

**ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT:**

*"Be faithfully obedient to the living Christ in making disciples of all people."*

John tells us why he wrote his Gospel: "Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name" (John 20:30-31). Life! When we believe that Jesus is the Christ, God gives us life—abundant life, forgiven life, and eternal life.

Historically, the Fourth Gospel is likened to an eagle—an image that suggests John soars to heights of glory and grandeur. That's because the evangelist paints a stunning portrait of Jesus, who is the bread of life, the resurrection and the life, and the way, the truth, and the life. Life in Jesus. That's God's gift to you!

This Lent, our life in Christ will be strengthened as we hear the witness of those in John's Gospel who journeyed to the cross. Along the way, we'll meet villains, such as Barabbas and Pontius Pilate, as well as sinners, such as Peter (who denied Jesus *three* times), Mary Magdalene (who was possessed by *seven* demons), and Judas Iscariot (who betrayed Jesus for *thirty* pieces of silver).

**Thanks to those who Served Today**

- Elder:** John Thies
- Ushers:** Bruce Mohr, Matt Kelm
- Organist:** Lynette Thies
- Duet:** John Thies, Lynette Thies
- Screen:** Audrey Gust
- Altar Care:** Donna & Tanis Watke
- Finance:** Elaine Vogt, Lois Greder

**Those Serving in May**

- Elder:** Steve Gust
- Ushers:** Don Petersen, Deryl Hennings, Duane Mordhorst, Richard Hageman
- Organist:** Lynette Thies
- Screen:** Audrey Gust
- Altar Care:** Megan Peitsch
- Altar Flowers:** Deanna Sorensen
- Finance:** Audrey Gust, Linda Riddle

**ABOUT THE SERVICE**

**ABOUT THE LORD'S SUPPER:** By celebrating the Lord's Supper we care for Christ's people, Christ's Supper, and Christ's teachings. What Jesus gives us in the Lord's Supper is His true body and blood under the bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins. God's Word also teaches that receiving the Lord's Supper together implies that we share the same beliefs. Therefore, we kindly ask that guests who desire to receive the Lord's Supper today speak to the Pastor prior to the beginning of the service.



**ON THE BACK TABLE:** Reading inserts, Children's bulletins, Portals of Prayer, can be found on the back table. In the back there is a shelf with children's books and crayons that they can use during the service.

**WEEKLY CALENDAR:**

- Sun: 9:00 a.m. – Sunday School
- 10:00 a.m. – Divine Service with Holy Communion
- Mon: 1-3 p.m. - Drive-up Communion
- Tues: 7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting
- Wed: 11:00 a.m. – Bible Class
- 4:30 p.m. – 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Catechism
- 5:30 p.m. – Memory Work
- 6:00 p.m. - 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Catechism
- Fri: Pastor's Family Day
- Sun: 9:00 a.m. – Bible Class & Sunday School
- 10:00 a.m. – Divine Service
- Voter's Meeting after service

**ATTENDANCE:**

Sunday: 95 Thursday: 49

2022	General Fund	Missions	Special Mission
Projected for the Year	\$146,108.03	\$8,000.00	\$3,000.00
As of 2/28/2022	\$7,518.12	\$320.00	\$100.00
<b>Still Needed</b>	<b>\$127,670.33</b>	<b>\$7,325.00</b>	<b>\$2,900.00</b>

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(^ indicates worshipers stand)

- Prelude, Ringing of the Bell
- Hymn..... #457**  
"Jesus Christ is Risen Today"
- ^Confession & Absolution.... p.151**
- ^Introit..... Sheet**
- ^Kyrie..... p.152**
- Hymn..... #465**  
"Now All The Vault of Heaven Resounds"
- ^Salutation and Collect..... p.156**
- Readings..... Sheet**  
**First:** Isaiah 65:17-25  
**Epistle:** 1 Corinthians 15:19-26  
**Duet:** "He Arose"  
**^Gospel:** Luke 24:1-12
- Hymn..... #466**  
"Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia"
- Sermon** "Witnesses of Christ: Mary Magdalene"
- ^Nicene Creed..... p.158**
- ^Prayer of the Church..... p.159**
- Offering**
- Offertory..... p.159**
- ^Preface..... p.160**
- ^Sanctus..... p.161**
- ^Lord's Prayer..... p.162**
- ^The Words of our Lord..... p.162**
- ^Agnus Dei..... p.163**
- Distribution**
- ^Thank the Lord..... p.164**
- ^Post Communion Collect..... p.166**
- ^Benediction..... p.166**
- ^Hymn..... #633**  
"At The Lamb's High Feast We Sing"

**CURRENT BIBLE CLASSES:**

- Sunday Adult Bible Class (Meets in the fellowship hall- 9am).
- Wednesday Morning Bible Class (Meets in the LYF Room- 11am).

**ST. PAUL'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**COMMUNITY & OTHER INFORMATION**

**ANNUAL MEETINGS:** On Tuesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> the Church Council will meet at 7 p.m. On April 24<sup>th</sup>, there will be a Voters Meeting after the service.

**CATECHISM QUESTIONING:** You are invited to hear our 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmands publicly confess their faith in God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit April 27<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm. Confirmation is May 1<sup>st</sup>.

**ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN:** We will be collecting clothing for Orphan Grain Train during the month of April. Clothing must be in good shape – no tears or holes, all buttons in place and workable zippers. No toys wanted. Please place in bags (plastic) not paper. Thank you for your donation & serving the Lord in this way.

**STANDING:** Although it is proper to sit and stand at certain times during the Divine Service, please feel free to sit when needed.

**STANDING DURING HYMNS:** An ancient part of Christian piety, honor, and respect has been shown throughout history by standing for God. We continue this tradition standing during the doxological stanzas of a hymn. —those stanzas which specifically state the Triune God's Name: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*Easter Lilies – In Memory of:*

**Given by**

Dorothy Gust  
 Mohr Family  
 Donna, Tanis, Leah, Kellen, Maria  
  
 Gloria Barnett  
 Bruce & Terri Mohr  
 Buschmann Family  
 Neddermeyer Family  
 "Swede" Aronson family  
 McCall's

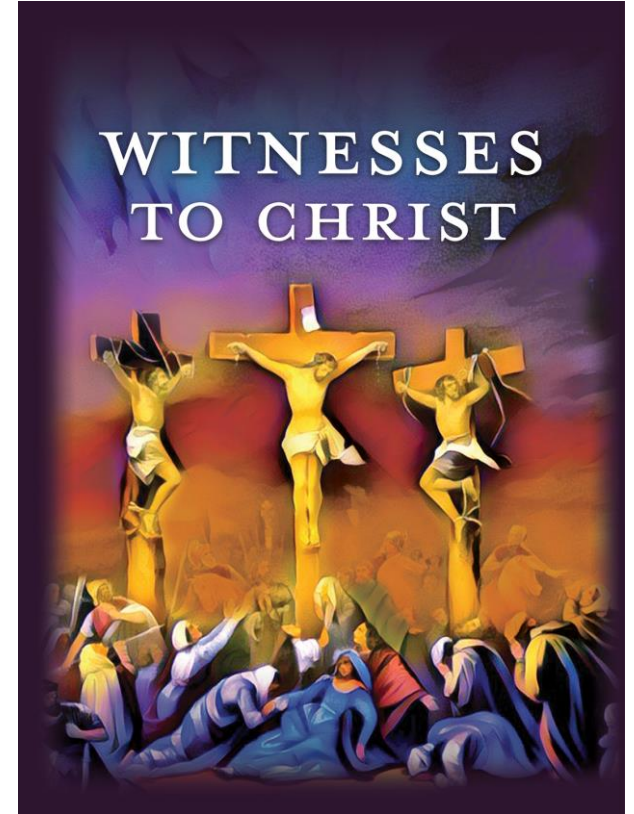
**in Memory of**

Loved Ones  
 Fred & Loved Ones  
 Terry, Tony, Nick & Lily  
 Loved Ones  
 Loved Ones  
 Norma Buschmann  
 John Neddermeyer  
 Loved One  
 Loved Ones



Thanks to all who brought lilies. They may be taken home after the service, or left for following Sundays.

**Resurrection of Our Lord  
April 17, 2022**



**Mary Magdalene**

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