

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH

THE WORLD COMMUNION OFFERING will be received this morning to provide scholarships for American racial and ethnic minority and international students. Please be generous.

OUR OCTOBER 1ST SUNDAY LUNCH will be served following the service this morning. Please plan to stay to enjoy the fellowship and the meal. Visitors and guests are very welcome to attend.

THE ST. PAUL BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP will begin Wednesday, October 7! and will be reading Richard J. Foster's *Celebration of Discipline: The Path to Spiritual Growth*. This book will have much to teach us about Spiritual Disciplines and how they help to build our Christian faith and personal experience of God. We'll discuss this book **Wednesdays following Supper from 7 – 8 pm, October 7, 14, 21, and 28**. The discussion is open to all who'd like to come. Sign up with Pastor Susan.

ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL will meet on the third Sunday of October, October 17th, rather than the second Sunday.

BLESSING OF PETS will take place Saturday, October 17th @ 10 am near Milledge Fountain in Grant Park. All 4-footed, furred and feathered friends are welcome.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS are \$6/adults, \$3/children 4-10, and free for children 3 and under. Please make your reservation by noon on Tuesday. Menu for Wednesday, October 7th: white chicken chili, salad, French bread, brownies.

COOKIES, COFFEE AND CONVERSATION during the month of October will be available thanks to

October 11 Bill Ericson and Tom Sweeny

October 18 Susan and Larry Johnson

October 25 John Marc Sharpe and Ryan Smith

Other helpers are still needed. Please email becky.boyette@turner.com or call her at 404-931-8004, if you can be among them.

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ARE YOU AN E-BAY EXPERT? Kevin Hill would like to sell the church's old sound board on Ebay. If you can help him get started, please contact him at kevinhowardhill@gmail.com.

GUITAR LESSONS are available at St. Paul (private lessons, group classes and adult classes) from Amy Laskey. Contact amy@intunestudioatlanta.com if you are interested. Visit www.intunestudioatlanta.com for more information and to register.

ST. PAUL GAC is holding its first annual **Community Cook-off and entertainment showcase** Saturday October 17th from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Sydney Street (in the St. Paul courtyard and on the street). The GAC is looking for good cooks willing to enter their favorite dishes and musicians, actors, comedians or anyone interested in donating time and talent to the event. A mini set of 2-3 songs or 15 minutes is acceptable. All ages and levels of talent are welcome. Registration forms for anyone interested in participating as an entertainer are available on the St. Paul United Methodist church website (www.stpaulgrantpark.org) or in the church office. You can also contact us on our Facebook page: [Golden Age Center-St. Paul UMC in Grant Park ATL, GA](#). Registration forms must be submitted by September 30. Please share this message with anyone you know who may wish to participate in this event. Thank you.