

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL:**

**Sunday, February 24**  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL AWARENESS SUNDAY**  
 9:00 a.m. Worship/HC/Noisy Offering  
 10:15 a.m. Coffee Fellowship-Parish Ed.  
 10:15 a.m. Sunday School Inter-Gen Activity (Fellowship Hall)  
 2:00 p.m. Game Day (Fellowship Hall)  
**Monday, February 25**  
**Tuesday, February 26**  
 12:30 p.m. Sack Lunch Bible Study  
 4:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Meeting  
 5:15 p.m. Prayer Group  
**Wednesday, February 27**  
 7:00 a.m. Early Risers - At Cook's Café  
 9-3 p.m. Do-Day (Potluck)  
 5:00 p.m. Bell Choir  
 5:00 p.m. JAM (5-6:15)  
 5:00 p.m. Jr. High Youth Group (5-6:20)  
 NO Worship Service  
 NO Sr. High Youth Group  
**Thursday, February 28**  
 12:00 p.m. Bulletin Deadline  
**Friday, March 1**  
 12:00 p.m. Secretaries' Office Closes  
**Saturday, March 2**  
**Sunday, March 3**  
 9:00 a.m. Worship  
 10:15 a.m. Sunday School

**GIFTS FOR THE LORD & HIS WORK:**

Thank you for supporting St. Paul's ministries.  
 Budget Money Needed Weekly: \$ 5,867.15

**Wednesday, February 13, 2019**  
 Budget Money Received \$ 20.00  
 Worship Attendance: 5

**Sunday, February 17, 2019**  
 Budget Money Received \$2,351.00  
 Security System Money Received \$ 510.00  
 Carpet Remodel Money Received \$ 260.00  
 Special Money Received \$ 50.00  
 Sunday School Attendance: 13 \$ 8.00  
 Worship Attendance: 90

**E. 9th Street Property Loan:**  
 Balance on Loan as of 2/22/19 \$ 0.00

**JANUARY**  
 Total Income \$ 17,111.23  
 Total Expense \$ 18,855.84  
 Income Less Expense \$ (1,744.61)

Fiscal Year Income \$ 26,760.26  
 Fiscal Year Expense \$ (29,831.45)  
 Fiscal Year Income Less Expense \$ (3,071.19)

Security System Balance 2/20/19 \$16,170.00  
 Carpet Remodel Balance 2/20/19 \$15,490.31

**St. Paul Lutheran Church LIVE Radio  
 Broadcast on Sundays at 9:00 a.m.  
 KIWA - FM 100.7 and AM 1550.**

**BIRTHDAYS:**



2/26 Dorothy Breuer	2/28 Jamari Kruse	3/2 Janna Whorley
2/26 Bill Kehrborg	2/28 Weston McDonald	3/2 Tom Whorley
2/26 Vicki Oldenkamp	2/29 Gerry Seivert	3/3 Krista Johnson
2/27 Jill Haverdink	3/2 Madison Johnson	3/3 Glenda Kamrath
2/27 Justin Tiedeman	3/2 Kelly Klatt	3/3 Emma Monroe
2/28 Paula Ahlers		

**St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, NALC**  
**February 24, 2019 ~ 9:00 A.M.**



*The Mission of St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church is to Share the Good News of Jesus Christ with All People.*

**ORDER OF WORSHIP: Contemporary**

*(\*Please stand if able for these portions of the worship service.)*

Call to Worship **“Sanctuary”**  
 Welcome and Announcements *(Please Sign the Welcome Folders in the Pews)*  
 Special Music by Cherub Choir  
 \*Opening Prayer and Confession  
 \*Worship Song ~ Red Folder #5 **“As the Deer”**  
 Children's Moment  
 Joyful Noisy Offering by Sunday School Children  
 Lector Reading: Psalm 95:1-5 (pp. 933-934)  
 \*Scripture Reading: Matthew 14:13-33 (pp. 1520-1521)  
 Sermon **“Anything is Possible”**  
 \*Hymn of the Day ~ Red Folder #53 **“You Are My All in All”**  
 \*Apostles' Creed  
 Offering ~ Special Music by The Lord's Musical Children  
 \*Prayers  
 Communion  
 \*Blessing  
 \*Closing Hymn ~ Red folder #50 **“We Will Glorify”**  
 \*Sending

**Our nursery** is open to families during the worship service. It is located in the education wing, downstairs, second door on the left.

**SERVING ST. PAUL TODAY:** **Pastor:** Rev. Craig Nissen **Accompanist:** Lori Richards **Lector:** Joe Tokheim **Acolyte:** Katelyn Dykstra **Sound Tech:** Larry Schnider **PowerPoint Tech:** Rae Lynn Schnider **Usher Captain:** Mike Vander Berg **Ushers:** Dan Matus, Lorn Wills, Scott Lichty **Greeters:** Don and Donna Koepnick, Tom and Janna Whorley **Coffee Fellowship:** Parish Ed. Committee **Communion Set-up:** Nancy Woelber, Lora Kruse **Communion Servers:** Scott Lichty, Wayne Woelber, Gail Pike, Darrell Sneiderman **Receipt Recorders:** Scott Lichty, Tami Roetman

**SERVING ST. PAUL SUNDAY, MARCH 3:** **Presiding:** Sara Heutinck **Accompanist:** Carleen Kehrberg **Lector:** Gabrielle Herbst **Acolyte:** Katelyn Grady **Sound Tech:** Doug Rodger **PowerPoint Tech:** Karen Appleton **Usher Captain:** Lyle Vanden Berg **Ushers:** Lowell Appleton, Dan Hohbach, Kim Hohbach **Greeters:** Wayne and Nancy Woelber, Dee Tolk, Wanda Stratman **Coffee Fellowship:** Kevin and Sue Roth **Receipt Recorders:** Gail Pike, Tami Roetman

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** **Scott Stallmann, Lillian Green, Braelynn Tracy, Jacinda Tracy, Arlyn Holtrop, Melissa Noack, Mandi Rodger, Carol Luepke, Ron Kruger, Jan Moore** (*daughter of Lillian Green*), **Steve Grady** (*father of Jesse Grady and Nicole Getting*), **John Manning** (*father of Susie Kleve*), **Connie Hansen** (*daughter of Mike and Dee Redinius*), **Chase Hansen** (*grandson of Mike and Dee Redinius*), **Brad Manual** (*brother of Robert Shirbroun*), **Emmett Carter** (*son of Meredith and Adam Carter*), **Tina Hall** (*daughter of Denise Hall*), **Barb Vanden Berg** (*sister-in-law of Lyle Vanden Berg*), and **Alice Crayton** (*sister of Nick Stallmann*). Iowa Mission Church (2018) - **Shepherd of the Prairie Lutheran Church, Huxley, IA.**

The **Radio Broadcast** for today's service is sponsored by Gail Pike in memory of her Dad, Bob Hansen's birthday.

The **flowers on the altar** today are from the memorial service of Lyle Vanden Berg's mother, Edith Vanden Berg.

**Congratulations** to John and Jacinda Tracy on the birth of their daughter, Braelynn Ann, on February 15. Grandparents are John and Michelle Sachen.

We **extend our Christian sympathy** to Lyle and Cynthia Vanden Berg, Tim Vanden Berg, Nick Vanden Berg, Cassandra Blubaugh and family, friends and family on the death of Lyle's mother, Edith Vanden Berg. She passed away on February 18. Her memorial service was held on February 21, in Sanborn, IA.

**Thank you to the Cherub Choir and The Lord's Musical Children** for their special music during today's Worship service.

**TODAY is Sunday School Awareness Sunday.** The Sunday School children will be collecting a Joyful Noisy Offering during the Worship service (to sponsor the Sunday School) and Parish Ed will host the Coffee Fellowship following the service.

**Please join us today,** for an Inter-Gen activity during the Sunday School class time at 10:15 a.m. in the fellowship hall. It will be a Mission Fair theme. Everyone is welcome!

**This afternoon, come for FUN!** The Fellowship Committee will host a fun **Game Day**, in the fellowship hall at 2:00 p.m.

**Ash Wednesday Worship services with Holy Communion are on March 6 at 4:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.**

The **March 6, Ash Wednesday offerings** will be designated to the General Fund. The **Wednesday Lenten (6:30 p.m.) offerings** will be designated to the General Fund.

A **suggestion box** is located in the back of the sanctuary for suggestions and ideas for the Church Council.

**FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES:** Instruction for first communion happens every spring for 5th grade students. Students are able to receive communion for the first time on the Thursday before Easter, at our two services recalling the Last Supper (Maundy Thursday). This year instruction will begin on Sunday, March 24 during Sunday School 10:15-11:20 a.m. The remaining 3 classes will be on Mondays after school from 3:30-4:30 p.m. (April 1, 8, 15).

**On March 18, St. Paul will be hosting the Sheldon Area Unity Meal** at Living Water Community Church. Volunteers are needed for this wonderful ministry. Look for the sign-up sheets soon.

**Pastor's OFFICE Hours** - Pastor Craig's office hours are on Tuesday afternoons from 1:00-5:00 p.m. and Thursday mornings from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. for drop-in visits.

St. Paul has an ongoing mission started by our youth to support **Lensley Raymond from Simonette, Haiti.** This sponsorship will help with his school expenses each year. If you would like to make a donation towards Lensley's school tuition through your offering, there is a dedicated fund set up (Touch of Hope Haiti).

Please join us for the **Memory Loss Support Group Meeting on February 28 at 7:00p.m.** at the Sheldon Sanford Sr. Care Center. The program will be on - *Music Can Enhance Your Life.*

Any mom, grandmother, aunt, or sister of a student in school is invited to be part of **Moms In Prayer** ([www.MomsInPrayer.org](http://www.MomsInPrayer.org)). We meet for an hour each week in Sheldon to pray on behalf of our children, teachers, and schools. Please prayerfully consider joining us whenever it works in your schedule. Contact April Scheaffer (605-929-5791).

**5th Ladies Spring Escape: March 15-16 at the Sheldon High School.** For details and registration, visit our website: [www.ladies-escape.com](http://www.ladies-escape.com).

**Women of Joy** presents two new fall events for 2019. **OVERWHELMED- finding peace in a chaotic world.** October 4-6 in Pigeon Forge Tennessee, and October 11-13 in Branson, Missouri. Call 256-355-1554 or go online **WOMENOFJOY.ORG**.

The sign-up charts for 2019 Radio Broadcast, Coffee Fellowship, and Flowers on the Altar are located by the balcony staircase.

**Radio Broadcast Open Dates:** To sponsor a radio broadcast it is \$80.

March: 3, 10, 17, 31	June: 9, 16, 30	October 20, 27
April: 7, 14, 21, 28	July: 14, 21	November 3
May: 5, 12, 19, 26	September 8, 29	December 1, 8, 15, 22, 24 (4:30 p.m.), 29

**Coffee Fellowship Open Dates:** Cookies/bars are optional. Please check the kitchen for coffee/juice to serve.

April: 7, 14, 28	July: 7, 14, 21, 28	October: 6, 13, 20, 27
May: 5, 12, 19	August: 11, 18, 25	November: 3, 10, 17, 24
June: 2, 16, 23, 30	September: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29	December: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

**Flowers on the Altar Open Dates:**

March: 3, 10, 17, 24, 31	July: 14, 21, 28	October: 13, 20, 27
April: 7, 14, 21, 28	August: 4, 11, 18, 25	November: 3, 10, 17, 24
May: 5, 12, 19	September: 1, 8, 22, 29	December: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
June: 16, 23, 30		

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Pastor Craig Nissen: (712) 348-4740; [pastor@nethtc.net](mailto:pastor@nethtc.net)  
Pastor's Office Hours: **Tuesdays, 1-5 p.m. and Thursdays, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.** Drop-ins welcome.