



# THE SCRIBE

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## St. Paul Lutheran Church

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Rev. Byron R. Williams, Sr. – Pastor

Sunday School 9:15 am

Holy Communion Service 10:30 am

***Our mission is God's Mission: to teach, touch and train people to trust in God's word in order to connect souls to Jesus Christ.***

## Sermon Recap

August 23, 2009

**"Preparing To Go Back to School"**  
Psalms 127

The following are a few nuggets of wisdom as we prepare for our young people to return to school.

- Thou shall not depend on the school for moral and spiritual teaching.
  - the word of God must start with the parent. We must teach the youth – thus says the Lord. Impress upon your children the word of God.
- Thou shall not compare your child's progress to another child.
  - focus on their strengths and work on their weaknesses.
- Thou shall teach them to do their best and yet have room for failure.
- Thou shall be aware of the general content of what is being taught in the school.
- Thou shall not criticize the teacher in the presence of the child.
- Thou shall laugh often and keep and promote a positive attitude.
- Thou shall respect and show and interest in your child's friends.
- Thou shall maintain a home of security – the children should know that their home is safe.

Additional Scriptures:

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Psalms 139

Proverbs 17

Proverbs 22:6

## Stewardship Station

"Great peace have they who love your law, and nothing can make them stumble."

- [Psalm 119:165](#) (NIV)

## Sunday Duties

Sunday, August 30, 2009

Assisting: Lucille Collins, Robert White, Paul Jones

Cross Bearer: Terrence "T.J." Sims

Acolytes: Maya Morris, Jerrica May

Cupbearers: Sydney Morris, Brittney Gibbs



Let's Congratulate New parents, Keshia Johnson and Marvin Collins, Jr.

Baby girl, Maleah Kai Collins was born Monday, August 24<sup>th</sup>. She was 7lbs, 1oz and 19 inches long.

## This Week at St. Paul

### Wednesday

12:00 pm Noon Day Bible Study  
6:00 pm Combines Choir Rehearsal  
7:00 pm Bible Study

### Saturday

3:00 pm LWML/Women's Bowling Event

### Sunday

11:00 am Children's Church  
12:45 pm Congregational Meeting  
Elements of Praise Rehearsal  
Jewels of Praise Rehearsal

## Youth Spotlight



SPLC youth had a bowling outing at Plano's Main Event, Saturday August 8. Thanks to Sister Lucille Collins for putting this event together.

## Community Conscience

American Diabetes Association  
Step Out: Walk to Fight Diabetes  
October 31, 2009

Rangers

Ballpark in Arlington



American Heart  
Association



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American Heart Association  
2009 Dallas START!  
Heart Walk  
September 12, 2009  
Victory Plaza



Scout Meeting  
1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday  
7:00 pm

## Upcoming Events at St. Paul

Men's Day Service  
September 13  
3:30 p.m.



SPLC Fall Garage Sale  
Saturday, September 26

## St. Paul's Pedestal



SPLC youth initiated a community service project to pick up litter along Marsalis, Monday, August 10. They worked both sides of the street between

Lebetter and Laureland. Big thanks to Toni Sims for coordinating and supporting this event. We look forward to more teens participating next time as it was a great experience for them!