

I thank Christ Jesus our Lord,  
who has given me strength, that  
he considered me faithful,  
appointing me to his service.

- 1 Timothy 1:12 -



### **'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 3: C.I.A.**

***Disciples Follow; Apostles are Appointed***

# Welcome to St. Paul!

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

~ 1-Thessalonians 1:2

**Leader:** God is good!

**Congregation:** All the time and I am a witness!

**Opening Song** ..... “To God Be the Glory”

**Prayer**

**Welcome /Announcements**

**Psalm 75:1-2, 6-7 EHV**

<sup>1</sup> We give thanks to You, O God, we give thanks.

**Your wonderful deeds reveal that Your Name is near.**

<sup>2</sup> Yes, I choose the appointed time.

**I am the one who judges rightly.**

<sup>6</sup> Indeed, power to promote someone does not come  
from the east or from the west or from the wilderness.

<sup>7</sup> **No, it is God who makes the decision.**

**He brings down one. He raises up another.**

**Gospel** ..... **Mark 3:7-19 ESV**

**A Great Crowd Follows Jesus**

<sup>7</sup> Jesus withdrew with his disciples to the sea, and a great crowd followed, from Galilee and Judea <sup>8</sup> and Jerusalem and Idumea and from beyond the Jordan and from around Tyre and Sidon. When the great crowd heard all that he was doing, they came to Him.

<sup>9</sup> And He told His disciples to have a boat ready for Him because of the crowd, lest they crush Him, <sup>10</sup> for He had healed many, so that all who had diseases pressed around Him to touch Him.

<sup>11</sup> And whenever the unclean spirits saw Him, they fell down before Him and cried out, “You are the Son of God.” <sup>12</sup> And He strictly ordered them not to make Him known.

### **The Twelve Apostles**

<sup>13</sup> And He went up on the mountain and called to Him those whom He desired, and they came to Him. <sup>14</sup> And he appointed twelve (whom He also named apostles) so that they might be with Him and He might send them out to preach <sup>15</sup> and have authority to cast out demons. <sup>16</sup> He appointed the twelve: Simon (to whom He gave the name Peter); <sup>17</sup> James the son of Zebedee and John the brother of James (to whom He gave the name Boanerges, that is, Sons of Thunder); <sup>18</sup> Andrew, and Philip, and Bartholomew, and Matthew, and Thomas, and James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus, and Simon the Zealot, <sup>19</sup> and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed Him.

P: The Gospel of the Lord

**C: Praise to You, O Christ**

**Children’s Message ..... Laurie Lentz**

**Message ..... “Disciples Follow; Apostles are Appointed”**

**Worship Song ..... “I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”**

**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: ..... “Be Thou My Vision”

..... “It is Well”

..... “There is a Peace”

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  
Ushers ..... Wayne Scholtz & Roberta Hennig  
Lector ..... Deb Cleary  
Acolytes ..... MJ Neuman & Kinslee Anderwald  
Music Ministry Coordinator, Vocals & Violinist ..... Jeanette Rath  
Pianist ..... Rhiannon Lynn  
Guitarists ..... Jody Jacobs & Ben Rath  
Organist ..... Grace Reed  
Drummer ..... Rick Brickles  
Vocals ..... Kathy Carrigan, Lynda Halbardier, Becky Burton,  
& David Hershberger

*Altar flowers are given in loving memory of Sam & Modine Meyers  
by their daughter Laura Hethcock.*

*Sanctuary Lamp shines brightly to the Glory of God  
given by Morris & Sandy Faseler.*

**Responsibilities – February 25<sup>th</sup> :**

**Flowers:** OPEN **Sanctuary Lamp:** Audrey Moncada

**Ushers:** Lynda Halbardier & Stuart Franke **Lector:** Erica Halbardier

**Acolytes:** Klair & Eli Bradshaw



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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 Nietenhoefter, Helen Ann Jones, Cindy Sprenger, Ailyn Fernandez, Doug Newtwich, Maricella Frausto, Lance Brucks & Jane Johnson.

**Homebound and Nursing Homes:**

Brian Boehle, Marian Lindeburg, Gladys Feller, Kathy Feller, Elaine Eccles.

**Active Military:**

Ben Rath, Rebecca Bryant, Patrick Graff, Riley Lynch, Collin Bezely, Clayton Reed, Jimmy “Sawyer” Rhodes, Ethan Kammer, Andy Lynch, Heath Runnels, Sean Constante & Jessie Philip.

**This Week’s Birthdays:**

Kathy Carrigan, Robert Schildt and Kay Henry.

**\*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 21<sup>st</sup>** – Roberta Hennig

**February 28<sup>th</sup>** - Clay Patterson

**March 6<sup>th</sup>** – Don Krumrey

**March 13<sup>th</sup>** – Derlin Hennig

**March 20<sup>th</sup>** – Laurie Lentz



**Prayer Ministry**

Email– Don Krumrey: [dkrum45@att.net](mailto:dkrum45@att.net)

Contact: Don Krumrey (830-741-9991)

Shirley Krumrey (830-931-4311)

Prayer offered at the end of service

**Are you interested in  
becoming a part of our  
church family?  
Contact Pastor Beverly or  
call the church office.**

***We would like to grab some pictures this Sunday, please join us!  
We need one of all the men and one with all the women, we will  
attempt to do this right after the church service either out front or  
indoors if weather doesn't cooperate.***

# THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL

## Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>

9:00am Worship

10:00 Fellowship

10:30 Sunday School

1pm-7pm Confirmation  
(Frio River Day Retreat)

## Monday, February 19<sup>th</sup>

6:00pm Women's Bible Study

7:00pm Men's Bible Study

## Tuesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>

7:00am Prayer Warriors

7:00pm Council Meeting

## Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>

9:30am Tacking Quilters

11:00pm BSF

6:00pm Lenten Worship Service

Soup & Sandwich Fellowship

7:00pm Bible Study (A/C)  
David Hershberger

## Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>

Office Closed

Highschool BSF

1:00 pm Hand Quilters

## Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>

## Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>

## Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

9:00am Worship

10:00 Fellowship

10:30 Sunday School

Rummage Sale Drop Off

## LENT

The Season of Lent began this past Wednesday. Lenten worship services will begin at 6:00 pm, with a Soup and Sandwich meal to follow the worship service around 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.

God bless, Laurie (210) 213-2088

## Honduras Mission Trip 2024 (March 6<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>)

If you are interested in sponsoring those from our church participating in the Honduras Mission trip make checks payable to: St. Luke's Episcopal Church In the memo - Honduras Mission 2024 and the missionary's name.

Mail to: Honduras Mission St. Episcopal Church  
5923 Royal Lane  
Dallas, TX 75230

If you have any questions speak with Jody Jacobs.



## CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE

MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup> & 2<sup>ND</sup> (Friday & Saturday)

Donations can begin being dropped off  
on or after Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>.

# Mark 3: Disciples Follow, Apostles are Appointed

Question: Are there still apostles today?

Keeper: Jesus knows those He calls by name.

Withdrew [*Greek: anachoreo*] describes a

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(not fear), in the face of danger.

*'Jesus withdrew with his disciples to the sea....' Mark 3:7*

Jesus commands the demons' silence so they aren't

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*'He strictly ordered them not to make Him known.'* Mark 3:12

Attack your pressures & opposition by

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*'And He went up on the mountain...'* Mark 3:13

Disciple: a \_\_\_\_\_; \_\_\_\_\_.

Apostle: 'one who is sent' as an \_\_\_\_\_

delegate. \_\_\_\_\_ to the Church.

*'He appointed 12 (whom He also named apostles) so that they might be with Him...'* Mark 3:14

Christians must be \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_,

\_\_\_\_\_, & \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus.

*'I thank Christ Jesus our Lord because He trusted me & gave me this work of serving Him. He gives me strength.'* 1 Timothy 1:12

*'The wall of the city had 12 foundations. Written on them were the names of the 12 apostles of the Lamb.'* Revelation 21:14