

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
ST. PAUL'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMS)
Aberdeen, South Dakota
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March 10, 2019

The purpose of St. Paul's Congregation is to assist its members to share and to grow in their faith in Jesus Christ by faithful proclamation of the Gospel and the administration of the Sacraments in accordance with the confessional standards of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

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THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S (Mar. 10-Mar. 16)

Sun	8:00 am	Worship Service
	9:15 am	Bible Study/ Voter's Meeting
	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship Service
Mon	5:15 pm	Stewardship Meeting
	6:15 pm	Worship Service
	6:30 pm	Elder Meeting
Tue	5:30 pm	Just for Kix
	6:00 pm	Bible Study – Martin Luther Movie
Wed	6:00 am	Men's Bible Study
	12:15 pm	Lent Worship Service
	12:50 pm	Soup and Sandwich lunch
	5:00 pm	Soul Spa Bible Study
	5:15 pm	Soup and Sandwich

6:15 pm **Lent Worship Service**
7:00 pm Confirmation
7:00 pm Choir Practice
7:45 pm Bell Practice

Thurs 9:00 am Quilting
 Noon LWML Lunch and Meeting
 5:00 pm Just for Kix
 6:00 pm Board of Education Meeting

Sat 10am-Noon Circuit Bible Study – Pastor Anderson

Our Attendance: **Mar. 3** – 8:00 am – 105 Communion – 77
10:30 am – 125 Communion - 80 Monday Night – 19 Communion – 14 Ash Wednesday: 12:15 – 61 6:15 -- 157

Our Offerings: **Mar. 3** – General Fund - \$16,605.00
Sunday School - \$8.00 Coffee Hour - \$79.31 Missions - \$55.00

Sunday Organist: Cyrece Kono **Monday Night:** Cindy Jung

Greeters: Early Service – Shane and Becky Jung
 Late Service – Dennis and Edna Stoebner

A BRIEF SPECIAL VOTER'S MEETING will be held today at 9:15am to present to the congregation, the next stage of Structure and Governance at St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Time and Talents Assessment Form – Please complete the Time and Talents form that was included in the March newsletter and return to the church office.

The Stewardship Committee will meet on Monday, March 11th at 5:15pm.

The Board of Education will meet on Thurs., March 14 at 6:00 pm.

Those to Keep in Prayer
“...and call upon me in the day of trouble;
I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me.”
[Psalm 50:15]

Please keep us updated about anyone in your family (and extended family), or friends and neighbors, for whom we might pray. After recovery and surgery, let us know so that we can also give thanks to our Lord for His gracious care and protection.

1. Please pray for Peace in our Nation, our President and all persecuted Christians throughout the world.

Money is a tool that is to be used for the benefit of the believers.

“There were no needy persons among them.

For from time to time those who owned lands or houses sold them, brought the money from the sales and put it at the apostles’ feet, and it was distributed to anyone as he had need. (Acts 4:34-35).

2. Please notify the church office when you or a loved one is admitted to the hospital. Please let us know which hospital (Avera St. Luke’s or Sanford).

3. Please pray for Viola Stange, Brandi Wagemann, Ken Ellingson, Elaine Pigors, Roberta Adolphsen, Roger Blum, Pastor Dell, Dan Lingor, Michael Severson, Joyce Kenitzer, Carissa Joachim, Dan Phipps, Joyce Dahme, Delores Sandmeier, Grace Kaiser, Ada McCorkel, Denise Bode, TiAnne Mohror, Miles Eisenbeisz, Amy Stevens, Muriel Schamber, Brenda Blair, Janice Voegele, Leona McCalip, Tim Erickson, and Marna Brown.

4. Please pray for Jeff Severson, Devin Severson, and Kevin Kayser who are serving in the military.

Pastor Fitch, Ashley, Kessidy, Eliana, & Benjamin would like to thank all of our family here at St. Paul's for your Wonderful Gifts & Blessings at Benjamin’s birth a few weeks ago. Benjamin was born a healthy sweet boy on Feb. 10th, 20” long, 8# 5oz. Your prayers, cards, and encouraging words fill our hearts to overflowing. We thank God for all of you in God’s Kingdom here at St. Paul's. The Peace of the Lord be with you!

“SOUL SPA” – MARCH 13th. Do you need a place to rest your heart? When we are tired or stressed, when our muscles ache or our skin feels dry, we can go to a health spa for physical renewal. But what do we do when our soul needs care? How do we cope with this hectic, messy, and complicated world? Come to the **“Soul Spa”** where spiritual practices refresh you and where God is eager to meet with you and care for your spirit. A new women’s Bible Study will start this Wednesday at 5:00 pm. Please join us for this spiritual renewal!

“Dare to Do De Doctrine!: The Necessity of Clear Christian Doctrine in the Lutheran Church!” With countless ideas of Christian doctrine floating around in churches today, we need to be clear on what the Bible teaches: about the Holy Trinity, the clarity of Scripture, Holy Baptism, the Lord’s Supper, and especially, the Person and Saving Work of our Lord Jesus Christ! This Circuit-wide Bible Class will be held on Sat., March 16 and Sat., March 30 at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church from 10am-noon, led by Pastor Anderson.

Love and Logic Parenting Skills and Techniques - A Love and Logic Parenting class will begin in April 2. This class will be taught by Lisa McNeely. This class will develop strong parenting techniques and strategies to raise happy and well-behaved kids with positive loving tools. This will be a six-week course (date to be determined) from 5:30–7:30 pm. Supper and babysitting will be provided.

Prayer Chain Bulletin Board is located by the office entrance. Write your requests on the card. The request will be forwarded to the Prayer Chain members and Pastors.

Missing a cake pan or bowl? There is a variety of pans and bowls in the fellowship hall on the stage. Please take them home.

Tired of winter? You can throw away your winter blues by joining in an afternoon of Cornhole/Beanbag fun from 2:00 to 4:00 on Sunday March 24th in the Gold room. No experience necessary, all ages can participate. It is an easy game to learn and enjoy. If you have a game set that you are willing to share, please bring it with. If you have any questions you can contact Tim Zinter at 380-5638 or 226-1812.

A Prayer Service will be held on March 24 from 1:00 pm to 1:30 pm. The theme of the prayer service will be family members who have fallen away from the faith.