

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, School, & Preschool (WELS)
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Worship: Saturday at 6:30 PM & Sunday at 7:45 & 10:15 PM

February 4 & 5, 2017	Epiphany 5
Order of Service:	Divine Service II
Psalm of the Day:	Psalm 111, p. 106
Sermon Text & Theme:	Isaiah 58:5-9a
<u>This is the One True Faith</u>	
1. It rests on a right relationship with God, not rituals	
2. It reaches out to those in need to glorify the Lord	

Hymns
382
93
484 v. 1
532 & 280
334

Welcome to Worship at St. Paul's!

- **Assistive listening devices** for the hearing impaired, as well as **children's bulletins**, are on the information centers.
- **Large-print service folders** are available in the narthex. These may be helpful for all because they contain the words of the entire service.
- A **Child Training Room** is on hand for parents with small children.
- **Restrooms** are just to the right as you exit the sanctuary.
- **Please sign our friendship register** and pass it down the pew. We hope this will help all of us get to know one another better!
- **Service Note:** We will stand and sing hymn **484 v. 1** as the offering is returned to the altar. Please get a **Divine Service II folder** today!

God's Word this week: When people notice Christians producing godly lives, it would be easy to pat them on the back and to give them the credit for the good things they do. In reality, God's people are simply reflecting the good work of God's Son, Jesus. Jesus is the Light of the World (John 8:12), and he is revealed through his people -- so let your light shine!

Ushers this weekend are Teams Peachy, Wright, and Weigand. Next weekend (*Feb. 11/12*) ushers will be Team 6 (R. Wilhelms), Team 7 (T. Hill) and Team 8 (M. Ewerdt). Our **greeters** this week are Gilda Wegner, Janet White, and Kim Geisthardt. Next week they will be Lisa Freiberg, Sharon Adams, and Beth Ewerdt. Thank you for your loving service!

January 28 - February 5, 2017

Saturday	6:30pm	Worship with Communion
Sunday	7:45/10:15am	Worship with Communion (Choir sings at 10:15)
	9:00am	Sunday School and Bible Study
	9:00am	Bible Information Class (Katie Luther Room)
Monday	8:30am	Area Pastors Meeting at St. Peter's
	6:00pm	Confirmation Instructions (1 hour)
Tuesday	6:00pm	Board of Christian Education
	6:15pm	WInGS
Wednesday	8:45am	Bible Study: <i>Christian Vocation</i>
	2:00pm	Seminary Presentation at School
Thu/Fri		No School (Teachers' Convention)
Friday	2:00pm	WLA Ladies Auxiliary
Saturday	6:00pm	Blood Pressure Checks
	6:30pm	Worship
Sunday	7:45/10:15am	Worship
	9:00am	Sunday School and Bible Study

Sunday School: Our lesson is "Jesus Calls Disciples." Jesus preached, taught, and healed, and he called his first disciples to do the same. Jesus chose ordinary, sinful men to be his disciples. In Baptism, Jesus chooses us to be his children. Underscore that in Jesus' forgiveness we find peace and favor with God, whose Word testifies repeatedly and consistently that Jesus is his Son and our Savior. Ask your children, "*Through whom does Jesus continue his saving work where his Word is preached and his Sacraments are administered today?*"

Our Bible Study is *Christian Vocation*. Our vocations are the roles to which God has called us in this earthly life. There are many! Through our vocations we are able to love and serve our neighbors and display humble gratitude to our gracious God. Please come and learn more at Bible Class for adults and teens on Wednesdays at 8:45am and Sundays at 9:00am. We'd love to have you with us!

There will be a School, Kindergarten, and Preschool Open House/ Puppet Show here on Saturday, Feb. 25th. The school will be open for tours between 10:00 and 11:00am. At 11:00 Corcoran Puppets will present "*The Queen of Hearts*". The public is invited as well as all school families and friends. Pre-registration will be open for preschool and kindergarten, along with valuable information.

Volunteer helpers make our church work even more smoothly for the sake of sharing the gospel. We are grateful to God! Please check out the church cleaning list and the snow blowing list in the entryway.

B.I.C.: A Bible Information Class is held Sunday mornings at 9:00am in the Katie Luther Room (near the office). Anyone interested in membership is welcome to attend -- and also members who would like to learn more about Bible basics. There is no cost or obligation.

Our WinGS group would like to send care packages to St. Paul's college students. If you are interested in having your student participate, please contact Karen with their information (name, address, institution) at 922-1080 or kmbehnke@charter.net.

If any brass instrument players from St. Paul's are interested in participating in a brass ensemble that could accompany our worship during Lenten and/or Easter services, please contact Seth Jaeger at sjaeger@wlvikings.org. We'd love to add this new dimension to worship.

B-Tournament: St. Paul's is hosting 5 B-team tournament games on Friday night, Feb. 10. If anyone can help with concessions, please see the sign-up sheet on the school entryway table.

Our Lutheran Boy Pioneers are selling Eaton's pizza (coupons) to support and help offset costs for their local group and national Pioneers organization. Complete information may be found on the history display case nearest the doors going into the fellowship hall off the narthex.

Lutheran Home Worship Volunteers: Friday at 9:30am WELS pastors conduct worship at the Lutheran Home. This service depends upon local WELS volunteers to bring residents to the chapel, hand out bulletins, and other duties as they arise. We are in need of some new volunteers to help serve the elderly. If you are interested, please contact Carol Jackson (922-5418) or Pastor Aaron Ody (872-2785) for more details.

Thank you to our women of WinGS for donating food and organizing and serving lunch for the Winnebago Pastoral Conference held here last Monday. The pastors truly appreciated your kindness and generosity!

Last Summer more than 1,000 WELS young people from grades K-12 attended camp programs at **Camp Phillip**, our WELS youth and family camp located near Wautoma. Brochures are available for activities coming up in 2017. St. Paul's is a member of the Camp Phillip Association and receives a discounted rate. However, to qualify for any early bird discounts, registrations must be sent before March 1st. For more information, please check out the website at www.campphillip.com.

OWLS: The next meeting of Flyway OWLS (Organization of WELS Lutheran Seniors) will be on Tuesday, Feb. 14th. The meeting will be held at St. John's, Lomira at 6:30pm. Our presenter will be Pastor Don Thompson from The Point of Grace, our WELS Campus Ministry in Milwaukee. We invite everyone over the age of 55 and their spouses even under the age of 55 to join us. If you have any questions, contact Stefanie Gutermann at 920-583-2166 or gutermann@utilitytool.com.

Communion: In the Lord's Supper Jesus gives us his true body and blood with the bread and wine to forgive sins and strengthen our faith. It is also an expression of the wonderful unity we share based on our common confession of faith based on our agreement about all that Jesus teaches in his Word. Members of the WELS and ELS (Evangelical Lutheran Synod) are welcome to commune. Please register in the pew folders or narthex. Pre-communion examination questions are on page 156.

Flowers this week are from Trish & Dave Babler in loving memory of Trish's father, Tom Priebe, called home by the Lord this week just before his February 3rd birthday. Also, our church and school received \$5,022 in Thrivent Choice funds last year. Choice dollars available for 2016 expire on March 31st. Please go to Thrivent.com for more information about the program.

Registrations are now being accepted for **Camp Bird**. Camp Bird for Lutherans is a WELS youth camp for children in grades 5-8. It is located near Crivitz in Marinette County on Sand Lake. The price for each child is \$150 per week. Swimming, canoeing, boating, hiking, challenge course, kickball, volleyball, archery, handicraft, campfires, Bible study, games, camp songs and many other activities are waiting for you this year! Three weeks (Sun-Fri) are available in July: 9th-14th, 16th-21st, or 23rd-28th. For more information please visit www.campbird.org.

"The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands" (Psalm 19:1).

