

***The Mission and Ministry Statement for St. Paul's:*** We, the members of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, in gratitude to The Triune God for His love for us in Jesus Christ, dedicate ourselves as individuals and as a congregation to learning, teaching and sharing God's Word, caring for others, and living in God's grace through Word and Sacrament.

***To our visitors:*** In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, we welcome you to our church with God's richest blessings. We invite you to make St. Paul's your new church home. If you are interested in church membership, or have questions, please contact Pastor Burns.

***Children and the Divine Service:*** Thank you for bringing your children with you to church. The Scriptures tenderly tell of Jesus' love for little children. Jesus wants your children in His Company, to hear His Word and receive His gifts given to all in the Divine Liturgy. If you feel your child would benefit by leaving the worship service for a short period of time, you are welcome to use the Narthex. There is a speaker and chairs so you may continue to hear and participate in the worship service. If you need any assistance, please let us know how we can help.

***The Holy Communion:*** The Lord's Supper reflects our unity of faith and doctrine. Therefore, we assume that all those attending Holy Communion with us are members of a congregation of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. In love and concern, we ask that all others speak with the pastor before communing.

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**3rd Sunday in Lent**  
**March 7, 2021**



**ST. PAUL'S**  
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OSSEO, MINNESOTA

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**As We Gather:** Please be respectful of those who are in the pews preparing their hearts and minds for worship.

**As you prepare for worship, you may pray the following prayer:**  
O Lord, my creator, redeemer, and comforter; as I come to worship You in spirit and in truth, I humbly pray that You would open my heart to the preaching of Your Word so that I may repent of my sins, believe in Jesus Christ as my only Savior, and grow in grace and holiness. Hear me for the sake of His name. Amen.

**John 2:16** – “And he told those who sold the pigeons, **“Take these things away; do not make my Father's house a house of trade.”** The Lord’s House is not a place to sell, but a place to receive and a place to give. It’s not a place for our schemes and plans. Instead the Church is a place for the Lord’s gracious giving and our faithful sacrifices in response.

## **The Crucified and Risen Body of Jesus Is the True Temple of the Lord**

***The Lord rescues His people, Israel, “out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery” (Ex. 20:2) and makes His gracious covenant with them, defined by the Ten Commandments. Since He has become their God by His grace, they shall be His people, having “no other gods” before Him (Ex. 20:3). He is “jealous” for them as a husband for his wife and as a father for his children. He has named them with His name and called them to rest in Him (Ex. 20:5–9). The incarnate Son, Christ Jesus, is likewise jealous for His Father’s house, because it is to be a place of divine grace and Sabbath rest for His people, and not “a house of trade” (John 2:16–17). His zeal consumes Him as He gives up “the temple of his body” to the destruction of the cross, but in three days He raises it up again to be the true temple forever (John 2:17–21). By His crucifixion He cleanses the entire household, and in His resurrection He becomes “wisdom from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption” (1 Cor. 1:30).***

**Those serving March 7<sup>th</sup> 9:00a**

<b>Elder</b>	Jason Voss
<b>Usher</b>	Tim Gamrath
<b>Video</b>	David Glauvitz, David Gamache & Jacob Andersen

**Those serving March 10th 7:00p**

<b>Elder</b>	Chris Higgins
<b>Usher</b>	Confirmation 3 Kids
<b>Video</b>	David Glauvitz, David Gamache & Jacob Andersen

**Those serving March 14<sup>th</sup> 9:00a**

<b>Elder</b>	Jason Voss
<b>Usher</b>	Tim Gamrath
<b>Video</b>	David Glauvitz, David Gamache & Jacob Andersen

**Attendance and Offering**

Sunday, February 28 <sup>th</sup>	28
Midweek Lent 1	17
Midweek Offering	\$1,813.00
General Offering	\$5,045.00
General Offering Weekly Budget	\$5,000.00
Online Contributions for February 2021	\$3,050.25

## **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**Members who are sick and in need of healing and comfort-** Family of Bev Hanson, Clarice O’Gary, Jane Tobias, Becca Titus, Jim and Vince Feuerstein (brothers of Judy Opsal), Ada Fields (sister-in-law of Shirley Scheuble), Debbie Hanna, Judy Erickson, Doug Steere, and Melissa Lee. Our Lord Jesus, who reached out to heal and comfort the sick and dying, continues to reach out with His healing Word through us. Cards, phone calls and prayers are always appreciated. If you know of someone who is sick or hospitalized, please inform Pastor Burns.

**Our homebound members** are Jean Henderson, Vi Anderson, Rose Ebert, Terry Benson, Melissa Lee, Mae House, Doug Steere and Bertha Hannu (mother of Barb Gamache).

**All those serving in our Armed Forces.**

**This Week:** The Congregations in our circuit are praying for Redeemer Lutheran, Robbinsdale.

**For those serving in the mission field:** Elliot and Serena Derricks, Johanna Heidorn, Kayla Hoem and Rev. Dr. Daniel Jastram.



St. Paul’s member, Bev Hansen, was called to her heavenly home. A private family service will be held on Monday March 8. The service will be livestreamed and posted on our website. Please keep the Hanson family in your prayers.

## **THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S**

Sun. Mar. 7

### **3rd Sunday in Lent**

Communion Service 9:00a

Virtual Sunday School

We are now **live streaming** the service on **youtube.com** and following the service posting it to our Facebook page and the sermon page on our church website.

[www.stpaulsosseo.org](http://www.stpaulsosseo.org)

Tues. Mar. 9

Board of Elders 6:30p

All Other Boards 7:00p

Council Meeting 7:30p

Wed. Mar. 10

### **Midweek Lent 3**

Confirmation 1 Virtual

Confirmation 3 6:00p

Worship 7:00p

Fri. Mar. 12

Family Day for Staff

Sun. Mar. 14

### **4th Sunday in Lent**

Worship 9:00a

Virtual Sunday School

## Potato Soup

- ½ gallon of whole milk
- 2 lbs. of peeled potatoes (8 medium size potatoes)
- ¼ box (2 lb. box) of Velveeta cheese cubed
- 3 cups of ham cubes
- 1 16 oz bag of frozen peas

Boil the potatoes until about half cooked then rinse the potatoes in cold water (to remove the starch). Set aside. In a stockpot add the milk and cheese, slowly heat the milk and cheese until the cheese is melted, stirring occasionally. When the cheese is all melted, add the ham and peas and continue to simmer until the mixture is just below a boil. Stir frequently. Add the potatoes, continue to heat until the potatoes are cooked fully. Before serving, thicken up the soup with a mixture of whole milk and flour. Serves 6-8 people.

Rick McCullough

## Old Fashioned Cream of Tomato Soup

- 1 quart chopped tomatoes
- 9 oz chicken broth
- 1 oz butter
- 2 Tbsp sugar
- 1 Tbsp chopped onion
- A pinch of baking soda
- 2 cups cream

Mix tomatoes, chicken broth, butter, sugar, onions and soda. Simmer 1 hour. Heat cream in double boiler and add to hot tomato mixture.

Jean Zoll

We need some more recipes to put in the bulletin through our Lent season! We will not be able to gather for our soup suppers. But we can still enjoy a bowl of soup together with shared recipes! Send your best soup recipes to [office@stpaulsosse.org](mailto:office@stpaulsosse.org)



We will need volunteers on Confirmation Sunday April 11<sup>th</sup> at 10:00a to wipe down high contact areas after the 9:00a service. To prepare for the Confirmation service at 11:00a. Please let the office know if you can help.

**Laugh Break- Bloopers from bulletins-** If you choose to heave during the Postlude, please do so quietly.

Funds for Steel Roof Update

