



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

**Organist:** Lynn Wickesberg

**Altar Guild:** Dawn Schmoll

**Greeters/Ushers:** John & Jane Runge

March 16: Jack & Dawn Schmoll

March 23: Dan Schutt & Ron Wians

**Order of worship:** Bulletin Insert & Divine Service 4 (p. 203)

**Opening:** 418 O Lord, throughout These Forty Days; **Sermon:** 657 A

Mighty Fortress Is Our God; **Closing:** 433 Glory Be to Jesus

### **Offering from March 2**

Current: \$2255

Missions: \$335

Communion: \$5

Loose: \$25

### **Parish Weekly Calendar**

Monday, March 10	9a – Matins @ IM 6p – Chimes @ IM 7p – Choir @ IM
Tuesday, March 11	8a-12p – Pastor Office @ IM 9a – Matins @ SP 6p – Bible Study SP
Wednesday, March 12	11a – Lent Worship @ SP (Lunch to follow) 7p – Lent Worship @ IM (following dinner at 6p)
Thursday, March 13	8a-12p – Pastor Office @ SP 9a – Matins @ SP
Friday, March 14	9a – Matins @ SP
Saturday, March 15	1p – Movie Outing in Green Bay
Sunday, March 16	8:30a – Worship @ IM (SS @ 9:45a) 10a – Worship @ SP (SS @ 9:10) 3p – Private Confession @ IM 4p – Adult Education @ IM 5:45p – Evening Prayer @ IM 6p – Confirmation IM

The youth of the parish (Grades 6-12) are invited to the Shawano bowling alley today at 1p for fun and fellowship. Cost is \$20 and includes food. Speak to PC or Megan Hartleben if you have any questions.

Please keep in your prayers: **Dan Schutt, David Korth, Lois Weisnicht, Judy Specht, Chuck Milis, John Bauer, the family of Roy Fischer, Betsy Stanke, Carol Brede, Ed Stanek, Ron Muck, Glenn Schreiber, Brice Huntington, Rebecca Bonnin, Judy Manthei, Steve Olson, Mary Ellen Fisher, Pam Beilfuss, Bryan Poirier, Terri Kowalczyk, Ernie Pelky, Jason Kor, and Carissa Baker.**

### **Church & Parish Announcements:**

We are now in the **Season of Lent**, these 40 days where we strip away aspects of our worship in order that all that remains is Christ and the death and resurrection He underwent for our salvation. With that, our worship will look different. We will begin each week with praying the Litany, where we remind ourselves, in our prayer to God, of our need for His constant mercy. Gone will be any song of praise or thanksgiving, drawing us to reflect on the need for God's mercy. We will not take the Doxology on our lips, leading to a longing to sing of God's glory.

Instead of using the ashes from last year's palms on Ash Wednesday, they will be found throughout Lent in a bowl at the entrance to the Nave. You are invited to make a cross in the bowl as you enter, allowing the dust to remain and dirty your fingers, drawing to mind your constant need to turn to your God for your forgiveness.

In all these things, what is hoped is that your thoughts and prayers will be held only onto the form of our crucified Savior who laid down His life for your sake.

We are again holding **Lent Worship Services** on Wednesdays at 11a (St. Paul) and 7p (Immanuel). This year we are participating in a round-robin with Circuit 13. The theme is "Faith in the Midst of Darkness." We will be holding a lunch/snack after worship at SP and dinner at IM. Please consider signing up to serve.

March 12: Pastor Fehrmann, St. Paul - Bonduel

March 19: Pastor Craig

March 26: Pastor Kleinschmidt, St. Jakobi

April 2: Pastor Zobel/Kaiser, St. James

April 9: Pastor Conradt, Hermansfort & Stony Hill

The Ladies Aid/LWML is again making **Personal Health Kits** for Lutheran World Relief. During Lent we are asking for donations from our congregation to help supply items for these kits. Needed items are:

\*lightweight towels (preferably darker colors)      \*fingernail clippers

\*sturdy combs (no pocket combs)      \*4 oz. or larger bars of bath soap

We appreciate all the help we have gotten in the past years - thank you for your generosity!

The parish could have a 15 minute service each week on the local radio. Cost would be \$60/week and it requires a year-long commitment. Please let PC or Ron Wians know if this is something you would be in favor of and support.

On Saturday, March 15, everyone is invited to join us for the new movie, **"The Last Supper"** at the GB theatre. We will go to the 1p showing, with a supper to follow if people wish. If you would like to carpool, we'll leave IM by noon.

#### **Mark your calendars!**

\*The children's **Easter Egg Hunt** will be held on April 12th.

\*St Paul will be serving at **Charlie's Red Barn** June 19th-21st. A sign up is in the Narthex.

\*Our **Annual Parish Picnic** will be held at Immanuel on Sun., August 10th.

\***Summer Services** will be held at Immanuel on Wednesday evenings at 7p from June 4th through August 27th.

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#### **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 urgent need for the following items: **Individual Bags of Chips, Bread, Powdered Coffee Creamer, Multipurpose Cleaner, Toilet Bowl Cleaner, Paper Towels, Laundry Detergent, Toilet Paper, Hand Warmers, Gloves, Thermal Underwear.** Donations can be put in the box in the Narthex. Thanks for your generosity!

Registration is now open at our Lutheran schools, including Wolf River Lutheran High School. School Choice Funding applications are open and will remain open through mid-April.

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#### **District Announcements:**

The **2025 WI Youth Bible Bowl** will be held on Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 240 E Green Bay St., Bonduel. Details and registration information can be found on the North WI District website under "Events and Info" at [www.nwdlcms.org](http://www.nwdlcms.org).

## March 9, 2025 First Sunday in Lent



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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*