

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, NALC

April 22, 2018 ~ 9:00 A.M.



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

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL:

Sunday, April 22
 9:00 a.m. Worship/HC
 10:15 a.m. Sunday School (Church Tour)
 11:00 a.m. Set Up For Supper And Auction
 11:20 a.m. Parish Ed. Meeting
 4:00 p.m. Youth Worship Team

Monday, April 23
 1:30 p.m. Staff Meeting
 5-7 p.m. Pork Sandwich Supper And Auction

Tuesday, April 24
 12:30 p.m. Sack Lunch Bible Study
 4:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Meeting
 7:00 p.m. Adult Worship Team (7-8 p.m.)

Wednesday, April 25
 7:00 a.m. Early Risers Bible Study
 9-3 p.m. Do-Day (Potluck Lunch)
 5:00 p.m. JAM (5-6:30) (Meal Served)
 5:30 p.m. Jr. High Youth (5:30-7) (Meal Served)
 6:00 p.m. Bell Choir
 6:30 p.m. Worship Service
 7:30 p.m. Sr. High Youth (7:30-8:30 p.m.)

Thursday, April 26
 8:30 a.m. Assemble Newsletter
 12:00 p.m. Bulletin Deadline

Friday, April 27
 12:00 p.m. Offices Close
 5:30 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday, April 28
 4:30 p.m. Hatting/Van Kekerix Wedding

Sunday, April 29
 9:00 a.m. Worship/Dordt Worship Team
 10:15 a.m. Sunday School
 1:00 p.m. Artist's Hand Painting Party

GIFTS FOR THE LORD & HIS WORK:

Thank you for supporting St. Paul's ministries.
 Budget Money Needed Weekly - \$ **6,049.60**

Wednesday, April 11, 2018

Budget Money Received \$ 15.00
 Worship Attendance: 11

Sunday, April 15, 2018

Budget Money Received \$ 1,631.00
 MRP Money Received \$ 10.00
 Roof Repair Money Received \$ 400.00
 Special Money Received \$ 146.71
 Worship Attendance: 60
 Sunday School Attendance: 5 \$ 8.00

Roof Repair Loan:

Balance on Loan as of 3/6/18 \$15,807.18

E. 9th Street Property Purchase:

Balance on Loan as of 4/13/18 \$ 54,114.46

MARCH

Total Income \$ 21,809.70
 Total Expense \$ (17,491.36)
 Income Less Expense \$ 4,318.34

Fiscal Year Income \$ 72,778.63
 Fiscal Year Expense \$ (76,554.05)
 Fiscal Year Income Less Expense \$ (3,775.42)

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BIRTHDAYS:



4/23 Melissa Boone	4/26 Melanie Roemeling	4/30 Alicia McDonald	5/4 Brandon Hall
4/23 Brice Mosier	4/27 Barbara Engelkes	5/1 Donald Carlson	5/4 Austin Roemeling
4/24 Hunter Getting	4/27 Austin Fischer	5/1 Logan Robideau	5/6 Archer Fischer
4/24 Donnie Ransom	4/27 Clark Willms	5/2 Gabrielle Herbst	5/6 Milt Heyl
4/24 Madelyn Seivert	4/29 Paula Halstenson	5/2 Colby Miller	5/6 Carissa Mosier
4/25 Marisa Robideau	4/29 TK Lang	5/3 Irelynn Peterson	5/6 Kala Schnider
4/25 Kelli Rohwer			

ORDER OF WORSHIP: LBW Setting 2

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

Welcome And Announcements *(Please Sign The Welcome Folders In The Pews)*

*Invocation And Kyrie p. 78

*Hymn Of Praise p. 81

*Prayer Of The Day

Children's Message

First Reading: Philippians 1:18b-26 pp. 1826-1827

*Second Reading: Acts 16:16-34 pp. 1721-1722

Sermon

*Hymn Of The Day *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart* No. 486 LBW

*Prayers

Offering p. 86

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*Lord's Prayer And Distribution p. 91

*Post Communion Canticule p. 92

*Prayer

*Blessing

*Closing Hymn *Shine, Jesus, Shine* No. 651 WOV

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:** Worship Team **Lector:** Katelyn Grady **Acolyte:** Katelyn Grady **Sound Tech:** Larry Smit **PowerPoint Tech:** Dawn Smit **Usher Captain:** Mike Vander Berg **Ushers:** Melvin Brands, Lorn Wills, John Sachen **Coffee Fellowship:** Doug and Juanita Rodger **Greeters:** Paul and Lori Richards, John and Sarah Michels **Communion Set-up:** Gail Pike, Deb Plum **Communion Servers:** Tom Whorley, Rae Lynn Schnider, Scott Lichty, Dan Klein **Receipt Recorders:** Tom Whorley, Tami Roetman

SERVING ST. PAUL NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 29: **Pastor:** Rev. Craig Nissen **Accompanist:** Dordt Worship Team **Lector:** Phil Grove **Acolyte:** Thomas Badberg **Sound Tech:** Doug Rodger **PowerPoint Tech:** Juanita Rodger **Usher Captain:** Mike Vander Berg **Ushers:** Phil Grove, Dan Matus, Dennis Kruger **Coffee Fellowship:** Tom and Janna Whorley **Greeters:** Tim and Sheila Hatting, Jake and Janice Jacobsma **Receipt Recorders:** Melissa Noack, Tami Roetman

NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 29 READINGS: Lector: Philippians 3:7-11 p. 1829 Scripture: Acts 17:16-31 pp. 1723-1724

PRAYER REQUESTS: **Ed Stephens, Lavonne Perrott, Nancy Huff, Elmer Behrens, Arnie and Rita Kroese** (*Sibley Specialty Care, 700 N. 9th Ave.*), **Jerry Meyer, Mandi Rodger, Milt Heyl, Arlyn Holtrop, Carol Luepke, Paul Rohwer** (*grandson of Dorothy Rohwer*), **Calvin Van Beek** (*father of Lisa Fischer*), **Richard Krause** (*father of Shanise Brockshus and Shanelle Matus*), **Emmett Carter** (*son of Meredith and Adam Carter*), **Walter Pangburn** (*cousin of Cynthia Vanden Berg*), **Barb Vanden Berg** (*sister-in-law of Lyle Vanden Berg*), **Tina Hall** (*daughter of Denise Hall*), **Aidan Birks** (*great grandson of Frank and Carol Luepke*), **Alice Crayton** (*sister of Nick Stallmann*), and **Jan Moore** (*daughter of Lillian Green*). The Iowa Mission Church (2018) - **Faith Lutheran Church, Sibley, IA.**

The **Radio Broadcast** for today's worship service is sponsored by Frank and Carol Luepke in honor of the wedding anniversary of Connie and Lenny Lamb.

We extend our Christian sympathy to Lorn and Joan Wills, Sharon Wills, family and friends on the death of Lorn's sister, Marlys Jurrens. She passed away on April 16. her funeral was held on April 20 in Sibley, IA.

We extend our Christian sympathy to Brian and Stacie Stofferan, Cole Stofferan, Makayla Van Beek, family and friends on the death of Brian's father, Hubert Stofferan. He passed away on April 14. His funeral was held on April 20 in Sibley, IA.

Marissa Hatting and Ross Van Kekerix **announce their intention to marry** on April 28, here at St. Paul and request your prayers as they begin their new life together.

Thank you from the Wartburg Ensemble to the host families for providing housing and food April 20 and 21. Your kindness and generosity were greatly appreciated.

This week's Wednesday Worship, April 24 at 6:30 p.m. with Holy Communion will be held at Fieldcrest.

New member classes coming soon. If you are interested in being a St. Paul member, please see Pastor Craig.

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

Pastor's OFFICE hours - Pastor Craig's schedule varies from day-to-day, but every Tuesday afternoon he will be in the office from 1:00-5:00 p.m. for drop-in visits.

St. Paul Youth Annual Pork Supper and Auction, Monday, April 23 from 5-7 p.m. with the auction to begin at 7:00 p.m.! Serving pork loin sandwiches, baked beans, coleslaw, dessert and a drink. The fundraiser is for our mission trip to Houston. Check out items for auction in the narthex and fellowship hall. Hope to see you there!

The Artist's Hand: Do you wish to connect with the Artist in You? The Camp Committee has just what you are looking for...**Enjoy a relaxing afternoon of canvas painting on Sunday, April 29 at 1:30 p.m.** at St. Paul. Invite a friend to join you. Registration fee of \$25/person includes your canvas, painting supplies, beverages and Hors d'oeuvres. Contact the church office (324-3049 or **Email: office@stpaulsheldon.org**) to reserve your spot or sign-up in the narthex. Proceeds will be used to send our Youth to IOLBC Summer Camps.

SAVE THE DATE!! The Jerry Meyer Benefit will be held here at **St. Paul on Saturday, May 5 from 5:00 p.m. until the food is gone.** They will be serving pork loin sandwiches, baked beans, chips, and a drink for a Free Will donation. **Come support Jerry and his family.** Sponsored by Sheldon Fire Company and St. Paul Lutheran.

May 6 is Celebration Sunday. SS kids will be singing, ringing and participating in the worship service. Following the service, they will meet in the SS area for a wrap up with the Shepherds, then dismiss to the fellowship hall for a treat and finish around 10:50 a.m. This is the last day of Sunday School for this year.

The Camp Committee will host a **Bake Sale on Sunday, May 6**, following the worship service. Reminder for the Youth to bring their baked goods by 8:30 a.m. to the fellowship hall and anyone who wants to donate for the bake sale too. The proceeds will help send our youth to IOLBC summer camps.

St. Paul Youth Mission Trip - July 23-30, will be in a suburb of Houston, Texas, to help with recovery from Hurricane Harvey. The trip is being put together by the Iowa NALC Mission District and includes groups from all over the state. There are 7 youth and 3 adults in our group from St. Paul Lutheran. Our biggest fundraiser for the youth ministry is our dinner and auction on April 23. We hope to see all of you at the fundraiser. Thank you for your support. -Mark Richards, Youth Director

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

INNER CHURCH COMMUNICATION: Congregation members, please update the church office if you have changed phone numbers and now have a cell phone in lieu of a landline. The church would also like to have email addresses. One of the fundamental aspects of being the Church together is that we are able to communicate with each other. Our office staff frequently finds that they are not able to reach members of the congregation because our telephone and contact information is outdated.

The following volunteer sign-up sheets are located on the bulletin board in the balcony staircase.

2018 Radio Broadcast Open Dates: May 20; July 1, 8, 15, 29; September 16; November 4, 25; December 2, 9, 16, 24(\$120), 30. The Radio Broadcast fee is \$80.

2018 Flowers On The Altar Open Dates: May 13, 20; June 10, 17, 24; July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; August 5, 12, 19, 26; September 2, 16, 23; October 7, 14, 21, 28; November 4, 11, 18, 25; December 2, 9, 16, 23, 30.

2018 Coffee Fellowship Open Dates: June 10, 17, 24; July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; August 12, 19, 26; September 2, 9, 16, 23; October 7, 14, 21, 28; November 4, 11, 18, 25; December 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. Coffee and juice are served and the cookies/bars are optional.

TODAY: **Sibley Christian Reformed Church** invites you to the concert of The Klassens at 3:00 p.m.

FREE Men's Night Only showing of the movie **"The Heart of Man"** (for those over 18) on **Friday, April 27** at 7:00 p.m. at Living Water Community Church in Sheldon.

Hope Haven invites you to a great night of gospel music on **Saturday, April 28 at 6:30 p.m.** in the BJ Haan Auditorium of Dordt College, Sioux Center. Doors will open at 5:00 p.m., tickets \$15 per person.

The **Sioux County Oratorio Chorus**, will perform Haydn's *Mass in Time of War* on **April 28** at 7:30pm in Christ Chapel at Northwestern College. Advanced tickets: Adults - \$8 or \$10 at door, Students - \$5, at Northwestern's music office in Orange City, the Dordt music office in Sioux Center, and in Sheldon at Touch of Hope.

The 21st Mayor's National Day of Prayer for Sheldon will be held on Thursday, May 3 at Living Water Community Church at 6:30 p.m. The keynote speaker will be Brian Westphalen, a Sheldon graduate, works with Freedom in Christ Ministries, and lives in Knoxville, TN.

VBS: Mark you calendars for another amazing time with **St. Paul VBS from August 6 - 9 from 6:00-8:00 p.m.!!**