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

"Be faithfully obedient to the living Christ in making disciples of all people." The Lord Jesus Brings Us Out of Death into Life with His God and Father in Heaven

In Adam, all people die because all people sin. The children of that first gardener have been driven out of Paradise and return to the dust whence they were taken. But now another Gardener has come, who has made His bed in the dust of the earth and who, by His rising, restores Paradise to all the children of men. With His voice of the Gospel, He calls us by name, and He opens our eyes to behold Him by faith. At His Word, we enter His tomb through Baptism into His death, so that, just as He is risen, we also "rise from the dead" (John 20:9). Come, then, "sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed gloriously" (Ex. 15:1). He has fought for us against our enemies, and in His resurrection not one enemy remains. "Fear not," therefore, but "see the salvation of the LORD" (Ex. 14:13), which He delivers "as of first importance" by the preaching of His Gospel (1 Cor. 15:3). Thus, we are raised with Christ "in accordance with the Scriptures" (1 Cor. 15:4), and we stand firm because we "are being saved" (1 Cor. 15:1–2).

Thanks to those who Served Today				
Elder: Gary McCall				
Ushers: John Greder, Matt Kelm				
Organist: Lynette Thies				
Soloist: John Thies				
Screen: Audrey Gust				
Altar Care: Tanis Watke, Leah Schwery				
Finance: Bruce Mohr, Terri Mohr				
Acolytes: Micah Peitsch, Josiah Peitsch, Michael Sorensen				
Next Sunday: Daxton Leitz, Landon Kiepe				
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				

Finance: Linda Riddle, Elaine Vogt

Altar Flowers: Deanna Sorensen

# **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.

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

## WEEKLY CALENDAR:

	the Year As of 2/28/2023	\$16,798.13	\$475.00	\$25.00	
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	Projected for	\$152,534.35	\$6,000.00	\$3,000.00	
	2023	General Fund	Missions	Special Mission	
Attendance - Sunday: 95					
Voter's Meeting after service in followship hall					
10:00 a.m. – Divine Service					
Sun: 9:00 a.m. – Sunday School					
Fri: Pastor's Family Day					
6:00 p.m 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Catechism					
5:30 p.m. – Memory Work/snack					
Wed: 11:00 a.m. – Bible Class 4:30 p.m. – 5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Catechism				cm.	
7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting					
6:00 p.m. – Elders Meeting					
Tues: Pastor in Mapleton					
9:00 a.m. – Easter Service at St. Matthew's, Maple					
		15 a.m. – Sunday			
	7:30 – 9:0	0 a.m. – Easter B	reakfast		
	un: 6:3	30 a.m. – Sunrise	Service with Ho	oly Communion	



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Hymn	#436
vs. 1, 4 "Go To Dark Gethsem	ane"
<sup>Δ</sup> Lux Christi	
Hymn	#467
1-3, 6-7 "Awake, My Heart, V	Vith
Gladness"	
<sup>A</sup> Confession & Absolution	p.151
<sup>A</sup> Introit	Sheet
<sup>△</sup> Kyrie	p.152
Hymn	#465
"Now All The Vault of Heaven Res	ounds"
<sup>A</sup> Salutation and Collect	p.156
Readings	Sheet
<b>Old:</b> Exodus 14:10-15:1	
Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15:1-1	1
<b>Solo:</b> 'Rise Again'	
<b>Gospel:</b> John 20:1-18	
Hymn	#463
"Christ The Lord IS Risen Too	lay;
Alleluia"	
Sermon "The Rocky Road:	
The Rolling Stone"	
<sup>A</sup> Nicene Creed	p.158
<sup>A</sup> Prayer of the Church	p.159
Offering/Solo "Let us Rejoice"	-
Offertory	р.159
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<sup>A</sup> Post Communion Collect	-
<sup>Δ</sup> Benediction	•
<sup>Δ</sup> Hymn	#482
"This Joyful Eastertide"	
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#### **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**

**DIRECTORY PICTURES:** We have begun taking pictures for the Church Directory. Please stop after the service to have your picture taken. If you need to schedule a different time, please call Bruce Mohr (712) 269-8771 or John Thies (712) 882-3379.

**EASTER BREAKFAST:** Please join us for Easter breakfast in the fellowship hall after the service. Free will Donation.

**CATECHISM:** Catechism will go back to the normal schedule for April 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>:

4:30 pm – 5-6 Grade 5:30 pm – Memory Work/snack 6:00 pm – 7-8 Grade

**ANNUAL MEETINGS:** The Elders Meeting will be Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. and Council Meeting will be on Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

On April  $16^{\text{th}}$ , there will be a Voters Meeting after the service.

**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. **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 May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 7 pm. Confirmation is May 7<sup>th</sup>.

**CUB WEEK SCHOLARSHIP:** The Camp Okoboji auxiliary will be giving away 6 scholarships for Cub/Jr High/Youth Weeks. You can pick up a scholarship application from the church office. The application needs to be completed & returned to Camp Okoboji by April 10<sup>th</sup>.

**"THY STRONG WORD":** Thy Strong Word is a 5 min. daily devotional message given by LC-MS pastors of the Denison area and sponsored by area congregations including St. Paul's. It is aired at 6:25 a.m., Mon.-Sat. on KDSN, FM107.1

**MAIN STREET LIVING:** Main Street Living is a television ministry of the Lutheran churches of Missouri-Synod and of the Iowa West District. The worship service is on Sundays at 10 am on channel 9 KCAU, the ABC Network from Sioux City.

**GOOD SHEPHERD HOUR:** This program is a 1/2 hour worship service heard on Sioux City, KSCJ, 1360 AM, at 8:00 am.

