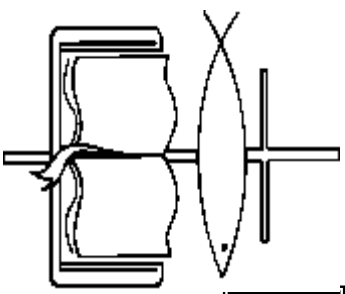


The St. Paul Lutheran News



St. Paul Lutheran Church is called to be an Inviting, Christ Centered Spiritually Growing and Community Serving Church where we are led by love to implement Jesus' teachings.

APRIL 2025

April Worship
Schedule

Sun., April 6	9:00 a.m.
Sun., April 13	9:00 a.m.
Sun., April 20	9:00 a.m.
Sun., April 27	9:00 a.m.

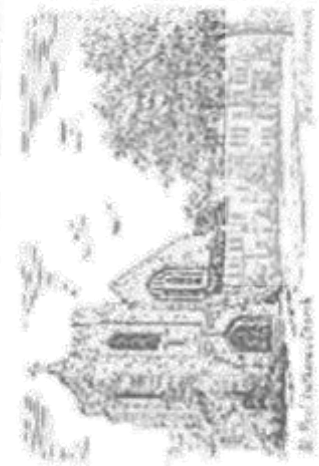
Staff
Substitute
Pastor
Amy Waelchli
Administrative
Assistant
Kellie Carrier
Custodian
Edgar Jurado
Music/Choir
Director
David Frank



A congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA)

Church Office Hours
Tuesdays: 11 am-3 pm and
Wednesdays & Fridays: 8am-4pm:
(608) 365-7064
www.stpaulbeloit.org
facebook.com/stpaullutheranchurchbeloit

St. Paul Lutheran Church
617 St. Lawrence Avenue
Beloit, WI 53511



APRIL 2025 ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

In-Person & Online Worship

Livestreaming worship with St. Paul available on Facebook & YouTube

SUNDAY	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 5:30 p.m.- Worship and music meeting	2 Noon-Soup Lunch	3 5:30p.m. LENTEN SERVICE	4	5
6 9:00 a.m. Worship - In Person & Online Coffee Hour Immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San José	7	8	9 Noon-Soup Lunch 5:30 p.m.- Council Meeting	10 5:30p.m. LENTEN SERVICE	11	12
13 PALM SUNDAY 9:00 a.m. Worship - In Person & Online Coffee Hour immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San José	14 1:00 p.m- Ruth Circle	15	16 Noon– Soup Lunch LYDIA’S CLOSET	17 8:00 a.m.-Men’s Breakfast (Beloit Family Restaurant 7:00 p.m.-Maundy Thursday Service	18 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE 7:00 p.m.- Good Friday Service	19
20 EASTER 9:00 a.m. Worship -In Person & Online Coffee Hour immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San José	21 9:00 a.m. Basket Guild 6:30-Women’s Bible Study	22	23 Noon– Soup Lunch	24 NOON-OWLS	25	26
27 9:00 a.m. Worship -In Person & Online Coffee Hour immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San José	28	29	30 Noon– Soup Lunch			

St. Paul Lutheran Church APRIL Celebrations!

BIRTHDAYS

Sue Katterhenry 4/3
Ann Marie Kenitzer 4/4
Glenda Liptow 4/5
Al Klingenberg 4/8
Sharyn Pann 4/10
Bryan Carroll 4/11
Mackenzie Kothe 4/14
Russ Liptow 4/15
Jean Neitzel 4/21
Beth Stibbe 4/21
Michelle Carlson 4/30



ANNIVERSARIES

Russ & Glenda Liptow 4/8
Rachel & Lance Shepherd 4/12
Tim & Sherry O'Grady 4/20
Marilyn & Ken Harris 4/21
Randy & Katie Hassenfelt 4/22



OWLS Meeting
April 24, Potluck at Noon
At church and a short meeting.

1:30 p.m. visit the
Historic Attractions Museum,
Roscoe, IL
Cost: \$23.00 payable at
museum.
Sign up sheet in hallway next
to chancel.



We welcome, our new member in Christ, to St. Paul Lutheran Church, Mr. Vernon Price.

Let us welcome Vernon, in Christ, to this living community in Christ! God's Peace and Blessings.

Vernon is a welcomed weekly addition to our Lunch Bunch crew. Thankyou for volunteering your time in helping with Soup Lunch each week. We are truly blessed and we appreciate your time in serving our community.



Dear people of St. Paul,

I'm writing this note to you after signing a contract with your Council to serve for 6 weeks as a part time (20 hours/week) Pastor while you continue in your call process. At the end of 6 weeks, we will mutually agree to extend or end the contract. It is my hope and prayer that you will call a permanent Pastor to serve you soon so that extending the contract won't be repeatedly necessary.

Please join me in praying for that Pastor, won't you? God is surely preparing a Pastor to serve you. Every time I'm among you, I marvel at how fortunate that person will be to become the Pastor to the people of St. Paul. Your love of Jesus shines in everything you do. You are welcoming, loving, and easy to be with. Your outreach ministry to your neighbors astounds me. I'm blessed to be a part of it! Your relationship with Pastor Dan and the people of San Jose is exciting. The way you choose to be church is inspirational.

I'm being sincere. I've seen many churches from the inside out. I'm a second generation ELCA Pastor who's been ordained over 10 years. One of my sisters is also an ELCA Pastor. Together, we've seen a lot of stuff. I myself served through crisis situations of clergy scandal (*not* my own), COVID, building floods, etc. I've married, buried, and baptized more people than I can count. I've taught classes for every age group and lead trips, outings, and service projects.

Never have I ever served a church who loved their neighbor in such an all hands on deck, bone deep way like you do. It's not just Soup Lunch and Lydia's Closet. It's learning that you spend your time outside of St Paul giving to your neighbors. It's being cautiously asked if I'd be willing to make a home visit to someone. (For the record, yes! I love visiting people!) It's coffee hour after worship – and I mean an entire hour of visiting and fellowship!

The way you choose to be church is inspirational. I'm blessed to be here now for 6 weeks at a time. Thank you for having me. The Pastor you call, the Pastor that God is preparing for you, will be so blessed here. Let us pray for that person.

In peace, Pastor Amy Deloach-Waelchli

Dear God,

Thank you for preparing a Pastor to lead us.

In the meantime, keep them safe and help them sense your leading.

At the same time, give us patience and prepare us to follow them.

In Jesus name we pray, Amen



**LENTEN DINNER CHURCH/WORSHIP– THURSDAYS:
APRIL 3 & 10th. 5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m. in the fellowship
hall.**

PALM/PASSION SUNDAY– April 13, 9:00 a.m.

MAUNDY THURSDAY– April 17, 7:00 p.m.

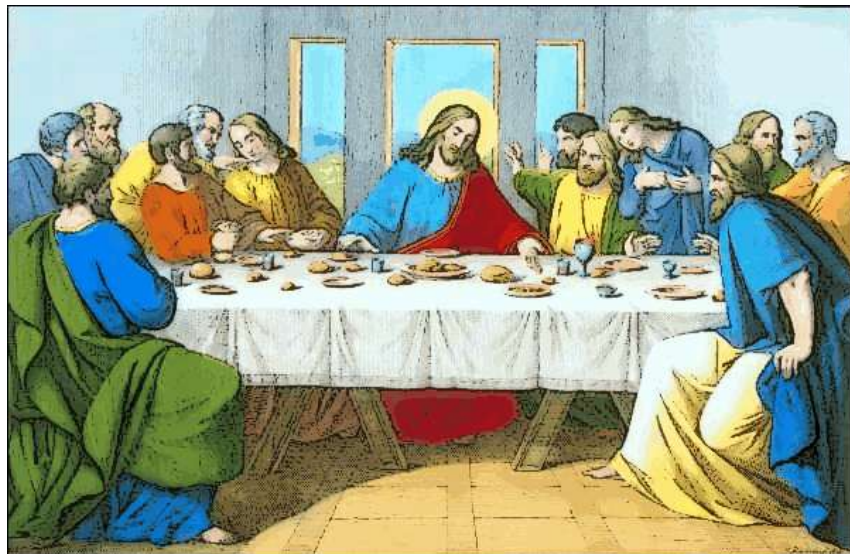
GOOD FRIDAY– April 18, 7:00 p.m.

RESURRECTION DAY, EASTER– April 20, 9:00 a.m.



Newsletter

Just a note to remind everyone that the deadline to submit items for the March newsletter is Friday, April 18th
Thank you and God's Blessings.



PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Terry (Billie Kenitzer's brother); **Amy B.** (Shirley Hallmark's niece);
Charles H. (Shirley Hallmark's friend); **Anne S.;**
Michelle C.; **Carole S.;** **Marge K.;** **Marilyn F.;** **Patricia E.;**
Colin C.; **Mark S.;** **Ken H.;** **Patrick S.;**
Amber V. (Judelle & Ray Murphy's daughter); **Linda M.;**
Kristina (Pat Baker's granddaughter); **Ray O.** (Chet Organ's brother);
Will S.; **Kathy P.;** **Juelane** (Mark Mueller's sister);
Kyle & Kim R. (Marge Kline's grandson & his wife); **Sue** (Charlie Hallmark's Mother); **Chuck F.;** **Axel A.;** **Carol M.;**
Nettie C. (Kellie Carrier's mother);

all those who have been affected by COVID-19 and other illnesses;
all those affected by the violence in our nation and around the world.
all those who seek shelter; and friends and family in the military.

*Please let us know if you have any additions to
or removals from the prayer list.*



SOUP LUNCH

Soup Lunch attendance for the month of March was 246.

Please mark any financial donations for "Soup Lunch."
We are also in need of gas station and food gift cards
(Subway, McDonald's, etc.).

You can **help support our Soup Lunch ministry**
by mailing your donations to:

St. Paul Lutheran Church,
617 St. Lawrence Ave., Beloit, WI 53511
or by going to: <https://tithe.ly/give?c=531526>

LYDIA'S CLOSET

April 16th



OWLS: JUNE 5 TO JULY 20, FIRESIDE- CHURCH BASEMENT LADIES

THE SHOW: THE LAST POTLUCK SUPPER. WILL PICK A SUNDAY MIDDAY PERFORMANCE WITH 2:30 P.M. ARRIVAL. DINE AT 3:00 P.M., SHOW AT 5:00 P.M.

COST: \$100.00, BUT SUNDAY MIDDAY YOU GET 4 TICKETS FOR THE PRICE OF 3, TO BE DIVIDED EVENLY.

POSSIBLE DATES: JUNE 8, 15, 22. JULY 6, 13, 20.

SIGN UP SHEET IN THE HALLWAY NEXT TO THE CHANCEL.

INDICATE PREFERRED DATE.

OWLS: AUGUST 6, FIRESIDE CHRISTIAN CONCERT— THE INSPIRATIONS.

SOUTHERN GOSPEL QUARTET-WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

SCHEDULE: LEAVE AT 9:30 A.M., ARRIVE 10:30 A.M., DINE AT 11:00 A.M., CONCERT 1:00 P.M. ▼

COST: \$50.00 MEAL OF CHICKEN AND FISH. ALWAYS GREAT FOOD.

***NOTE: NEED TO GET TICKETS EARLY, SELLS OUT QUICKLY.
DEADLINE IS APRIL 15TH***

SIGN UP SHEET IN HALLWAY NEXT TO CHANCEL.



DESIGNATED MISSION OUTREACH

LATINO MINISTRY
(Parroquia San Jose)

A latin ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America and the Presbyterian Church of USA. San Jose parish is a Latin Lutheran-Presbyterian Ministry, celebrating Latin culture while praising the God of All!

Community services include:
Immigration Legal Clinic, Pastoral support, Visits to hospitals and jails, Blessing of homes, Quinceaneras, Weddings, Funerals, Advocacy and Solidarity!

MINISTERS OF WORSHIP - APRIL

Date	Time	Council	Assisting Minister	Reader	Communion Assistant	Tech / Livestream	PowerPoint
6	9:00 a.m.	Tori Carr	Sharyn Pann	Greg Stolze	Karen Moe	Murry Hughes-	Jan Knutson
COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: RUTH CIRCLE; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: KAREN MOE/CAROL JOSH							
13	9:00 a.m.	Jane Carr	Martha Stolze	Carol Josh	Sharyn Pann	Murry-Hughes	Chuck Hughes
COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: SOUP LUNCH; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: DAVE KNUTSON/JACKIE UELAND							
20	9:00 a.m.	Ken Harris	Marilyn Harris	Multiples?	Glenda Liptow	Hughes-Murry Team	Jan Knutson
COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: OWLS; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: KATHY POHL/DONNA BLUM							
27	9:00 a.m.	Martha Stolze	Sharyn Pann	Greg Stolze	Carol Josh	Hughes-Murry	Chuck Hughes
COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: KEN & MARILYN HARRIS; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: ROGER NEITZEL/CAROLE SPREITZER							



April Soup Lunch Menu

2-Chicken Noodle Soup

9- Lasagna Soup

16- Scalloped Potatoes with Ham

23-Beef Barley Soup

30- Spaghetti with Meat Balls



Remember Caritas when you are out and about shopping.

God's Blessings to all!

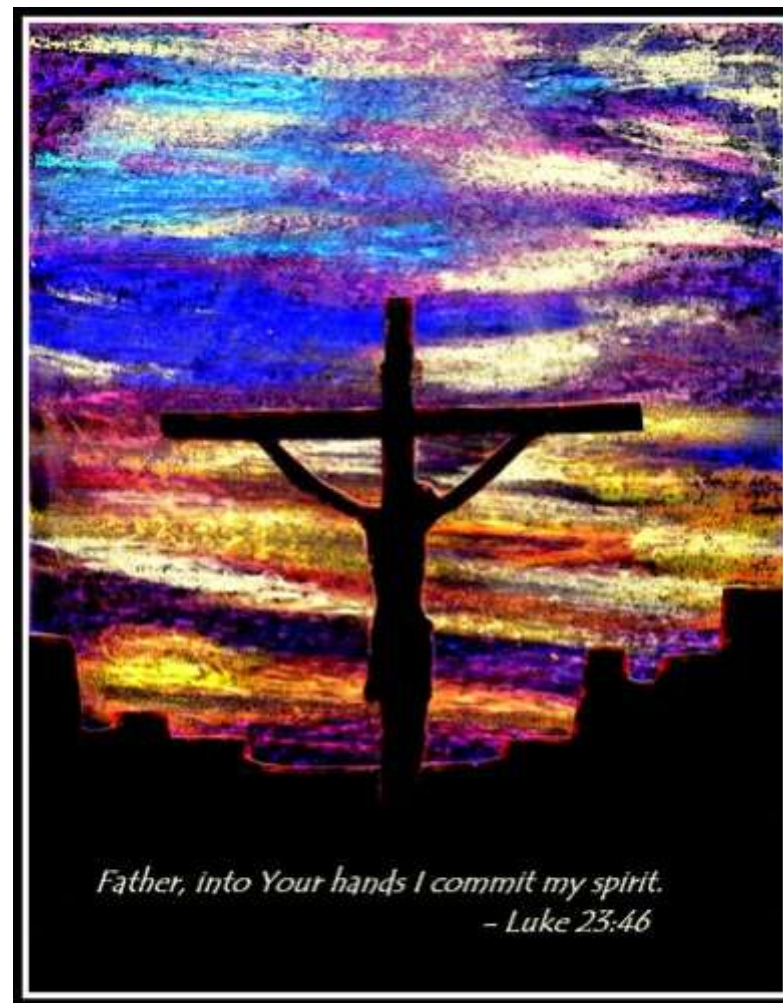
BASKET GUILD MEETING WILL BE
HELD MONDAY, April 21st-
9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m

And
Saturday, April 26th is
The Community Basket class
9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.



St. Paul Lutheran Church Council Members

President	Jean Neitzel	608-362-8324
Vice-President	Chet Organ	608-751-8020
Secretary	Jane Carr	608-436-0868
Treasurer	Ken Harris	608-365-6871
Worship	Melanie Schneider	608-436-6336
FAITH Formation	Tori Carr	608-436-9397
	Martha Stolze	



The 3rd Monday
of every month.
6:30-7:30 p.m.
We meet in
Michael's Chapel.

ALL ARE
WELCOME!
Reach out to
Katie Hassenfelt
for more info.