



**St. Paul Evangelical
Lutheran Church, NALC
Lenten Service
April 3, 2019 ~ 6:30 p.m.**

The Mission of St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church is to Share the Good News of Jesus Christ with All People.
Welcome, **Signing of the Welcome Folders**, & Announcements

Order Of Service: **Holden Evening Prayer**

Scripture Reading: Matthew 6:5-9 page 1504

SERVING ST. PAUL TONIGHT: **Pastor:** Rev. Craig Nissen **Accompanist:** Arlyce Oosterhuis **Acolyte:** Madison Johnson **Sound Tech:** Doug Rodger **Power Point Tech:** Juanita Rodger **Ushers:** Dan Klein, David Harris, Daniel Paulsen **Coffee Fellowship:** Work Group

SERVING ST. PAUL LENTEN SERVICE, APRIL 10: **Pastor:** Rev. Craig Nissen **Accompanist:** Arlyce Oosterhuis **Acolyte:** Nevaeh Vos **Sound Tech:** John Sachen **Power Point Tech:** Gabrielle Herbst **Ushers:** Thad Dykstra, Katelyn Dykstra, Alexis Dykstra **Coffee Fellowship:** Work Group

Please join us for **coffee fellowship** after the service this evening in the fellowship hall.

Thank you to all who helped with this evening's Lenten service.

The Wednesday **Lenten offerings** will go to the General Fund. All **Holy Week Worship offerings** will go to the General Fund except the **Easter Sunrise offering** will go to St. Paul Youth Group, please use the envelope designated for Easter Sunrise.

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). Instruction classes continue on Mondays after school, 3:30-4:30 p.m. (April 8, 15).

Easter Breakfast: Please join the Jr. and Sr. High Youth for a delicious breakfast on **Easter Sunday, April 21 from 7:45-8:45 a.m.** Free Will offering with the proceeds going to their funds.

Please leave the Holden Evening Prayer booklets in the back pew.

The **security system has been installed.** The Council created a Security System Committee that has put guidelines together pertaining to how St. Paul will implement this system. The church will be locked 24/7, except for funerals, weddings, fundraisers, etc. We will have a **informational meeting** following the worship service at **10:30 a.m. on Sunday, April 14.** The Security Committee will explain the policy for the new security system and answer any questions during this meeting. We hope to begin using our new security system by Monday, April 22.

This Lenten season, the Sunday School will be focusing on Mission! We would like to invite the Congregation to join us in this Mission project - we can do great things together! The Sunday School students received money banks to put coins into each week during Lent. The money they collect will support Lensley Raymond, a child in Haiti, to attend school for one year. The total cost of this is \$420. A collection jar will be at the back of the sanctuary each Sunday for any donations from the congregation. Thank you. The students will turn their coin banks in on Palm Sunday, April 14.

Benefit Supper for the Tracy Family: There will be a benefit supper on Monday, **May 6 at St. Paul Lutheran Church from 5-7 p.m.** All proceeds will benefit John and Jacinda Tracy and their infant daughter, Braelynn. They will be serving hamburgers, brats, hotdogs, chips, beans, and desserts. Information on how to donate coming soon. Please contact Juanita Rodger for more information.

The Sheldon Ministerial Association invites all members of our community to join together for the last **Lunch In Lent, hosted by Parkview Assembly Church. Lunch will begin at 11:45 a.m.** with the guest speaker beginning at 12:15 p.m. The cost of the meal is \$5. Guest speaker: **April 10 - Pastor Paul Van Maaren (First Reformed Church).**

ST. PAUL LENTEN/HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

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| <p>Holy Week</p> | April 10 | 6:30 p.m. | Lenten Services | |
| | April 14 | 9:00 a.m. | Palm Sunday Service | |
| | April 18 | 4:30 p.m./7:00 p.m. | Maundy Thursday Services/ HC/First Communion | |
| | April 19 | 7:00 p.m. | Good Friday Service | |
| | April 21 | 7:00 a.m. | Easter Sunrise Service/HC | |
| | April 21 | 7:45-8:45 a.m. | Easter Breakfast By Youth | |
| | April 21 | 9:00 a.m. | Easter Service/HC | |
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