

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT:

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

The Rocky Road: The Stone not Thrown

Thanks to those who Served Today

Elder: Bruce Mohr
Ushers: Steve Gust, Andy Kuhlmann
Organist: Lynette Thies
Screen: Audrey Gust
Altar Care: Linda Riddle, Deanna Sorensen
Finance: Becky Mordhorst, Denny Mordhorst, Elaine Vogt
Acolytes: Kellen Anderson, Katelynn Schaffer
Next Sunday: Liam Gray, Grace Schaffer

Those Serving in April

Elder: Gary McCall
Ushers: Bruce Mohr, Matt Kelm
Organist: Lynette Thies
Screen: Audrey Gust
Altar Care: Donna & Tanis Watke
Finance: Bruce Mohr, Terri Mohr

ABOUT THE SERVICE

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.

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

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:

Wed: 11:00 a.m. – Bible Class
 4:30 p.m. – 5th & 6th Grade Catechism
 5:30 p.m. – 7th & 8th Grade Catechism
 6:00 p.m. – Lenten Supper at St. Paul's
 7:00 p.m. – Lenten Service at St. Paul's
 Fri: Pastors Family Day
 Sun: 9:00 a.m. – Sunday School
 10:00 a.m. – Divine Service
 LYF Meeting after Service

Attendance - Sunday: 48				
	2023	General Fund	Missions	Special Mission
	Projected for the Year	\$152,534.35	\$6,000.00	\$3,000.00
	As of 1/31/2023	\$16,798.13	\$475.00	\$25.00
	Still Needed	\$135,736.22	\$5,525.00	\$2,975.00

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(Δ indicates worshipers stand)

Δ**Invocation**..... p.229
 Δ**Psalm**
Hymn..... #915
 "Today Your Mercy Calls Us"
Readings
 Reading: Joel 2:12-19
 Reading: Ephesians 2:1-10
 Δ**Gospel:** John 8:1-11
 Δ**Responsory**..... p.231
Sermon
 'The Rocky Road: The Stone not Thrown'
Hymn..... #419
 'Savior, When in Dust to Thee"
Offering
 Δ**Prayers**..... p.233
 Δ**Kyrie**..... p.233
 Δ**Lord's Prayer**..... p.233
 Δ**Collect**..... p.233
 Δ**Benediction** p.234
 Δ**Hymn**..... #544
 vs. 1, 3-5. 7 "O Love, How Deep"

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

PACK THE CHURCH: We invite you to our "Pack the Church Sunday" on Palm Sunday, April 2nd. For this special day, we are challenging every member to attend. We will be taking a large group picture for our new church directory.

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.

READING: There is a sign-up sheet on the back table for anyone that would like to help with the reading on Passion Sunday, April 2nd.

MID-WEEK LENTEN SERVICES Mid-week Lenten Services schedule will be split between St. Paul's & St. Matthew. **Schedule:**
Wed, March 29 - St. Matthew – Supper 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Service - 7:15 p.m.

CATECHISM CLASS During lent, Catechism class times will be different pre week.
March 29th-4:30 – 5:30 p.m. - 5 & 6 Grades
5:15 – 5:30 p.m. – catechism supper
5:30 - 6:30 p.m. - 7 & 8 Grades

HOLY WEEK: On April 6th Maundy Thursday service with Holy Communion will be at 7:00 p.m. at St Paul's. On April 7th Good Friday service will be at 7:00 p.m. at St. Matthew, Mapleton.

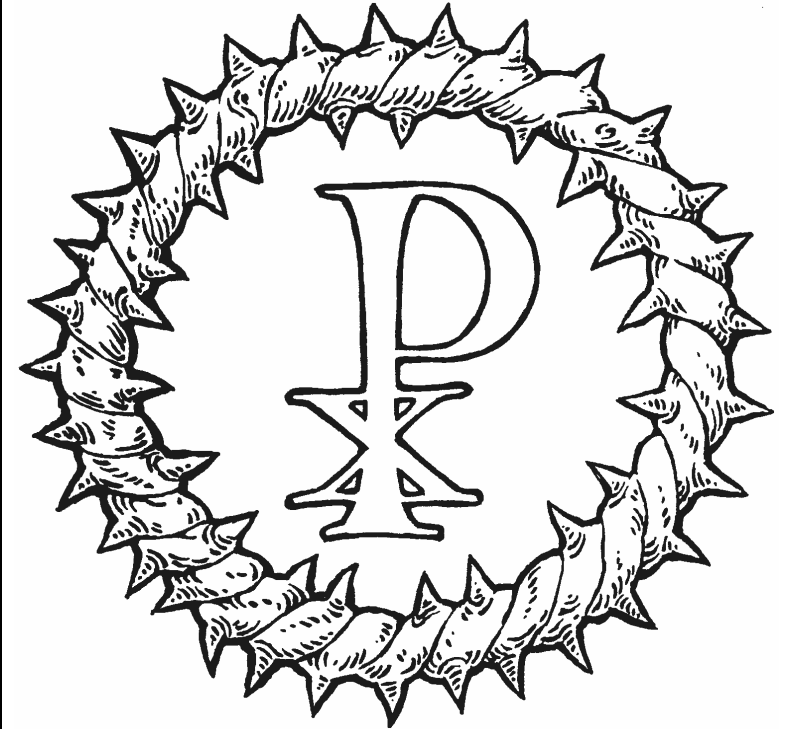
On April 9th Easter Sunrise service with Holy Communion will be held at 6:30 a.m. at St. Paul's, Easter breakfast after sunrise service, Sunday School will start at 9:00 a.m. There will be a 9:00 a.m. Easter Worship Service at St. Matthew, Mapleton.

EASTER LILIES: Members are invited to bring an Easter lily to church Friday, April 7th or Saturday, April 8th. Please sign up on the sheets at either door by Sunday, April 2nd, so the names of those you wish to remember can be included in the Easter bulletin.

"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.

Midweek Lent 4 March 22, 2023



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