

Announcements

St. Paul's Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)



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



- We will continue normal services following the CDC guidelines of social distancing and proper hygiene practices.
- **We strongly recommend for you to wear a mask during services.**
- There are hand sanitizer stations in the sanctuary and Fellowship Hall for your use.
- 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. and 10:45 a.m. and they will also be posted on **www.siouxcitystpauls.org** and the church app the following day.



For Children During the Worship Services

There are Quiet Bags, Children's Bibles and Children's Bulletins to occupy the children during worship services. The children bulletins are available on the table in the back of the church.

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 Mar. 28-Apr. 4, 2021, at St. Paul's:

Today:	Worship	8:15 a.m.
	Disciple Training Hour	9:30 a.m.
	Worship	10:45 a.m.
Tuesday:	Evangelism Comm. Meeting	4:30 p.m.
Thursday:	Bible Study/Fellowship Hall	8:30 a.m.
	Maundy Thursday Services	12:15 and 6:00 p.m.
Friday:	Good Friday Services	12:15 and 6:00 p.m.
Saturday:	Adult Confirmation Classes	8:30 –10:15 a.m.
Sunday:	Easter Breakfast	7:30-11:00 a.m.
	Worship/Communion	8:15 a.m.
	Disciple Training Hour	9:30 a.m.
	Easter Egg Hunt	9:30 a.m.
	Worship/Communion	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: Joseph Hood and Carolyn Stuhr.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

The night of Jesus' Last Supper with His disciples, He rose from the table, got a basin of water, and proceeded to wash His disciples' feet. They were embarrassed, for this was the task of a servant, not their Lord. But He insisted. We stewards must ask ourselves if we, too, are willing to do the lowly, the distasteful, the unappreciated, even the misunderstood in order to fulfill Christ's command, "Feed My sheep" (John 21:17).

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

We Care Ministry Report

Last Week	To Date	Spent in 2021	Balance
\$5.00	\$9,355.33		\$9,355.33

Church Offering Report

Weekly Offering	Actual	Up To Date	Year to Date Budget
Mar. 20-21	\$5,958.14	\$85,785.31	

Last Week's Attendance:

Mid-Week Lenten Service, Mar. 17: 67

Saturday, Mar. 20 and Sunday, Mar. 21: 109

FAMILY MATTERS

DISCIPLE TRAINING HOUR-9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible Class will meet in the Fellowship Hall in the Church basement. We will be studying the Gospel of Luke.

Sunday School: Palm Sunday Special Lesson

Lesson of the Day with Frank Tenuta will meet in the Church office.

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.

Lamplighters: During the month of March we will be focusing our giving to the Lamplighters. The Lamplighters are men and women who visit the nursing homes and share the Gospel of Jesus Christ. The donations are helping with supply of devotional materials to assist the Lamplighters in their visits. If you would like to give, please use the envelopes located in the bulletins.

March Newsletter is available today in the back of the church or online at www.siouxcitystpauls.org or on the church app. The website has a link to the newsletter on both the **Home** page and the **News** page.

April Newsletter deadline to get information to the office will be **Wednesday, Mar. 24.**

Church and School Changed Emails: The St. Paul's Church and school emails have been changed. Please use **siouxcitystpauls@gmail.com** for any emails needing to be sent to the church. Please use **office@stpaulssiouxcity.org** for emails needing to go to the school.

Easter Breakfast: The youth are having an Easter Breakfast on **Sunday, April 4** from 7:30 to 11:00 a.m. Come enjoy breakfast and a wonderful Easter Service at 8:15 or 10:45 a.m. Breakfast will be a free-will offering.

Easter Egg Hunt: The Evangelism Committee is hosting an Egg Hunt at the school playground on **Sunday, April 4th** during the Sunday School hour at 9:30 a.m.. All St. Paul's elementary kids are invited to the egg hunt, snacks, and story time. If the weather is bad we will have it in the gym.

Mission Central Visit: will be **Saturday, April 10th**. All members are invited to come. The group will leave the church at 9:15 a.m. and caravan to Mapleton, IA where Mission Central is located. Please call the office at 712-252-0338 to let us know you are coming. Mission Central will need a head count for lunch.

Sewing Club—Will meet on the second and fourth Monday's of the month at 9:00 a.m. which will be **April 12 and 26**.

Youth Monthly Meeting: Youth Parents and Committee Members will meet **Tuesday, April 13**, in the Church Basement at 6pm. We meet on the 2nd Tuesday each month.

Rite of Confirmation: will be on **Sunday, May 2, 2021 at the 10:45 a.m. service** with the confirmation dinner for those being confirmed and their parents only on **Friday, April 30** at Famous Dave's.

Armor of God Sunday. This session the kids in Sunday School have been studying the pieces of armor God has given us to defend ourselves against the evil one. We encourage parents to join us on **Sunday, May 9th** to help the kids build their own Armor of God.

VBS Preview and Ice Cream Social Sunday. Get a sneak peak at this summers VBS Rocky Railway on **Sunday, May 16**. Volunteers and kids can sign up for the event.

Last day of Sunday School. We will have outdoor games and activities on **Sunday, May 23** to end the Sunday School year.

06/14/21 to 06/18/21 VBS WEEK! Join us from 9am until 12pm Monday thru Friday at the church for Rocky Railway. You can sign up online at www.vbspro.events/p/splvbs2021 or by calling the church office.

Thursday Morning Bible Study: 8:30 a.m. Thursday morning Bible Study continues weekly in the Fellowship Hall. Come join us as we take a deeper look into God's word.

Adult Confirmation Classes: will be every **Saturday** from 8:30—10:15 a.m. in the church basement for the month of March.

Confirmation Classes: are every **Wednesday night at 5:10—6:00 p.m.** with pizza being served from 5:10 to 5:30 p.m., in the church basement.

Hy-Vee Receipts Program: We are collecting Hy-Vee receipts once again. Please save all receipts dated Between **August 1, 2020 and April 25, 2021**, Drop-offs are located in the church office or in the church or can be sent with St. Paul's students. The receipts accepted

are from the Sioux City Hy-Vee locations and the South Sioux City Hy-Vee location or the Hy-Vee Mainstreet Store. Thanks for your support.

OUR NEIGHBORS

Men's Prayer Breakfast and Bible Study Iowa District West LLL/ LHM is having a prayer breakfast and Bible study on **Saturday, April 10, 2021** from 8 –11:30 a.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church, 500 North 24th Street, Denison, IA. Special guest speaker is Rev. David Loesch. He will be discussing Chaplain to Law Enforcement. The cost: is \$15. For more information, contact John Tews (valleyinsjt@gmail.com or 641-740-0126 cell).

Ladies Retreat: "In Full Bloom" Ladies Retreat will be at Christ Lutheran Church in Remsen, IA on **Saturday, April 10** from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Cost is \$15. Come join us as we discover how to live in full bloom for Christ as women. We will learn how to live for Him day-to-day, in our homes and communities. For more information or to register call Amber at 712-786-2225

Her Health Women's Center Annual Fundraising Banquet, Rise Up! will be **Tuesday, April 13** from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Sioux City Convention Center. RSVP online at PartnersofHerHealth.org or call 712-276-0237 to reserve your spot or to host a table of 8. This event is free, but an opportunity to make a financial pledge will be offered. Sheila Walsh will be the speaker. A Sign up sheet is in the back of the church. The church has reserved a table. Please join us.

Higher Things Youth Retreat at Camp Okoboji: Higher Things exists to support the church in passing on the faith by teaching the next generation the Gospel of Jesus Christ: that they are saved by grace alone, through faith alone, as revealed in Scripture alone. Retreat for grades 7 to 12, starts at 8:00 P.M. **Friday, April 16** and ends at 2:30 P.M. **Saturday, April 17**. For additional information go to www.campokoboji.org; Program Resources; Camp Schedule; Higher Things Retreat.

Spring Rally: Redeemer Lutheran will be hosting the Sioux City Zone Spring Rally, **Sunday, April 18** from 2:00-3:00 p.m.. The guest speaker will be Susie Edgar from Her Health Women's Center. There also will be an IN-Gathering for Ginny's Little Feet Boutique.

BUILDING HEALTHY FAMILIES

With apologies to the 1970's movie Love Story, love means you do occasionally have to say you're sorry! Be willing to accept your own mistakes, recognize and admit it when you have hurt someone, and apologize. Your children will learn how to do this in their own lives (or not) by watching the example you set. "Make this your common practice: Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you can live together whole and healed. The prayer of a person living right with God is something powerful to be reckoned with." (James 5:16) Lutheran Family Service, 4301 Sergeant Road, Ste. 203, Sioux City, Iowa 51106; (712) 276-9000.