

GENERAL INFORMATION

St. Paul Affiliated Community Notices

The Red Cross is in critical need of blood donations. Drive is held at Oostburg State Bank, Community Room on May 8 from 11 AM - 4 PM. Register at 1-800-RED CROSS.

Help Love INC celebrate our New Way Community participants with a \$25 Kwik Trip general purpose gift card! Participants are awarded a gift card at their Celebration Ceremony. Please place purchased gift cards in an office drop box. Please make sure they are clearly marked for Love INC. If you purchase these cards through our Mission Partner Scrip program here at church, you will benefit two mission projects at the same time!

Join us on Tues, April 29 at Blue Harbor for a fundraising night of celebration as we share the exciting opportunity to bring the light, life, and love of Jesus to the incarcerated in our community and around the world. See the poster on the Community Bulletin Board for registration and more information.

Morning Meditations is a short devotion week-day mornings (M-F) on WHBL - 1330AM at 7:26 AM and between 10:45 - 10:50 AM by area LCMS pastors. Please go to morningmeditations.com to check out events or hear the recorded message.

South Wisconsin District Financial Aid applications are **due May 15**. Anyone attending a Concordia University or Seminary, is a member of an LCMS congregation in the SWD, and is preparing to be a full-time church worker is encouraged to apply. There are two applications required (District Financial Aid Application and Personal Aid Application); both are available on the SWD website www.swd.lcms.org/AID.

More Community Announcements & Events posted on the bulletin board by the Kitchenette & Room 100.

Children's Bulletin Sponsor:

Greg Bovre

Flowers on the Altar:

**In Memory of Peggy Wilcox's
Birthday on May 1st**

Given by Lee Wilcox & Family

**In Honor of Tim & Colleen Sass'
40th Wedding Anniversary**

Given by Tim & Colleen Sass

Worship Attendance Recorded

(Holy Week)

Maundy Thursday - 1:00 PM - 89
6:30 PM - 129
Total: 218

Good Friday - 1:00 PM - 206
6:30 PM - 415
Total: 621

Easter Sunday - 7:30 AM - 314
9:15 AM - 535
11:00 AM - 292
Online 22
Total: 1163

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WEEKLY NEWS

April 24 - 30, 2025

Council & Endowment Election Results

Congratulations to the following individuals who were elected by our congregation to serve in various positions in our church. Their term begins July 1, 2025:

President: Tom Splittgerber

Member-at-Large: Chad Berke, Mark Buffington, Michelle Zuengler

Endowment Team: Tom Leibham, Rita Ten Pas

Please lift these individuals up in prayer as they lead our church and thank them for their service!

Easter Flowers

Thank you to all who purchased a plant to decorate the church for Easter! Please take your plant home with you today!

Resurrection Garden Take Down

Mon April 28 at 10:00 AM

Help is needed and appreciated to dismantle and store the "Resurrection Garden".

Cinnamon Roll Sale

Don't forget to order your cinnamon rolls for Mothers Day! These can be packaged with frosting on the side to allow for freezing. They freeze well, so order plenty and have them on-hand for whenever you have that sweet tooth! Order online at www.stpaulfalls.com.

Rev. Edward W. Albertin Scholarship

The Rev. Edward W. Albertin scholarship grant applications are due by May 1, 2025. If you are a member of this congregation and are attending a LCMS college pursuing a full time career within the church, you qualify for a grant. Application forms are available on the Information Wall in the Gathering Area.

Neat Repeats Donations

There is a bin in the Giving Center for small bags or boxes of items to be donated to Neat Repeats. Please take large items / amounts directly to Neat Repeats.

St. Paul Serves

There are still a few opportunities to sign up to serve! Sign up sheets are on the kiosk in the Gathering Area.

Widow / Widowers Out to Eat

Wed April 30, 5:30 social, 6:00 dinner

Chris & Sue's, W3829 CTY RD C

Sign up at the kiosk by the Welcome Center in the Gathering Area. Contact Deb with any questions at 920-918-5800.

Feed My Starving Children

Mark your calendars for Oct 9-11 for the annual FMSC MobilePack at St. Paul! We need your hands and heart to make this happen! More details coming soon.

Celebrate Recovery

Do you struggle with past or current hurts or with life in general? In Celebrate Recovery we follow a Christian 8 Principal/12 Step process to heal from life's hurts, hang-ups, and habits! No sign-up necessary, just a willingness to show up. All are welcome! Call Julie at 920-207-1397 for more information or to inquire about free babysitting.

LERT (Lutheran Early Response Team)

Along with creating our own LERT team, our church has created a new dedicated fund to support LERT mission efforts. Anyone wishing to support disaster relief efforts can make their donations directly to this new fund, either through the offering plate or online. For questions about LERT contact Pete Strains at 920-838-4969.

Summer Worship Schedule:

May 18 - Aug 31 8:00 AM & 9:30 AM

9:30 service livestreamed weekly

Thursdays remain at 6:30 PM

CHILDREN, YOUTH, & FAMILY MINISTRY

Savannah Henn (Children & Family)
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AWANA

We had a wonderful year at AWANA! Thank you to all the amazing volunteers who served. Awesome job to all the children who worked hard on their handbooks this year. We look forward to starting AWANA again in Sept.

Sunday School

This week 3K-3rd graders will wrap up their unit on how Jesus gives us hope: 4th & 5th graders will continue their unit on the book of James.

Reminder: our final week of Sunday School is May 11.

VBS Volunteers

Vacation Bible School is looking for volunteers to serve July 27-30 from 3-6 PM at church. We are looking for crew leaders, station leaders, floaters, and help with drama/music. Sign up on the church website or chat with Savannah.

Child Registration for VBS opens May 8. Children 3 years old-5th grade can register. VBS is a free event. We hope you can join us!

CYF Event

We had a great time at Bowling on Apr 13! Over 80 people joined us for an evening of bowling, pizza, and snacks.

There is no CYF event scheduled for May. Families are encouraged to sign up for **St. Paul Serves** and serve as a family.

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Confirmation

Reminders for Confirmation families:

- ✠ Confirmation class ends this week Wed, April 30. 8th grade rehearsal takes place this week. Please keep 8th grade students in your prayers as they get Confirmed next Sunday.
- ✠ We praise God for the awesome people who mentor our middle school Confirmation students!

Youth & Young Adult

• **Summer Youth Group**

Youth group has concluded for the school year, but exciting events are set for summer. We praise God for our amazing youth leadership team.

May - St. Paul Serves, Confirmation

June - Grad Sunday, Youth Mission Trip, Food, Fire, & Fellowship

July - Swimming Party, LCMS Youth Gathering, VBS

August - District Youth Event, Kickball

• **Youth Mission Trip & National Youth Gathering Participants:**

A reminder to all youth mission trip and youth gathering trip participants that paperwork is due May 4! Items can be placed in any drop box here at church.

• **High School Graduates**

Graduating High School seniors should complete online link by May 14 to be part of the service on June 1.

PRAYERS & HOLY WEEK INFORMATION

Please Pray For:

Recovering: Jim Ottmanu

Anniversary: Tim & Colleen Sass, April 27

Baptism: Harvey Anderson

Would you like us to pray for you or someone you love?

- ♦ If you are in the hospital, please call the Church Office to let a pastor know. They would love to visit and pray with you.
- ♦ If someone you know needs prayer, please talk to a pastor so that we can pray for them in church and/or add them to our Prayer Chain.
- ♦ If you need a pastoral visit for any reason, please contact a pastor to schedule a visit. If we don't know, we can't help!

Pray for Our Active Members in the Military:

Air Force: Christopher Saunders

Air Force Reserve: Saul Grosshuesch

Army: Zachary Kattner, Ryan Schmidt

Army Reserve: Amanda Zimmerman,
Robert Zimmermann, Max Zuengler

Marine Corps: Zeke Norlander

National Guard: Joshua Becker

Navy: Steven Mueller

Military Photos

We have an ongoing military picture display to honor our church members - both veterans and enlisted. To be included, please provide a 4x6 photo, with name on the back, and put it in the office in the box marked "military."

Giving Center Donations

Items currently being collected at the Giving Center (*located in the hallway near the Fellowship Hall*)

St. Paul Quilters: On-going collection of gently used sheets & material (label and place on top)

Early Childhood Center: On-going collection of used ink cartridges and cell phones

Pillowcase Dresses: On-going collection of new or gently used pillow cases - cotton or cotton blend only - we cannot use microfiber or other synthetic fabric

Sheboygan Falls Food Pantry: On-going collection of food & paper products for the SF Pantry

Helping Kids: On-going collection of food for families with children at SF schools

Neat Repeats: On-going collection of items (small amounts only). If you have a large amount, please drop off at the Neat Repeats store in Plymouth

Mary's Room: On-going collection of newborn sleepers

Love INC: On-going collection of Personal Care Items (loveincsheboygancounty.org/donate)