

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, School, & Preschool (WELS)

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Come worship with us!: Saturdays at 6:30pm and Sundays at 7:45 & 10:15am

January 18 & 19, 2020		Epiphany 2	Hymns
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Psalm of the Day:	Psalm 89, page 98		379
Sermon:	John 1:29-41		488 v. 1
<u>Now I See!</u>			93 & 79
Jesus...as the Lamb/Messiah			577 v. 1
Jesus...more clearly all the time			
Jesus...well enough to tell others			

Welcome to St. Paul's! May the Lord bless your worship.

- **A t-coil hearing loop system** for those with hearing aids is available. We also have headsets to use without hearing aids. An usher can help.
- **Large-print service folders** are in the entryway. These folders contain the entire service. Anyone should feel free to use them.
- **A child training room** for parents with small children is available.
- **Restrooms** are to the right as you exit the sanctuary.
- **Please sign our friendship register** and pass it along. Thank you!
- **Service Note:** We will stand and sing 488 v. 1 after the offering.

God's Word this week: This Lamb would take away the sins of the world and bring both Israel and the Gentile nations into the kingdom of God. The hearts that see this Savior in faith cannot but take the news of this salvation to the ends of the earth.

Ushers this weekend are teams 4 (C. Hintz), 5 (J. Weigand), and 6 (R. Wilhelms). Next weekend (*Jan. 25/26*) ushers will be teams 7 (T. Hill), 8 (M. Ewerdt), and 9 (J. Laudolff). Our **greeters** are Trish Babler, Kim Geisthardt, and Sharon Adams. Next week they will be Gilda Wegner, Beth Ewerdt, and Tony & Jackie Palmer.

"Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise" (Psalm 100:4).

January 18 -26, 2020

01/18	Sat	6:30pm	Worship with communion (Gr. 3-4, Junior Choir)
01/19	Sun	7:45am	Worship with communion
		9:00am	Sunday School, Bible Study, BIC
		10:15am	Worship with communion
		11:30am	Voters Meeting
01/20	Mon	6:10pm	Public School Confirmation Class
01/21	Tue	10:30am	Lake View Place worship
01/22	Wed	8:45am	Bible Study: <i>Psalms 51</i>
		6:30pm	Worship at the Cross
01/25	Sat	6:30pm	Worship
01/26	Sun	7:45am	Worship (Grades 5-8 sing)
		9:00am	Sunday School, Bible Study, BIC
		10:15am	Worship
		11:30-3:30	WLA Let's Celebrate

Bible Study: We hope you can join us Wednesdays at 8:45am or Sundays at 9:00am for Bible Study in the fellowship hall. Right now we are considering *Pray, Praise, and Give Thanks*, a study of favorite psalms. This Sunday we will study Psalm 46. This coming Wednesday and Sunday we will look at Psalm 51 - "Dear God, cleanse me of my sins."

Sunday School: As our children study the Bible account "Noah and the Flood," they will consider the message God gave through the flood and the rainbow. God promises to provide a Savior to overcome sin and take our punishment for us. Parents could ask, "*How do God's promises give you comfort?*"

Our Voters Meeting will be held **this Sunday, Jan. 19th at 11:30am** in the fellowship hall. We will discuss our mission as given by the Savior and ratify a congregational budget for the current year.

Snow removal and church cleaning: If you'd like to help with snow blowing, a list is on the information center in the narthex. A church cleaning list is also on the information center if you'd like to help.

Pies and tortes are needed -- lots of them! At the WLA Let's Celebrate event, the boy's basketball team will serve dessert and ice cream -- but they need the pies and tortes to serve! If you can donate, please deliver your delicious contribution to WLA Saturday, Jan. 25th or Sunday morning, Jan. 26th. Contact Jessi Schwartz (jessi@fonddulaclaw.com) or Jenny Nell (JennyNell13@yahoo.com) with any questions!

WLA Hot Lunch Help: It is St. Paul's turn to help with hot lunch at our Lutheran high school this week (January 20-24), 9:30-1:30 each day. Two helpers are needed each day, but a number of slots have already been filled! A sign-up sheet is on the information center.

WLA Let's Celebrate: Sunday, Jan. 26th is Let's Celebrate Day! Join in an afternoon of thanksgiving to God for the blessing of our beloved Academy. Activities are from 11:30-3:30. Lunch is served in the commons, but feel free to take your plate to the gym where WLA and Association grade school choirs and bands will provide entertainment all afternoon. Of course there will be pie and ice cream, as well as a silent auction. If you'd like to donate an item or service for the silent auction, feel free to drop it off in the office anytime, or contact Nikki Butzke at begs@charter.net.

Thank you to our members who set up before and put things away after the Lord's Supper. We appreciate their service! If you would like to help, we can put your name on a rotation list that is set up by WInGS. If you have any questions, please contact the office at 922-1080.

2020 Youth Rally: There will be an informational meeting for anyone interested in attending this year's WELS International Youth Rally in Knoxville, Tennessee, June 23-26. The meeting will be *Thursday, January 30, at 6:00pm* in the fellowship hall. If you have any questions please contact Steve or Katie Lehman.

In the Lord's Supper, along with the bread and wine, we receive Christ's true body and blood for forgiveness and the strengthening of our faith. It is also an expression of fellowship based on our stated mutual agreement with all of Christ's teachings. Members of the WELS and ELS are invited to commune. Please register in the pew folder or narthex. Personal examination questions for preparation are on page 156.

Worship at the Cross, a special service of praise for the developmentally disabled and their caregivers, will be here Wednesday evening at 6:30. All members are invited to the service and refreshments afterward. We love new volunteers! "Come and see!"

Our WInGS group (Women in God's Service) met recently and voted to give special gifts totaling \$2,300 to various congregational and synodical organizations and projects. We appreciate their generosity and the many blessings they share through their time, talents, and treasures! WInGS meets the first Tuesday of each month at 6:15pm, September-May.

Second Impressions Thrift Store, supporting WLA's students, has expanded and has added merchandize to all departments. They can always use more helping hands: cashiering, pricing, sorting, displaying, receiving, etc. Call 907-9900 for more information. The store is located at 325 Winnebago Dr. (near the A&W). For sale and donation hours and more information, please see the poster in the narthex.

Memorial: A gift to the Piano Fund was given in loving memory of Warren Grade, Kim Geisthardt's father. **Flowers** are in loving memory of Todd Rupert who went home to heaven ten years ago on Jan. 19th, 2010, and in honor of Mary Lou England's birthday, from Pam, Jake, and Jena Rupert.

2019 personal offering totals are in our mailboxes this weekend. If your address is incorrect, please notify the office. Also, please check your offering totals against your records for accuracy. Thank you!