

'Family'

"You're no longer strangers or outsiders. You belong here, with as much right to the name Christian as anyone. God is building a home. He's using us all — irrespective of how we got here—in what He is building." Ephesians 2:19 MSG

Mark: C.I.A. ~'I Am Willing'

Welcome to St. Paul!

We always thank God for all of you and pray for you constantly.

~ 1-Thessalonians 1:2

because your thoughts run your life.

25 Keep your eyes focused on what is right,
and look straight ahead to what is good.

Gospel Mark 1:29-45 HCSB

Healings at Capernaum

²³ Be careful what you think,

²⁹ As soon as they left the synagogue, they went into Simon and Andrew's house with James and John. ³⁰ Simon's mother-in-law was lying in bed with a fever, and they told Him about her at once. ³¹ So He went to her, took her by the hand, and raised her up. The fever left her, and she began to serve them. ³² When evening came, after the sun had set, they began bringing to Him all those who were sick and those who were demon-possessed. ³³ The whole town was assembled at the door, ³⁴ and He healed many who were sick with various diseases and drove out many demons. But He would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew Him.

Preaching in Galilee

³⁵ Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, He got up, went out, and made His way to a deserted place. And He was praying there. ³⁶ Simon and his companions went searching for Him. ³⁷ They found Him and said, "Everyone's looking for You!" ³⁸ And He said to them, "Let's go on to the neighboring villages so that I may preach there too. This is why I have come." ³⁹ So He went into all of Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and driving out demons.

A Man Cleansed

⁴⁰ Then a man with a serious skin disease came to Him and, on his knees, begged Him: "If You are willing, You can make me clean." ⁴¹ Moved with compassion, Jesus reached out His hand and touched him. "I am willing," He told him. "Be made clean." ⁴² Immediately the disease left him, and he was healed. ⁴³ Then He sternly warned him and sent him away at once, ⁴⁴ telling him, "See that you say nothing to anyone; but go and show yourself to the priest, and offer what Moses prescribed for your cleansing, as a testimony to them." ⁴⁵ Yet he went out and began to proclaim it widely and to spread the news, with the result that Jesus could no longer enter a town openly. But He was out in deserted places, and they would come to Him from everywhere.

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to You, O Christ

Children's Message	Laurie Lentz
Message	"I Am Willing"
Worship Song	

Prayers / The Lord's Prayer

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, The holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Confession & Words of Assurance

P: Most Merciful God,

C: I confess my sins to You. I have sinned against You in thought, word and deed by what I have done and by what I have left undone. I have not loved You with my whole heart; I have not loved my neighbor as myself. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on me. Forgive me, renew me, and lead me, so that I may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Holy Name. Amen.

Holy Communion

Communion will be by continuous table for those who want to come up. Others may take communion at their seat by individual cup available at the entrance. Cups at continuous table are filled with wine (red) or grape juice (white).

We welcome all believers in Jesus Christ who are baptized into Him. We usually commune children from fifth grade on. Other children will receive a blessing.

Distribution Music:	
Closing Song	Doxology

Benediction

A: Choose this day whom you will serve.

C: As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.

Postlude

Serving Today Minister Pastor Beverly Kelling Acolytes Emery & Kyleigh Brickles Music Ministry Coordinator & Violinist Jeanette Rath Organist Grace Reed Drummer Rick Brickles Becky Burton, Jan Sprenger & David Hershberger

Altar flowers are given by Julie Tarleton in loving memory of her husband John Tarleton.

Sanctuary Lamp shines brightly in celebration of Avery Dixon's birthday given in love by Johnette Dixon.

Responsibilities – January 21st:

Flowers & Sanctuary Lamp: Paul & Faye Honig

Ushers: Stuart Franke & Lynda Halbardier Lector: Sandy Faseler

Acolytes: Joseph Weimer & Laken Deleon



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"And never stop praying."~ 1Thessalonians 5:17

Healing & Comfort:

Margaret Reus, Buffie Rogge, Sharon Becksted, Chris Porter, Patricia Welch, Sandi Schweers, Jean Krenmueller, Dorothy Wells, Victor Rene Ortiz, Henry Nietenhoefer, Helen Ann Jones, Cindy Sprenger, Ailyn Fernandez, Doug Newtwich, Maricella Frausto and Lance Brucks.

Homebound and Nursing Homes:

Brian Boehle, Marian Lindeburg, Gladys Feller, Kathy Feller, Cindy Sprenger & Elaine Eccles.

Active Military:

Ben Rath, Larry & Teresa Sullivan, Adriel Schoenhals, Kelly Driskill, Rebecca Bryant, Patrick Green, Riley Lynch, Collin Bezely, Clayton Reed, Jimmy "Sawyer" Rhodes, Briana Jernigan, Kephren Adams, Kendle Adams, Les Armstrong, Ethan Kammer, Desiree (Warner) Pointer, Joshua Fair, Andy Lynch, Heath Runnels, Sean Constante & Jessie Philip.

This Week's Birthdays:

Stephanie Laughinghouse, Sue Graff, Nora Luna, Debbie Whitehead, Heath Runnels, Laramie Vernor, Lisa Maddox, Jeff Diles, Hannah Maddox and Paige Maddox.

*Please help us to update, if we need to add or remove someone from the lists above please contact the office.

"COME AS YOU ARE"
6pm Worship Service

January 17th – Wayne Scholtz

January 24th – OPEN

January 31st – Open Mic

February 7th - OPEN



Prayer Ministry

Email- Don Krumrey: dkrum45@att.net

Contact: Don Krumrey (830-741-9991)

Shirley Krumrey (830-931-4311)

Kathy Carrigan (210-360-0868)

One – on – One Prayer – offered at the end of service

Are you interested in is becoming a member?
Contact Pastor Beverly or call the church office.



This Week at St. Paul

Sunday, January 14th

9:00am Worship

10:00 Fellowship

10:30 Sunday School

2:00pm NursingHome

4:30 Emmaus Gathering @ St. Paul

Monday, January 15th

6:00pm Women's Bible Study

7:00pm Men's Bible Study

Tuesday, January 16th

7:00am Prayer Warriors

7:00pm Council Meeting

Wednesday, January 17th

9:30am Tacking Quilters

11:00pm BSF

4:00-5:15pm 4th- 6th Bible Study

6:00pm CAYA Worship Service

Youth following the worship service 7:00pm Bible Study (A/C)

David Hershberger

Thursday, January 18th

Office Closed

Highschool BSF

1:00 pm Hand Quilters

Friday, January 19th

Newsletter Deadline

Saturday, January 20th

Sunday, January 21st

9:00am Worship

*Annual Meeting following Worship

10:00 Fellowship

10:30 Sunday School

MDO is looking for a fulltime assistant for their ministry. If you have a heart for Jesus and are interested in sharing that with children please contact Annette Kammer at (830)741-9243

Reminder Annual Meeting is scheduled for next Sunday, January 21st following the worship service.

Please make it a point to attend.

Our condolences to Tammy, Cambry & Cassidy Reus and the Reus families on the passing of Mark Reus. Mark was a long-standing member of St. Paul and will be dearly missed.

Our condolences also to the
Zipp family on the passing of
Dalton Zipp's mother
Beth Harrington Zipp.
You all are in our thoughts and prayers.

May God's peace and comfort be with you.

FLAGS ACROSS HONDO

Thank you to all who have helped with this project in 2023. Renewal letters will be going out in the mail in soon and are also available on the church website.

If you would like to help with this project please let Rick McCue know or call the church office. He has graciously taken over this project for the upcoming year so please reach out to volunteer and help him.

Flags are placed out 6 times a year. Currently there are 4 groups so if there were 24 people who would help with this project then each person would only have to put flags out once a year. It is not hard and is a great

ALTAR FLOWERS & SANCTUARY LAMP 2024

Calendar charts are located in the Education Bldg. if you would like to sponsor the Altar Flowers (\$60) or Sanctuary Lamp (\$4).

If you sponsored the flowers for that Sunday they are yours to take after the

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