St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

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First Sunday in Lent

March 6, 2022



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Please pray for Roger Blum, Pastor Dell, Joyce Kenitzer, Ada McCorkle, Miles Eisenbeisz, Barbara Dahme, Gladys Felix, Muriel Schamber, Kimberlee Kaiser, Harry Preston, Fern Preston, Ann Thompson, Elli Bode, Sheyenne Seely, Janet Smith, Debbie Caven, Andrew & Cindy Ruenzel, Laurie Steichen-Ingram, Dallas Tschappat, Courtney Frohling, Beverly Borchard, Dawn Dohn, Kathy Murray, Lorelei Hartung, and Amanda and her family.

Please inform the Pastors or the church office when you or a loved one is hospitalized.

Thrivent Choice Dollars must be allocated by the end of the March. Please remember St. Paul's Church and the Lighthouse Preschool when selecting your Thrivent Choice Dollars. An informational guide is on the table in the South Narthex.

Installation for Michael Leapley as Director of Christian Education will be held on Sunday, March 20, 2022 at 4:00pm. A supper will follow.

On the first Sunday of the month, the Coin Banks are collected. The money donated is given to The Journey to help those in need in our community.

The Lenten season continues with Wednesday worship services at 12:15pm and 6:15pm. Lent services will be held each Wednesday thru April 6th. "*Witnesses to Christ*" is the theme for Lent. A daily devotion booklet is available at both narthexes. Soup and sandwiches will be served after the 12:15pm service and prior to the 6:15pm service.

Little Ones' Book Club – Our youngest children (Baptism through age 3) have a Bible based book waiting for them in the South Narthex. Please take it home, read and enjoy! It's yours to keep!

Church Council meeting on Thurs., March 10th at 7:00 pm.

Help Needed Supporting Pastors' Wives: The South Dakota

District Spring Pastors' Conference is taking place in Aberdeen on May 2-3, 2022. At this conference is also offered a time for pastors' wives to connect and be refreshed in the Word of God. In order to grant these women an opportunity with less distraction the district requests the help of volunteers to watch a room of pastors' kids. The wives' session is on May 3 from 9:45AM to 11:45AM. We are in need of 1 "lead" person and at least 4 others. The more, the merrier! Please call Our Savior Lutheran at 605-225-7106 to sign up. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Lighthouse Preschool Opening: Part-time Director and/or Teacher for the Lighthouse Preschool for the 2022-2023 school year. Certified teacher with elementary education degree and teaching experience, and an early childhood endorsement preferred. Please submit a letter of application and a resume to Jason Oberfoell, School Board Chair, St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Position open for an afternoon bus rider from 3:00-4:15pm M/T/Th/F.

Lighthouse Preschool is accepting registrations for the 2022-2023 school year. Packets are available on the table in the south narthex or at the church office.

Power Point: If you are interested in preparing the power point or running the power point on a Sunday morning, please call the church office.

Offering: Feb. 27, 2022 - \$6,509.00 Coffee - \$109.00 Sunday School - \$14.00

Organists: Sunday – Cyrece Kono **Monday** – Tierra Cassens **Wednesday –** 12:15pm – Cindy Jung 6:15pm - Judah Bobby

Sunday Attendance – February 27, 2022 8:00am – 115 Communed - 82 10:45am – 127 Communed – 75 Monday – 26 Communed - 24 Ash Wednesday: 12:15pm – 60 6:15pm - 173

Bible Study: Sunday – 69 Tuesday - 10 Wed 6am - 6 10:45 am - 8 5:15 pm – 8 March newsletter is on the St. Paul's website.

Please sign the fellowship booklet for attendance.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S: (March 6 – March 13)Sun8:00 amWorship Service

9:30 am Coffee/Donuts
9:30 am Bible Study and Sunday School
10:45 am Worship Service
5-7:00 pmCircuit Youth Meeting @ Our Savior

- Mon 6:15 pm Worship service 7:00 pm Elder Meeting
- Tue 7:00 pm Reformation Bible Study

Wed 6:00 am Men's Morning Bible Study 12:15 pm Lent Worship

12:45 pm Soup and Sandwich lunch

- 5:15 pm Women's Bible Study
- 5:30 pm Soup and Sandwich supper

6:15 pm Lent Worship

- 6:45 pm Confirmation
- 6:45 pm Choir Practice
- 7:30 pm Bell Practice
- Thurs 9:00 am Quilting
 - 11:30 am LWML meeting and lunch
 - 3:30-5:00 pm Bible Bowl Practice
 - 7:00 pm Church Council Meeting
- Sat 9-11:00 am Bible Bowl Practice

Sun 8:00 am Worship Service

9:30 am Sunday School

9:30 am Coffee/donuts and Bible Study

10:45 amWorship Service

12:30 pm Prayer Service

5-7:00 pm Youth MeetingCindy Jung

Reading Jeremiah 26:8–15

L A reading from Jeremiah, chapter 26.

⁸When Jeremiah had finished speaking all that the LORD had commanded him to speak to all the people, then the priests and the prophets and all the people laid hold of him, saying, "You shall die! ⁹Why have you prophesied in the name of the LORD, saying, 'This house shall be like Shiloh, and this city shall be desolate, without inhabitant'?" And all the people gathered around Jeremiah in the house of the LORD.

¹⁰When the officials of Judah heard these things, they came up from the king's house to the house of the LORD and took their seat in the entry of the New Gate of the house of the LORD. ¹¹Then the priests and the prophets said to the officials and to all the people, "This man deserves the sentence of death, because he has prophesied against this city, as you have heard with your own ears."

¹²Then Jeremiah spoke to all the officials and all the people, saying, "The LORD sent me to prophesy against this house and this city all the words you have heard. ¹³Now therefore mend your ways and your deeds, and obey the voice of the LORD your God, and the LORD will relent of the disaster that he has pronounced against you. ¹⁴But as for me, behold, I am in your hands. Do with me as seems good and right to you. ¹⁵Only know for certain that if you put me to death, you will bring innocent blood upon yourselves and upon this city and its inhabitants, for in truth the LORD sent me to you to speak all these words in your ears."

- L O Lord, have mercy on us.
- C Thanks be to God.

Reading Philippians 3:17—4:1

L A reading from Philippians, chapter 3.

¹⁷Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. ¹⁸For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. ¹⁹Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. ²⁰But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself.

¹Therefore, my brothers, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved.

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Reading Luke 13:31–35

L A reading from Luke, chapter 13.

³¹At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to [Jesus], "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." ³²And he said to them, "Go and tell that fox, 'Behold, I cast out demons and perform cures today and tomorrow, and the third day I finish my course. ³³Nevertheless, I must go on my way today and tomorrow and the day following, for it cannot be that a prophet should perish away from Jerusalem.' ³⁴O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you would not! ³⁵Behold, your house is forsaken. And I tell you, you will not see me until you say, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!'"

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March Baptismal Birthdays

Roberta Adolphsen	Aiden Glaser	Terrill Meier
Thomas Agnitsch	Zachary Harry	Scarlet
Meyer		
Scott Bender	Kay Heupel	Vivian Meyer
Cassy Bitz	Cory Huff	Norma Miller
Adeline Blair	Theodore Jones	Philip
Pederson		
August Bobby	Evan Jung	Teresa
Peterson		
Nathan Bode	Maddon Klapperich	Rochelle Rice
David Borchard	Debra Kones	Corey
Sauerwein		
Terry Ellingson	Daniel Larson	Janna Struss
Wendi Gilbert	Janice Mammenga	

March Wedding Anniversaries

Ron and Deb Droog Jeff and Jennifer Schaunaman Markcus and Linda Selzler David and Hedi Swanhorst

(If you should be on this list and are not, please contact the church office.)

MAIN STREET LIVING – March 13, 2022 10:00 AM – This the Life – *"The Poisoned Banquet"* 10:30 AM – Rev. Nabil Nour presents the message "Lift Up Your Head." The sermon is based on Psalm 121. For more information go to the web site: <u>www.mainstreetliving.com</u>.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR – March 13, 2022 "*No Room for Demons*" *Speaker:* Rev. Dr. Michael Ziegler. The Lutheran Hour can be heard on KAWZ 88.1 at 9:00 am or Bismarck radio station KFYR at 7:30 am on Sundays.