

# Announcements St. Paul's Lutheran Church

(Missouri Synod)

### Thank you for joining us this weekend to worship our Lord and Savior.

 If you don't feel comfortable coming or are not feeling well, we encourage you to stay home and watch our services online.

• We Live Stream our Sunday services on Facebook/ stpaulslutheranchurchschool at 8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. and they will also be posted on www.siouxcitystpauls.org and the church app the following day.

#### St. Paul's App

- Go to the App Store and look for St. Paul's Lutheran, Sioux City.
- The App has previous sermons and church services, calendar, news, groups and school info.
- You can also give your tithes and offerings directly on the App or on the church website www.siouxcitystpauls.org

Week of Jan. 1—9, 2022, 2021, at St. Paul's				
Today:	Worship/Communion Worship/Communion	8:15 a.m. 10:45 a.m.		
Tuesday:	Evangelism Comm. Meeting Elder's Meeting	4:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.		
Wednesday:	Lamplighters—Hope Lutheran Homework Huddle Confirmation	9:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 5:15 p.m.		
Thursday: Saturday:	Morning Bible Study/Basement Worship	8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.		
Sunday:	Worship Disciple Training Hour Worship	8:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m.		

## PRAY FOR EACH OTHER

We ask your prayers on behalf of our friends in Christ who have been hospitalized or are sick: Carolyn Montagne, and Doug Siefker. We continue to pray for those weak and dealing with ongoing sicknesses: Helen Eriksen, Verlie Yockey, Bernie Attema, Mary Kay Holiday, Natalie Powell, Deb Chellew, Bethamy Lewis and Suzy Awe. We remember the Chellew family in our prayers as Lowell has gone home to be with Jesus on Dec. 27.

Funeral Services for Lowell Chellew: Sunday, January 2 from 5-8 p.m. there will be a visitation at Meyer Brothers Morningside Chapel. No prayer service. Monday, January 3 at 10:30 a.m. the funeral will be at St. Paul's with a luncheon in the school gym following the funeral and the committal service at Memorial Park Cemetery following the luncheon.

## Last Week's Offering: The love offering will go to We Care Ministry

#### We Care Ministry Report

Last Week	Received To Date	Spent in 2021	Balance
\$10	\$10,392.23	\$2,333.75	\$8,058.48

#### **Church Offering Report**

Weekly Offering	Actual	Up To Date	Year to Date Budget
Dec. 24-26	\$16,405.00	\$379,145.93	

#### <u>Last Week's Attendance;</u>

Christmas Eve: 187 Christmas Day: 39 Sunday, Dec. 26: 71

#### **FAMILY MATTERS**

<u>DISCIPLE TRAINING HOUR-9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.</u> There will not be any education hour classes on **Sunday**, **Jan. 2** 

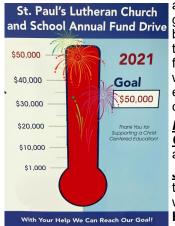
**Adult Bible Class** normally will meet in the Church basement with Pastor. Kenny, studying the Book of Concord, the Augsburg Confession.

Sunday School: Our next class will resume on Jan. 9

**Lesson of the Day** normally will meet in the school lunchroom with Frank Tenuta.

**LWML Mites offering** will be placed on the table in the back of the church on the first weekend of every month. Please remember to bring your little mites boxes and add them to the LWML offering box. Your donations are appreciated and goes towards missions.

## St. Paul's Church and School Annual Fund Drive Comes to an End We



are pleased to announce that we have hit our goal of \$50,000. This week we raised \$13,361 bringing us to a total of \$51,051! We would like to give all glory to God from whom all blessings flow. Thank you for your kind and generous gifts which will allow us to continue to bring Christian education to the children of Siouxland this coming year!

Homework Huddle and Confirmation Classes: will be on break and will not meet again until Wednesday, January 5.

<u>January Newsletter</u> is available in the back of the church, or online, or on the church app. The website has a link to the newsletter on both the **Home** page and the **News** page at

# www.siouxcitystpauls.org.

<u>Portals of Prayer:</u> Start the new year with a daily devotion with God. Pick up your Portal of Prayer booklet at the back table.

<u>February Newsletter:</u> The deadline to get information to the church office for the newsletter is **Wednesday**, **January 26**.

<u>Friends of Christ:</u> Soup and Pie dinner with a white elephant gift exchange on **January 23** at Faith Lutheran at 2:00 p.m.

**<u>2022 Offering Envelops:</u>** Are now available in the Narthex area of the church. Please stop by and pick yours up. If there is any information incorrect on your envelopes or you did not receive your envelopes, please contact Dana at the Church office.

**<u>2021 Year-End Giving Statements:</u>** will be available by January 31 at the latest. If you need them earlier, please contact Dana at the Church office.

<u>Lutheran Witness Magazine Renewal:</u> If you are interested in renewing your magazine subscriptions or starting a new subscription, please contact Dana at the church office. The cost for 11 issues of the Lutheran Witness Magazine is \$22.68. Please have your payment to the office by **Sunday, Feb. 27.** The magazine will be mailed directly to you.

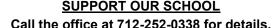
#### **NEIGHBORS**

<u>The LCMS Office of National Mission</u> invites you to register for the Making Disciples for Life January 2022 hybrid conference The Rock in Shifting Sands. As a hybrid conference, sessions will be held in-person (in St. Louis) and online (wherever you are) on **January 10 –12, 2022** at 1333 S. Kirkwood Rd., National Mission, St. Louis, MO 63122-7226

<u>Camp Okoboji:</u> CAMP REGISTRATION OPENS DECEMBER 15! From December 15 -January 15, all summer registrations have the 20% Christmas Rate Discount! Go to www.campokoboji.org for more information.

<u>FAMILY ICE FISHING RETREAT</u> For families of all sizes and ages who love to fish or want to learn can come to this weekend retreat on **January 28-30**. Pastor Ben Dose of Zion - Arcadia & Pastor Jim Stogdill of Messiah - Johnston will be our Bible Study leaders.

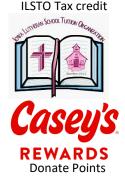
<u>WINTER GAMES FAMILY FUNFEST</u> Join us from 10:00A.M. to 2:00P.M. on **Saturday**, **January 29** for some Family Winter Fun during the University Of Okoboji Winter Games. Events to include our renowned Ping Pong Tournament, Sledding, Inflatables, Yard Games, Face Painting, Hot Chocolate and S'mores, and Sleigh Rides (weather permitting). A meal will be available. They are looking for volunteers to assist with the games and activities To volunteer, contact Izaak Wendorff at izaak.campokoboji@gmail.com.







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#### REGULAR MONTHLY MEETINGS

Anna's Circle/Sewing Group meets on the second and fourth Mondays each month. The next meetings are **Jan. 13 and 27** at 9 a.m. in the church basement.

**Board of Ed Meeting:** The Board of Education will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 13, in the school lunchroom.

Elders Meeting: The Elders will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 4. at 7:00 p.m.

Evangelism Committee Meeting: Every Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. in Pastor's Office.

Lamplighters: Meets the first Wednesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. on Jan. 5 at Hope Lutheran Church in South Sioux.

Mary Martha Circle: Meets the third Monday of every month for food, fun, fellowship and Bible Study. Monday, Jan. 17, at the Eastside Perkins at 6 p.m.

Morning Bible Study: Thursday morning Bible Study will be meeting in the church basement at 8:30 a.m.

St. Paul's Women's League Meeting: The ladies meet the first Thursday of the month in the church basement. The ladies will not be meeting in January.

Youth/Parent Board Meeting: Youth Parents and Committee Members will meet at 6:30 p.m. **Tuesday, Jan. 11**, in the Church basement.

#### **BUILDING HEALTHY FAMILIES**

Our culture encourages us to see the will my actions effect my children, my world and our relationships through a lens of individualism, in which we make decisions based on the question: "How will this effect ME?" How would our world be different if we returned to a faith, family, and communitycentered lens, in which decisions are instead based on this question: "How

spouse, my parents, my family, congregational mγ community?" Give it a try this week! 4301 Sergeant Road, Ste. 203, Sioux City, Iowa 51106 (712) 276-9000. Lutheran

Family Service

For Sunday morning Radio listeners and TV viewers

KSCJ 1360 radio: 8:00 a.m. The Good Shepherd Hour 8:30 a.m. The Lutheran Hour

KCAU-TV, Channel 9: 10:00 a.m. This is the Life

10:30 a.m. Mainstreet Living Program broadcasts the church service with our area pastors and the Mainstreet Living Choir.

Main Street Living Media Ministry — Local Lutheran Worship. If interested in giving to this ministry, you can send an offering to the church office or pick up an envelope in the foyer.