

'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. – Christ In Action

Tell What Jesus has Done for You

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**“Holy, Holy, Holy”**

Prayer

Welcome /Announcements

Psalm 16:8-11a GW

⁸ I always keep the Lord in front of me.

When He is by my side, I cannot be moved.

⁹ That is why my heart is glad and my soul rejoices.

My body rests securely

¹⁰ because You do not abandon my soul to the grave

or allow Your holy one to decay.

¹¹ You make the path of life known to me.

Complete joy is in your presence.

Gospel **Mark 5:1-20 TLV**

⁵ They came to the other side of the sea, into the country of the Gerasenes. ² As soon as Jesus got out of the boat, a man from the graveyard with an unclean spirit met Him. ³ He lived among the tombs, and no one could restrain him anymore, even with a chain.

⁴ For he had often been bound with shackles and chains, but the chains had been ripped apart by him and the shackles broken. No one was strong enough to tame him. ⁵ And through it all, night and day, at the graveyard and in the mountains, he kept screaming and gashing himself with stones.

⁶ When he saw Jesus from a distance, he ran and bowed down before Him. ⁷ Crying out with a loud voice, he said, “What’s between You and me, Jesus, *Ben El Elyon*? I’m warning you, in the name of God, do not torment me!” ⁸ For Jesus had said to him, “Come out of the man, you unclean spirit!” ⁹ Then Jesus began questioning him, “What is your name?” And he answered, “My name is Legion, for we are many.” ¹⁰ He kept begging Him not to send them out of the country. ¹¹ Now a large herd of pigs was feeding on the hillside nearby. ¹² The unclean spirits urged Him, saying, “Send us to the pigs, so we may enter them.” ¹³ So Jesus gave them permission. The unclean spirits came out and entered the pigs. And the herd, about two thousand in number, rushed down the cliff and were drowned in the sea. ¹⁴ The herdsmen ran away and told the town and countryside, and they came to see what had happened. ¹⁵ Now they came to Jesus and saw the madman who had had the legion. He was sitting there, dressed in clothes and in his right mind. The people were scared. ¹⁶ Those who had seen it described in detail what had happened to the man plagued by a demon, and they also told about the pigs. ¹⁷ And they began to beg Jesus to leave their country. ¹⁸ As He was getting into the boat, the man who had been infested with demons kept begging to remain with Him. ¹⁹ Jesus did not let him, but He told him, “Go home to your friends and tell them how much God has done for you, how He showed you mercy.” ²⁰ So he went away and began to proclaim in the Decapolis how much Jesus had done for him. And all were amazed.

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to You, O Christ

Children’s Message Laurie Lentz

Message “Tell What Jesus has Done for You”

Worship Song “How Great is Our God”

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: “Sanctuary”

..... “Just As I Am”

..... “All Glory Be to Christ”

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 Deb Cleary & Jay Reed
Lector Dianne Bradley
Acolytes Mackenzie Collins & Claire Bowman
Music Ministry Coordinator, Vocals & Violinist Jeanette Rath
Pianist Rhiannon Lynn
Guitarists Jody Jacobs & Rob Norris
Organist Grace Reed
Drummer Rick Brickles
Vocals Becky Burton, Shulee Norris & David Hershberger

*Altar flowers are given by Tim & Joann Neuman in celebration
of their 26th Wedding Anniversary.*

*Sanctuary Lamp shines brightly in celebration of Kim Anderwald's
birthday given in love by the Lentz Family.*

Responsibilities – March 24th :

Flowers: Chuck & Lynda Halbardier **Sanctuary Lamp:** Debbie Whitehead

Ushers: Wayne Scholtz & Roberta Hennig **Lector:** Don Krumrey

Acolytes: Lauren & Hannah Guenther



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“And never stop praying.”~ 1Thessalonians 5:17

Healing & Comfort:

Bobby Klein, Margaret Reus, Buffie Rogge, Sharon Becksted,
Patricia Welch, George Brucks, Jean Krenmueller, Dorothy Wells,
Rene Ortiz, Henry Nietenhoefer, Helen Ann Jones, Cindy Sprenger,
Ailyn Fernandez, Doug Newtwich, Maricella Frausto, Lance Brucks,
Matt Hook, Lynda Hook, Morris Faseler & Jim Thompson

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,
Larry & Teresa Sullivan, Heath Runnels, Sean Constante & Jessie Philip.

This Week’s Birthdays:

Jason Guenther, Billie Hustede, Eddie Hagen, Elane Franke, Kim Anderwald,
Henry Nietenhoefer & Lance Saathoff.

***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**

March 20th – Laurie Lentz

March 27th – TBA

April 3rd – TBA

April 10th - TBA

Prayer Ministry

Email– Don Krumrey: 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.**

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL

Sunday, March 17th

9:00am Worship

10:00 Fellowship

10:30 Sunday School

2:00-6:00pm Confirmation

Monday, March 18th

6:00pm Women's Bible Study

6:00pm Bible Journaling

7:00pm Men's Bible Study

Tuesday, March 19th

7:00am Prayer Warriors

7:00pm Council Meeting

Wednesday, March 20th

9:30am Tacking Quilters

6:00pm Lenten Worship Service

Soup & Sandwich Fellowship

7:00pm Bible Study (A/C)

David Hershberger

Thursday, March 21st

Office Closed

Highschool BSF

1:00 pm Hand Quilters

Friday, March 22nd

Saturday, March 23rd

Sunday, March 24th

PALM SUNDAY

9:00am Worship

10:00 Fellowship

10:30 Sunday School

11:15 Potatoe Fundraiser lunch

*Easter Egg Hunt to follow lunch

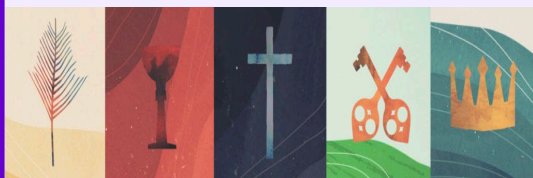


REMINDER

Next Sunday is Palm Sunday.

Our youth potato fundraiser will take place following Sunday School.

We will have 50 regular potatoes and 50 sweet potatoes for purchase along with all the delicious fixings. Our traditional easter egg hunt will follow lunch on the playgrounds for each age group. Cynthia Patterson will be heading up this fundraiser, youth and parents please be available to assist next Sunday.



Services During Holy Week

Wednesday – “Come As You Are”

6:00pm Worship Service

Maundy Thursday – 6:00pm

Worship Service

Good Friday – 6:00pm

Worship Service

Resurrection Sunday –

7am Sunrise Service

9am Worship Service

*There will be no fellowship or Sunday School on this Sunday.

Mark 5: Tell What Jesus has Done for You

What can we learn from these encounters with Jesus?

Our 'home' is the place where our 'witness' begins.

1. Jesus & Legion

2. Jesus & the people

3. Jesus & the man

4. Jesus & us

*'The thief comes only to steal, slaughter, and destroy.
I have come that they might have life, and have it abundantly!' John 10:10*