February 4, 2024

5 Epiphany



# '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 4: C.I.A. ~ Calming the Storm

# Welcome to St. Paul!

We always thank God for all of you and pray for you constantly. ~1-Thessalonians 1:2

Leader (Spencer Franke): God is good!

Congregation: All the time and I am a witness!

Opening Song ......"Build Your Kingdom Here"

**Prayer (Lauren Guenther)** 

Welcome /Announcements (Laurie Lentz)

# Psalm 46:1-3, 10 EHV (Brice Terrill)

<sup>1</sup> God is our refuge and strength,
a helper who can always be found in times of trouble.
<sup>2</sup> That is why we will not fear when the earth dissolves
and when the mountains tumble into the heart of the sea.
<sup>3</sup> Its waters roar and foam.
The mountains quake when it rises.
<sup>10</sup> "Be still, and know that I am God.
I will be exalted among the nations.
I will be exalted on the earth."

Old Testament (Cece Weimer) ...... 2 Samuel 22:17-25 NLT

<sup>17</sup> "He reached down from heaven and rescued me; he drew me out of deep waters.
<sup>20</sup> He led me to a place of safety; he rescued me because he delights in me.
<sup>21</sup> The Lord rewarded me for doing right; he restored me because of my innocence.
<sup>22</sup> For I have kept the ways of the Lord; I have not turned from my God to follow evil.
<sup>25</sup> The Lord rewarded me for doing right. He has seen my innocence.

### Gospel (Megan Kennedy) ..... Mark 4:35-41 NLT

<sup>35</sup> As evening came, Jesus said to His disciples, "Let's cross to the other side of the lake." <sup>36</sup> So they took Jesus in the boat and started out, leaving the crowds behind (although other boats followed). <sup>37</sup> But soon a fierce storm came up. High waves were breaking into the boat, and it began to fill with water.

<sup>38</sup> Jesus was sleeping at the back of the boat with His head on a cushion. The disciples woke Him up, shouting, "Teacher, don't you care that we're going to drown?"

<sup>39</sup> When Jesus woke up, He rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Silence! Be still!" Suddenly the wind stopped, and there was a great calm. <sup>40</sup> Then He asked them, "Why are you afraid? Do you still have no faith?"

<sup>41</sup> The disciples were absolutely terrified. "Who is this man?" they asked each other. "Even the wind and waves obey Him!"

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to You, O Christ

Children's Message	Ayelet Reus
Message	"Calming the Storm"
(Anna We	imer, Colton Wiemers and Megan Kennedy)
Worship Song	"Forever Reign"

Prayers / The Lord's Prayer (Beth Lewis)

# Apostles' Creed (Wiley Reus)

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 (Wiley Reus)

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:	"You Say"
	"O Come to the Altar"
	"Evidence"
Closing Song	Doxology

# **Benediction (Carter Jacobs)**

A: Choose this day whom you will serve. C: As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.

# Postlude

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### Serving Today

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Minister	Pastor Beverly Kelling
Ushers Hannah	Guenther, Lyla Tapia-Torres & Joseph Weimer
Lector	Youth
Acolytes	Ayelet & Witten Reus
Music Ministry Coordinator &	Violinist Jeanette Rath
Pianist	Rhiannon Lynn
Guitarists	Jody Jacobs & Ben Rath
Organist	Grace Reed
Drummer	Rick Brickles
Vocals I	Lauren Guenther, Lilly Bendele & Anna Weimer

Altar flowers are given in celebration of Peyton Halbardier's birthday. Given in love by Chuck & Lynda Halbardier.

Sanctuary Lamp shines brightly in memory of Alan Witte, given by Rick & Chrie McCue.

# **Responsibilities – February 11<sup>th</sup> :**

Flowers: Derlin & Roberta Hennig Sanctuary Lamp: Lentz Family Ushers: Deb Cleary & Jay Reed Lector: Marilyn Graff Acolytes: Patrick Weimer & Lyla Torres-Tapia



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

#### Healing & Comfort:

Bobby Klein, Matt Hook, 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, Lance Brucks and Jane Johnson.

#### 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:

Cynthia Patterson, Ryan Graff, Joseph Weimer, Lyla Zipp, Desiree Gilmer, Gunner Schweers and David Lentz.

\*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

February 7th - David Herschberger

February 14<sup>th</sup> - Ash Wednesday Pastor Beverly February 21<sup>st</sup> – Derlin & Roberta Hennig

February 28th - Clay Patterson

#### Prayer Ministry

Email– Don Krumrey: <u>dkrum45@att.net</u>

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, February 4<sup>th</sup> 9:00am Worship Youth Sunday TACO SUNDAY 10:00 Fellowship

10:30 Sunday School

Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm Women's Bible Study 7:00pm Men's Bible Study

Tuesday, February 6<sup>th</sup> 7:00am Prayer Warriors 7:00pm Journaling Bible Study

Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> 9:30am Tacking Quilters 11:00pm BSF 4pm-5:15pm 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Bibe Study 6:00pm CAYA Worship Service Youth following the service 7:00pm Bible Study (A/C) David Hershberger

<u>Thursday, February 8<sup>th</sup></u> Office Closed Highschool BSF 1:00 pm Hand Quilters

Friday, February 9th

### Saturday, February 10th

Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup> 9:00am Worship 10:00 Fellowship 10:30 Sunday School 2pm Nursing Home

The Season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>. The Worship Service will begin at 6:00 pm, Soup and Sandwich meal will be at approximately 6:45 pm. Each Sunday School Class will be asked to be in charge one of one Wednesday with the youth & children helping as well. But all are welcome to bring soup and sandwiches, salads or desserts to share each Wednesday. We ask for families of St. Paul to help with these meals and to enjoy some fellowship time as well. Please have your food items to the Activity Center by 6 pm on your assigned Wednesday. If the date that you have been assigned does not work for you, please feel free to switch with someone. Please text me if you have any questions. Thanks in advance for your help and God bless, Laurie (210) 213-2088

St. Paul Women of the Church business meeting Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00am in the Activity Center. This meeting is open to any of the women of St. Paul who would like to join us.



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