

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

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

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Second Sunday in Lent

March 16, 2025

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.

Listening devices for the hearing impaired.

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 booklet "Now the Feast and Celebration" by Marty Haugen. © Copyright 1990 by GIA Publications, Inc. International Copyright Secured All Rights Reserved.

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.

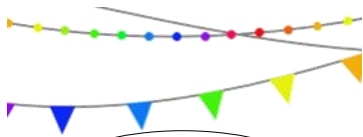
Now the Feast and Celebration Order of Worship

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Opening Hymn	“O Bread of Life from Heaven” <i>Red</i>	#480
Kyrie		p. 3
Canticle of Praise	“Now The Feast”	p. 4-5
Salutation		
Prayer of the Day		
First Lesson		Gen 15:1-12, 17-18
Psalmody		Ps 27
Hymn	“Blessed Be the God of Israel” <i>Red</i>	#250
Second Lesson		Phil 3:17 – 4:1
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Gospel		Luke 13:31-35
Sermon		Pastor Leif Espeland
Hymn of the Day	“O Christ, Your Heart Compassionate” <i>Red</i>	#722
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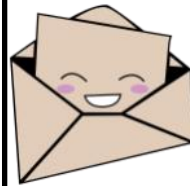
St Paul's Calendar for the Week

Monday	03/17	9:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Quilting Heartland Quilters Adult Studies (zoom)
Tuesday	03/18	9:00 a.m.	Church Council No Staff Meeting
Wednesday	03/19	8:00 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	AARP Senior Taxes Bible Study Choir Practice (During Lent season) Midweek Lent @ UCC Meal
Thursday	03/20		
Friday	03/21		
Saturday	03/22		
Sunday	03/23	9:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion Contemporary – Monson Third Sunday in Lent



EVENT NAME TAGS

**Please wear
your Name Tags**



Offering Envelopes

Are here!

Pick them up in the box on the table
in the Narthex

Last one leaving?

**Make sure the Deadbolt is
in Place.**



Midweek Lent Schedule

Theme: Wilderness

*Mid-week Lent services with
Soup Suppers*

March 19 @ UCC

March 26 @ StP

April 2 @ UCC

April 9 @ StP

The church library in the conference
room is full of many Christian novels



that you might
enjoy reading.
Take the ones
you want to read
and return them
when finished.



We are going to have a joint Choir for
Lenten Services.

All Are welcome!

Please Come and Sing!



*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.

Visitation

" I was sick and you visited me..."

Matthew 25:36

If you or someone you know would
like a home visit from the Pastor,
please call the office or Pastor Leif
personally. Office: 218 675-6335
Cell: 210 773-8500

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Recycle your household bags & wrap into Trex's Earth-friendly composite decking and railing!

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- ✓ Case overwrap
- ✓ Bread bags

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