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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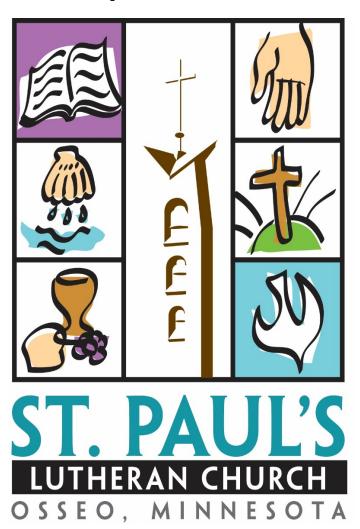
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# Palm Sunday April 10, 2022



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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 22:11 – "Tell the master of the house, 'The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?' "

Did Jesus really *need* this man's Upper Room? If the man had refused to let Jesus use it, would the work of salvation have been derailed? Of course not. But what an honor for the man who owned this room! It is the same with us. The Lord needs none of us, but what an honor it is for God to choose to use our generosity in the work of His Church.

#### The Cross and Passion of Our Lord Are the Hour of His Glory

The King of Israel comes into His royal glory by the path of humble obedience "to the point of death, even death on a cross" (Phil. 2:8). He "goes as it has been determined" (Luke 22:22), according to the Scriptures, willingly submitting to His Father's plan for the salvation of sinners. "Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name" (Phil. 2:9). His suffering and death open the way of repentance for the forgiveness of sins because He goes to the cross bearing the sins of the world. In His resurrection, God the Father vindicates His people and has compassion on His servants (Deut. 32:36). He kills to make alive; He wounds in order to heal. In remembrance of Him, we praise God, confessing "that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father" (Phil. 2:11).

Those serving April 10, 8:30a

Elder Bill McKibbin

Usher Bob Schave

Acolyte Tyler Hanson

Media David Gamache

David Glauvitz, Sherry Glauvitz

Those serving April 14, 7:00p

Elder Steve Gamache

Usher Bob Schave

Acolyte Clara Higgins
Media David Gamache

David Glauvitz, Sherry Glauvitz

Those serving April 15, 7:00p

Elder Jason Voss

Usher Marlin Olson Acolyte Tyler Hanson

Media David Gamache

David Glauvitz, Sherry Glauvitz

Those serving April 17, 6:30a

Elder Adam Schmidt

Usher Lee Sunram

**Acolyte** TBD

Media David Gamache, Jacob Andersen

Debbie Hanna

Those serving April 17, 9:00a

Elder Rick Scheevel

Usher Bob Schave

**Acolyte** Hunter Zinter

#### **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

**This Week:** The Congregations in our circuit are praying for Rev. John Fehrmann and his work with Confessional Lutheran Educational Foundation (CLEF) in other nations.

<u>For those serving in the mission field:</u> 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.

#### **Attendance and Offering**

THE STREET	
5th Sunday in Lent	90
General Offering	\$4,258.75
Midweek Lent 5	46
General Offering	\$618.00
General Offering Weekly Budget	\$5,000.00
Online Contributions for March 2022	\$3,923.45

### THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Sun. Apr. 10	Palm Sunday Worship Service 8:30a Education Hour 9:45a
Mon. Apr. 11	Staff Meeting 10:30a
Tues. Apr. 12	Ivy Myrlie Visitation 10:00a Ivy Myrlie Funeral 11:00a Bd. of Elders 6:30p All Other Boards 7:00p Council Meeting 7:30p
Wed. Apr. 13	LWML Meeting 1:30p Confirmation Pizza Party 5:15p Good Friday Rehearsal 6:30p-7:30p
Thur. Apr. 14	Maundy Thursday Worship 7:00p
Fri. Apr. 15	Good Friday Worship 7:00p
Sat. Apr. 16	S.P.Y. Easter Prep 9:00a-11:00a
Sun. Apr. 17	Easter Communion Service 6:30a Easter Breakfast 7:30a-8:30a Communion Service 9:00a



And he said to them, Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation."

Mark 16:15 ESV

## Conversation: A Simple Approach to Sharing the Gospel

When: Sunday, April 24th at 11:00a

**Length:** around 2 ½ Hours

Please contact the Church Office 763.425.2238 office@stpaulsosseo.org to sign up for this workshop.

It is open to the first 25 people.

A light luncheon will be provided. Please sign up by April 18<sup>th</sup>.

Even though every Christian is called to regularly share their faith, few actually do. *Conversations: A Simple Approach to Sharing the Gospel* is an exciting new way The Gideons International seeks to partner with pastors and local congregations through offering a personal witnessing training course. Through this workshop, participants will discover the simplicity of the Gospel and learn practical ways to share their faith with confidence.



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.

### S.P.Y. News

Calling all Youth 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade and any members who would like to help. Easter Prep. will be April 16 9:00a-11:00p

Meet in the kitchen. We will be prepping for the Easter Breakfast on April 17<sup>th</sup>!



Hi all! S.P.Y is hosting the first Easter breakfast since the pandemic! We will be serving biscuits and gravy, eggs, fruit and various treats. We are looking for volunteers to help prepare for the breakfast on Saturday, April 16th from 9am-11am. Fruit donations will be gladly accepted as well. Fruit can either be pre-cut or whole. Contact Amanda with any questions. Thank you and Happy Easter!

#### **Easter Sunday**

On Easter Sunday we will welcome Rev. Dr. Fungchatou & Dr. Kalia Lo. They were previously members of Grace Lutheran in Brooklyn Park. They are missionaries in Southeast Asia to the Hmong People.

#### **Egg Cartons Needed**



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