

Welcome! Thank you for joining us for worship today. In our service we gather before Jesus our Savior to offer him our worship and praise. We also gather to strengthen ourselves through the study of God’s holy and powerful word. Also,

- Restrooms are down the hall and to the right from the back of church.
- We love families! Your children are welcome in our service. Thanks for bringing them to hear about Jesus! If you would like, there are children’s bulletins with crayons in the back of church and a cry room in the back of the sanctuary.
- Please fill out the Friendship Registers located at the end of each row.
- If you want to review or share today’s service, you can find it on our website.
- For upcoming events and activities, “like” us on our Facebook page.

Please come again and worship with us very soon!

TODAY’S THEME:  
SPIRITUAL AND ETERNAL BLESSINGS TO THE TRUSTING SOUL

Worship Participants

Liturgist .....Pastor Brian Adams  
Preacher ..... Pastor Jacob Hoff  
Organist .....Miss Heather Schmidt

OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

THE COMMON SERVICE WITH COMMUNION

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THE OPENING HYMN ..... “I Know My Faith is Founded”

Christian Worship #403

Musical notation for the hymn "I Know My Faith is Founded" (Christian Worship #403). The notation is in G major (one sharp) and 6/8 time. It consists of six staves of music with corresponding lyrics below each staff.

1 I know my faith is found - ed On Je - sus  
2 In - crease my faith, dear Sav - ior, For Sa - tan  
3 In faith, Lord, let me serve you; Though per - se -

Christ, my God and Lord; And this my faith con -  
seeks by night and day To rob me of this  
cu - tion, grief, and pain Should seek to o - ver -

fess - ing, Un - moved I stand up - on his Word. Man's  
trea - sure And take my hope of bliss a - way. But,  
whelm me, Let me a stead - fast trust re - tain. And

rea - son can - not fath - om The truth of God pro -  
Lord, with you be - side me I shall be un - dis -  
then at my de - par - ture, Lord, take me home to

found; Who trusts in world - ly wis - dom Re - lies on  
mayed; And led by your good Spir - it, I shall be  
you, And let me there in - her - it All you have

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shift - ing ground. God's Word is all - suf - fi - cient,  
un - a - fraid. A - bide with me, O Sav - ior,  
prom - ised me. In life and death, Lord, keep me

It makes di - vine - ly sure, And, trust - ing  
A firm - er faith be - stow. Then I shall  
Un - til your heav'n I gain, Where I by

in its wis - dom, My faith shall rest se - cure.  
bid de - fi - ance To ev - 'ry e - vil foe.  
your great mer - cy The end of faith at - tain.

*Please Stand*

## THE INVOCATION

**P:** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: A - men.

## THE CONFESSION OF SINS

**P:** Beloved in the Lord: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**C:** Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord have mercy on me, a sinner.

## LORD, HAVE MERCY

*Kyrie*

C: Lord, have mer - cy on us. Christ, have mer - cy  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy on us.

**P:** God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: A - men.

## PRAYER AND PRAISE

**P:** In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

## GLORY BE TO GOD

*Gloria in Excelsis*

C: Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will toward men.  
We praise you, we bless you, we wor-ship you, we glorify you,  
we give thanks to you, for your great glory, O Lord God, heav'n-ly King,

God the Fa-ther al - mighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je-sus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the

sin of the world; have mercy on us. You take away the

sin of the world; re - ceive our prayer. You sit at the right hand of

God the Father; have mercy on us. For you on-ly are holy;

you on - ly are the Lord. You only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Spirit,

are most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

## THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And al - so with you.

P: Let us pray.

Lord God, in mercy receive the prayers of your people. Grant them the wisdom to know the things that please you and the grace and power always to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: A - men.

*Please be Seated*

## THE FIRST LESSON ..... Jeremiah 17:5-8

This is what the Lord says:

“Cursed is the one who trusts in man,  
who draws strength from mere flesh  
and whose heart turns away from the Lord.

<sup>6</sup> That person will be like a bush in the wastelands;  
they will not see prosperity when it comes.  
They will dwell in the parched places of the desert,  
in a salt land where no one lives.

<sup>7</sup> “But blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord,  
whose confidence is in him.

<sup>8</sup> They will be like a tree planted by the water  
that sends out its roots by the stream.

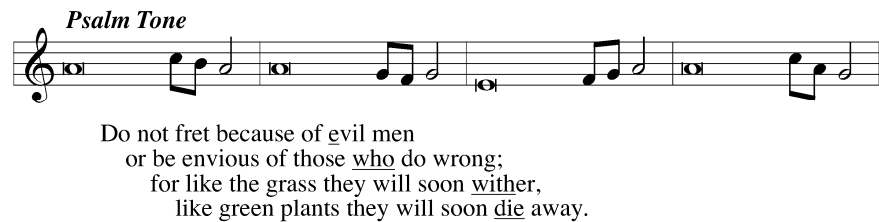
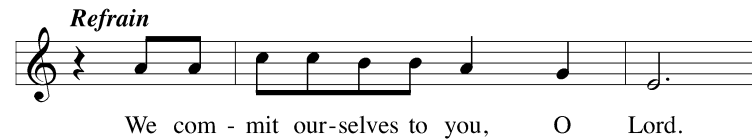
It does not fear when heat comes;  
its leaves are always green.

It has no worries in a year of drought  
and never fails to bear fruit.”

**THE PSALM OF THE DAY.....Psalm 37**

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*Please join in singing the refrain at the beginning and repeat it as indicated.*



### Refrain

Trust in the LORD and do good;  
dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture.  
Delight yourself in the LORD  
and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Commit your way to the LORD;  
trust in him and he will do this:  
He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn,  
the justice of your cause like the noonday sun.

*Refrain*

I was young and now I am old,  
yet I have never seen the righteous forsaken or their children begging bread.  
Turn from evil and do good;  
then you will dwell in the land forever.

For the LORD loves the just  
and will not forsake his faithful ones.  
The salvation of the righteous comes from the LORD;  
he is their stronghold in time of trouble.

*Refrain*

**THE SECOND LESSON..... 2 Corinthians 12:7-10**

Therefore, in order to keep me from becoming conceited, I was given a thorn in my flesh, a messenger of Satan, to torment me.<sup>8</sup> Three times I pleaded with the Lord to take it away from me.<sup>9</sup> But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ’s power may rest on me.<sup>10</sup> That is why, for Christ’s sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

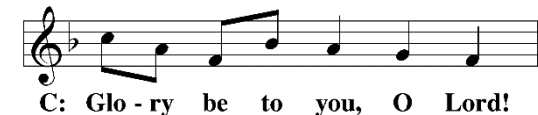
## VERSE OF THE DAY

**P:** Alleluia! Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia!  
(John 6:68)



*Please Stand*

**THE GOSPEL LESSON..... Luke 6:17-26**



He went down with them and stood on a level place. A large crowd of his disciples was there and a great number of people from all over Judea, from Jerusalem, and from the coastal region around Tyre and Sidon,<sup>18</sup> who had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases. Those troubled by impure spirits were cured,<sup>19</sup> and the people all tried to touch him, because power was coming from him and healing them all. <sup>20</sup> Looking at his disciples, he said:

“Blessed are you who are poor,  
for yours is the kingdom of God.

<sup>21</sup> Blessed are you who hunger now,  
for you will be satisfied.

Blessed are you who weep now,  
for you will laugh.

<sup>22</sup> Blessed are you when people hate you,  
when they exclude you and insult you  
and reject your name as evil,  
because of the Son of Man.

<sup>23</sup> “Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, because great is your reward in heaven.  
For that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.

<sup>24</sup> “But woe to you who are rich,  
for you have already received your comfort.

<sup>25</sup> Woe to you who are well fed now,  
for you will go hungry.

Woe to you who laugh now,  
for you will mourn and weep.

<sup>26</sup> Woe to you when everyone speaks well of you,  
for that is how their ancestors treated the false prophets.”



#### THE NICENE CREED

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven**

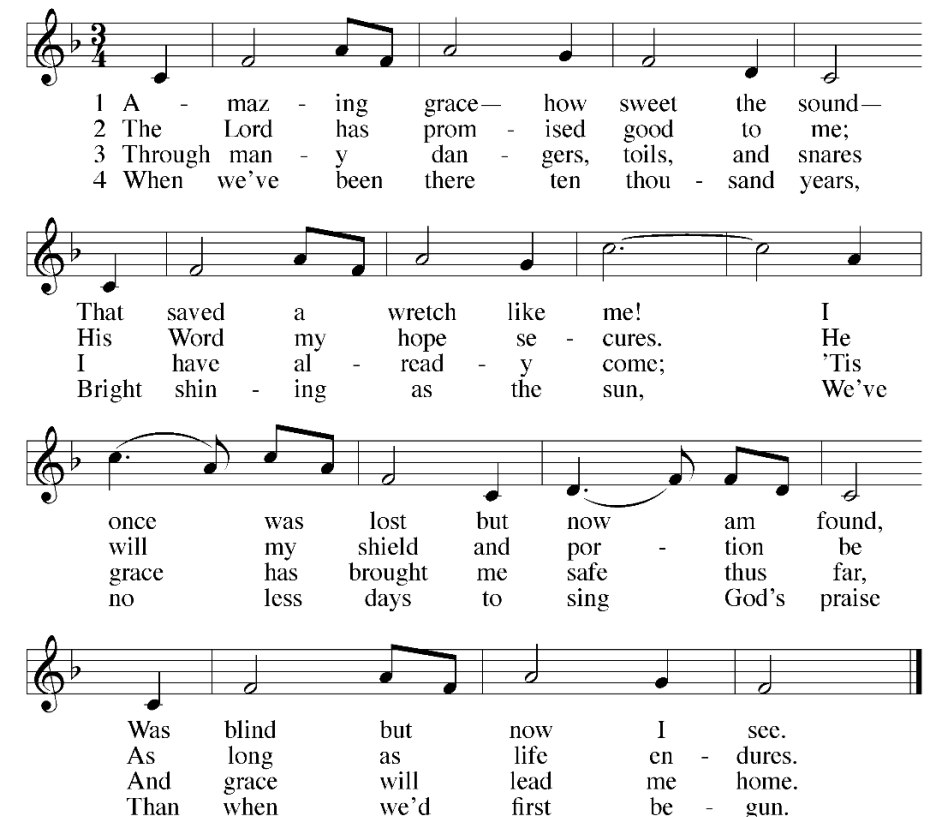
**and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

*Please be Seated*

#### THE HYMN OF THE DAY.....“Amazing Grace – How Sweet the Sound”

*Christian Worship #379*



1 A - maz - ing grace— how sweet the sound—  
2 The Lord has prom - ised good to me;  
3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares  
4 When we've been there ten thou - sand years,  
That saved a wretch like me! I He  
His Word my hope se - cures. He  
I have al - y read - y come; 'Tis  
Bright shin - ing as the sun, We've  
once was lost but now am found,  
will my shield and por - tion be  
grace has brought me safe thus far,  
no less days to sing God's praise

Was blind but now I see.  
As long as will life en - dures.  
And grace will lead me home.  
Than when we'd first be - gun.

THE SERMON ..... 2 Corinthians 12:7-10

Please Stand

C: Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from your pres-ence, and take not your Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re-store un - to me the joy of your sal - va -  
tion, and up-hold me with your free Spir-it. A - men.

Please be Seated

THE OFFERING

(We invite you to sign our Friendship Registers in each pew during the offering.)

THE OFFERING PRAYER

Please Stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And al - so with you.

P: Lift up your hearts

C: We lift them up un - to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

C: It is good and right so to do.

P: It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places give you thanks, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lived among us as a human being and revealed his glory as your only Son, full of grace and truth. Therefore, with all the saints on earth and hosts of heaven, we praise your holy name and join their glorious song:

**HOLY, HOLY, HOLY**

*Sanctus*

C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of heav - en - ly hosts:  
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san -  
na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san -  
na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**P:** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

**P:** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: A - men.

**O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD**

*Agnus Dei*

C: O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;  
have mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God,  
you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.  
O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;  
grant us your peace. A - men.

*Please be Seated*

**DISTRIBUTION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

*Today we celebrate the Lord's Supper. The Lord's Supper is a miracle. By God's power, the Lord's body and blood are with the bread and wine. In the Lord's Supper, God gives strength and comfort to His believers. While the Lord's Supper is first about our relationship with Jesus, it is also about our relationship with fellow believers. Therefore, we practice "close communion." We invite all who are members of St. Paul's or visitors who belong to our WELS fellowship to receive the Lord's Supper with us. If you would like to learn more about being a member of our family at St. Paul's, please feel free to contact one of the pastors.*

THE DISTRIBUTION HYMN ..... "Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness"  
Christian Worship #311

1 Soul, a - dorn your - self with glad - ness; Leave be - hind all  
2 Has - ten as a bride to meet him, And with lov - ing  
3 He who craves a pre - cious trea - sure Nei - ther cost nor  
4 Now I kneel be - fore you low - ly, Filled with joy most  
5 Hu - man rea - son, though it pon - ders, Can - not fath - om

gloom and sad - ness. Come in - to the day - light's splen - dor;  
rev - 'rence greet him, For with words of life im - mor - tal  
pain will mea - sure, But the price - less gifts of heav - en  
deep and ho - ly, As with trem - bling awe and won - der  
these great won - ders, That Christ's bod - y must be bound - less

There with joy your prais - es ren - der Un - to  
He is knock - ing at your por - tal. O - pen  
God to us has free - ly giv - en. Though the  
On your might - y work I pon - der, How by  
Since the souls it feeds are count - less, And that

him whose grace un - bound - ed Has this won - drous  
wide the gates be - fore him, Say - ing, as you  
wealth of earth were prof - fered, Naught would buy the  
mys - ter - y sur - round - ed, Depths that no one  
he his blood is giv - ing With the wine we

sup - per found - ed. Though he reigns a - bove most  
there a - dore him; Grant, Lord, that I now re -  
gifts here of - fered: Christ's true bod - y, for you  
ev - er sound - ed. None may dare to pierce un -  
are re - ceiv - ing. These great mys - ter - ies un -

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ho - ly, Deigns to dwell with you most low - ly.  
ceive you, That I nev - er - more will leave you.  
riv - en, And his blood, for you once giv - en.  
bid - den Se - crets that with you are hid - den.  
sound - ed Are by God a - lone ex - pound - ed.

6 Lord, by love and mercy driven,  
You have left your throne in heaven  
On the cross for me to languish  
And to die in bitter anguish,  
To forgo all joy and gladness  
And to shed your blood in sadness.  
By this blood redeemed and living,  
Lord, I praise you with thanksgiving.

7 Jesus, Sun of life, my Splendor,  
Jesus, Friend of friends most tender,  
Jesus, Joy of me desiring,  
Fount of life, my soul inspiring—  
At your feet I cry, my Maker:  
Let me be a fit partaker  
Of this blessed food from heaven  
For our good, your glory, given.

8 Jesus, Lord of life, I pray you,  
Let me gladly here obey you.  
By your love I am invited;  
Be your love with love required.  
By this supper let me measure,  
Lord, how vast and deep love's treasure.  
Through the gift of grace you give me  
As your guest in heav'n receive me.

Please Stand

SONG OF SIMEON  
Nunc Dimittis

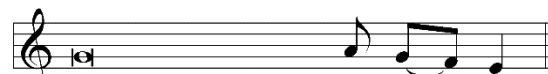
C: Lord, now you let your servant de - part in peace ac - cord - ing  
to your word. For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have pre -  
pared be - fore the face of all people, a light to light - en the





Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.

P: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.



C: And his mercy endures for - ev - er.

### CLOSING PRAYER

P: We give thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us with this holy supper. We pray that through it you will strengthen our faith in you and increase our love for one another. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C: A - men.

### THE BLESSING

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.



C: A - men. A - men. A - men.

*Please be Seated*

### THE CLOSING HYMN..... "Lord, You I Love with All My Heart" Christian Worship #434



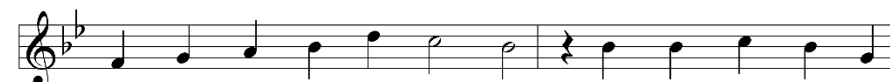
1 Lord, you I love with all my heart; I pray you ne'er from  
2 Lord God, 'twas your rich boun - ty gave My bod - y, soul, and  
3 Lord, let at last your an - gels come; To A - bram's bos - om



me de - part; With ten - der mer - cies cheer me. Earth has no  
all I have In this poor life of la - bor. Lord, grant that  
bear me home That I may die un - fear - ing. And in its



plea - sure I would share; Heav - en it - self were void and bare  
I in ev - 'ry place May glo - ri - fy your lav - ish grace  
nar - row cham - ber keep My bod - y safe in peace - ful sleep



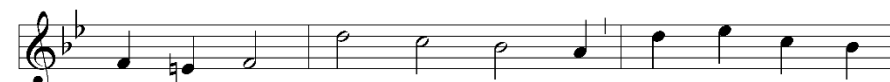
If you, Lord, were not near me. And should my heart for  
And serve and help my neigh - bor. Let no false doc - trine  
Un - til your re - ap - pear - ing. And then from death a -



sor - row break, My trust in you no one could shake.  
me be - guile; Let Sa - tan not my soul de - file.  
wak - en me That my own eyes with joy may see,



You are the trea - sure I have sought; Your pre - cious blood my  
Give strength and pa - tience un - to me To bear my cross - es  
O Son of God, your glo - rious face, My Sav - ior and my



soul has bought. Lord Je - sus Christ, My God and Lord,  
will - ing - ly. Lord Je - sus Christ, My God and Lord,  
Fount of grace. Lord Je - sus Christ, My prayer at - tend,

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** This weekend's altar flowers are given in celebration of Connie Roedel's birthday by her daughter Lauren.

**WINTER BREAKFAST:** Please join today, February 17<sup>th</sup> in between services for a Winter Breakfast. A freewill offering will be taken, which will support the ongoing Narthex improvements.

**USHERS:** We have several open spots on our usher crews. Please consider serving your congregation in this way. If you are able to help, please contact Kyle Brightsman at (414) 335-2906 or [kgb5217@gmail.com](mailto:kgb5217@gmail.com).

**LYLE TIMM CALL:** Mr. Timm received a call last week to Divine Savior Academy in Doral, Florida. We received this letter from Mr. Timm: "Thursday evening I received call from Divine Savior Academy in Doral, Florida, to teach geometry in their high school. As I deliberate this call, as well as my current call here at St. Paul's, I ask for your prayers. As I consider these calls and God's plans for my family and me, I welcome any input you might wish to share with me. In Our Lord's Service, Lyle Timm"

**1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE TEACHER CALL:** We received this letter from Miss Rachel Petermann, who we called to be our 1<sup>st</sup> grade teacher: "Dear Members of St. Paul Lutheran Church and School, On January 20<sup>th</sup> I received the call to serve as the first grade teacher. I have spent several weeks speaking with trusted colleagues and friends at Trinity in Kiel. I have also had the opportunity to ask questions and learn from members of St. Paul. Both ministries have the common goal of discipling children for Christ. After prayerful consideration, I have

decided to return the call to St. Paul Lutheran Church and School. God has richly blessed both ministries. I pray that his mercy and grace will continue to bless the advancement of His kingdom in Franklin. Trinity in Kiel will continue to pray for your school and ministry as you continue to seek workers for the kingdom.

In Christ, Miss Rachel Petermann

We will have a Voters Meeting to extend another call for 1<sup>st</sup> Grade on Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 AM service.

**LUTHERANS FOR LIFE SPEAKER:** Mary & Martha will be hosting a guest speaker from Lutherans for Life on Tuesday evening, February 19, at 6:30. Pam Manske, a retired RN who volunteers with WELS Lutherans for Life will be speaking. Come and find out about the work they do sharing the gospel and medical care with expectant moms, newborns and new parents. St. Paul's donated generously to our collection of baby and parent supplies in December, and now you can find out how all those donations are used. If you've ever thought about volunteering with Lutherans for Life, this is a great opportunity to learn more about it. **Everyone is invited!** We will meet in the Bible class room.

**ST. PAUL'S 2019 BOOK FAIR:** The book fair is coming! Please plan to come see the vast selection of children's and adult books, after church on **this weekend** in the school lobby! All proceeds benefit St. Paul's School with new books that are used for classroom novel sets, classroom libraries, student guided reading lessons and the St. Paul's School Library. A coin drive will also be held to collect spare change for new books. Another huge way to support the 2019 book fair is to volunteer, no experience needed, to keep the book fair open for extended hours. Your help would be greatly appreciated, with your gift of time, making a big difference to the book fair success! Look for the volunteer sign-up sheet and coin box on the narthex counter.

**THRIVENT INFORMATION:** Learn how to become a Thrivent member, let us help you direct your Thrivent Choice Dollars, learn how being a Thrivent member can benefit the church and sign up to use your Thrivent grant money throughout the year. See Stacy Boldt, St. Paul's congregational advocate through Thrivent and Dante Vogel, St. Paul's Thrivent representative.

On Sunday March 3rd, after services we will have a table set up in the narthex to answer questions and assist with needs and sign up where you would like to use your Thrivent grant money.

On Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM we will host an informational meeting for people to learn about Thrivent. It will be held in the Bible Classroom.

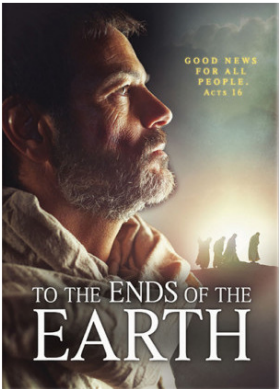
**“TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH” BIBLE STUDY:** In the sequence of *Road to Emmaus, Come Follow Me*, and *My Son My Savior* is the fourth and final movie from WELS, titled *“To the Ends of the Earth.”* The movie follows Paul’s remarkable visit to the city of Philippi, recorded in Acts 16. It shows how the Apostle Paul connected with people from all walks of life, demonstrating that the good news of Jesus is indeed for all people—to the very ends of the earth.

Jesus was God’s answer of love for people of every culture or background. The message of Jesus is a power that changes even the most unlikely hearts. It gives truth to the seeker, hope to the hopeless, and freedom to the oppressed. God sends messengers to share the life-changing story of Jesus to the ends of the earth.

During this study, we will be watching the movie divided into six parts. They are:

- 1. The Call of God (Paul)
- 2. The Gospel Goes to Foreign Cultures (Timothy)
- 3. The Seeker Discovers Truth (Lydia)
- 4. The Oppressed is Set Free (Slave girl)
- 5. The Hopeless Gains Faith (Jailer)
- 6. The Believers Gather in Joy (Philippi church)

Copies will be made available to anyone as well. Please come and join us on Sunday mornings at 9:15am. Anyone is welcome to join us.



**MAKE A CHANGE FAIR:** On Thursday, February 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 PM our school will be participating in a fair that explores ways our students can impact the world in which they live. The projects are not focused on Science or Social Studies specifically, instead they will involve a variety and combination of classes. We are looking to the sustainable goals for 2030 as guidance. There are 17 goals to improve the world as we know it. We understand that due to sin in the world we can never fix all issues completely. Instead by following God’s desire for us to care for each other and the earth, we can work to improve the conditions for the future. These projects will have students study, investigate,

problem solve, plan, collaborate, and experiment, all while using their best abilities to learn how to have a positive impact. Who knows, they may come up with something that will affect the whole world, or at least our school community. Please come and join us that evening to check out our students’ ideas!

**2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE SOCK DRIVE:** Our 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade class project for the Make A Change Fair is a sock drive to benefit the Milwaukee Rescue Mission. The 2<sup>nd</sup> graders have set a goal of 300 new pairs of socks. All sizes are needed – infant through mens. A barrel will be placed in our main school hallway for the donations. The congregation is invited to join us in reaching our goal, helping those who are less fortunate in this small way. Socks will be collected until Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup>.

**Where Does our Money Go?**

The Board of Building & Grounds

Who is the Board of Building & Grounds and what are their responsibilities? Per the Bylaws of St. Paul’s:

The Board of Building & Grounds shall consist of at least five (5) men, including the elected Chairman of the Board. The basic objectives of this board are the proper maintenance and repair of church property.

The Board keeps an inventory of all church property and equipment, and monitors the condition of the property of the congregation. They identify, plan and carry out necessary repairs and improvements in accordance with the budget that was approved by the voter’s assembly. In addition, this board reviews the congregation’s custodial services and enlists work crews for special repairs, improvements, cleaning, painting, decoration, landscaping and other projects as required.

The members of the Board of Buildings & Grounds appreciate your prayerful and financial support on behalf of all of our ministry efforts being carried out by St. Paul’s.

**ST. PAUL'S KNOWLEDGE-A-THON:** St. Paul's students will be participating in a Knowledge-A-Thon on Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup>. Our students will each be asked 25 grade appropriate questions, summarizing the topics they've learned throughout the year. Prior to that date, the students will be collecting pledges, and the more questions they get right, the more money we can earn for our school! If you are interested in making a pledge, please contact the office.

**STEM NIGHT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** St. Paul's is hosting a STEM Family Night for 3K-8th Grade students and their families. We are encouraging hands-on learning while integrating science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. We are looking for ways to get our church and school families involved! We need volunteers to run stations at this event.

We are setting up the gym like a science fair. Students and families will move freely between stations. We need at least one or two adults at each station to run an activity. All activities are prepared ahead of time and directions will be laid out clearly for all volunteers. The only expectation will be to arrive at 5:30pm, Thursday, March 21st (30 min prior to the event) and be ready to have some fun with kids and STEM! To thank you, volunteers will receive a free t-shirt!

Please contact Mrs. Rachel Manske with any questions at [rmanske@stpaulsfranklin.org](mailto:rmanske@stpaulsfranklin.org). Sign up sheets are also located at the back of church or entryway of school.

**PRESCHOOL POWER HOUR:** Join us at Power Hour two Thursdays a month! Open to children ages 0-4 with their caregivers. Meet us in the church narthex from 10:45-11:45 AM on the following dates: February 28<sup>th</sup>, March 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>, April 11<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> and May 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**ST. PAUL'S GALA & SILENT AUCTION:** It's time to start planning our next Gala & Silent Auction, which will take place Saturday, April 4, 2020! Please join us for an informational meeting on Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 PM. We will meet on the couches in the school lobby.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Next year's Vacation Bible Camp will be held July 8-12, 2019. Registration will take place later in spring.

**WLHS KIDS CARNIVAL:** Step right up and try your luck at over 45 fun games! Wisconsin Lutheran High School is hosting a kids carnival on Sunday, February 17, from 1:00-3:30 p.m. Children age 3 through fourth grade are invited to play games, meet live animals, and participate in other fun activities. Purchase 20 game tokens for \$3 or a \$5 wristband that includes 20 tokens and admission to the magician show and bounce house. Parents and grandparents are admitted free of charge and encouraged to bring their cameras for some great photo opportunities.

**WLHS MUSICAL:** The hills are alive with the sounds of music! This year's WLHS musical, "The Sound of Music," is filled with delightful songs and both funny and dramatic moments. It is family entertainment at its finest. Performances will be held on Friday, March 1, at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, March 2, at 7:30 p.m., and Sunday, March 3, at 1:30 p.m. in the WLHS auditorium. Reserved seat tickets are available at the WLHS reception desk, or by printing out the online ticket order form at [www.wlhs.org/finearts](http://www.wlhs.org/finearts). Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children in eighth grade and younger.

Before the Friday, March 1, performance you can enjoy the Choir Associates Spaghetti Dinner served in the cafeteria from 4:30-7:00 p.m. Wisco Kids and Inspiration will perform during the dinner. Tickets will be sold at the door, adults \$10 and children \$8.

**LUTHER PREP MUSICAL:** Luther Preparatory School is happy to present this year's musical, "Guys and Dolls". Performances are on March 8, 9 and 10 at 7:00 PM in the Luther Prep auditorium. Often called, "the perfect musical", the show features the lively lyrics and music of Frank Loesser. Favorites include *Luck Be a Lady Tonight*, *A Bushel and a Peck*, and *Sit Down, You're Rockin' the Boat*. Tickets go on sale Monday, Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> by going online to [www.ticketsource.us/lutherprep](http://www.ticketsource.us/lutherprep) or calling LPS at (920) 261-4352 between 8:00 AM and 4:00 PM.

**SACRED SPRING CONCERT:** Luther Preparatory School will be holding it's Sacred Spring Concert on Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 PM. The concert is in the Luther Prep gymnasium.

**WLHS DANCE CAMP:** All girls K-8th grade are invited to WLHS Dance Camp at Wisconsin Lutheran High School on Saturday, March 23, from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Girls K-3rd will focus on physical movement and putting movement to music. Girls 4th-8th will focus on basic dance team concepts and more complex skills. During this non-competitive, fun event, campers will learn a routine and perform for family and friends. Cost is \$10. Please

register by Sunday, March 3. Visit [wlhs.org/jrvikings](http://wlhs.org/jrvikings), under dance camp for registration and more information.

VOLUNTEERS

GREETERS FOR THIS WEEK (February 17 & 18)

- 8:00 AM – Lyle & Christie Timm
- 10:30 AM – Mark & Rosie Derouin
- 6:30 PM – Walter & Laurie Falkowski

GREETERS FOR NEXT WEEK (February 24 & 25)

- 8:00 AM – Larry & Lucille Ellenberger
- 10:30 AM – Tony & Mary Tripoli
- 6:30 PM – Beverly Garves

USHERS FOR FEBRUARY

- 8:00 AM – TEAM #2 – Bob Goelz, Larry McKee, Jr., Tony Tripoli, Steve Mess
- 10:30 AM – TEAM #6 – Reed Goede, Bob Duchesneau
- 6:30 PM – TEAM #9 – Terry Plant, John Kiesow

ALTAR GUILD

- Feb 13-19 – TEAM #1 – Sherry Kosovich, Beverly Garves
- Feb 20-26 – TEAM #1 – Sherry Kosovich, Beverly Garves

REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE

- Feb 17: Set-up – Tony Tripoli & Connie Myer, Clean-up – Beverly Garves
- Feb 24: Set-up – Pete & Sherry Kosovich, Clean-up – Larry & Marion Klug

THE WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, February 17

- Worship Service with Communion .....8:00 AM
- NO Adult Bible Study
- Sunday School/PSCIC .....9:15 AM
- Winter Breakfast .....9:15 AM
- Worship Service with Communion .....10:30 AM
- Book Fair .....Before & After Services

Monday, February 18

- Worship Service with Communion ..... 6:30 PM

Tuesday, February 19

- Mary & Martha ..... 6:30 PM
- Board of Education ..... 6:30 PM
- Board of Spiritual Growth ..... 7:00 PM

Wednesday, February 20

- Senior Choir Rehearsal..... 6:30 PM
- NO Men’s Open Gym

Thursday, February 21

- Make A Change Fair ..... 6:30 PM
- Board of Outreach ..... 6:30 PM

Friday, February 22

- School Devotion ..... 1:00 PM

Sunday, February 24

- Worship Service .....8:00 AM
- Adult Bible Study/Sunday School/PSCIC.....9:15 AM
- Worship Service .....10:30 AM
- Voters Meeting .....11:30 AM

Statistics – Last Week

- Attendance: 8:00 AM – 112, 10:30 AM – 106, 6:30 PM – 41
- Total Attendance – 259
- Sunday Bible Class – 28, Sunday School – 17