

FEBRUARY 2018

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A Letter from your Pastor

Friends in Christ – Every Sunday is special, as we gather in God's house to be fed by the Lord through His Word and Sacrament, and to offer God our worship and praise. This month, however, we have some extra special celebrations.

February 4 – Team Sunday -

- This fun annual event hosted by your Board of Education reminds everyone in our congregation that we are all part of God's team at St. Paul. The Lord uses each one of us as we work together to accomplish His mission. *"Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it"* (1 Corinthians 12:27). You are invited to wear your favorite team shirt today (options include a sports team's shirt or a religious shirt/St. Paul shirt indicating you are on God's team).

February 11 – Preschool

Sunday – Each year, our Synod encourages each con-

gregation to designate a Sunday to give thanks for its Lutheran school. Join us as we celebrate Preschool Sunday! Some of our preschool children will attend each service to sing praises to our Savior. You will have an opportunity to welcome the children and their families. It is always a joy to hear the Lord's little lambs share the message of how much Jesus loves us! *"From the lips of children and infants you have ordained praise"* (Psalm 8:2).

February 18 – Welcome Sun-

day -- Remember when you first came to St. Paul Lutheran Church? For some of you, that was a long time ago. Others, however, have just recently joined our church. Today we welcome the individuals, couples, and families who joined our congregation since our last Welcome Sunday. Let's make these new members to Christ's flock at St. Paul feel welcome! In worship, we will have the rite of welcome at both services. Our fellowship time between services will begin with a special

welcome reception for our new members.

February 25 – Time and Talent Sunday

– Jesus gave of Himself so that we might be blessed forevermore. In joyful response, we use the time and talents God provides us in order to live for Jesus. This Sunday will be hosted by the Board of Stewardship and will remind us of the gifts of time and talents that we have been given by God, with ongoing opportunities to use these blessings to the glory of Jesus. *"Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms"* (1 Peter 4:10).

You are warmly invited to attend these special worship opportunities.

Your pastor and worship officiant, Pastor Jenks

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Our Mission is:

- To Know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord,
- To Grow in faith through His Sacraments and Word, and
- To Go share His Gospel with love in our community and world.

Worship Services at St. Paul Lutheran Church

Sunday, February 4

Team Sunday

Holy Communion

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Sunday, February 11

Preschool Sunday

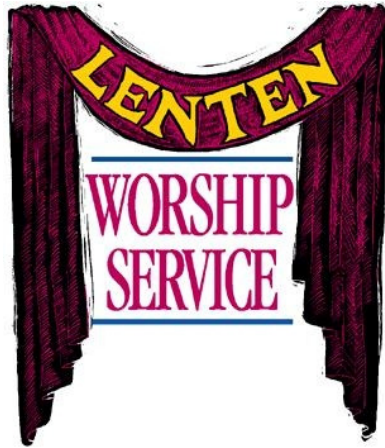
8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Ash Wednesday,

February 14

Holy Communion

7:00 p.m.



Sunday, February 18

Holy Communion

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Lent II

Wednesday, February 21

7:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 25

Time & Talent Sunday

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Lent III

Wednesday, February 28

7:00 p.m.

Lenten Services begin on Ash Wednesday, February 14

This month we again begin the season of Lent. Services of reflection will be held each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Our theme this Lent will be "Signs of Lent." As we travel the road to the cross, we will reflect on Lenten themes by connecting them to common traffic signs, such as U Turn for Ash Wednesday, when we are called to turn from sin in repentance. Come with us to trod the trail to the cross, where Christ sacrificed His life as the culmination of His earthly ministry, and to travel the road to the tomb, where Jesus rose from the grave in His triumphant proclamation of victory.

Our Wednesday evening Lenten services begin on Ash Wednesday, February 14. Our Ash Wednesday service will include the imposition of ashes and the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Come worship with us this Lent as we remember Christ's suffering and sacrifice to bring us God's love and forgiveness.



A SPECIAL CHRISTMAS GIFT by Tanny Latuska

On Christmas eve afternoon I drove to Wal Mart South to get Ryan from work. I was a bit early & asked a gentleman if I could share the bench with him while I waited for my grandson. He chuckled & said, "must be grandparents day" (He was pushing a cart back & forth with a baby in a car seat, while waiting for the rest of his family).

We introduced ourselves & visited while waiting. He & his wife had come from the Chicago area to spend Christmas with their son & daughter-in-law & five children. After a short time his son appeared stating it was time to feed the baby and we all continued visiting while he prepared the baby's bottle. I asked where they were from & he said they lived on a wooded acreage between Story City & Ames. I mentioned that we had lived on Dayton Ave. in a four bedroom walk-out with three acres of Oak trees but when my husband had been diagnosed with Transverse Myelitis, we needed to move to a smaller home as most of the care taking of the yard and outdoors that he normally took care of now all fell to me.

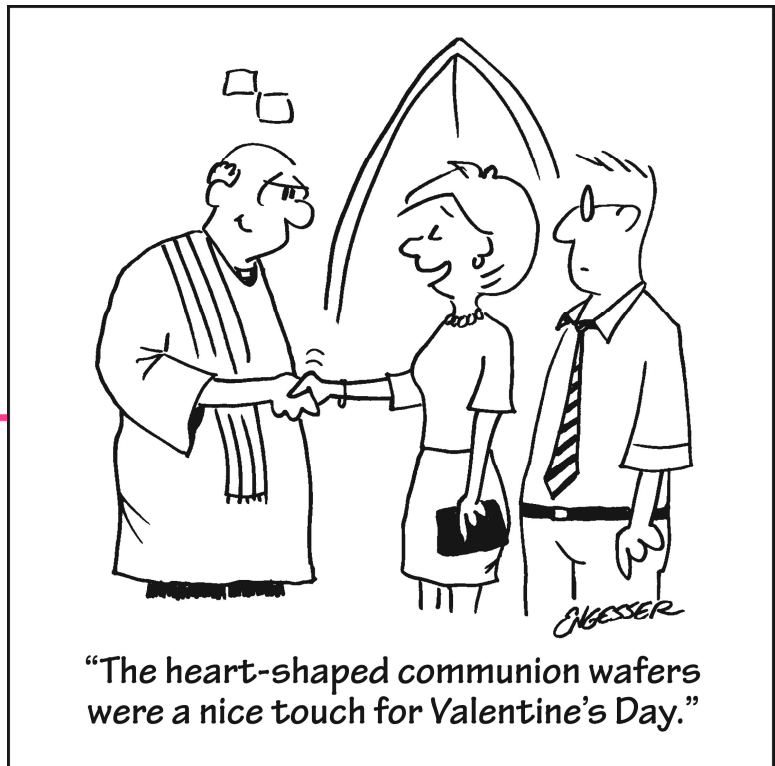
By this time the gentleman's wife & daughter-in-law & their 8-10 yr. old had joined us, hearing most of the conversation. Wanting to know what Al's condition was, I explained, and after doing so, the wife said, "Oh my, you must really have your hands full!" I explained that we were doing fine, still trusting on the Lord that He would continue to take care of us as he has our whole married life. She looked at me and said, "Can we pray with you?" I said yes, & she took my hands in hers & we all bowed our heads & and she gave a beautiful prayer for comfort & help for me & Al.

After thanking her, & extending my appreciation for the prayer, her husband said I need to say a prayer also. This one was for Al to continue to have a good outlook & continued faith that the Lord would relieve the discomfort & give him a bit more security. It was wondrous!

By this time Ryan had arrived so we said our goodbyes, hugging one another and extending Christmas Greetings to each other. The husband took my hand and said, "this is for your grandsons". I looked in my hand, & seeing a \$10.00 bill I thanked him & we left the store. When we got to the car, I opened my hand and found two \$20.00 bills wrapped inside the ten! GOD IS LOVE & THEY SHOWED IT GENEROUSLY.

P.S. when I asked where the other three grandchildren were, we were told they were watching customers and paying their bills - it was their Christmas gift to those they paid for. This was their 3rd year to do this & next year the fourth child, the daughter would be joining them on this mission.

A most wonderful peaceful Christmas for me.



"The heart-shaped communion wafers were a nice touch for Valentine's Day."

Stewardship

From a devotional offered by Concordia Publishing House titled "God's Trustees", we are reminded that being God's trustee and steward is an honor and privilege. Being God's trustee is not self-generated, but rather comes from God.

God's trustees are like dispensers...God fills and refills our lives with His blessings, talents, skills and gifts. We are asked, privileged by the Owner, to dispense those gifts to others in the name of the Lord,

Giving glory to God is more than singing songs of praise or offering occasional prayers. Giving glory to God is corporate as a congregation, each member using their gifts to assist fellow members or stewards. Giving glory to God takes place in the here and now...and will continue forever!

As we approach Time and Talent Sunday at St. Paul on February 25, and Loyalty Sunday on March 11, let us each examine our own personal "dispenser". That is, let us each consider the various ways we are blessed and how we can best use our time, talents and financial resources to further St. Paul's mission of supporting and encouraging fellow believers, and welcoming even more believers into God's Kingdom.

"May the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing His will, and may He work in us what is pleasing to Him, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen" (Hebrews 13: 20-21)



Family Life

It takes a village, or... a Church!



It was last spring when I was sitting in my Youth Ministry class and discussing our assignment on the book, "Sticky Faith: Youth Ministry," that I remembered the old proverb, "It takes a village to raise a child." The proverb means that it takes an entire community of different people interacting with children in order for children to experience and grow in a safe environment. The villages would look out for the children. This does not mean an entire village is responsible for raising your children.

The same goes for the youth and families in our Church. It takes the entire congregation to assist in raising the children at St. Paul to become godly adults. It comes down to Intergenerational Relationships, despite the age differences that exists in our church, and in many other churches, each young person is greatly benefited when surrounded by a team of five adults. Sticky Faith calls this the new 5:1 ratio.

A shocking statistic that was published by Fuller Youth Institute was that close to 50% of youth in church will walk away from their church and faith after entering college. According to the FYI study, teens who had five or more adults from the church invested in them during the ages of 15 to 18 were less likely to leave the church after high school.

Some parents will be kicking off their study of Sticky Faith this month, giving them resources to equip and empower them to raise their children with a faith that sticks from adolescence into adulthood and beyond. Part of those resources includes helping find welcoming church members that are willing to commit to invest in the youth faith stages in a little, medium or big way.

Now is the time to step forward, assist the families, and make those relationships with the youth in our church. Be known to them by name, through the love and compassion you show them. Talk to them, approach them, and work with them. It's time now to be visible, and have those discussions with them: about Jesus, God, and their lives. Make the conversation about them and how they view their faith.

You need assistance? You need more information? You want to know what you can do specifically, please contact me, let's meet and discuss the options! I am always open!

Parents, not yet signed up for Sticky Faith? You still have time. Contact Thomas today!

It's not too late for Sticky Faith!

Parents, have you signed up for the small group "Sticky Faith" curriculum? If not, it is not too late to do so! These groups are just getting formed and will be starting the curriculum soon, but we have plenty of room for expansion! And, we work around your schedule to make it easier for you to attend!

Are you not able to get into the curriculum this time? Do not worry, we have other curriculum and studies coming up that you will be able to join later!

Please contact Thomas Wilson (familylife@saintpaulames.org) today if you would like to join in a group or if you would like more information on the Sticky Faith curriculum or upcoming studies.



Family Life

Mark your calendars in 3.....2.....1... GO!

Attention all St. Paul Parents and congregation members! It may be cold outside, but it will get heated on Sunday, February 25th when the Family Life Office hosts “Minute to Win It – Family Edition”! This great event will kick off with a family lunch provided by the Family Life Office and Duane Faas with Thrivent Financial, at 12:30 PM, followed by the first event at 2:00 PM!

All congregation members are invited to attend and cheer on the families as they compete for the top prize! If you would like to join us for lunch please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board and mark “Spectator – Lunch”

Families can start to sign up for their spots to go head to head in multiple family-friendly events. Are you fast enough to complete them in under a minute? Put your skills to the test! This event is for any and all families, parents and youth from 3 years old to college. If there is 2, 3 or 10 of you, sign up! Participants will be divided into teams of 4-5 members.

How to sign up: 1. On the “Family Corner” bulletin board. 2. Via the electronic “Sign-up Genius” sent out via e-mail. 3. Easily e-mail Thomas Wilson (familylife@saintpaulames.org)

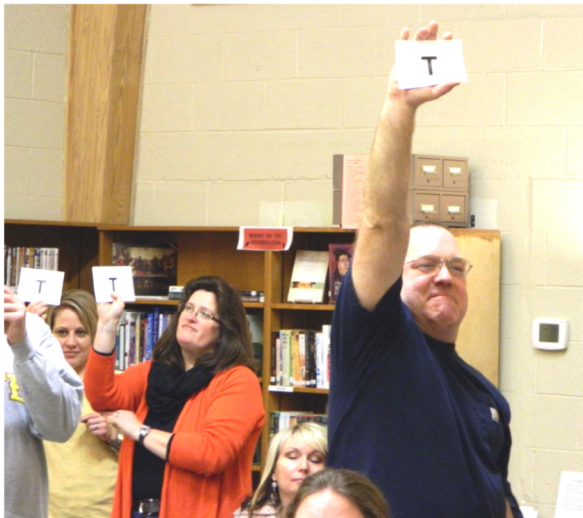
Don't know what “Minute to Win It” is? Need more information? Contact Thomas Wilson with all of your event questions!



Trivia night pictures



Trivia night pictures



Education and Youth

St. Paul Lutheran Church Team Sunday

Organized by the Board of Education

Sunday, February 4, 2018

God's Team ~ We are all members of God's Team. Show your team spirit by coming to church and Sunday School as a fan.

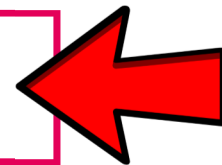
You can participate by:

1. Wearing your favorite team colors or jersey (any sport, any team – high school, college or pro)
2. Wearing a St. Paul shirt

"Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it." 1 Corinthians 12:27



Reminders: No Sunday School during spring break, March 11th and 18th. There will be adult Bible study on the 11th and 18th.
2018 VBS: July 29th - Aug 1st.



Sunday School Children Support New Preschool Playground

This Fall \$554.02 in offerings along with a generous private donation were directed to assist in the purchase of new playground equipment for our St. Paul Preschool and Church. We are all looking forward to the installation of new equipment this Spring!

THANK YOU CHILDREN & YOUR FAMILIES.....

Sunday School Children to Support Missionaries with Spring Offerings



This Fall we had the opportunity to hear from **Rev. Carl and Kelsey Grulke** who will be serving as missionaries in Botswana with Lutheran Bible Translators (LBT). These missionaries have ties to our St. Paul Church family.

Carl and Kelsey have known each other since childhood, were married in 2007, and have been blessed with five wonderful children: MaryJane, Audrey, Judah, Gideon and Isaac. They are thrilled to be working together as a family in ministry and have a passion for language and for sharing the incredible story of what God has done for His people all around the world.

In addition to collecting offerings we are asking our children and their families to please pray for them as they prepare for their first assignment with LBT, serving the Veekehane people of Botswana.

Youth

Blessed beyond Blessed: A National Youth Gathering Update!

On behalf of all the youth and families participating in the 2019 National Youth Gathering (NYG) we would like to express our sincere gratitude for the blessings that St. Paul members have showered us with.

The 2019 NYG will be held in Minneapolis, Minnesota July 11-15, 2019. We currently have 11 youth and 4 adults working on their 3-year fundraising cycle to cover the estimated \$15,800 cost for us to attend the gathering. All participants are required to pay \$400 for registration. The total estimated fundraising amount comes out to be \$10,200.

Each year we have a variety of fundraisers that we bring to the congregation and the community. And each year St. Paul members step up and blow us away with their willingness to contribute and invest in the youth who will be attending. This month we wanted to say THANK YOU! Thank you for your continued support of the youth and the NYG participants. Your compassion and love for the youth to expand their faith is appreciated, and we are overwhelmed with excitement to share with you our fundraising totals.

This year we took a leap of faith on a few new fundraisers: Our Duct Tape Challenge (November 12th during the HOPE Gift Market) brought in \$87; our Pick and Pay (Sucker Tree) has brought in \$130 so far; our Candy Bar sales have brought in a net profit of \$100; our Advent dinner you contributed \$234; and our first ever Gift Wrapping brought in \$132. However, the largest fundraiser to date was our very first Trivia Night (on January 13th), adding the registration fees, mulligans, concessions, bonus rounds and silent auction, Trivia Night brought in contributions totaling: **\$1,906!** WOW, that was awesome!

To date, after 1½ years into the 3 year fundraising cycle, we have raised \$6,017! And it is all because of the members at St. Paul and your generosity. Way to go! We are blessed beyond blessed to have such generous members at this church!

THANK YOU –

From your NYG participants: Emma B, Evan B, Amy B, Erin B, Katie B, Ty C, Ally D, Wendy D, Dylan F, Hannah F, Erin M, Maddie W, Kaitlin W, and all of their parents.

Save the dates!

- Sunday, **February 11**- LYF and Human Care service event
- Wednesday, **March 7**- NYG youth serve Lenten meal
- April 6-7** Lock-in for grades 5-8.
- April 22** - Youth Sunday (both services)

Love and Kindness Event February 11

On Sunday, February 11, youth and Human Care are teaming up to make cookies and cards and then deliver them to some of our church shut-ins. We will meet at the church at 1pm to decorate cookies and make cards and then divide into groups to make the deliveries and visits. All are welcome to join us to help spread a little love and kindness.



Youth

LYF Bowling Event a "Striking" Success

On January 10 we had 20 St. Paul youth attend an evening of bowling and doing arcade games at Perfect Games. Youth ranged from first grade to 9th. The youth divided themselves into groups and the older ones helped and encouraged the younger ones. A great time was had by all.



On Sunday, January 7, youth who attended the Iowa District West Youth Gatherings this fall gave readings, a children's message and "Faith Talk" with Thomas as the message and their testimonials to their experiences. They also were encouraging others to attend a gathering this fall!

Youth pictured with Thomas W are: Katie B, Kylie T, Erin M, Tate E, and Kaitlin W (Missing from photo was Maddie W).



American Heritage Girls

Here are some of the things the troop has done: **Explorers/Pioneers**- We have worked on 2 creed words this fall. The 1st one was – PURE “Don’t let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity.” 1 Timothy 4:12 The 2nd creed word was RESPONSIBLE- “Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much” Luke 16:10

Tenderhearts: Over the summer and fall our troop has completed 413 service hours!!! We have loved spending time with each other and serving our community. In November we wrote 78 letters to troops through Operation Gratitude. Hopefully they will encourage our troops as they risk their lives for us every day.



Left- Pathfinders and Explorers participating in awards ceremony January 8th at St Paul.



Below- Julia F accepting her badge awards.



Women's Ministry

Please help “ Support our Sisters”. As you shop in the months to come please look for fantastic sales or clearance racks of something every woman needs---- supportive undergarments ..bras. All sizes, for the very young girls to the older woman. Our LWML district leaders have requested that we help fill a need identified for those who are disadvantaged. We will be gathering these items in the spring to take as part of the ingathering for the Iowa West District LWML Convention at Okoboji in June. Watch for a bin to place these much needed items.

LWML National 2017–2019 Mission Grant #5 — \$100,000 Current Missionary Need

With fervent, sustained support of LCMS mission projects, Mission Central, located in Mapleton, Iowa, seeks to serve as an avenue for continued support for missionaries throughout the world to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ. This grant would provide for a variety of necessary missionary resources such as orientation and training, language training, transportation to and in the country of service and on furlough, various types of insurance, housing, medical care, utilities, and education of missionary children, to name a few. Thank you for supporting the LWML Mission Grants with your mites which are collected on the 4th Sunday of each month.



Left- We can barely comprehend the magnificent presence of the Holy Spirit as this community is all baptized in the same service. These people can now grow in Christ together.



Right- These children WANT to learn. Their young minds are thirsty for the knowledge that a missionary teacher can give them. They will also receive the unbounded blessings that come as they hear the Gospel in school daily.

Women's Ministry

LWML Mite Update: as of 12/31/17

2017-2019 National Mission goal: \$2,075,000.00

Amount Received: \$692,492.75

Amount Needed: \$1,382,507.25

We normally collect mites for missions on the 4th Sunday of each month. For more information go to www.lwml.org.

Do you know what is going on in the Iowa West District of the LWML? The LWML IWD eNews is sent to all women of the congregation who have email. If you do not have email, a copy is printed and placed on the LWML bulletin board at the east end of the fellowship hall. You may read it and replace it when you are finished.

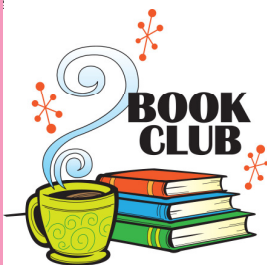


Soup and pie ~ Ash Wednesday is February 14 when we will be hosting the soup and pie supper at 5:45 pm. Please consider bringing soup or a pie for this delicious meal. There will be a sign up sheet on the bulletin board.

FAMILY SERVICE Family Service Quilters will meet on Thursday **February 8th** from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. for a Thrivent Action Team Event. Wear Thrivent T-Shirts and bring a sack lunch. We also meet on **February 22nd** at 10:00 a.m. Bring a sack lunch. At 1:00 p.m. we will have our Family Service meeting with a devotion and dessert. Please join us.



"Book to Know to Help You Grow"



Our next Book club meeting is in February. We will discuss "Her Daughter's Dream" by Francine Rivers. Barnes and Noble says: "In the dramatic conclusion to the *New York Times* best seller *Her Mother's Hope*, Francine Rivers delivers a rich and deeply moving story about the silent sorrows that can tear a family apart and the grace and forgiveness that can heal even the deepest wounds.

Growing up isn't easy for little Carolyn Arundel. With her mother, Hildemara, quarantined to her room with tuberculosis, Carolyn forms a special bond with her oma Marta, who moves in to care for the household. But as tensions between Hildie and Marta escalate, Carolyn believes she is to blame. When Hildie returns to work and Marta leaves, Carolyn and her brother grow up as latchkey kids in a world gripped by the fear of the Cold War." **Everyone is invited to read this book and join us for the discussion.** *Our church library has a copy of this book. The Ames Public Library has 2 printed copies and 4 ebook copies.

Date	Hostess	Book
Feb 8, 2018, 7 pm	Karen Griffin	"Her Daughter's Dream" by Francine Rivers
April 12, 2018, 7 pm	Gretchen Zitterich	"In the Presence of My Enemies" by Gracia Burnham

February 2018 Service Roster

	Feb 4 8:30	Feb 4 11:00	Feb 11 8:30	Feb 11 11:00	Feb 18 8:30	Feb 18 11:00	Feb 25 8:30 am	Feb 25 11:00
Organist	Zach Heilman		Ellen Sander		Zach Heilman		Praise Team	
Elders	Mark Swenson	Tom Henriksen →						
Lectors	Pam Mundt	Inez Smith	Pam Mundt	Inez Smith	Pam Mundt	Inez Smith	Pam Mundt	Inez Smith
Acolytes	Evan Buttery	Erin Barnes			Dylan Fritz	Ally Donavon		
Greeters	Katie Friedrich, Tom & Beth Henriksen	Marilyn Hagemoser, Tom & Beth Henriksen	→					
Ushers	Wayne & Marilyn Hagemoser, Harry & Pam Mundt	Ron Coy, Inez Smith, Greg & Ben Gebhart	→		Tom & Cindy Baas (for Mundts)			
Coffee Fellowship								
Coffee Time Greeter	Tanny Latuska →							
Altar Flowers								
Offering Counters	Mark & Janelle Swenson →							
Power Point	Lisa Wilson	Julie Coy	Lisa Wilson	Julie Coy	Lisa Wilson	Julie Coy	Lisa Wilson	Julie Coy
Sound Board	Thomas Wilson	Greg Van Nostrand	Thomas Wilson	Greg Van Nostrand	Thomas Wilson	Greg Van Nostrand	Thomas Wilson	Greg Van Nostrand
Altar Guild	Beth Henriksen, Karen Griffin,	Judy Peter →						
Video Recorder	John Murphy →							
Collate Bulletins	Elsie Bauman, Jerry Schradle →							

February 2018 Lent Service Roster

	Feb 14 7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday	Feb 21 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Lent II	Feb 28 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Lent III
Organist	Ellen Sander	Ellen Sander	Ellen Sander
Elder	Greg Gebhart	Jon Buss	Mark Swenson
Acolyte	Ty Choate		
Lector	Pam Mundt	John Murphy	Ellen Sander
Ushers	Dennis & Karen Griffin, Mark & Janelle Swenson	John Murphy, David Pietsch, Steve Vollstedt, Vic Schulz	Phil & Alberta Voge, Lori Jenks, Tanny Latuska
Greeters	Kris Ellis, Dick & Linda Peterson	Geri Schulz, Carla Murphy	Sharron Martin, Jordan & Stephanie Mandernach
Offering Counters	Mark & Janelle Swenson	Mark & Janelle Swenson	Mark & Janelle Swenson
Power Point	Becky Jackson	Julie Coy	Lisa Wilson
Sound-board	John Murphy	Harry Mundt	Thomas Wilson
Collate Bulletins	Elsie Bauman, Jerry Schradle	Elsie Bauman, Jerry Schradle	Elsie Bauman, Jerry Schradle





St. Paul Lutheran Preschool February News 2018

*Happy
Valentine's
Day*

Upcoming Dates:

Feb 11—All Preschoolers Sing at
the 8:30 or 11:00 a.m. Service

Class Valentine's Day Parties

Feb 12- 10:30-11:30 am -M/Th
Lambs

Feb 13 - 10:15-11:15 am -M-FR Lambs
10:30-11:30 am -T/Fr Lambs
10:30-11:30 am -Lions
2:15-3:15 pm -Bears



Registration Time

for 2018-2019 School Year

Life is full of opportunities to grow socially, emotional, physically, intellectually, and spiritually. Here at St. Paul we make plans to do that every day!

The preschoolers had many great learning adventures this year and they look forward to growing more next year in a faith-based environment!

Celebrating February Birthdays with...

Lamb A: Hayden 2/7 & Madeline 2/11

Lamb C: Auri 2/14

Lion: Edward 2/7

Bear: Lincoln 2/13 & Sullivan 2/14



If you are a current St. Paul Lutheran Preschooler or a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church, you may register for the 2018-2019 school year in the month of February. On the reverse side of this sheet is the registration form.

To register please fill out the form and include September's tuition along with the Registration fee. Registration is on a first-come, first-serve basis.

We welcome two new staff members at St. Paul Lutheran Preschool

Susan Bredthauer is working in the morning Lion Class. She is currently finishing up an Associate of Arts Degree from Des Moines Area Community College and she has also attended Iowa State University. Go Cyclones! She has a long history of involvement in her hometown church in Iowa Falls, where she gained several years of experience teaching preschool religious education and vacation bible school classes. Susan also spent several years working with at-risk youth and those with disabilities and behavioral issues at a residential youth home. She really enjoyed getting to be a positive part of the youth's development. She is very excited to work with preschool age children in a faith-based setting again! She loves how imaginative children are at that age and watching how fast they grow and learn.

Sydney Miguel is working in the afternoon Bear Class. She is so excited to be joining this preschool class! She is the mom of two kiddos, Charlotte who is 2 years old and Elias who is 8 months. She received her bachelor degree in Early Childhood Education at Iowa State University and has worked with preschoolers for about 3 years previously. She looks forward to getting to know all the preschoolers and their families in the Bear Class.

We thank God for our two new staff members at St. Paul Lutheran Preschool!



Application for Enrollment 2018-2019

St. Paul Lutheran Preschool610 15th Street Ames, IA 50010
phone 515-233-1914 education@saintpaulames.org

Jesus said to them,
"Let the little children
come to me ...for the
kingdom of God
belongs to such as
these." Mark
10:14

Child Information	Name of Child (First, Middle, and Last)	Gender
Birth ____ / ____ / ____	Street Address (Address, City, Zip)	Phone

Parent Information	Mother	Father
Name		
Occupation		
Employer		
E-mail		
Daytime Phone		
Cell Phone		

Class Selection Please check the class for which you are applying. Registration Fee is \$35.00

Number 1st & 2nd Choice	Class	Meets	Time	Tuition
	3-Year-Old (Lamb)	Monday & Thursday	9:00 am - 11:30 am	\$105.00/month
	3-Year-Old (Lamb)	Tuesday & Friday	9:00 am - 11:30 am	\$105.00/month
	3-Year-Old (Lamb)	Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri	8:45 am - 11:15 am	\$175.00/month
	4 & 5-Year Olds (Lion)	Tues, Thurs, and Fri	8:30 am - 11:30 am	\$150.00/month
	4 & 5-Year Olds (Lion)	Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri	8:30 am—11:30 am	\$175.00/month
	4 & 5-Year Olds (Bear)	Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri	12:30 pm -3 :15 pm	\$165.00/month

Are you interested in full day care for your 4-or-5-year old? Please speak to the director about this option.

BEFORE PRESCHOOL CARE Please also sign my child up for Before Preschool Care. Childcare is offered between 7:30 am - 9:00 a.m. each morning. The cost for this service is \$5.00 per morning each day needed per month. Please sign my child up for the following days each month.

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MONDAYS

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TUESDAYS

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THURSDAYS

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FRIDAYS

To be accepted into a class the Application Form, the Registration Fee, and September's Tuition must be submitted together. If a parent decides to withdraw their child's application the Registration Fee and the September's Tuition are non-refundable. If there are no openings in the class the parent will receive their Registration Fee and September's Tuition back in full. You may apply for BooSt Area Tuition Assistance. Eligibility requirements must be met to receive scholarships.

Parent's Signature _____

Date of Signature _____

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