

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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Palm Sunday
March 28, 2021



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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.

Zechariah 9:9 – “Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.” No king ever rode to war like this. But no king had ever come to wage battle by dying. In His Passion, our Lord Jesus gives everything He has and is; He does this to bring us from death to life and to make us His own people. And He also does all this to show us an example of self-giving love for us to follow.

The Son of David Ascends His Throne and Reigns in Love from His Cross

The Son of David comes in gentle humility, “sitting on a donkey’s colt,” yet as the King of Israel “in the name of the Lord” (John 12:13–15). He comes to be lifted up in glory on the cross in order to cast out “the ruler of this world” and draw all people to Himself (John 12:23–32). The Church is thus called to “rejoice greatly,” because her King comes with salvation, and “he shall speak peace to the nations” (Zech. 9:9–10). As He is anointed “beforehand for burial” (Mark 14:8), He also ascends His royal throne as “the King of the Jews” by way of His Passion (Mark 15:2, 17–19, 26). He goes “as it is written of him,” wherefore “you will see the Son of Man seated at the right hand of Power” (Mark 14:21, 62). For the glory of God is love, which crescendos in the humble obedience and voluntary self-sacrifice of the Son of God for the salvation of sinners. So, God the Father has “highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name” (Phil. 2:9), that He might reign over us in love with the forgiveness of His cross.

Those serving March 28th 9:00a

Elder	Jason Voss
Usher	Bob Schave
Video	David Glauvitz, David Gamache & Jacob Andersen

Those serving April 1st 7:00p

Elder	Adam Schmidt
Usher	TBD
Media	David Glauvitz, David Gamache & Jacob Andersen

Those serving April 2nd 9:00a

Elder	Rick Scheevel
Usher	TBD
Media	David Glauvitz, David Gamache & Jacob Andersen

Those serving April 4th 9:00a

Elder	Adam Schmidt
Usher	TBD
Media	David Glauvitz, David Gamache & Jacob Andersen

Attendance and Offering

Sunday, March 21	64
Midweek Lent 4	29
Midweek Offering	\$1,013.00
General Offering	\$1,907.38
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- Vicki Johnson (sister of Judy Saldana) Lawrence Mendez (father of Sherry Glauvitz), Jane Tobias, 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 Clarice O’Gary, 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 Shepherd of the Grove Lutheran & Childcare Center, Maple Grove, and Pastor Tim Lamkin, Sr.

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



Easter flowers will again adorn the Sanctuary for Easter. Anyone wishing to help defray costs of the flowers, please include your envelope number on your donation and place “Easter Flowers” on your check’s memo.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Sun. Mar. 28 **Palm Sunday**
Worship 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.stpaulsosse.org

Thur. April 1 **Maundy Thursday**
Communion 7:00p

Fri. April 2 **Good Friday**
Worship 7:00p

Sun. April 4 **Easter**
Communion 9:00a

St Paul's LWML will be meeting on Wednesday, April 7 at 1 pm. The meeting will be held in the Party Room at the Mary Patrice Apartments, 100 3rd St., NW, Osseo. Masks will be worn and social distancing will take place.



Amy Gundermann is our guest vocalist and violinist for today's service. Thank you to Amy for sharing her gifts with us.

To celebrate the coming season, we're having a flower fundraiser!



Spring is just around the corner and S.P.Y is BLOOMING with excitement!

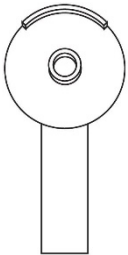
When: Easter Sunday

Where: Downstairs Library We will be selling carnations. They will come in four colors: white, purple, peach and pink.

Individual stems are \$1 each. Bunches of 10 stems are \$8.

We are raising money for upcoming events and activities.

Eagle Scout Project for St. Paul's



For my Eagle Scout Project, I will be redoing the fire pit for the church. Right now, I'm looking for donations for the materials needed to make the project happen. The project is estimated at around \$2,000. I'm looking to break ground in late April. Any donations before then would be greatly appreciated.

-Elijah Slack

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Reminder: Thrivent Choice Dollars deadline is March 31st. Be sure to direct your funds to the organization you want.

S.P.Y. News

Today through the month of April, S.P.Y. will be collecting these products for Lutheran World Relief.

Bath towel(s)

Bar soap

Adult size toothbrush (in packaging)

Metal nail clipper

Comb(s)

Toothpaste

These items will be put together as personal care kits for people around the world. A large bin will be at church to collect items. Thank you in advance for your help.

Funds for Steel Roof Update



Sherry's Church Cake

1 box chocolate cake

1 jar caramel sauce

1 container cool whip

1 bag of Heath bits

Make your cake according to the directions on the box. Let it cool. Poke holes in the cake with a straw. Pour the caramel sauce over the whole cake. Spread the cool whip over the caramel sauce on the cake. Sprinkle with the Heath bits. Put in the fridge until ready to eat. Enjoy ☺