

# GENERAL INFORMATION

**St. Paul Affiliated Community Notices**

**Morning Meditations** is a short devotion weekday mornings (M-F) on WHBL - 1330AM at 7:26 AM and between 10:45 - 10:50 AM by area LCMS pastors. To check out events or hear the recorded message, please go to [morningmeditations.com](http://morningmeditations.com).

**Neat Repeats Upcoming Sales:**  
Dec 30: Linens 50% Off

**The Sheboygan Falls Food Pantry** is open on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat every month from 9 – 11 AM and every Thurs from 9 – 11 AM. Patrons are welcome to visit the pantry once each month. We look forward to continuing to serve the communities of: Cedar Grove, Hingham, Howards Grove, Kohler, Oostburg, Sheboygan Falls and Waldo. Please remember to bring the following each time you visit: photo ID, current utility bill, and paper grocery bags.

**The Red Cross is in critical need of blood donations.** Drive is held at Oostburg State Bank, Community Room on Jan 8 from 11 AM - 4 PM. Register at 1-800-RED CROSS.

**Delivery Drivers are Needed** for the Sheboygan Food Bank to bring food to shut-ins who are unable to get to a food pantry. The commitment would be minimal. If you're interested, call 920-453-0169 and ask for Liz Kroll or email [liz@sheboygancountyfb.com](mailto:liz@sheboygancountyfb.com).

**Sheboygan County Warming Center** is in need of volunteers. For more information, please go to [scwarmingcenter.com](http://scwarmingcenter.com).

**More Community Announcements & Events posted on the bulletin board by the Kitchenette & Room 100.**

***Children's Bulletin Sponsor:***  
**In Memory of Greg Bovre**

Worship Attendance		
(for last week as recorded)		
Thursday	6:30 PM	- 218
Sunday	8:00 AM	- 107
	9:30 AM	- 330
	11:00 AM	- 90
Online		-23
Total:		768

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920-627-6847

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**Facebook:** [facebook.com/stpaulfalls](https://facebook.com/stpaulfalls)  
**Instagram:** @stpaulfalls

**Building & Office Hours:**  
Mon - Thurs 8:30 - 4:30

*St. Paul is a member of the*  
*Sheboygan Lutheran High School Association*



# WEEKLY NEWS DECEMBER 25 - 31, 2025

**Seroogy's Chocolate Bar Sale**  
St. Paul Youth Group will be selling Seroogy's Chocolate bars in the back of the church Jan 4-11. Proceeds from their sales will go towards their trip to Charleston this summer. Your continued support is appreciated!

**Night to Shine Decorating Team Briefing**  
Decorating Team volunteers: Join us Jan 17 at 6:00 PM in Room 100 to learn about our 2026 theme, "Into The Wild." Meeting lasts approximately 90 minutes. RSVP to Kaye Kielbasa at 920-918-5827.

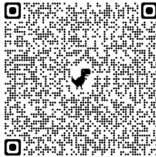
**Lowering of the Greens**  
Jan 10 at 9:00 AM  
Join us as we take down our Christmas decorations and prepare our worship space. It's a great way to serve alongside others, and all help is appreciated. Many hands make light work!

**Communion In The Pew**  
If you prefer to receive Communion in your pew, please sit in the row of chairs before the slope on the pulpit side (east) of the Worship Center which are designated "Reserved For Communion In The Pew". After the congregation has been communed, Communion Assistants will walk down that row to commune those sitting there.

**Please Record Individual Attendance**  
When signing the red Friendship Book, please list the individual name of every member attending church (we may have other families with your last name).  
For Example: John, Joan, & Jackie Smith.  
NOT: the Smith family  
There is a volunteer who enters the names from the attendance sheets every week: it is very helpful if you print clearly and list all names individually.

**Poinsettia Pick Up**  
If you purchased a poinsettia plant, please remember to take yours as soon as possible after the 9:00 AM service on Thurs Dec 25. Thank you for helping to decorate the church for Christmas!

**Night to Shine - Join Us!**  
Registration for guests and volunteers remains open at [www.sheboygancountynts.com](http://www.sheboygancountynts.com). We're still collecting donations from our Amazon Wishlist—scan the QR code to see what's needed and help make Feb 13 unforgettable for our Kings and Queens. Looking for more ways to serve? Watch for additional volunteer opportunities coming in the new year! Follow "Sheboygan County Night to Shine" on Facebook for updates, or contact Rachael Wilson at [rachaelw.scnts@gmail.com](mailto:rachaelw.scnts@gmail.com) with questions.



**Red Letter Challenge - Book Orders Due Soon!**  
Red Letter Challenge is beginning in February! If you still have your book from 2020, you are good to go. If you can't find it or need to purchase a book, stop at the Ministry House to order one today. Book orders are due Jan 11. Join us for this church wide study!

**St. Paul Seniors**  
The Seniors Group meets the second Fri of each month at Holidays Restaurant in Kohler. We will not meet in Jan due to the weather. Our next gathering will be in Feb—please bring your bingo gifts as usual. If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Wendy Young at 920-912-8163 so we can reserve the right amount of space. Have a blessed holiday season!

## CHILDREN, YOUTH, & FAMILY MINISTRY

Savannah Henn (Children & Family)  
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### **Sunday School**

There is no Sunday School on Dec 28. We will return Jan 4.

### **AWANA**

There is no AWANA December 31. We will return Jan 7.

### **Save the Date**

Vacation Bible School is happening July 26-29 from 3:00 - 6:00 PM. Mark your calendars as we will explore the nature of God. Anyone 3K-5<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2026-2027 school year is welcome to attend. 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up can volunteer. More details to come soon.

### **Confirmation**

Confirmation and AWANA students made over 40 blankets for Project Linus. Check out all of the photos on our website.

Confirmation families are reminded that they can sign up for Ushering, Acolyting and Altar guild for the second half of the year. Links can be found on our website or in the email sent.

A reminder that there is no Confirmation or AWANA Dec 31. Please enjoy Christmas break with your families.

### **Youth Group**

*Ages 6 Grade - post High School*

A reminder that there is no Youth Group during Christmas break. We will see you back together on Jan 4 for Bingo!

### **Bingo**

*Sunday, Jan 4 5:30 - 7:30 PM*

A fun evening of Bingo, fabulous prizes, and awesome fellowship. We will join together for supper and then Bible Study.

### **Children, Youth, and Family Swimming**

Come and join us for swimming at the Sheboygan Falls Aquatic Center on Jan 18 from 12:00 - 2:00 PM. This event is free so please invite your friends and family. Reminder that the church swimsuit rule will be in place. Questions? Please see Nicole.

## PRAYERS & GIVING

### **Please Pray For:**

**Baptism:** Wilder Hemauer

### **Would you like us to pray for you or someone you love?**

- ♦ If you are in the hospital, please call the Church Office to let a pastor know. They would love to visit and pray with you.
- ♦ If someone you know needs prayer, please talk to a pastor so that we can pray for them in church and/or add them to our Prayer Chain.
- ♦ If you need a pastoral visit for any reason, please contact a pastor to schedule a visit. If we don't know, we can't help!

### **Pray for Our Active Members in the Military:**

**Air Force Reserve:** Saul Grosshuesch

**Army:** Zachary Kattner, Max Jacquat

**Army Reserve:** Amanda Zimmerman, Robert Zimmerman, Max Zuengler

**Marine Corps:** Zeke Norlander

### **Military Photos**

We have an ongoing military picture display to honor our church members - both veterans and enlisted. To be included, please provide a 4x6 photo, with name on the back, and put it in an office drop box/slot.

## New Year Schedule & Information

*Thurs, Jan 1* - No Informal Worship at 6:30 PM

*Church Office Closed* - Dec 24, 25 & Jan 1 - all day  
Dec 31 - closing at noon