

Welcome to our worship today! St. Paul is here to serve God and all those who seek Him. If you are looking for a church, we would be glad to have you join us.

Please sign the Record of Fellowship pads in the pews.

Secretary: Hilary Klevesahl: 920-621-4569; klevesahlh@gmail.com

Elder: Jack Schmoll

Altar Guild: Judy Specht & Jane Runge

Granist: Sheila Raddant

Acolyte: Glenn Klevesahl

Greeters/Ushers: Dan Schutt & Ron Wians

Dec. 22: Jack & Dawn Schmoll
Dec. 24: Judy Specht & Sheila Zastrow
Dec. 25: Jim & Jessica Lederer
Dec. 29: Duane Falk & Sid Krueger

Order of worship: Divine Service 1 (p. 151)

Opening: 338 Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus; **Sermon:** 349 Hark the Glad Sound; **Communion:** Printed: What Feast of Love; 546 O Jesus So Sweet, O Jesus So Mild; **Closing:** 393 Infant Holy, Infant Lowly

Offering from Dec. 8th

Current: \$1060 Mission: \$85 Loose: \$6

Parish Weekly Calendar
6p – Chimes @ IM
7p – Choir @ IM
7p – SP Dartball @ Hayes
8p – IM Dartball @ Breed
9a-12p – Pastor Office @ IM
6p – Bible Study @ SP
9a – Matins @ IM
9:30a – Bible Study @ IM
7a – Advent Worship @ SP
8a-12p – Pastor Office @ SP
9a – Matins @ SP
11a – LWML @ SP
9:30 – SS Practice & Celebration @ SP
8:30a – Worship @ IM (9:45 Sunday School)
10a – Worship @ SP
1p – Shut-in Caroling

Please keep in your prayers: David Korth, Lois Weisnicht, Judy Specht, Chuck Milis, John Bauer, Glenn Schreiber, Brice Huntington, Rebecca Bonnin, Judy Manthei, Steve Olson, Mary Ellen Fisher, Troy Westphal,

Pam Beilfuss, Bryan Poirier, Lavern Styczynski, Ernie Pelky, Jason Kor, Luke Torbeck, Carissa Baker, Jessalyn Kopitzke and baby Bo, and Katherine Krause and Jamie Cannon & their babies.

Church & Parish Announcements:

We're collecting donations for the kids' **Goody Bags** after the Christmas Eve service. Check out the "tree" in the Narthex to see what is still needed.

If interested in joining the **Usher** team, please let Hilary Klevesahl know.

There are also many **Council** positions open that we'd love to see some new (or old!) faces in. Speak with Ron Wians if interested or would like more information about the following positions: **Chairman, Recording Secretary, Elder, Trustee, and Finance Board**. Many hands make light work!

Here is our parish **Christmas Schedule** – gathering to share the joy of our celebrations of Christ's birth.

Dec. 22: Shut-in Caroling (tentative date)

Dec. 24: Children's Christmas Program @ SP-4 pm Children's Christmas Program @ IM-6 pm "Silent Night" Worship @ IM-9 pm

Dec. 25: Christmas Day Worship @ IM- 9 am Dec. 29: Christmas Light Trip to Chippewa Falls Jan. 1: New Year's Day Worship @ SP- 9 am

The bus we will be taking to **Chippewa Falls to see the Christmas Lights** is currently full. We will be carpooling as well.

Community Announcements:

The **Take-Them-A-Meal** sign up is active on sam25.org. Please consider signing up to bring a meal to the shelter. SAM25 also has an <u>urgent need</u> for the following items: **Bottled Water, Individual Bags of Chips, Copy Paper, Winter Gloves, Backpacks, and Men's Boxers & Underwear.** Donations can be put in the box in the Narthex. Thanks for your generosity!

District Announcements:

The **2025 WI Youth Bible Bowl** will be held on Saturday, April 5th at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 240 E Green Bay St., Bonduel. This event is open to youth in grades 6-12 and will be based on "The Life of King David (1 Samuel 16 – 1 Kings 2). Details and registration information can be found on the North WI District website under "Events and Info" at <u>www.nwdlcms.org</u>.

December 15, 2024 3rd Sunday in Advent



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The mission of St. Paul Lutheran Church is to serve the members of the congregation through the preaching of the Word of God and the administration of the Sacraments, to encourage Christian fellowship and charity, to share the Gospel of the Kingdom of God with the unchurched, and to support the work of the North Wisconsin District and the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod