



# St. Paul Lutheran Church

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**Our Mission:**

**“ In Christ we strengthen the saved and seek the lost”**



## A Mexican Fiesta!



**Come and Celebrate Cinco de Mayo at...**

**St. Paul Lutheran School Benefit Dinner and Auction.**

“Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice.” Philippians 4:4

Dear St. Paul Family:

They say *it takes a village and that sentiment certainly applies at St. Paul. Unlike public schools, we do not receive state or federal funds. Instead, we must rely on tuition, the generous support of the St. Paul Lutheran Church congregation and our fundraisers to cover the costs of educating our children. St. Paul's annual benefit auction and dinner is the school's largest fundraiser. This event is made possible by dedicated volunteers from within our St. Paul family: parents, grandparents, staff, friends and family. When we, as a school and church family, come together in support of this event, great things happen. We are asking each member of our school/church family to prayerfully consider how he/she will each lend a hand to this year's auction. Our auction is on Saturday, May 5, and the theme is **Mexican Fiesta! Celebrate Cinco de Mayo at St. Paul Lutheran School Benefit Dinner and Auction.** Below we have listed several ways to get involved.*

- Help us identify any business you own or have close ties to that would like to be a sponsor. *Sponsor forms can be found on our website at [stpaulauction.com](http://stpaulauction.com).*
- Network within your circle of friends and family for donations for the live auction as well as the silent auction rooms. We are in need of everything from vacation timeshares/condos/houses and antiques to hand-crafted items, holiday décor and baked goods. *Donations forms can be found on our website at [stpaulauction.com](http://stpaulauction.com).*
- Volunteer your time the week of the auction. It takes a tremendous number of people to transform our school into an event venue. We will need as many volunteers as possible throughout the week of May 1-6<sup>th</sup>. If you only have a couple of hours to pitch in that's great, or if you have more time to volunteer, we need you!
- Please continue to pray for the success of the auction and the continued blessings it brings providing Christian education to hundreds of children.

### What's Happening in Sunday School

Fellowship time in the commons 10:15-10:30

**Kids meet in music room for opening and then breakout**

**in classes:** Pre(3&4 yrs old)- K.-Mrs. Sherrill & Mrs. DeGroot

1-3 grade – Mr. & Mrs. Mark Jones- 4-8 grade Mr. DeGroot

**Adult & High School classes:**

Lords Learners meet in lower level of church- Doug Pratt

Reconciliation Class meets in commons- Pastor Foss

We currently are looking for someone interested in leading a high school class and a young adult class. If you are interested, please contact Jamie church office, or our Sunday School Superintendent, Mark Jones 631-0454



Please pick up your envelopes on the table in the front entrance of church. Begin using them as of January 7, 2018 Any questions please call the Church office 756-7872

### Prayer Requests

**Hospitalized:**

**Recovering:**

**Testing:**

**Treatment:** Mary Abel, Mary Beauty, Jessica Bergfield, Amy Brenneke, Tim Finley, Mike Haney ( Courtneys uncle ), Tara Harrison, Jeanie Hampton, Tom Hunting, Nancy Howard, Christopher Jones, Marshall Mead ,Bill Mudd, Karon Reeves, Dan Storz, Scott Storz, Robin Shaw, Ed Turner, Kevin Thurman, Ingrid Underwood

**Continued Strength:** Fred Barnes, Ron Biri, Terry Butcher, Bradley Bess, Leroy Burns, Betty Cook, Wayne Cook ,Jason Cluver, Lorene Crismon, Betty Damron ,Ashtyn Dane , Delmar & Virginia Elders, Zola Francis, Vickie Gallagher, Sandra Hoehn, Barbara Jackson( Julie Reese Fr), Ron & Martha Jarrell, Sherry Jordan, Ryan Kannenberring, Josh Lehman, Gary Meadows, Bowen Meyer, Ed Meinz, Larry Miller, Tim Miller, Joanne Nash, Winnie Nelson, Doris Neiter, Richard Pratt, Doug Ross, Ruthann Renick ( Jeannie Province sister), Francis Roberts, Carolyn Schifferdecker, Ina Stokes, Lianna Stover, Connor Stephen, Linda Stephens, Fay Lee Townsend, Duane Thomas,

**Sympathy:**

### Upcoming Events

- 1/13 4:45 pm Rejoice 445 –Gym  
6:00pm Worship communion
- 1/14 9:00am Worship Communion  
10:15am Bible class, Sunday School  
10:30 am PS Confirmation class
- 1/15 No School—Office Closed  
6:00 pm Quilters  
1:30 Life with Spice– LL
- 1/16 6:00pm All Boards Meeting
- 1/17 8:15 am Chapel  
8:00am Ladies Aid  
7:00pm Remnant Choir– Loft
- 1/18 6:00 am Men's Bible Study—Factory
- 1/20 4:45 pm Rejoice 445 Gym  
6:00pm Worship communion  
7:00 pm Youth Lock In
- 1/21 9:00am Worship Communion  
10:15am Bible class, Sunday School  
10:30 am PS Confirmation class
- 1/22 1:45 Life w-Spice-LL
- 1/23 6:00 pm Church Council
- 1/24 8:15 am Chapel  
8:00am Ladies Aid  
7:00pm Remnant Choir– Loft
- 1/25 6:00am Men's Bible Study– Factory
- 1/27 4:45 pm Rejoice 445 Gym  
6:00pm Worship communion
- 1/28 9:00am Worship Communion  
10:15am Bible class, Sunday School  
10:30 am PS Confirmation class

#### Altar Guild for Jan

Sat. 6:00 pm B. Karraker  
Sun. 9:00 am M. Sutherland

**Acolytes**

Sat 4:45 pm Brady Cook  
Sat. 6:00 pm Cole Wofford  
Sun. 9:00 am Owen D. & Isaac J



**Attendance**

Date	445	6pm	9am	Total
1/07	49	47	100	196

#### Stewardship Moment:

**John 2:5** – His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." What must Mary have thought when Jesus replied, "What does this have to do with Me?" But she knew this: whatever her Son said to do would be a blessing, so she knows what advice to give to the servants: Do whatever He tells you! That's still good advice for us in every aspect of our lives – including in our generosity toward the Lord's work in the Church.



*Going Beyond...*

*2 Cor. 8:3 For I testify that they gave as much as they were able, and even beyond their ability.*

**Going Beyond Building Fund.**

The total pledge amount is \$417,000.00  
The amount received to date.. \$196,670.18

### Weekly Contribution

1/07/18 Contributions	\$5127.50
Weekly Auto deduction	\$300.00
Monthly Auto Deduction	\$1665.00

### Readings for Worship

Date	Festival	First Reading	Epistle	Gospel
01/14	Second S. Epiphany	1Sam. 3:1-10	1Cor. 6:12-20	John 1:43-51
01/21	Second S. Epiphany	2 Sam. 7:1-11	Rom. 16:25-27	Luke. 1:26--38
01/28	Third S. Epiphany	Duet 18:15-20	1 Cor. 8:1-13	Mark 1:21-28

