

Weekly News

Altar Guild 1/16-17: J. Kaepernick Greeters Next Week: 8:00 – J. & S. Gossens 10:30 – D. & M. Olson 6pm – W. & P. Volkman

Church Cleaners: D. & A. Vogel, M. & P. Frahm

Christmas Eve Children's Services Attendance: 893

Christmas Eve Vespers Attendance: 131

Christmas Day Attendance: 131

Attendance Last Week (Sunday 12/26 only): 125

Weekly Calendar

Sunday	January 2 nd
8:00 a.m.	Worship Service
9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
9:20 a.m.	Breakfast with the Bible
10:30 a.m.	Worship Service

Monday	January 3 rd
6:00 p.m.	Worship Service

No School – Christmas Break

Tuesday	January 4 th
6:15 p.m.	Elders
6:30 p.m.	Sr. Choir
7:00 p.m.	Spiritual Growth Board No School – Christmas Break

Wednesday	January 5 th
4:00 p.m.	Confirmation Class
6:30 p.m.	Bible Class

Thursday	January 6 th
9:15 a.m.	Bible Study

6:30 p.m. Bible Information Class

8:00 a.m. Worship Service 9:15 a.m. Sunday School

9:20 a.m. Breakfast with the Bible

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Monday 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Morship Service LES Board Meeting Evangelism

7:00 p.m. Executive Committee

Christmas Break Office Hours:

12/31 – Closed 1/3, 1/4 – Open 7:30am – noon

Poinsettias: If you ordered a poinsettia, please feel free to take it with you after any of the services this weekend (Friday (NYE), Sunday or Monday). Special thank you to Julie Bork and Linda Zimmerman for caring for the plants.

New Altar Flower Calendar: If you would like to sign up for donating altar flowers in 2022, you may do so on the new calendar found on the bulletin board in the church basement, or by contacting the office. Flowers are \$40 per week.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY WINTER DINNER will be held on Tuesday, January 11 at Mark's East Side restaurant, 5:00 pm social time, 5:30 dinner orders, 6:00 pm dinner.

Menu presented 3 choices, \$25.00 each including tax and tip.

- Chicken Parmesan, includes marinara and parmesan cheese over pasta with a side vegetable
- Haddock, broiled or batter fried with a baked potato and vegetable
- Tenderloin Tips, includes sautéed mushrooms and onions in a gravy served with spaetzels, red cabbage and vegetables

All entrees come with a garden salad mixed greens and choice of beverage,

coffee, tea or milk. Checks for the dinner should be made payable to Mark's East Side and are due at the dinner. Women's Ministry members need to contact Betty Techlin by January 10 to make dinner reservations for you and your guest. Call Betty Techlin at 920 810 1964 or email bettycarl6810@att.net.

Beginning on January 5th, 2022 New Bible Class: *Chosen* We will watch an episode of the Chosen video series on the life of Jesus. Then we will discuss what we liked or didn't like about the presentation. To do justice to the discussion, each class will be 90 minutes long.

Organ Fundraising Update: Thank you to everyone who has contributed up to this point toward the church organ project. Our current total is \$16,500 of our \$34,000 goal. If you would like to contribute to this cause, checks may be directed to the office.

Do you love working with children? St. Paul ECC has an immediate opening for a full-time assistant teacher in our TERRIFIC TWO's room, as well as a full-time LEAD teacher in our INFANT room. We are also looking for a part time after school care teacher for our school-aged children. Great



benefits are available for full time positions. For more information, contact Candy Schulz at 920-733-9061 or cschulz@stpaulappletonwi.com. Come join our team today!

Apple Valley Food Pantry: The January collection for the pantry will be held the weekend of January 8th & 9th, 2022. The following are items currently in need of at the pantry: cookies, canned tomato products (paste, sauce, plain diced), pudding and gelatin desserts, sugar-free pudding, women's body washes, laundry soap, frosting (we have plenty of cake mixes on hand), and small boxes of snack bars.

As always, monetary donations are appreciated. Thank you to everyone who helped to make our 2021 a very successful year for our recipients! If you know of anyone or a family who could use the pantry's assistance, please contact your pastor. Merry Christmas and a happy 2022!

FVL NEWS

Interested families can enroll for Semester 2 at FVL. Contact the

Admissions Office at admissions@fvlhs.org or 920-560-5105 for details. **Estate Planning Seminar:** You prepare for the future but haven't had an opportunity to look into establishing/updating your estate plan or to investigate new tax laws. How will these impact you and those you love in the coming years? As a service to Federation members, the FVL Mission Advancement Office has scheduled a free informational seminar. Join us at FVL on Wed., 1/12/22 to hear options from a financial planner and an attorney. Event begins at 6 PM. Go to fvlhs.org/seminar to register and get information.

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FVL CHRISTMAS BREAK School & SCRIP Office Hours:

Wed., 12/22 – Tues., 1/4 – All Offices Closed (including Guidance) Wed., 1/5 – Regular School & SCRIP Office hours resume

Join Women's Ministry in gifting for the ECC!

You are invited to participate with Women's Ministry in gifting items for the ECC. Candy Schulz wrote, "Our list is a little more focused this year as we have had some challenges getting certain essential items." Listed here are items needed for the ECC:

Rolls of paper towels (select a size variety) Toilet paper 'ALL' free and clear LIQUID laundry detergent Clorox Antibacterial wipes Lysol spray 13 gal. kitchen garbage bags Bleach Kleenex/tissues Dish soap (like Dawn) Paper cups (5 oz. size) Paper plates Plastic forks Plastic spoons 3M Command Strips – all sizes Clear Contact Paper Blue Painter's Tape (any width)



A collection box will be located in the church basement. Please have your items to church by January 10^{th} .

Because of the need for essential items, there will not be an ECC 'Wish Tree' at church this year. If you would like to make a donation to an ECC classroom, please contact Candy Schulz (cschulz@stpaulappletonwi.com).



In an age of anxiety we still believe that peace comes from Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

In an age of confusion we still believe that the Bible is the word of God, inerrant and infallible.

In an age of doubt we still believe that Jesus was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary.

In an age of guilt we still believe that Jesus died on the cross to pay for the sins of the world, bringing complete pardon and joy to all believers.

In an age of reason we still believe that God is at work in the sacraments of Holy Baptism and Holy Communion.

In an age of change we still believe in one unchanging God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Whether you are a first time visitor or returning guest, we are delighted to share our worship with you. Please come back and worship with us again.



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Worship Broadcast at 8:00 on WNAM radio, 1280 AM

Videos of our service today can be found on our Facebook page or our website:

www.stpaulappletonwi.com