### St. Paul's Lutheran Church

#### "Proclaiming and Serving CHRIST In the Heartland and Beyond"

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#### Third Sunday of Lent March 3, 2024

#### Welcome! We are glad you are here!

To aid in your worship at St. Paul's, the following services are available. Just contact an usher.

Large Print Music.

Children's Busy Bags.

hearing impaired.

Listening devices for the The Fellowship Hall serves as our nursery

St. Paul's celebrates Holy Communion at each Worship Service. All who stand in need of God's forgiveness, grace and love are invited to receive this great gift of the Sacrament.

### You have a place at this Lord's Table!

(Gluten free wafers available.) (at this table red is wine, white is grape juice)

Our Order of Worship is from the Evangelical Lutheran Worship (Red Hymnal) The Power Point presentation is Holy Communion, Setting One, pages 94-115.

A synopsis of this Order of Worship is printed inside this leaflet. We have also listed the location of the bible readings and song pages for easy reference.

"In the Cross of Christ I Glory"

"This is the Feast"

"Peace Came to Earth"

"Canticle of the Turning"

"Lamb of God"

"How Great Thou Art"

"God of Grace and God of Glory"

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"Lord of All Hopefulness"

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p. 98

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Ps 19

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Exod 20:1-17

1 Cor 1:18-25

John 2:13-22

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## Announcements

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**Confession and Forgiveness** 

**Opening Hymn** 

Canticle of Praise

Prayer of the Day

**First Reading** 

**Second Reading** 

Hymn of the Day

Communion

Benediction

Dismissal

**Sending Song** 

**Communion Hymns** 

**Communion Prayer** 

The Sharing of the Peace Offering/ Offertory Prayer

Apostles' Creed/Prayers of Intercession

Great Thanksgiving/Preface/ Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer/Invitation to Communion

**Gospel Acclamation** 

**Psalmody** 

Hymn

Gospel Sermon

**Kyrie** 

The Order of Worship	

### St Paul's Calendar for the Week

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Monday	03/04	9:00 a.m.	Quilting
		7:00 p.m.	Adult Studies (zoom)
Tuesday	03/05	<b>1</b> 1:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting
Wednesday	03/06		(no Bible Study)
		3:30 p.m.	Choir Practice
		5:00 p.m.	Lenten Service @ Lighthouse
			Soup Supper to follow @ UCC
Thursday	03/07		
Friday	03/08	5:00 p.m.	St. Agnes (Walker) Fish Fry
Saturday	03/09		
Sunday	03/10	9:00 a.m.	Now the Feast and Celebration Fourth Sunday of Lent

# Choir

St Paul's Choir practice will start at 3:30 during Lenten season.

Practice will return to 4pm after Easter. Come join the FUN! All voices welcome!



The church library in the conference room is



full of many
Christian novels that
you might enjoy
reading this winter.
Take the ones you
want to read and
return them when
finished.

#### We Have Butter Braids

Apple, Bavarian Crème, Blueberry Cream Cheese, Raspberry, Strawberry Cream Cheese and Caramel Rolls

These pastries are so easy to enjoy. Simply thaw them on your counter overnight, then bake for 30 minutes in the morning. It can't be easier, or more delicious! They are only \$14 per package. They also make very nice gifts!



There's a collection bin in the Narthex marked:

Adult -Teen Challenge for Women

and an item list for donations.

A facility has recently opened in Brainerd.

Questions ? Check the Missions article in January's Newsletter



## We need Soup!

For our Lenten Services, St Paul's will be hosting services and soup supper on March 13 if you could bring a crock pot with a soup, what ever you specialty is. Variety is our specialty.

A sign up sheet is in the Narthex.

We are needing people to run the TVs, or Streaming for Sunday services.

No Experience required! Only a willingness to learn. We have wonderful teachers!

If interested contact a tech team member, Tammy or Chuck



#### Weekly Wednesday Evening Services at 5:00 p.m.

Date Theme Location Message

#### **Lenten Services**

March 6th "Woman, here is your son. Lighthouse Pastor Loren

Here is your mother"

March 13th "My God why have You

forsaken Me" and "I thirst" St. Paul's Pastor Leif

March 20th "It is finished" and "Father, Union Pastor Leif

into Your hands I commit my spirit."

There will be a Soup Supper provided after each Lenten Service.

Note: March 6th Union will host the Soup Supper after the service.

#### **Holy Week**

March 28th - Maundy Thursday- Seder Meal (Worship Service) at

**Union Congregational UCC** 

March 29th - Good Friday Service at St. Paul's Lutheran



Please turn off the lights when leaving!

Last one leaving?
Check all the
doors!
Are they locked?

