



St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church  
**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

# NEWS

*Children doing it God's way!*

## GOD'S WORD:

*Train up a child in the ways that he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it. (Proverbs 22:6)*

## MUSIC MINISTRY

### Little Worker's Guild (LWG):

#### \* **Choir Rehearsal**

- ⇒ June 19th - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday  
(Children's Church)
- ⇒ June 25<sup>th</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday  
NO Rehearsal



- \* **June 12, 2011**, at the VBS Kick-off and during VBS (6/20-6/23/2011), the children will learn two or three songs to sing on **Sunday, June 26, 2011**. All children are welcome to sing.

The uniform is casual wear: white, green, or recycle theme T-Shirts. Boys can wear jeans and girls wear denim or casual skirt (knee high in length). If the skirt is mid-thigh, the girls should wear leggings. NO short pants or Capri pants.

- \* **Sign-in and Sign-out** – This is a reminder to all parents/guardians for

LWG participants to sign your child in and out when bring them to rehearsals.



The purpose of the sign-in and sign-out process is accountability. In the event something happens, we have documentation that states whether the child was on campus, what time they arrived, and what time left.

Thank you in advance for all parents' cooperation and patience with this process.

- \* **Fourth Sundays** – The LWGs sing two songs and exit the choir stand. The children are to leave all their belongings in the Choir Room except valuables (purse/wallet and money).
- \* **Choir Stand Etiquette** – let's encourage the children when they are in the choir stand waiting to minister in song, please remember the following:

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- ✓ No slouching in their seat
- ✓ No chewing gum
- ✓ Pay attention to the Conductor standing in front of you
- ✓ No talking to your friends

These are very important tips as the cameras are rolling and you want be on your best behavior.

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## **Praise Dance Ministry (ages 6-11):** *Choreographer – Lyndsey Odd*

\* Rehearsals:



⇒ Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays in the Family Life Center  
6:30pm – 7:15pm

*For more information, contact*  
*Quincy Elloie at*  
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## CHILDREN CHURCH

\* **Children's Church meeting**  
Saturday, May 14, 2011, 10:00am  
Family Life Center, Room 210


\* **No Children's Church** on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays

\* Parents/Guardians are only authority to pickup children after Children Church. Not the child's siblings.

\* LWG choir rehearsal begins at 11:20 am. LWG has the remainder of Children's Church to rehearse new music for the next month, start learning music for the next program, or play constructive games.

\* **LWG Parent Helpers** – LWG has been asked to rollover some parent helpers from the Choir stand on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays to Children's Church. Children's Church can use LWG parent helpers who did not sit in the choir stand as well in the following areas:

- ⇒ Check-in (computer system, wristbands, etc)
- ⇒ Parent Helpers (assist in learning corners, bathroom run, keep the peace)
- ⇒ Help with Music (song leader or coaching children to sing)
- ⇒ Snack Preparation (set-up, serve, and clean-up)
- ⇒ Etc.

\* **Sign-in** – parents/guardians are to sign up their children to attend the children church. The sign-in sheet is located at the table across from the Sunday Check-in table. 

*For more information on the above items, contact Angela Anderson at*  
[angela.anderson@stpaulsac.org](mailto:angela.anderson@stpaulsac.org).

## JUNIOR USHER MINISTRY


Participating in the Junior Usher Ministry provides an opportunity to receive usher of the year award; money achievement award certificates; handout of token of appreciations gifts at Christmas, Easter, and Valentines; opportunity to grow and obtain experience in ushering.

### Rehearsals:

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month  
10:30am – 12:30pm  
Sanctuary

For additional information, contact **Doris Dandridge** or **Martin Gardner**.

## THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- ✱ **1<sup>st</sup> Sundays** of each month and months when there is **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday** in a month, **no** Children Church. will be used towards the Church's mission and vision.
- ✱ **2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays**, bring your pennies to support the **Stewardship Campaign**. Parents/Guardians please give your children "loose change" for the Stewardship Offering on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays. The children will be ushered in the main sanctuary to give their offering. 
- ✱ On every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday choir rehearsals, bring your love offering. The LWG Treasurer, Helen Vann, will collect the offering. The offering
- ✱ Parent Volunteers must be fingerprinted to work with the Children ministries. Fingerprinting (under St. Paul MBC – Sacramento) is still an insurance policy requirement. The cost is \$10 at Dept of Justice on Broadway. To obtain the form and information on this process, contact Sis. Angela Anderson or the Church Office.
- ✱ If your contact information has changed, please provide current information to leaders of each respective ministry your child is participating.

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

- ✱ **Vacation Bible School (VBS)**  
The kickoff for will be on June 12, 2011, during Children's Church.

*Let's go  
green for Jesus.*



**UPCOMING EVENTS (con't):**

⇒ VBS dates are:

June 20, 2011 – June 23, 2011  
6:30pm-8:30pm  
Dinner or light snack will be provided before 6:30pm.

Signups are on Sunday after morning worship service in the Fellowship Hall.

**\* FASHION, FASHION, FASHION**



Interested to learn about fashion? Beginning in June, the Fashion Project will begin on Wednesday evenings at 6pm that will include teaching about sewing, creating jewelry, accessorizing, and much more. For additional information, contact Brenda Holts at Kasha@winfirst.com or at 916 359-1258.

**\* Youth Praise Dancers**

**June 19, 2011**, during Sunday morning worship service, they are scheduled to minister in dance for the Father's Day Program.

**\* Children Worker's Workshop**

July 9, 2011 at 9:00am  
Family Life Center, Banquet Room

This will be an interactive workshop for all volunteers currently working or those who would like to work with the Children Ministry.

Signups for this workshop are on Wednesdays, after Bible Study, in the vestibule and on Sundays after morning Worship Service in the Fellowship Hall.

Stop by, sign up to attend the workshop, and receive a snack.

**\* Usher's Annual Picnic**

August 20, 2011

*More information to follow...*

**\* Children's Church Meeting**

Family Life Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor,  
10:00am

⇒ November 12, 2011

*All parents, guardians, teachers, facilitators, and volunteers are encouraged to attend.*

**ACTIVITIES:**

**Father's Day**  
**HONORING THE LEADERS**  
**IN OUR LIVES**

This is the month to honor Fathers and our very own Pastor, Dr. Ephraim Williams for the many things they do that have a positive impact on our lives.

\* How many words can you create with the letters in the word **Father**?

Make sure you tell your father or guardian how much they mean to you.

\* How many words can you create with the letters in the word **Pastor**?

Make sure to apply the Pastor's sermons and bible study teachings in your everyday lives. (2 Cor. 4:1-5)



## HEALTH CORNER

### Kids who eat breakfast...

- ✓ Have a healthier diet.
- ✓ Score higher on tests.
- ✓ Miss less school.
- ✓ Have a better memory.
- ✓ Have improved behavior and attitude.



Breakfast prepares kids to achieve their very best throughout the day.

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Featured vegetable for June is:

### Zucchini

Zucchini is one variety of summer squash. The Native Americans introduced squash to European settlers as one of the "Three Sisters" – three indigenous plants used for agriculture: Maize (corn), beans, and squash. Zucchini arrived in California with Italian immigrants in the 1920s.

### Produce Tips:



1. Choose zucchini that have smooth shiny, skin and feel heavy for their size.
2. Look for ripe zucchini that are firm and give slightly to gentle pressure.
3. Store whole zucchini in a plastic bag in the refrigerator for up to one week.
4. Keep sliced zucchini in a sealed bag or container for up to three days.

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### Summer is here...

As you enjoy the warm to hot days doing out doors activities, make sure to protect yourself from the risk of developing skin cancer. Here are a few tips:

- ✓ Block the sun, not the fun! Wear sunscreen.
- ✓ Wear sun-protective hats, long clothing, UV-blocking sunglasses

Be safe and be healthy.

## NOTES FROM PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY

### 7 Steps to Answered Prayer

1. Decide what you want from God. (James 1:6-8)
2. Read scriptures that promise answer your need. (Joshua 1:8; Matthew 7:7-8)
3. Ask God for the things you want.
4. Believe that you'll receive them. (Mark 11:23;24)
5. Refuse to doubt.

6. Meditate on the promises the Lord has given you.
7. Give God the Praise!!! (1 John 4:4)

Keep on praying!