

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S
APRIL 20-26**

Sunday

**Luke 24 (Daily Bible Reading)
1 Samuel 21-24(Chronological Daily Bible Reading)**

**6:30am SonRise Worship
9:00am & 11:00am Worship
Breakfast will be served between 7:30am – 10:30am**

Monday

**Psalms 63 (Daily Bible Reading)
Psalms 7, 27, 31, 34, 52(Chronological Daily Bible Reading)**

7:00pm

Men's Bible Study
Office Closed & No Prayer Shawl

Tuesday

**Psalms 64 (Daily Bible Reading)
Psalms 56-57, 120, 140-142(Chronological Daily Bible Reading)**

2:00pm

Sunrise Service

6:00pm

Grief Share

Wednesday

**Psalms 65 (Daily Bible Reading)
1 Samuel 25-27(Chronological Daily Bible Reading)**

9:30am

Bible Study

7:00pm

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

Thursday

**Psalms 66 (Daily Bible Reading)
Psalms 17, 35, 54, 63 (Chronological Daily Bible Reading)**

8:30-Noon

SSHS (Fellowship Hall/Ed Building)

9:00am

Quilting

7:00pm

Men's Fire & Fellowship

Friday

**Psalms 67 (Daily Bible Reading)
1 Samuel 28-31 (Chronological Daily Bible Reading)**

Noon

4-H Meeting

Saturday

**Psalms 68(Daily Bible Reading)
2 Samuel 1-4(Chronological Daily Bible Reading)**

8:30-11:00am

Food Pantry

7:00pm

Faith & Film Night "Whiplash"



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

THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD – RETURN & SEE

Sunday, April 20, 2025

Altar Flowers are given in thanks and praise to God and in honor of our Ladies Aid.

SERVING THIS WEEK

6:30am

Elder

Don

Usher

Yvonne

Acolyte

Savannah

Music

Paul S &
Song Leaders

Tech Team

Scott & Bill

Altar Guild

Vivian & Amy

9:00am

Elders

George & Angie

Usher

Dennis & Elaine

Acolyte

Griffin

Pianist/Organist

Carol/Pam

Praise Team

Jim, Cheryl, Kathy,
Don, Matt & Pete

Tech Team

Mitch, Ian & Jack

Altar Guild

Shirley, Judy & Angie

11:00am

Elder

Rob

Usher

Angie

Acolyte

Katie F

Pianist/Organist

Carol/Pam

Praise Team

Jim, Cheryl, Kathy,
Don, Matt & Pete

Tech Team

Mitch, Ian & Bill

Altar Guild

Annette, Mary & Brenda

Fellowship and Fire - St. Paul Men, you are “warmly” invited to come out and join other men **Thursday, April 24th at 7:00pm**. Bring your favorite lawn chair and your favorite campfire consumables (beverage, snacks, etc.). You will find us behind the St. Paul Education wing – just look for the fire. Bring a friend.

Faith & Film Night – Saturday, April 26th at 7:00pm featuring the film “Whiplash”. It is a fantastic film and should lead to a great discussion, but it does contain some tense situations and abusive language. Check out IMBD for more information on the film.

Next Sunday is Confirmation Day – April 27th at 10:45am our 8th graders will confirm their faith of their Baptism. Keep Savannah Golf & Griffin Schmeckpeper and their families in your prayers as they profess their faith in Jesus Christ and continue on a Christian journey for the remainder of their lives. **Please note – There will be a Regular Sunday Worship service at 9:00am on April 27th.**

Support the Troops - With Memorial Day soon coming in May, please consider writing some thank you notes, letters or have your children or grandchildren color drawings of thanks to our troops. It would also be great if we could fill the blue bin under the military table with individually wrapped goodies such as: granola bars, crackers, cookies, trail mix, nuts, beef jerky, hard candy, gum, mints, or single drink mix, no chocolate please. Some thank you cards, etc. can be found on the military table for your use. Thank you.

Griefshare Support Group - Tuesday's 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.

Stephen Ministry - If you or someone you know could use a sister or brother in Christ to walk along with you through your current struggles, for as long as you need, please ask either Pastor about having a Stephen Minister partner with you in your journey.

Food Pantry - Hearing the call from God to be a neighbor to those who need assistance with food, we serve many families in this community with the help of Greater Chicago Food Depository. Please join us on Friday mornings and Saturday mornings to prepare and hand out food to those who come. Contact Donna Brunell at 708-250-7232 for more information.

Alaska Mission Trip - The dates for this year's mission trip are July 25 - August 3. All ages and abilities are needed for VBS and work projects. For more information call the church office, talk with Pastor Troester or Pastor Larry, or contact Scott Schulz at 847-334-3500. There is room for you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **LWML – Zone 16 Spring Rally, Saturday, April 26th at 8:30am** at Christ Lutheran Church at 14700 S 94th Avenue, Orland Park, IL. **Guest Speaker is Andre Ruddock, Founder & President of Returning Citizens.** Andre works with retired LCMS Deaconess Lori Wilbert, whose years of prison chaplaincy now focus on helping to resettle released people into society.
- **40 Years of Prison Ministry – Deaconess Lori Wilbert - On Sunday, May 4 at 2:00 pm** we will host a celebration of 40 years of prison ministry for Deaconess Lori, who is retiring now. We will have refreshments and a time to mingle with Lori and others, along with a short worship service of thanks and praise to God.
- **Vacation Bible School – June 16-20 – True North – Trusting Jesus in a Wild World - Registration is open** – You can register at <https://vbsmate.com/StPaulMatteson>. **If you need assistance in registering, please feel free to contact the office and we can walk you through it.**

IN OUR HEARTS & PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Patti Tucker, Lynn Patriarca,
Marlene Steinhauer, Ethel Habel, Dale
Habenicht, Dale Neushwander College
Students – Madyson Stine & Isabella
Brands

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TOGETHER BEING CHURCH

Weekly	Needs	Receiving
Current	\$8,852	\$12,003.40
Building Fund	\$577	\$1,035
Mission	\$327	\$80

Discretionary Fund-\$95; Scholarship
Fund-\$853.26; St. Matthews-\$95; LCC
Comfort Dogs-\$30; Youth Ministries-\$20;
St Paul Alaska Mission Trip-\$82.50;
Sacred Grounds-\$20; Food Pantry-\$755;
LCC-\$400; Prayer Shawl-\$25; Voice of
Care-\$328.26; Maundy Thursday-\$30;
National Youth Gathering-\$62.50;LWML-
\$100; Lent-\$765

MARY'S CORNER

Easter, A day of joy, hope and most importantly a day to celebrate the Risen Lord. As you enjoy Easter Dinner, please remember to give thanks to God for all He does for us and gives us, especially sending Jesus to die for our sins. God certainly loves us very much! **HAPPY EASTER!!**