

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S
January 28 – February 3, 2024

Sunday

9:00am Worship Service
10:30am Adult Bible Study
10:30am Sunday School/Confirmation
11:30am Rejoicing Ringers Practice

Monday

Joshua 19
12:30pm Prayer Shawl

Tuesday

Joshua 20
2:00pm Sunrise Retirement Home Service
6:00pm Grief Share- Session 1
7:00-9:00pm Board Game Night

Wednesday Joshua 21

9:30am Bible Study – Life of Paul
5:00-8:00pm Portillo's Night in Tinley Park

Thursday

Joshua 22
8:30-Noon SSHS (Fellowship Hall/Ed Bldg)
7:00pm Elder's Meeting

Friday

Joshua 23
Noon 4-H Meeting

Saturday

Joshua 24
7:00am Men's Bible Study
8:30am Praise Team Practice
9:30-11:30am Food Pantry

SERVING THIS WEEK

Elder – Rich Treichel/Mike Najewski
Acolyte – Willa Huber
Ushers – Don & Yvonne Blume
Organist – Pam Reinke
Altar Guild – Shirley Adams & Marlene Steinhauer
Tech Team – Scott Schulz, Tyler Burnett & Bill Miller
Counters for the weekend – Kathy Dahlman & John DeVries
Sacred Grounds – The MacCrackens



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

4th SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 2024

Our 9:00am Service is from LSB, Divine Setting 1, page 151

Entrance Hymn	#905	“Come, Thou Almighty King”
Hymn of the Day	#849	“Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness”
Distribution Hymn	#846	“Your Hand, O Lord, in Days of Old”
	#842	“Son of God, Eternal Savior”
Closing Hymn	#917	“Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise”

SCRIPTURE READING

Old Testament Reading	Deuteronomy 18:15-20 p.205
Epistle Reading	1 Corinthians 8:1-13 p.1216
Gospel Reading	Mark 1:21-28 p.1064

Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Ladies Aid.

2024 Church Directories are available on table to the left in the narthex. Please feel free to take one.

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

St Paul Website has been updated. It is a work in progress and changes are still being made. Go check it out at www.stpaulsonline.org.

Quarterly Mission - Prison Ministry - Look for the latest newsletter from Deaconess Lori Wilbert with an update on the ministry to Inmates behind the walls of Stateville Prison, along with an update of the new ministry called Returning Citizens, where along with Andre, we are helping those recently out of prison to return to being citizens.

Noisy Offering - Deaconess Lori and Andre have moved the date of their visit to **Sunday, February 25**, and you will have a chance to "make noise" for their ministry with your change offerings that day.

Griefshare Support Group - Here is your opportunity to start from the beginning as we start a new session of Griefshare, this Tuesday at 6 p.m. here at St. Paul. Griefshare is for you if you are mourning the loss of someone dear, and you want help as you manage your grief. Come and give it a try.

Support the Troops Ministry is on hiatus until March. Chaplains are coming stateside and new ones are being deployed but no addresses yet so we cannot send care packages. Please hold off shopping for snacks and hygiene items at this time. Although you can still write undated messages and color pictures.

Mark your Calendars!

- **Tuesday, January 30th – Board Game Night for the whole family all ages from 7:00-9:00pm** – Bring your favorite game to play. Snacks will be provided.

Join us for the first fundraiser for the 2024 Alaska Mission Trip Wednesday, January 31st at Portillo's in Tinley Park (15900 Harlem Avenue) from 5:00pm-8:00pm. 20% of sales will benefit Alaska Mission Trip. You can also order online at portillos.com. Use code PORTILLOS19 before checkout in the "Apply Offer" field. Pick up a flier off the info table in the narthex. Our dates for this year's Mission Trip are July 25th – August 4th.

Church Office Hours - Church Office hours have been expanded to 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 8 a.m. to Noon on Fridays.

Trinity Lutheran School in Tinley Park educates children from 3 yrs old – 8th grade and are hosting an Open House on Thursday, February 22nd from 9am – 2pm. **Registration is required to attend** the open house by contacting the school office at school@tlcs.org or Victoria West at admissions@tlcs.org. If you are unable to make this one – there are flyers on the info table with other Open House dates.

IN OUR HEARTS & PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Mindy Cronwall, Dale Twietmeyer,
Sandy Zulfer, Dave Hendrickson, Caren
Neushwander, Bill Ryden, Marilyn
Carlson, Stacey Schmeckpeper, Vicar
Larry Ruger

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TOGETHER BEING CHURCH

Weekly	Needs	Receiving
Current	\$8,852	\$7,233.14
Building Fund	\$577	\$ 595
Mission	\$327	\$55

Discretionary Fund-\$170; Scholarship
Fund-\$275; St Matthews-\$60; Prison
Ministry-Lori Wilbert-\$200; Troops Care
Packages-\$20; LCC Comfort Dogs-\$60;
St Paul Alaska Mission Trip-\$100;
Sacred Grounds-\$53; Food Pantry-\$135;
Voice of Care-\$500; National Youth
Gathering-\$25

MARY'S CORNER

Dear God,

If today I lose my hope, please remind me that Your plans are better than my dreams. Amen.