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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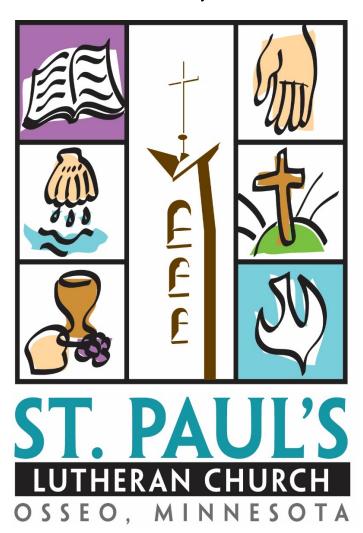
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# 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent March 6, 2022



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Pastor: Daniel Burns XXX.XXX.XXXX XXXXXX@stpaulsosseo.org Church Office: 763.425.2238 Website: www.stpaulsosseo.org 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 4:8 – "And Jesus answered him, "It is written..." Isn't it interesting that Jesus does not defeat Satan with His power as God but rather by His perfect obedience in His perfect humanity? Jesus defeats Satan not by miracles but by quoting the Scriptures and living according to it. This should cause us great joy for two reasons. First, because we see Jesus win the victory for us. Second, because here Jesus shows us how to stand in that victory – on the Word of God alone. Let us build our lives on the sure rock of this Word!

### Jesus Christ Is Our Champion Against the Devil

Jesus Christ, our champion against the devil, endures and overcomes "every temptation" (Luke 4:13) on our behalf. He worships the Lord, His God, and serves Him only by trusting the Word of His Father: "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased" (Luke 3:22). Jesus' victory is now ours through His gracious Word, which is not far away but near us — in our mouth and in our heart, in the proclamation of repentance and faith. For "with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved" (Rom. 10:10). Our confession of Christ includes the prayer of faith, which is not disappointed, "for 'everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved'" (Rom. 10:13). The Lord is not oblivious to "our affliction, our toil, and our oppression" (Deut. 26:7), but has mercy upon us. He has brought us out of bondage through the "signs and wonders" of Holy Baptism, "with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm" (Deut. 26:8), and now He leads us by His Spirit even in the wilderness.

Those serving March 6, 8:30a

Elder Rick Scheevel

Usher Cindy Scheevel

Acolyte Hunter Zinter

Media David Gamache,

David Glauvitz &

Jacob Andersen

### Those serving March 9, 7:00p

Elder Adam Schmidt

**Usher** Confirmation Classes

**Acolyte** Tyler Hanson

Media David Gamache,

David Glauvitz, Jacob Andersen

### Those serving March 13, 8:30a

Elder Rick Scheevel Usher Brad Kitzman

Acolyte Tyler Hanson

Media David Gamache,

David & Sherry Glauvitz

## Attendance and Offering

Transfiguration of our Lord Feb. 27	64
General Offering	\$5,422.00
Ash Wednesday	52
General Offering	\$2,023.00

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General Offering Weekly Budget \$5,000.00 Online Contributions for Feb. 2022 \$2,372.76

#### **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 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 St. John Ev. Lutheran, Corcoran and school and Pastor Matthew Moss and Pastor Matthew Johnson.

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

New Address: Carol Steere

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### THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Sun. Mar. 6 1st Sunday in Lent

Communion Service 8:30a Education Hour 9:45a **Mite Box Sunday** 

Mon. Mar. 7 Staff Meeting 10:30a

Tues. Mar. 8 Bible Study 9:15a

Morning Prayer 10:30a Board of Elders 6:30p All Other Boards 7:00p Council Meeting 7:30p

Wed. Mar. 9 Midweek Lent 1

LWML Meeting 1:30p Soup Supper 5:30p Confirmation 1&2 6:00 Communion Service 7:00p Chancel Choir 7:45p

Thur. Mar. 10 Pastor at Circuit Winkel 9:30a

GriefShare 6:00p

Fri. Mar. 11 Family Day for Staff

Sat. Mar. 12 Be sure to set your clocks ahead.

Sun. Mar. 13 **2nd Sunday in Lent** 

Worship Service 8:30a Education Hour 9:45

## **Lenten Soup Suppers are Back!!!**

March 9, 16, 23, 30 and April 6

Here is a quick review of Lenten Soup Suppers.
-A tradition at St. Paul's-

The suppers take place before the Lenten Services on March 9, 16, 23, 30 and April 6. No soup suppers during Holy Week.

They begin at 5:30p so the Confirmands can eat before class and end about 6:30p so the hosting group can clean up before the service begins. If you can't have your soup here by 5:30p, bring it anytime. Anyone may bring dessert.

Various boards sign up to host the suppers and bring soup on their night, but anyone may sign up to bring soup on any of the nights. (Sign up board is in the Narthex).

Cold cuts, cheese, buns and condiments are provided. These will be available on all of the nights. Free will offerings usually cover the cost. Desserts may be brought as you are inspired.

If you are a hosting group-relax. Much of the prep will be done for you by volunteers that afternoon. Directions for serving and clean-up will be posted.





St. Paul's Youth (SPY) will be putting on an Easter Morning Breakfast after the sunrise service this year. Serving 7:30a-8:30a. We are so excited to get back to this annual fundraiser for the youth! The menu for this year is:

Biscuits and gravy
Eggs
Fruit
Coffee
juice



Have you heard the news ... VBS is going to be in July this year instead of August. This year VBS will be held Monday, **July 18-Thursday**, **July 21** from 9:30-11:30a. We are looking for volunteers to help us put on this fun filled event.

If you are interested in volunteering for VBS contact Jenny Hines via sunflowerjen03@gmail.com or come to our 1st VBS meeting on Tuesday, March 15 at 7:00p.