

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church, School and Kinder Place

(The Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod)

Hosanna!



210 East Pleasant Street

Oconomowoc, Wisconsin 53066

Church Office: 262-567-5001 Website: www.splco.org

Worship Schedule: *Saturday 5:30 pm * Sunday 8:00 am Traditional *

* Sunday 10:30 am Contemporary *

St. Paul's Mission Statement: "Reaching, Serving and Growing Disciples"

March 19/20, 2016

Rev. Lance Armstrong O'Donnell, Senior Pastor
Rev. Steven Scharnell, Associate Pastor
Rev. Paul Borgman, Pastor Emeritus
Jonathon Pickelmann, Principal
Volume 22

Ben Mueller, Youth Director
Diane Bleke, Organist/Choir Director
Christine Flores, Kinder Place Director

Office Hours - 7:00 am - 4:00 pm

Number 11

WELCOME to everyone, especially our guests.
Your presence is important to us.

St. Paul's is an evangelical Christian congregation, embracing historic Christian teaching on all doctrines, centered on Jesus Christ. Our desire is to bring the Gospel both to those who are searching for answers to the meaning of life and to those who desire a closer relationship with God. We here at St. Paul's have chosen to align ourselves with the teachings of the Lutheran Reformation, due to the clarity with which these help us to see the true meaning of God's Word. Specifically, St. Paul's is a ministry of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod, one of America's truly biblical churches!

- **Members and guests:** please fill out an attendance card and place it in the offering plate to indicate your presence today. For Holy Communion, please read our confession and indicate your agreement with our beliefs by checking the box next to the names of those communing.
- Those sharing our beliefs, especially from parishes in fellowship with us, are welcome to receive.
- If you desire Holy Communion but hold a confession differing from that of this congregation, please speak with a Pastor or an Elder.
- Non-communing, baptized children are welcome to come to the table for a blessing.

Please note: Half the inner circle of individual glasses in each tray contains water with **one drop** of communion wine for those hesitant to drink larger amounts of wine. Those glasses with wine are rose in color.

PALM SUNDAY

Come to worship. As the prelude begins, worshippers are encouraged to conclude conversation and quietly prepare to enter into the experience of worship.

Pastor: Lance Armstrong O'Donnell

Theme: *Christ Rides through The Gate for Us*

Traditional Worship

Lutheran Service Book, Divine Service 1, pg. 151

Contemporary Worship

Special Order

BIBLE STUDIES

A Walk Through the Bible

567-5001 Sun. - 9:15 a.m. Fellowship Hall

2 Timothy and Titus

567-8195 Tues. – 7:00 p.m. Muecke's Home

The **radio broadcast** is sponsored in honor of Pastor Paul Borgman's 70th birthday on March 21st. St. Paul's 8:00 am church service can be heard Sunday over WTKM (104.9 FM) and worldwide at wtkm.com.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Hot Lunch Program needs a helper Mondays and Wednesdays, April 4th until the end of the school year. The hours are 8:30-1:00. If interested please stop in the kitchen or school office. This is a paid position.

BAPTISM

We welcome into St. Paul's church family during the 5:30 pm Worship Service, **Hennes Scott**. He is the son of David & Sarah (Menden) **Fischer**. His sponsors are Jeff & Amy Fischer, Andrew Menden & Jessica Pancheri. We will keep Hennes in our prayers.

***Flash photography is not allowed during a baptism which takes place during the worship service. The pastor may reenact the baptism after the service for picture-taking opportunities.**

REACHING DISCIPLES

LWML

SWD Mission Minute Update

#7 Bethany Lutheran Church Outreach-PAID

This \$12,000 grant will help keep the ministry at Bethany reaching out to an impoverished area of Milwaukee through its food pantry, soup kitchen, ESL classes, homeless ministry, Kids for Christ program and more. We have 3 more grants to fund before the June convention. PLEASE remember your mite box with prayers for the remaining mission projects!

SERVING DISCIPLES

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – CHURCH OFFICE

In St. Paul's church office, there are many chances for helping. The office staff will identify the types of activities, which match your skills and interests. Our goal is to match your skills to the right tasks.

You can make a difference in how the church office serves our congregation. You don't have to be computer literate, expert at office copying equipment or dealing with vendors.

You can help with activities like:

- Stuffing envelopes
- Organizing and purging our extensive historical archives

Depending on volunteer skills, there are other opportunities, including

- Light bookkeeping
- Computer entry
- Website updating
- Computer expertise (network administration and troubleshooting)

Volunteers will have wide flexibility in duties and hours. They may designate their interests as "on call" only for special projects or willing to take a routine activity. Completion of routine activities can be done on your schedule. The atmosphere in the office is friendly and lighthearted. Why not give it a try? Call Heather, Chris or Cindy 262-567-5001 to talk more.

Procession of Palms

All gather around the processional cross.

Greeting

P The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C Amen.

P Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

C Hosanna to the Son of David.

Collect

P Let us pray.

C Amen.

Holy Gospel

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twelfth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

P The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written,

"Fear not, daughter of Zion,
behold, your king is coming,
sitting on a donkey's colt!"

His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. So the Pharisees said to one another, "You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

P Let us go forth in peace,

C in the name of the Lord.

Processional Hymn: 442 All Glory, Laud, and Honor

3rd Holy Communion Hymn: 971 There Is a Redeemer

1 There is a Redeemer—Jesus, God’s own Son;
 Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.

Refrain Thank You, O my Father, for giving us Your Son,
 And leaving Your Spirit till the work on earth is done.

2 Jesus, my Redeemer, Name above all names;
 Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, hope for sinners slain. *Refrain*

3 When I stand in glory, I will see His face;
 There I’ll serve my King forever in that holy place. *Refrain*

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SHOP THE PIG?

Our youth group just received over \$400 in the general fund from Piggly Wiggly receipts that have been turned in. Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! Please continue to bring in your receipts. You can drop them in the slot labeled “Piggly Wiggly” receipts next to the lift, outside of the Fellowship Hall.

NEW ELDER/USHER SCHEDULE AVAILABLE

The new elder/usher schedule for April through June is now available. There are copies in the podium in the narthex.

GROWING DISCIPLES

LWML SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship applications are being accepted for women preparing for church work in the LCMS. Active female members of South Wisconsin District congregations who are preparing for “full time service” * and are an undergraduate at one of the Synod’s educational institutions are eligible to apply. *(Full-time service in the church is any position available through the Board of Assignments of the Synod). Forms are available at the SWD LWML website: www.swd-lwml.org. Deadline is April 30, 2016.

LIFE THOUGHTS IN THE CHURCH YEAR

Before there could be the “spectacle” of the cross (Luke 23:48), our holy God, Jesus, needed to empty Himself (Philippians 2:7) and become a “speck” in a womb. Both give immeasurable value to all human life. Prayer: Lord Jesus, thank You for being a “speck” and a “spectacle” on our behalf. Amen.

SAVE THE DATE!

There will be a **Special Voters' Meeting on Sunday, April 10th** following the **10:30 am service** to vote to approve the changes to our Constitution and Bylaws. There are copies of the new Constitution & Bylaws along with a summary of the changes on the bookshelf in the back of church for your reference.



**Are you interested in making a difference
in the lives of families in our community?**

**Take time to reach out in a meaningful way by volunteering
in the Family Promise program.**

Our Savior's and St. Paul's are Co-hosting
Family Promise Guests this week!

March 20th thru 27th, 2016

Please offer prayers for both our guests and our many volunteers and then prayerfully consider attending the upcoming orientation so that you might learn more about serving these families.

Call the volunteer coordinators with any questions you may have:

Ann Corning 414-303-4777 Laura Seipel 262-818-5725 Debbie Prange 414-418-4953

**If you are interested in volunteering in the Family Promise Program and have not yet
been through orientation, please consider attending this upcoming training session.
(There will be more offerings soon.)**

3/21 6:30 – 8:30 at Hope Church Offices in Oconomowoc

**April 16 – 17 Family Promise Weekend at St. Paul's!
Executive Director David Tennyck will be with us
between services on Sunday.**

Join us in showing him our St. Paul's hospitality!

The Congregation at Prayer

A Guide for Daily Meditation and Prayer

The Palm Sunday: Christ Rides through The Gate for Us

March 21-27, 2016

The Order of Meditation and Prayer

Christ Rides through The Gate for Us

On Palm Sunday 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), for the cross is the fulfillment of His journey. The cross is "the gate of the Lord," (Ps 118:20) and He--Jesus of Nazareth--is "the righteous one who enters through it" (Ps 118.20) for us. "Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name" (Phil. 2:9). Knowing that the victory is won, in anticipation of the solemn celebration of His passion, on Palm Sunday we say with the people of old, "Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the LORD!" (Ps 118.26) and in so doing confess "that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father" (Phil. 2:11).

Pray and confess out loud as much from the order of meditation and prayer as you are able, or as your family size and ages dictate. Learn by heart the verse, catechism, and hymn of the week.

Invocation

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Apostles' Creed

Christ-Centered Theme: Christ, the Righteous One, entered the gate of the cross for us.

Verse: Psalm 27:4 One thing I have desired of the LORD, That will I seek: That I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the LORD, and to inquire in His temple.

Psalm: Psalm 118 and/or the appointed daily psalms for General Psalms in Psalm Schedule LSB, p. 304

	Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
Daily Psalms								
Morning	84	119:73-80	34	5	38	22	43	93
Evening	42, 32	121:6	25, 91	27, 51	126:102	107, 130	31:143	136, 117

Catechism—Table of Duties—To Bishops, Pastors and Preachers: 1 Timothy 3:2-4; 1 Timothy 3:6; Titus 1:9

<p>To Bishops, Pastors, and Preachers the overseer must be above reproach, the husband of but one wife, temperate, self-controlled, respectable, hospitable, able to teach,</p>	<p>1st grade+</p>
<p>not given to drunkenness, not violent but gentle, not quarrelsome, not a lover of money. He must manage his own family well and see that his children obey him with proper respect.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">1 Timothy 3:2-4</p>	<p>2nd grade+</p>
<p>He must not be a recent convert, or he may become conceited and fall under the same judgment as the devil.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">1 Timothy 3:6</p>	<p>3rd grade+</p>
<p>He must hold firmly to the trustworthy message as it has been taught, so that he can encourage others by sound doctrine and refute those who oppose it.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Titus 1:9</p>	<p>4th grade+</p>

Palm Sunday: Christ Rides through The Gate for Us

Day	Bible Stories for the Family & School	Daily prayer readings from LSB, p. 299ff.	
Sun.	St. Luke Passion 22:1—23:56	Ex. 8:1-32	Heb. 1:1-14
Mon.	John Passion: Jesus before the High Priest—John 18:15-27	Ex. 9:1-28	Heb. 2:1-18
Tue.	John Passion: Jesus Faces Pontius Pilate—John 18:28-40	Ex. 9:29-10:20	Heb. 3:1-19
Wed.	John Passion: Jesus Is Crucified—John 19:1-24	Ex. 10:21-11:10	Heb. 4:1-16
Thur.	John Passion: Jesus' Death and Burial—John 19:25-42	Ex. 12:1-28	Heb. 5:1-14
Fri.	Lutheran Service Book Readings	Ex. 12:29-32; 13:1-16	Heb. 6:1-20

Prayers: Collects for the Week, Daily Themes for Prayer, In Our Prayers at St. Paul's

Collect for Palm Sunday: *Christ Rides through The Gate for Us*

Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Daily Themes for Prayer

- Sunday:** *Pray for the joy of the resurrection among us; for the fruit of faith nourished by the Word and Sacraments.*
- Monday:** *Pray for faith to live in the promises of Holy Baptism; for one's calling and daily work; for the unemployed; for the salvation and well-being of our neighbors; for schools, colleges, and seminaries; for good government and for peace.*
- Tuesday:** *Pray for deliverance against temptation and evil; for the addicted and despairing, the tortured and oppressed; for those struggling with besetting sins.*
- Wednesday:** *Pray for marriage and family, that husbands and wives, parents and children live in ordered harmony according to the Word of God; for parents who must raise children alone; for our communities and neighborhoods.*
- Thursday:** *Pray for the Church and her pastors; for teachers, deacons, deaconesses, and other church workers; for missionaries and for all who serve the Church; for fruitful and salutary use of the blessed sacrament of Christ's body and blood.*
- Friday:** *Pray for the preaching of the holy cross of our Lord Jesus Christ and for the spread of His knowledge throughout the whole world; for the persecuted and oppressed; for the sick and dying.*
- Saturday:** *Pray for faithfulness to the end; for the renewal of those who are withering in the faith or have fallen away; for receptive hearts and minds to God's Word on the Lord's Day; for pastors and people as they prepare to administer and receive Christ's holy gifts.*

In Our Prayers this Week

Those sick or hospitalized: MEMBERS – Gary Ketchum - open heart surgery; Ethan Meyer - brain tumor; Joanne Abel - knee surgery; Glenn Leidel; Peter Radulovich; Mabel Fredrick; Laura Gruen; Don Gauerke; Irene Behl; Barb Star; Agnes Thurow; Lynne Lavota - migraines; Jim Wilson (ALS) & Karen Wilson; Alice Feldschneider; Linda Hansen (Steve's wife) - cancer returned; Marian Faltersack; Esther Hart; Iris Jahnke; Rick Ware; Ed Krelwitz; Harry & Dorothy Peterson (Shorehaven); Barb Krug; Crystal Parker.

FAMILY & FRIENDS OF MEMBERS – Those with cancer: Julie; Jacalyn Balcuinas (Carol Lenz's daughter); Laurie Farrell (Grant Hopkins' sister) - recovering from double mastectomy; Roxanne (Corienne Walek's mom); Rebecca Paulson; Joanne Montanegro-Greinke; Mike Galaszewski - esophageal cancer; Ethan; Michael Graham; Jenny Lemke (friend of the Uttech's); Kayla (7 years-old) - brain cancer; Cheri (Tina Gartzke's friend); Linda F - breast cancer; Lloyd Crom; Jack Anderson; Patrick McNally; Kim B. - breast cancer; Brian Keller; Jeanie; Grace Wilhelm (Multiple Myeloma); Karen Peskie (Mike & Cheryl Reiner's sister-in-law) - Lymphoma; Lea Acord (Pat Borgman's friend); Elissa Spencer (Lynne Lavota's mom); Donald - bladder cancer; Korbin Berg - colon cancer; Jan; Mike Ball; Jessica; Chris Moha - breast cancer; Amy (Heather Gartzke's friend); Robert Counsell; Pat (Renee Ebert's aunt) - ovarian cancer; Ray Liska; Sue; Jim; Cheri Benz - breast cancer; Cami - healing; Tim - lung cancer; Pastor William

Meyer (Don Meyer's brother) - Lymphoma; Dan (stage 4 prostate cancer); Crystal Schultz; Joann Romain - kidney cancer; Ron Rafalski - throat cancer; Nancy - breast cancer; Sarah Beine (stage 4 cancer) **Other:** Nan (lung problems) Kelly Braswell (BJ Lavota's sister) - MS; Brian Kloskowski - MS; Logyn (1 1/2 year old) - unknown health issues; David Eberhardt (Chad's dad); Marilyn Roecker; Pat - afib; Noah - medical issues; TJ Easley (Dawn Lower's brother-in-law); Margaret Bauman (Pat Menden's sister) - hospice; Ruby Zimmerman - minor stroke; Ruth Borgman; Curtis Keeser; Lucile Smith (Amy Picco's mom); Mora; Carol Duchow (Dorothy's sister-in-law) - hospice; Chuck (Kathie Ware's brother) - recovery from being hit by a car; Barb - severe daily headaches; Fred (Lynda Rades's brother); Lynne Kramer (Susie Meyer's dad); Joel (Tina Gartzke's nephew); Dwain Kline (Jennifer Truchan's grandpa) - Alzheimer's; Clarence; Pam Leimer (Pat Borgman's cousin) - stroke; Scott Kleist (Jim & Ann Duggan's son) - MS; Kelly Kulas; Ray (Michelle Schlomer's grandpa); Charles Tuff (Alzheimer's); Paul Fellin

Those serving in the military-deployed: Zach Howard, Theresa; Phil Preston; Captain Chad Kelling and his unit VMM-223; Casey, Phil, Andy & Steve Koth; Luke, Jacob, Brian, Randy, Kyle, Jake, Jeff, Matt, Tom, Brad, Ben, Mike, Rob & Fabian Beats

Those serving God as missionaries: Christie Nelson (China), Ray Wigdal (China), Dennis Denow (Thailand), Bob & Chris Prouty (Australia), Pastor Reinke (Deaf Ministry), Rev. Bud Palmer

Those in need: Our Shut-Ins; the family of Henrietta Brehm (Jill George's mother), who died; Mr. Pickelmann as he deliberates on his Divine Calls; Daniel to come back to the Lord; those struggling with addiction--Bob, Andy, George, Dan, Dee; Sarah, Keri; the friend of a member in an abusive relationship; missionaries being attacked by ISIS; the Christians being persecuted in the Middle East.

Baptism: Hennes Scott, son of David & Sarah (Menden) Fischer - March 19th

Birthdays: Pastor Paul Borgman - 70th - March 21st
Levi Tesch - 2nd - March 14th

Lord's Prayer and Morning or Evening Prayer from the Catechism

Hymn of the Week: "Prepare the Royal Highway"

LSB 343

Looking forward to Easter Sunday

March 27, 2016

Hymns: 465, 464 (633, 457, 475) 461

Risen, Reliable, Hopeful

The Lord has promised to "create new heavens and a new earth" (Is. 65:17), in which His people shall abide in peace and joy. That new creation has begun in the bodily resurrection of Christ Jesus. All the baptized belong to that new creation. Reborn of water and the Holy Spirit, they are "the offspring of the blessed of the Lord" (Is. 65:23). The Lord rejoices and is glad in them; He hears and answers their prayers. For "if in Christ we have hope in this life only, we are of all people most to be pitied" (1 Cor. 15:19). But Christ Jesus has been raised, "the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep" (1 Cor. 15:20). We may be "perplexed about this" (Luke 24:4), perhaps even frightened and brought to our knees, because it seems like an "idle tale" (Luke 24:11). But faith clings to the truth, and the reliable Word of Christ tells us to find His resurrected body — not in the tomb, but in His Holy Supper.

2015 CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS

BOARD/POSITION	NAME	BOARD	NAME	
Executive Director	Jon Schmeling	EVANGELISM	OPEN, Director	
Assistant Exec. Director A	Erik Benes		John Melvin	
Assistant Exec. Director B			Mark Burdette	
Assistant Exec. Director C			Lynne Lavota	
Treasurer	Nate Zastrow			
CHRISTIAN GROWTH	Open, Director			
	Michelle Pagenkopf			
CHURCH PROPERTIES	Rob Bratz Jr.		STEWARDSHIP	Rick Ware, Director
	Glenn Gartzke	Kathie Ware		
	Terry Jacobosky	Dick Allen		
	Joel Tesch			
	Gary Flanagan			
	Scott Kalien, Director			
	John Hertneky			
	Margie Hertneky			
	Glenn Leidel			
	Dan Friedrich			
Craig Weber				
EARLY CHILDHOOD	SEE EDUCATION	SERVICE & MISSION OUTREACH	Mary Hickenbottom, Director	
EDUCATION	Bill Scheuer		Don Meyer	
	Tom Showen		Jamie Stache	
	Aaron Boldt		Tina Gartzke	
ELDERS	Dave Meyer, Director		YOUTH	
	Rick Zastrow			
	Wilbur Pieper			
	Mike Tesch			
	George Menden			
	Tom Truebenbach			
	Arno Kirchenwitz			

St. Paul's Ballot for Nominations

This ballot is used to recommend individual(s) within the congregation for a leadership position.

The process consists of:

1. Fill out the ballot with the name of the individual you are recommending and for what position within the St Paul's organization. Individuals being recommended are expected to currently be involved in Worship, the Lord's Supper, and Bible Study.
2. Turn the ballot in by way of the offering plate or return the ballot to the church office **NO LATER THAN MAY 1.**
3. The ballots are turned into the Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee will review the recommendations for the best ministry opportunity based on skills sets of the individual and the needs of the respective boards. Upon approval from the committee for a position, nominee will be contacted by a committee member to inform them that they have been chosen to be a candidate for a given office.
4. Nominees are asked to prayerfully consider the position. If they request additional information, the Nominating Committee will supply the duties of that position or that Board.
5. A follow up call is scheduled and the nominee is asked if they will accept the nomination.
6. If the nominee accepts the nomination their name is placed on the preliminary slate of candidates. This preliminary slate of candidates is presented in writing to the congregation (3) weeks before the upcoming Voters' Meeting. Additional names can be added up to (2) weeks prior the Voters' Meeting so that due diligence can be accomplished.
7. The final slate of nominees will be printed (1) week prior the Voters' Meeting.

No nominations will be accepted from the floor during the Voter's Meeting.

Nominee: _____ Position or Board: _____

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ST. PAUL'S GRADUATING & CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 1986 - 30th REUNION!

The St. Paul's Graduating Class **and** Confirmation Class of 1986 will be having their 30 year reunion on Saturday July 30th. We will be attending the church service at 5:30 and following will be going to Fiesta Cancun. \$15 per person includes taco/fajita bar, chips and salsa. Cash bar. RSVP by 7/15/16 on Facebook (St. Paul's Class of 1986 30th Reunion) or call Michelle Pagenkopf at 262-370-4611 or email at kraft225@gmail.com. Thanks - Michelle Pagenkopf, Carey Meyer, and Nicole Goeman Britten.

"Living as a Minority"

In modern America, Biblically faithful Christians and congregations are being viewed skeptically, marginalized, or even considered enemies of the state. Being a Biblically faithful Christian is increasingly a "minority position." How do we live faithfully in this environment? The book of *Acts* has a lot to say to us in this regard, for it records the beginning of the Church in the midst of the Roman Empire.

All early Christians left a "cultural majority" (whether Judaism or some form of paganism) because they were convinced that "Jesus is Lord." (Philippians 2:11) As Christians, they and their congregations had to learn to live faithfully as a minority in the midst of a sometimes hostile majority. That was their reality. From May 8 through November 20, 2016, St. Paul's will explore the book of *Acts* under the theme, "Living as a Minority," with a strong emphasis on applying the Christian faith to life in our culture.

Each week during this extended series we will have:

1. Sermon
2. Small Group Bible Study
3. Daily Devotion

Please prayerfully prepare to participate: in weekly worship, in Bible study, and in daily devotion. If you are interested in leading--or learning to lead--a small group Bible study please contact Pastor Lance O'Donnell at podonnell@splco.org or call 262-567-5001.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Monday, March 21	Holy Monday Worship	12:15 pm & 7:00 pm
Tuesday, March 22	Holy Tuesday Worship	12:15 pm & 7:00 pm
Wednesday, March 23	Holy Wednesday Worship	12:15 pm & 7:00 pm
Thursday, March 24	Maunder Thursday Worship	12:15 pm & 7:00 pm
Friday, March 25	Good Friday Worship	12:15 pm & 7:00 pm
Saturday, March 26	Holy Saturday Worship	12:15 pm
Sunday, March 27	Easter Sunday Worship	6:00 am Sunrise Service 8:00 am Traditional Worship 10:30 am Contemporary Worship

Scan the QR code with your smartphone to be directed to St. Paul's online giving webpage.



For the most current information on St. Paul's happenings, please visit our website at splco.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS: March 21st - 27th
ADVANCE THE MISSION

REACHING, SERVING & GROWING DISCIPLES

MONDAY March 21st	Holy Week Worship Lord's Cupboard Meal Holy Week Worship	Church Fellowship Hall Church	12:15 pm 5:30 pm 7:00 pm
TUESDAY March 22nd	Holy Week Worship Holy Week Worship	Church Church	12:15 pm 7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY March 23rd	Holy Week Worship Holy Week Worship Adult Choir Praise Team Practice	Church Church Balcony Church	12:15 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm 8:45 pm
THURSDAY March 24th	Maundy Thursday Worship Maundy Thursday Worship Praise Team Practice	Church Church Church	12:15 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm
FRIDAY March 25th	OFFICE CLOSSES AT 12:15 pm Good Friday Chief Service Good Friday Tenebrae Service	Church Church	12:15 pm 7:00 pm
SATURDAY March 26th	Journeymen Holy Saturday Worship NO SATURDAY EVE WORSHIP AA Meeting	Maxim's Church Fellowship Hall	7:30 am 12:15 pm 8:30 pm
SUNDAY March 27th	Easter Sunrise Worship Easter Breakfast hosted by Youth Traditional Easter Worship Contemporary Easter Worship	Church Fellowship Hall Church Church	6:00 am 7:00 am 8:00 am 10:30 am

ATTENDANCE

March 12/13

Church Attendance :

5:30 pm - 102

8:00 am - 88

10:30 am - 169

359 Total; 34 visitors; 325 members

ST. PAUL'S APRIL EPISTLE IS
NOW AVAILABLE ON OUR
WEBSITE AT SPLCO.ORG.

FAMILIES WITH SMALL CHILDREN
We rejoice to have families with small children participating in our worship services. There are baskets available with items that might be helpful for your children behind the back pews.

THIS WEEKEND	5:30 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
Music Leaders	Diane Bleke	Diane Bleke	In His Light
Special Music	Parish Choir/Handbell Choir	Adult Choir/Handbell Choir	
Acolytes	Tyler Flood	TBD	TBD
Altar Guild	Martha Blanck	Wendy Tesch	Cheryl Oelsner
Elders	Dave Meyer	Mike Tesch	Scott Kalien
Greeters	Rick Zastrow	Don & Harriet Groose (church) Gary Pribnow (school)	Al & Kathy Mueller
Power Point	N/A	N/A	Cheryl Oelsner
Radio	N/A	Steve Hansen	N/A
Ushers	Dan Friedrich	Todd Leonhardt	Scott Kalien

March 27	6:00 AM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
Readings	Job 19:23-27 Isaiah 65:17-25	1 Cor. 15:51-57 1 Cor. 15:19-26	Matt. 27:57-66 John 20:1-18
Acolytes	TBD	Brandon & Megan Frosch	Sami Neff
Altar Guild	Jean Fisher	Shirley Dibble & Marena Pine	Sarah Neff
Elders	Rick Zastrow	Bruce Bain	Jon Schmeling
Greeters	John Melvin	John & Margie Hertneky (church) Jim & Marlene Steinberg (school)	Tom & Denise Showen
Power Point	N/A	N/A	Jamie Stache
Radio	Jim Juneau	Jim Juneau	N/A
Ushers	Rick Zastrow	Gary Flanagan	Truman Seifert

PALM SUNDAY

Philippians 2:5–11 (ESV)

Pew Bible pg. 1248

Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Luke 19:28–40 (ESV)

Pew Bible pg. 1117

When he had said these things, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent two of the disciples, saying, "Go into the village in front of you, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' you shall say this: 'The Lord has need of it.'" So those who were sent went away and found it just as he had told them. And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, "Why are you untying the colt?" And they said, "The Lord has need of it." And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. And as he rode along, they spread their cloaks on the road. As he was drawing near—already on the way down the Mount of Olives—the whole multitude of his disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."

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