

***Attention Worshipers:*** Our services are live-streamed. This includes both video and ambient audio prior to and during the service.

***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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Office Hours: 9:00a-1:00p Mon.-Thur.

**4th Sunday after Epiphany**  
**Jan. 30, 2022**



**ST. PAUL'S**  
**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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.

**Luke 4:34 – “Ha! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are – the Holy One of God.”** The demon that Jesus drives out knows who He is. But knowing that Jesus is the Holy One of God will not save the demon from hell. Knowledge is not faith. To know something is not the same thing as trusting someone. Faith is trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ for salvation. Mere knowledge of the facts does not give life. Trusting in the living God is how we receive life. Knowledge doesn’t necessarily lead anywhere, but a living faith in the Lord Jesus leads to a life built on Him and walking in His footsteps.

### ***Jesus Has Authority to Forgive Your Sins and Give You Life***

Jesus was sent to “*preach the good news of the kingdom of God*” (Luke 4:43). His preaching is an epiphany, or manifestation, of God because His Word reveals the authority of His cross and resurrection, by which He has atoned for the sins of the world. By the preaching of His Gospel in every place, He silences the unclean spirits and casts out demons, heals the diseases of body and soul, and restores life and health to His creation (Luke 4:40–41). For the sake of His divine love, He is “*patient and kind*” toward us; He “*bears all things,*” “*endures all things*” and delivers up His body to save us (1 Cor. 13:3–4, 7). So also for the sake of His love, He calls and sends His prophets, as ministers of His Word, “*to pluck up and to break down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant*” (Jer. 1:10).

### **Those serving Jan. 30, 8:30a**

<b>Elder</b>	Bill McKibbin
<b>Usher</b>	Jeff & Julie Norman
<b>Acolyte</b>	Hunter Zinter
<b>Media</b>	David Gamache, David & Sherry Glauvitz

### **Those serving Feb. 6, 8:30a**

<b>Elder</b>	Steve Gamache
<b>Usher</b>	Ethan Burns
<b>Acolyte</b>	Tyler Hanson
<b>Media</b>	David Gamache, David Glauvitz Jacob Andersen

### **Attendance and Offering**

3rd Sunday after Epiphany Jan. 23	47
General Offering	\$6,015.00
General Offering Weekly Budget	\$5,000.00
Online Contributions for Dec. 2021	\$3,977.00



Here are some ways to help at St. Paul's this year:

We are looking for an elevator assistant, Congregational Secretary, handy man for Board of Trustees, Youth and adults to join Board of Youth and Family, Funeral/Wedding coordinator co-chair, Live streamers and ushers.

Please call the office if you can help 763.425.2238

## **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

### **Members who are sick and in need of healing and comfort-**

Pauline Williamson (friend of Shirley Scheuble), Lawrence & Joanne Mendez (father & mother of Sherry Glauvitz), Jim Feuerstein (brother of Judy Opsal), Ada Fields (sister-in-law of Shirley Scheuble), 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, Melissa Lee, Mae House and Bertha Hannu (mother of Barb Gamache).

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

**This Week:** The Congregations in our circuit are praying for Eternal Hope Lutheran, Brooklyn Park, and Pastor Bill Hillyer.

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



### *Our Heartfelt Sympathy*

Robert Harff was called to his heavenly home on January 18. A funeral service was held at St. Paul's on January 29. Please keep the Harff family in your prayers.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Sun. Jan. 30      **4th Sunday after Epiphany**  
Communion Service 8:30a  
Education Hour 9:45a

Mon. Jan. 31      Staff Meeting 10:30a

Tue. Feb. 1      Bible Study 9:15a  
Morning Prayers 10:30a

Wed. Feb. 2      Confirmation 1&2 6:00p  
Chancel Choir 7:15p

Thur. Feb. 3      GriefShare 6:00p

Fri. Feb. 4      Family Day for Staff

Sun. Feb. 6      **5th Sunday after Epiphany**  
Communion Service 8:30a  
Education Hour 9:45a  
**Mite Box Sunday**



A friendly reminder to keep our distance 6 feet apart when going up for communion.



The flowers on the altar are in memory of Calley Anne,  
28 years in heaven. Gamrath family



Ted Goerke was called to his heavenly home on January 14. A funeral service was held at St. Paul's on January 24. Please keep Gladys and the Goerke family in your prayers.



To the Whole Congregation! We asked and you responded!

Thank you to all who listened to our gentle suggestion to remember your offering, even if you are worshipping with us virtually.

We appreciate your responsiveness and your faithfulness!



Here is a QR code and link to download the Sunday School Christmas Program: ABC's of Christmas.

<http://www.stpaulsosseo.org/ss-program>



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