat, one lock-in, a book, a Bible and the student's robe for use on Confirmation Sunday.

Please fill out *both sides* of the enclosed CONFIRMATION Registration Form/RELEASE Form and submit to the church office before September 1. *The Confirmation fee is due at time of registration.*

Also *NEW* this year, a Confirmation Parent Group is forming. This group will meet periodically, based on interest and need. Fellowship, guest speakers, discussion and dinner are some of the opportunities that will be available throughout the year. The Parent Group meeting will run concurrently with the Confirmation class time. More information will be available at the Parent meeting on September 12.

Anyone seventh grade or older is invited to participate in St. Paul's Confirmation program. Membership to St. Paul's is not required. Please call Susan at 248-651-9361 if you have any questions or wish to obtain additional registration forms.

Blessings,


Rev. Latha Ravi

Pastors

Rev. Jeffery Regan
Rev. Jack Amick
Rev. Latha Ravi
Rev. Dwayne Kelsey

Pastor Emeritus

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