

††† **Our Week at St. Paul's** †††

Sunday, February 3, 2019

8:00am & 10:30am Communion Services
9:15am Bible Study – Fellowship Hall
9:15am Children's Sunday School/ High School Bible Class
2:30-4:30pm Pastor/Elder visits

Monday, February 4, 2019

Financial Count (Roessler, Essert, D. Nowak)
5:30-6:30pm A.A. Meeting – Preschool area-East end
7:00pm Communion Service

Tuesday, February 5, 2019

7:15am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Sewing Comforts
3:30-4:30 pm Confirmation Class
7:00pm Board Meetings

Wednesday, February 6, 2019

1:30-3:30pm Food Pantry
5:30-6:30pm A.A. Meeting – Preschool area-East end

Thursday, February 7, 2019

11:30 Ladies League
6:30-8:30 pm Pastor visits
6:30pm Board of Education

Friday, February 8, 2019

1:00pm Fold Bulletins (Phyllis & Catherine)
5:30-6:30pm A.A. Meeting – Preschool area-East end
7:00pm Couples Bible Study

Saturday, February 9, 2019

Sunday, February 10, 2019

8:00am & 10:30am Communion Services
9:15am Bible Study – Fellowship Hall
9:15am Children's Sunday School/ High School Bible Class
12-4:00pm High School Youth Games & Movie (Youth Room)
2:30-4:30pm Pastor/Elder visits



Prayer Requests

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:6-7

- †For **Bob Schneider** having outpatient surgery this week
- †For **Richard Maske** admitted to Mercy South Hospital
- †For **Trudy Penno** dealing with health issues
- †For Tom McLaughlin, father of **Lisa Krenz**, recovering from back surgery
- †For Betty Rick, friend of **Sandra Roessler**, recovering at home following a second surgery
- †For Mark Helmkamp, brother-in-law of **Jeanine Consolino**, recovering from surgery
- †For Luke Victor, brother of **Carleigh Ottwell**, recovering from ankle surgery.
- †For **Larry Kremmel** recovering following hip replacement surgery.
- †For Lisa Gummersheimer recovering from surgery

†For the family of Rose Schorr, sister-in-law of **Dean & Ellen Schorr**, who passed away this week

†For those undergoing cancer treatments/living with cancer

Marla Vogt, friend of **Sandy Roessler**
Jean Landgraf, friend of congregation
Jan Hoffman, friend of **Sandy Roessler**
Mel Kienemann, friend of **Gene and Jackie Haberl**
John McPeak, son-in-law of **Kim Butler**
Betty Pierson
Gary Haberl, cousin of **Gene Haberl**
Aaron Ritter, relative of **Gale Toolen**

For those in care facilities and Home Bound

Delma Arbeiter – Freeburg Care Center
Pauline Greatting & **Ellavee** Pulcher - Integrity, Columbia
Delphine Girard –Integrity, Columbia
Edna Poenitske - Oak Hill, Waterloo
John Hertz; **Rick** Meyer – in Belleville
Robert Melliere– Legacy, Waterloo
Maurice Schneider & **Elvera** Schuchert– Garden Place, Columbia
Janet Bense – Edwardsville Nursing Home & Rehab
Lorene Mochrs – Integrity, Columbia
Juanita Ritter; **Melvin** Becherer

It is our great privilege to go to the throne of our gracious Savior on behalf of all those in need of prayer. We hope that those listed above will also be part of your daily prayer life. Please call the church office to add and remove names from the prayer list.

Announcements
February 3, 2019

Foundational Christianity: Through the middle of April the Sunday morning adult class is looking at foundational teachings of the Christian/Lutheran faith. Please join us in the fellowship hall as this week we look at the power and work of the “Holy Spirit”. Next week our topic will be “The Church”.

Epiphany Missions Highlight: Lutheran Hour Ministries is a trusted resource in global media that equips and engages a vibrant volunteer base to passionately proclaim the Gospel to more than 125 million people worldwide each week. Through its North American headquarters and 34 ministry centers on six continents, LHM reaches into more than 50 countries, often bringing Christ to places where no other Christian evangelistic organizations are present. LHM’s flagship ministry, **The Lutheran Hour®**, airs weekly on more than 1,800 radio stations and the American Forces Network. You can listen to the Lutheran Hour on KFUE AM 850 on Sundays at 12:30pm and 5pm. You can also read or listen to daily LHM devotions at www.lhm.org/dailydevotions

Adult Information Class: If you or anyone you know may be interested in joining this congregation and/or learning more about the Lutheran church, please join us on Wednesday, February 6th at 6pm for an informational meeting.

Men’s Morning Bible Study: Join us at Robert L. Thoma Tax & Accounting Service on Tuesday morning at 7:15 for Bible Study and prayer. We are presently looking at the OT, Epistle, and Gospel Reading from the previous Sunday.

“The Way” February Sermon Series

February 3rd “The Way of Love” 1 Corinthians 12:31b-13:13
February 10th “The way of Edification” 1 Corinthians 14:12-20
February 17th “The way of Blessedness” Luke 6:20-22
February 24th “The way of unexpected Love” Luke 6:27-38

Refrigerator Magnets: Pick up your free St. Paul’s Lutheran refrigerator magnets in the narthex. This magnet has the church and Pastor’s email and phone number.

The youth group Valentine fundraiser is happening now!

You could win one of two Valentine themed gift baskets - each valued over \$100. Entries and free will donations are accepted after each Sunday until February 3rd. Drawing will be held on February 9th.

Food Pantry News: On Jan. 16th we served 19 households representing 46 adults and 12 children. We currently are in need of boxes of cereal and plastic bags. Thank you.

On Jan. 20, we celebrated Life Sunday by taking home a baby bottle to support **Life Network of Southern Illinois crisis pregnancy mission**. Please return your filled baby bottles to the church office.

SAVE THE DATE - the annual **Church Rummage Sale** will be Saturday **March 23, 2019**. Instead of donating your items to other causes, please save them for our event to benefit our youth going to the National Youth Gathering in Minneapolis in July. Any and all items are greatly appreciated. However, we cannot take computers or TV’s. Clothes in good condition will be accepted.

St. John's Lutheran Church in Ruma will NOT be hosting their annual Fried Chicken Dinner this February. Thank you for your past patronage.

PLEASE SAVE the fronts of **Christmas cards** to donate to the LWML Christmas stocking event for use next fall. Religious or cute designs from cards could be potential decorations for the stockings. A small container will be available on the LWML counter (under the LWML bulletin board) as you come up the stairs. These cards will be picked up the 2nd week of February. If you have any questions, contact Wanda at 281-4691.