

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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2nd Sunday of Easter
April 16, 2023



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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.

1 Peter 1:3-4 – “He has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you.” We have an inheritance waiting for us, a treasure gathered where moth and rust do not destroy. That should change our perspective on the treasures of this earth. They are fleeting. They come and go. But we can use the treasures of this earth for the work of the kingdom that will not fade away.

Christ Jesus Breathes His Spirit and His Life into Us by the Ministry of the Gospel

The crucified and risen Lord Jesus establishes the ministry of the Gospel in order to bestow His life-giving Holy Spirit and His peace upon the Church. To those who are called and ordained to this office, and to those they serve in His name, He grants the Holy Absolution of all sins. By the fruits of His cross, He replaces fear and doubt with peace and joy, and thus gives “*repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins*” (Acts 5:31). Through the preaching of His sent ones, He calls us to believe that He “*is the Christ, the Son of God,*” so that by such faith we “*may have life in his name*” (John 20:31). In His resurrection, we have the “*living hope*” to which we have been “*born again*” and by which we are guarded “*for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time*” (1 Peter 1:3, 5). Until then, “*though you have not seen him, you love him,*” and by the mercies of God “*you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory*” (1 Peter 1:8).

Those serving April 16, 8:30a

Elder	Bill McKibbin
Usher	Lee Sunram & Brad Kitzman
Acolyte	Brenna Jones
Media	David Gamache David Glauvitz Jacob Andersen

Those serving April 23, 8:30a

Elder	Bill McKibbin
Usher	Lee Sunram
Acolyte	Clara Higgins
Media	David Gamache David Glauvitz Sherry Glauvitz

Attendance and Offering

Maundy Thursday	49
General Offering	\$748.00
Good Friday	76
General Offering	\$718.00
Easter	130
General Offering	\$3,860.00
General Offering Weekly Budget	\$5,000.00
Online Contributions for March 2023	\$3,853.84

You are invited to a stewardship event at Feed My Starving Children at their Coon Rapids location (401 93rd Ave. N.W.). We have reserved 20 spots for Saturday April 22 at 9:00a.

Sign-up sheet is in the narthex, Today is the last day for sign up. We need to give a head count. Join us for this fun event.

The stewardship committee



2&1 Club- This is the April event!

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

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

Irma Schmidt, Barb Gamache, Clarice O'Gary, Bruce Hecksel, Chad Hanson, Dan Wolinski (friend of Jason Voss), 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 Irma Schmid, Alice Leitzke, Clarice O'Gary, Gladys Goerke, Jean Henderson, 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 Concordia Theological Seminary (Fort Wayne, IN) and Concordia Seminary (St. Louis, MO).

For those serving in the mission field: Lutheran Bible Translators, Johanna Heidorn and Rev. Dr. Daniel Jastram.

No Bible Study today. Join in the Coffee Fellowship.



Thank you to Bonnie Faue and Jon Tuttle for setting up the tomb. Bonnie Faue for making the sanctuary come alive with the variety of beautiful flowers for the Easter season.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

- Sun. April 16** **2nd Sunday of Easter**
Confirmation Sunday
Communion Service 8:30a
Coffee Fellowship 9:30a
Education Hour 9:45a
Centerstage 3:45p-8:00p
- Mon. April 17** Staff Meeting 10:30a
- Tues. April 18** Bible Study 9:15a
Morning Prayer 10:30a
Just for Kix 4:15p-9:15p
- Wed. April 19** Web Meeting 7:00p
- Fri. April 21** **Office Closed**
Centerstage 10:30a-2:30p
6:00p-8:00p
- Sat. April 22** Feed My Starving Children 9:00a
- Sun. April 23** **3rd Sunday of Easter**
Worship Service 8:30a
Coffee Fellowship 9:30a
Education Hour 9:45a
Congregational Meeting 11:00a
Centerstage 3:45p-8:00p



Please join us Sunday April 23 at 11:00a in the Auditorium for our Congregational Meeting.