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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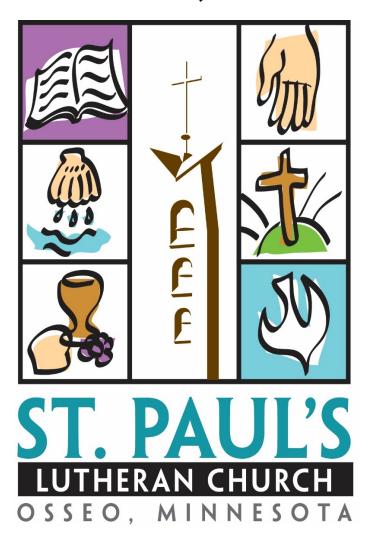
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# 6th Sunday after Epiphany Feb. 13, 2022



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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 6:20-21 – "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you shall be satisfied." The Beatitudes are largely about emptiness. If you're poor, your pockets are empty. If you are hungry, your stomach is empty. If you are mourning, there's an emptiness in your heart that used to be filled with the presence of a loved one. Jesus assures us in each case that the Lord will fill our emptiness. That assurance gives us not only peace, but also courage to follow the Lord faithfully.

# Christians Live by Faith in Christ and Rejoice in the Promise of His Resurrection

"Cursed is the man who trusts in man," for all the strength of his flesh is like the grass that fades away (Jer. 17:5). The one who turns away from the Lord may have food and money and laugh for now, but he "shall mourn and weep" in the judgment (Luke 6:24–25). But "the man who trusts in the LORD" is blessed with all that he needs, "like a tree planted by water." When heat comes, he survives (Jer. 17:7–8). For the Lord has come in the flesh to heal the people of all their diseases, to cleanse their spirits with forgiveness, and to preach the Gospel of the kingdom of God to the poor (Luke 6:18–20). As all of this is by way of His cross, it is solely by faith in the promise of His resurrection that Christians "rejoice" and "leap for joy" (Luke 6:21–23). "If Christ has not been raised," our faith is in vain and we are most to be pitied (1 Cor. 15:14–19). But, in fact, just as "Christ died for our sins," so has He also "been raised from the dead" (1 Cor. 15:3, 20).

### Those serving Feb. 13, 8:30a

Elder Steve Gamache
Usher Ethan Burns
Acolyte Tyler Hanson
Media David Gamache,

David & Sherry Glauvitz

#### Those serving Feb. 20, 8:30a

Elder Steve Gamache
Usher Jacob Andersen
Acolyte Clara Higgins
Media David Gamache,
David Glauvitz

Jacob Andersen

### **Attendance and Offering**

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\$4,342.00
\$5,000.00
\$3,162.76

New Address: Gladys Goerke

Rose Arbor & Wildflower Lodge

16500 92<sup>nd</sup> Ave. N. #217 Maple Grove, MN 55311

#### **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.

<u>Our homebound members</u> 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

<u>This Week:</u> The Congregations in our circuit are praying for Grace International Lutheran, worshiping at Peace Lutheran, Robbinsdale and Pastor Isaac Williams.

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

Dwayne's double knee replacement went very well and he is on the road to recovery to see the golf course in the spring. Thank you for the cards and well wishes as he continues his journey to full recovery.

Dwayne & Char Lieder

### THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Sun. Feb. 13 6th Sunday after Epiphany

Worship Service 8:30a Education Hour 9:45a

Mon. Feb. 14 Staff Meeting 10:30a

Tue. Feb. 15 Bible Study 9:15a

Morning Prayers 10:30a Newsletter Deadline

Wed. Feb. 16 Confirmation 1&2 6:00p

Web Meeting 7:00p Chancel Choir 7:15p

Thur. Feb. 17 GriefShare 6:00p

Fri. Feb. 18 Family Day for Staff

Sun. Feb. 20 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany

Communion Service 8:30a

Education Hour 9:45a

A BIG thank you to all the St Paul members that helped in preparing and donating their time to assist in the funeral of Robert K. Harff. The family is so grateful for all the prayers that were sent our way. It is so comforting to know that a church family is there for everyone when it's needed.

The Harff Family

Thousand, thousand thanks are due to the guys and gals of St. Paul's who generously volunteer their time in helping with funeral luncheons. Whether you wash dishes, bake bars, pick up food, set up tables, set tables or fold napkins your efforts are truly appreciated. We have a great team and may God continue to bless our service.

Char Lieder

# CROSS Fundraiser 50% Day at The Great Greek Mediterranean Grill February 28 @ 11:00 am - 9:00 pm



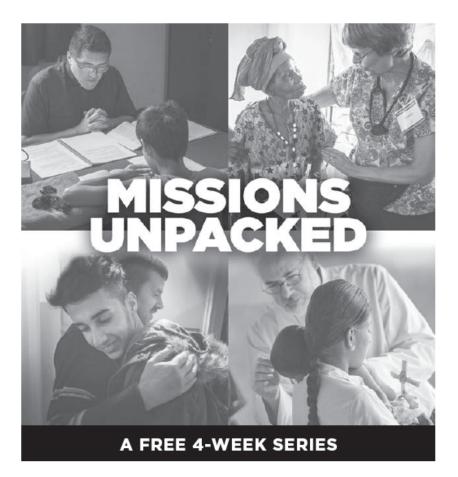
Charity Day at The Great Greek Mediterranean Grill on Feb. 28, 2022. CROSS Services will receive 50% of the proceeds on all Dine-in and to go orders.



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



#### ASIA

Jan. 24-30

#### **AFRICA**

Jan. 31-Feb. 6

#### **EURASIA**

Feb. 7-13

#### LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Feb. 14-20



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