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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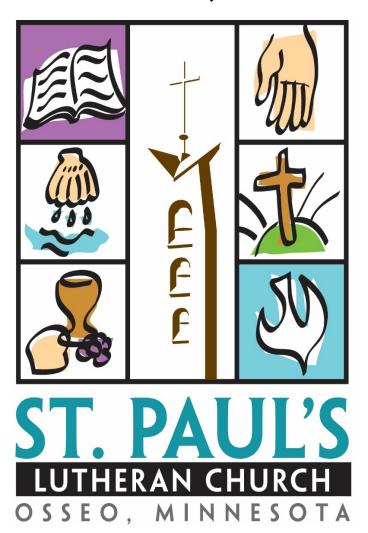
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2nd Sunday in Lent March 13, 2022



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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.

Philippians 3:19 – "Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things." St. Paul does not want us to set our minds on earthly things, for they are passing away. This is similar, to what Jesus says about storing up treasures on earth rather than storing them in heaven. Our heart tends to go where we put our treasure. This is why God commands us to live generously. It is not to spoil our fun but to help train us in keeping our priorities straight and our minds off earthly things.

Jesus Rescues Us from Death and Brings Us into Heaven

The prophet Jeremiah faithfully preached "all that the LORD had commanded him to speak to all the people" (Jer. 26:8). He called the people to repentance, lest the Lord's judgment come upon them. violence Jeremiah suffered for The that this foreshadowed the cross and Passion of Christ Jesus, who suffered the judgment of God for the redemption of all people. For Jesus "comes in the name of the Lord" (Luke 13:35) in order to lay down His life for the sins of the world. Earthly Jerusalem was blind to His gracious visitation, and it put Him to death like the prophets before Him. Yet, His sacrifice upon the cross became the cornerstone of the new Jerusalem, His Church. He visits us today in mercy with His preaching of forgiveness, to gather us to Himself within that holy city, "as a hen gathers her brood under her wings" (Luke 13:34), for "our citizenship is in heaven" (Phil. 3:20).

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Those serving March 13, 8:30a

Elder Rick Scheevel Usher Brad Kitzman Acolyte Tyler Hanson

Media David Gamache,

David & Sherry Glauvitz

Those serving March 16, 7:00p

Elder Adam Schmidt

Usher Confirmation Classes

Acolyte Hunter Zinter
Media David Gamache,

David & Sherry Glauvitz

Those serving March 20, 8:30a

Elder Rick Scheevel
Usher Erik Glauvitz
Acolyte Gabby Hardy
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David Glauvitz, Jacob Andersen

Attendance and Offering

1 st Sunday in Lent	49
General Offering	\$8,700.11
Midweek Lent 1	41
General Offering	\$877.00
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. Paul Lutheran, Osseo, and Pastor Daniel Burns.

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



Ivy Myrlie was called to her heavenly home on March 6. A funeral service will be held at St. Paul's on April 12 with visitation at 10:00a and service at 11:00a. Please keep the Myrlie family in your prayers.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

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

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

Mon. Mar. 14 Staff Meeting 10:30a

Technology Committee 6:30p

Tues. Mar. 15 Bible Study 9:15a

Morning Prayer 10:30a VBS Meeting 7:00p Newsletter Deadline

Wed. Mar. 16 Midweek Lent 2

Soup Supper 5:30p

Confirmation 1&2 6:00 Worship Service 7:00p Chancel Choir 7:45p

Thur. Mar. 17 GriefShare 6:00p

Fri. Mar. 18 Family Day for Staff

Sun. Mar. 20 3rd Sunday in Lent

Communion Service 8:30a

Education Hour 9:45



Please bring cardboard egg cartons for VBS. Put them in the wagon in the Narthex or in the West Wing.

Lenten Soup Suppers are Back!!!

March 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 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.

CONCORDIA CHAPEL CHOIR IN CONCERT AT ADVENT LUTHERAN

Hear the Concordia Chapel Choir from Moorhead, MN perform Thursday, March 17th at 7pm at Advent Lutheran Church in Maple Grove. The church address is 9475 Jefferson Hwy, Maple Grove, MN 55369.

Dr. Kira Knutson conducts the 58-voice choir on her first tour in a varied concert ranging from Renaissance motets to contemporary choral works and musical theatre arrangements. The concert is free and open to the public.