

## WORSHIP DETAILS

Special Service

Hymns: 395, 490, 745

### **First Lesson:** Jeremiah 1:4-10

<sup>4</sup> The word of the Lord came to me, saying, <sup>5</sup> “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.”

<sup>6</sup> “Alas, Sovereign Lord,” I said, “I do not know how to speak; I am too young.” <sup>7</sup> But the Lord said to me, “Do not say, ‘I am too young.’ You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. <sup>8</sup> Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you,” declares the Lord. <sup>9</sup> Then the Lord reached out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me, “I have put my words in your mouth. <sup>10</sup> See, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and tear down, to destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant.”

### **Second Lesson:** 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

<sup>13:1</sup> If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup> If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. <sup>3</sup> If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. <sup>4</sup> Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. <sup>5</sup> It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. <sup>6</sup> Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. <sup>7</sup> It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. <sup>8</sup> Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away. <sup>9</sup> For we know in part and we prophesy in part, <sup>10</sup> but when completeness comes, what is in part disappears. <sup>11</sup> When I was a child, I talked like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I put the ways of childhood behind me. <sup>12</sup> For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known. <sup>13</sup> And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.

## **Gospel Lesson:** Luke 4:38-44

<sup>38</sup> Jesus left the synagogue and went to the home of Simon. Now Simon's mother-in-law was suffering from a high fever, and they asked Jesus to help her. <sup>39</sup> So he bent over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her. She got up at once and began to wait on them. <sup>40</sup> At sunset, the people brought to Jesus all who had various kinds of sickness, and laying his hands on each one, he healed them. <sup>41</sup> Moreover, demons came out of many people, shouting, "You are the Son of God!" But he rebuked them and would not allow them to speak, because they knew he was the Messiah. <sup>42</sup> At daybreak, Jesus went out to a solitary place. The people were looking for him and when they came to where he was, they tried to keep him from leaving them. <sup>43</sup> But he said, "I must proclaim the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns also, because that is why I was sent." <sup>44</sup> And he kept on preaching in the synagogues of Judea.



## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ASSOCIATE PASTOR CALL:** On Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup> we called Pastor Andy DeGier, currently serving at Trinity Lutheran Church in Town of Berlin, Wisconsin, to be our Associate Pastor here at St. Paul's. We've received this letter from Pastor DeGier: Dear Pastor Adams and Members of St. Paul's Eve. Lutheran Church, I have received the call packet Pastor Adams sent to me containing information regarding the call that has been extended to me to serve as a pastor at St. Paul's and other information about the church and school. It is truly a blessing and an honor to receive this call to serve at St. Paul's. I ask for your prayers for the Holy Spirit's guidance as I consider it. If anyone else has any comments that they feel would be applicable as I deliberate, please feel free to call me at (920) 471-1770 or email me at [pastorandydegier@gmail.com](mailto:pastorandydegier@gmail.com). In Christ, Pastor Andy DeGier

**ST. PAUL'S 3K & 4K:** Our 3K & 4K programs are now open for enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year! Children must be 3 or 4 years old by September 1, 2022. Interested families may contact the school office at (414) 421-1930 for enrollment forms or to schedule a tour or stop by our Open House today!

**OPEN HOUSE:** Our school is having an Open House today from 11:30 AM – 2:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to come and take a look at what our school has to offer!

**NEW SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:** "God's Relentless Love:" If the book of Hosea were a movie, it would be a love story with a circular plot. The prophet Hosea marries the prostitute Gomer. She is unfaithful to him and leaves him for another time and again. Hosea relentlessly pursues her, rescues her, and restores her as many times as it takes. Hosea loves Gomer, but we wonder if he will eventually lose heart and give up. But the Book of Hosea is our story. As this study shows, it is a metaphor of God's love for us -- his persistent, faithful, and continual pursuit of His sinful people. We wander; God pursues. We fail; God rescues. We sin; God restores us to him in the perfect love of His Son, Jesus. We meet at 9:15am in the Bible Classroom on Sunday mornings. Please join us.

**TEMPORARY AFTER SCHOOL CARE HELP:** We are in need of some temporary help with after school care during the month of February (beginning February 8th). Hours are 3:00-6:00 PM, Monday-Thursday. If you are able to help us out at any time during this period, please contact the office!

**SAVE THE DATE:** Vacation Bible Camp is scheduled for Monday, June 27<sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup>. Camp Phillip will be joining us again this year for full days of activities! Registration will take place later in the spring.

**2022 OFFERING ENVELOPES:** The 2022 adult and children's offering envelopes are available in the west hallway of church. If you do not see a set with your name on it, please contact the office.

**2021 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS:** The 2021 contribution statements are in your church mailboxes. If you would like your copy mailed or emailed to you, please contact the office.

**MEN'S OPEN GYM:** Dust off your old sneakers and start stretching...Men's Open Gym will resume again on Wednesday nights from 7:30 till 9:00 starting February 9th. All men college age and older are welcome to participate, even if you haven't played basketball in a while, don't think you're any good, or old age has made you as flexible as a 2x4.

**WISH TREE UPDATE:** Thank you to everyone who has donated items for our church Wish Tree! If you are interested in making a donation, you can use the envelopes on the table in the narthex or by following the Amazon link on our website. We appreciate your generosity!

**MEDITATIONS/FORWARD IN CHRIST RENEWALS:** It's the last week to renew! If you would like to order/renew either subscription, please sign up by next Sunday, February 6<sup>th</sup>. There is a sign up sheet on the narthex counter. Please note, all subscriptions will be delivered to your home. Payment is due at sign up. If you are not attending in person at this time but would like to renew, please contact the office.

**PRESCHOOL POWER HOUR:** Preschool Power Hour is back -- open to infants through age 4, along with their caregivers. Join us for songs, stories and lots of fun! We meet in the church narthex from 10:30-11:30 a.m. each Thursday that school is in session! There are flyers on the narthex counter with more information. Everyone is welcome, so tell your friends!

**WLHS 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE EXTRAVAGANZA:** On Sunday, February 6, starting at 5:30 p.m., WLHS invites 5th graders and their families to the 5th Grade Extravaganza. This complimentary event includes dinner, fun, and entertainment. Students and parents have a chance to learn about our caring, Christian environment, superior academics, award-winning co-curriculars, generous tuition assistance, and the amazing opportunities that WLHS offers. Plus, your child could win a pair of Beats wireless headphones by Dr. Dre! Additionally, vote for your favorite 5th grade flag design at the Extravaganza. The winner of the flag design contest will receive a free pizza and ice cream party for his or her classroom! To register for this exciting event, click [here](#).

## **VOLUNTEERS**

### **USHERS FOR JANUARY**

**8:00 AM** – TEAM #1 – Bob Hille, Larry Stujenske, Josh Ebeling, Brandon Wirtz, Gary Boldt

**10:30 AM** – TEAM #5 – Mark Klein, Chris Klein, Gary Eickhorst, Dan Mertz

**6:30 PM** – TEAM #9 – Terry Plant, John Kiesow

### **USHERS FOR FEBRUARY**

**8:00 AM** – TEAM #2 – Tony Tripoli, Larry McKee, Steve Mess, Micah Milhans

**10:30 AM** – TEAM #6 – Bob Duchesneau, Nathan Riel, Randy LaPorte

**6:30 PM** – TEAM #9 – Terry Plant, John Kiesow

### **ALTAR GUILD**

Jan 26-Feb 1 – TEAM #2 – Jane Koplein, Joan Shevey, Rebecca Kragh

Feb 2-8 – TEAM #2 – Jane Koplein, Joan Shevey, Rebecca Kragh

## REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE

Jan 30: Set-up – Tony & Mary Tripoli, Clean-up – Andy & Chris Backus

Feb 6: Set-up – Jerry & Alyce Lehtinen, Clean-up – Beverly Garves

## THE WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### Sunday, January 30

Worship Service .....8:00 AM

Adult Bible Study/Sunday School.....9:15 AM

Worship Service .....10:30 AM

School Open House.....11:30 AM

### Monday, January 31

Worship Service ..... 6:30 PM

### Tuesday, February 1

Public School Confirmation Class..... 6:00 PM

Senior Choir..... 6:30 PM

### Thursday, February 3

Preschool Power Hour .....10:30 AM

### Friday, February 4

NO SCHOOL

### Sunday, February 6

Worship Service with Communion .....8:00 AM

Adult Bible Study/Sunday School.....9:15 AM

Worship Service with Communion .....10:30 AM

### Statistics – Last Week

Attendance: 8:00 AM – 53

10:30 AM – 49

6:30 PM – 11

Total Attendance – 113