

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S
March 31 – April 6

Sunday

6:30am

Son Rise Worship Service

9:00am

Easter Worship Service

10:45am

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Breakfast will be served between 7:30am – 10:00am

Monday

Acts 1 (Daily Bible Reading)

No Prayer Shawl

Office Closed

Tuesday

Acts 2 (Daily Bible Reading)

2:00pm

Sunrise Retirement Home Worship

4:00-8:00pm

AK Mission Trip Fund Raiser – Culver's – Matteson, IL

6:00pm

Grief Share

Wednesday Acts 3 (Daily Bible Reading)

9:30am

Bible Study

11:30-2:30pm

HomeSchool-Fellowship Hall

Thursday

Acts 4 (Daily Bible Reading)

8:30-Noon

SSHS Fellowship Hall/Ed Bldg

7:00pm

Elder's Meeting

Friday

Acts 5 (Daily Bible Reading)

Saturday

Acts 6 (Daily Bible Reading)

7:00am

Men's Bible Study

8:30am-11:00am

Food Pantry

12:30pm

Pit Stop



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“Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it!” Luke 11:28

THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024

SCRIPTURE READING

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 25:6-9 *p.745*
Epistle Reading 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 *p.1222*
Gospel Reading Mark 16:1-8 *p.1085*

Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God.

SERVING THIS WEEK

6:30am
Elder
Don
Ushers
Dale & Kathy
Acolyte
Alexa
Music
Paul S &
Song Leaders
Tech Team
Scott & Bill
Altar Guild
Vivian

9:00am
Elders
Rich & Dennis
Usher
Ruth
Acolyte
Tyler
Pianist/Organist
Carol/Pam
Praise Team
Dave, Cheryl, Stephanie, Kathy,
Don & Pete
Tech Team
Mitch, Bill & Jack
Altar Guild
Angie & Peggy

10:45am
Elders
Valerie & Dennis
Usher
Volunteer Please
Acolyte
Tyler
Pianist/Organist
Carol/Pam
Praise Team
Dave, Cheryl, Stephanie, Kathy,
Don & Pete
Tech Team
Alexa, Paul, Logan,
Bill & Mitch
Altar Guild
Margaret & Shirley



Donate While You Dine - The next **Fundraiser for the 2024 Alaska Mission Trip** is **Tuesday, April 2nd at Culver's of Matteson** at 20716 S Cicero Avenue in Matteson from 4:00-8:00pm. Just show the flier or mention St. Paul Alaska Mission Trip when you checkout and 10% of your order will go to the Alaska Mission Trip.

Ladies Aid - Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, April 9th at noon** in the narthex. Please **bring an appetizer to share**.

Spring College Care Packages - The collection bin is out, and we are looking for your help to fill the bin. We need the usual snacks of popcorn, crackers, cookie packages, granola bars, candy/gum, fruit snacks, chips, cheezits, goldfish, etc. Please help us by bringing snacks in the next few weeks to help make our packing easy. **The deadline to bring snacks in is Sunday, April 14th**. Please help us with this outreach program. Your help is greatly appreciated!

Revelation Bible Study – Looking at the world today, it begs the question, “are we in the end times?” The answer is yes – but we’ve been in the end times since Jesus ascended into heaven. Maybe the question is – “What happens at the end of the times?” The book of Revelation was given to us to provide comfort as we see the trials & tribulation increase all around us. Join us for an in-depth study on this fascinating, challenging, and yes, comforting book! **We will meet Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm starting April 17th**. Bring your bible, and be ready for a journey into the end of this world, and the beginning of our eternity with God!

Altar Guild Members – Please check your mailboxes for the April schedule. If you have any questions, please contact Vivian at 708-748-8808. Thank you.

Grief Share support group is a safe, welcoming place where people understand the difficult emotions of grief. Through this 13-week group, you'll discover what to expect in the days ahead and what's “normal” in grief. Since there are no neat, orderly stages of grief, you'll learn helpful ways of coping with grief, in all its unpredictability—and gain solid support each step of the way. **Our group meets on Tuesdays at 6 p.m.**

Wednesday Bible Study - We are studying the life of the Apostle Paul, who wrote the majority of the New Testament, who himself was a persecutor of Christians, but was turned around by God and became her great missionary for the Gospel of Jesus Christ. There is always room for you, **Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m.**

Thanks to everyone who supported the Community Resource Fair in any way. More than 25 volunteers turned out to help greet guests, prepare and serve food, make sure that we were secure, and setup and take down tables. Our blood drive produced 14 pints of blood for Versiti. 31 organizations came to share their expertise, several of whom gave 1/2 hour to talk specifics to interested attendees. We do not have a number of attendees, but we do know that almost all of the people who attended looking for help were strangers to us. Since the event, several people have called with questions about how to get help for something specific, and two attendees want to plan their own resource fair and looked for suggestions.

- **Saturday, April 6th at 12:30pm - Pit Stop** for dog food, collar, leash, cat crate, and other pet supply give away sponsored by the Humane Society in Chicago Heights.
- **Wednesday, May 8th from 4:30-6:00pm - Personal Self-Defense Class** for adults (children under 18 may attend with a parent) on sponsored by Cook County Sheriff's Police.

IN OUR HEARTS & PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Mindy Cronwall, Debbie Walter, Caren Neushwander, Pastor Troester, Mary Schmidtke, Dorothy Tracy, Jeff Novelli

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TOGETHER BEING CHURCH

Weekly	Needs	Receiving
Current	\$8,852	\$6,190.51
Building Fund	\$577	\$785
Mission	\$327	\$525

Discretionary Fund-\$450; St Matthews-\$10; Prison Ministry-Lori Wilbert-\$280; LCC Comfort Dogs-\$30; St Paul Alaska Mission Trip-\$200; Food Pantry-\$105; Midweek Lent Meals-\$141; Lent-\$621; Grief Share-\$20; Feed My Starving Children-\$40; National Youth Gathering-\$25

MARY'S CORNER

Today is a joyful day as we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus. I pray you all have a wonderful Easter and remember to tell God how much you love him and how thankful we all are for Jesus. HAPPY EASTER!