

PROCLAMATION

Honoring St. Paul United Church of Christ On Its 150th Anniversary

WHEREAS, *Saint Paul Church in Barrington, Illinois was organized in November, 1863, the same month that the people of Barrington Station voted to become the Village of Barrington; and*

WHEREAS, *the Village of Barrington was incorporated by the State of Illinois in February, 1865 and the Church's corner stone was laid at the present East Main Street site on June 2, 1865; and*

WHEREAS, *in 1957, after several mergers within the Christian Church, The Congregational Christian Churches and the Evangelical & Reformed Church merged to become the United Church of Christ; and*

WHEREAS, *though the Church has changed its name several times over the past 150 years, it remains a place to nourish its members spiritually and improve the life of the community.*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED *by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington, Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois, that on behalf of the Village of Barrington, we hereby express our gratitude to St. Paul United Church of Christ for its contributions to the betterment of the entire Barrington area and collectively express congratulations on the occasion of the Church's 150th Anniversary in the year 2013.*

*Given, under my hand and seal of the Village of Barrington this
Twenty-eighth day of October, 2013.*

*Karen Darch
Village President*