

## Prayer Requests

**Continued Strength:** Teresa Bayless Bill Bess, Terry Butcher, Leroy Burns, Steve Brune, Julie Bollinger, Timothy & Pricilla Carron, Wayne Cook, Dolores Cleve, Lorene Crismon, Janie Currington, Darrell Davis, Jason Eastman, Delmar & Virginia Elders, Zola Francis, Leora Giesing, Vickie Gallagher, Nancy Hill, Ross Illsley, Ron & Martha Jarrell, Sherry Jordan, Ryan Kannenberring, Josh Lehman, Harold Loughary, Gary Meadows, Bowen Meyer, Tim Miller, Richard Pratt, Wayne Province, Doug Ross, Ruthann Renick (Jeannie Province sister), Francis Roberts, Eyvonne Skaggs, Ina Stokes, Zoe( Rice) Shoemaker, Fay Lee Townsend, Nadine

**Treatment:** Loretta Barnhouse, Jane Bates, Mary Beauty, Jessica Bergfield, Jane Blaies, Amy Brenneke, Sarah Cassidy, Alene Cooper, Barb Copland, Tim Finley, Tessa Hamm, Mike Haney (Courtneys uncle), Janet Hayes, Tara Harrison, Jeanie Hampton, Rene Holmgren, Tom Hunting, Christopher Jones, Orin Kaden, Vonne Karraker, David Kluser, Coleta Ludwig, Marshall Mead, Mike Moses, Joanne Nash, Alice Pennick, Karon Reeves, Scott Storz, Ed Turner, Ingrid Underwood, Kevin Watson, Josh Watson, Becky



**Hospitalized:** Griffin Leadbetter

**Surgery:**

**Recovering:** Wayne Province, Wayne Blumenberg, Ruth Oberman, Paul Yeats

**Testing:**

**Hospice Care:** Betty Cook,

**Sympathy:**

**BE FAITHFUL  
IN PRAYER!**

### Upcoming Events

1/4 **NO 445 Service**

6:00pm **Worship Service**

1/5 **9:00am Worship Service**

10:15 **Bible Study, SS class Ps. Confirm**

1/7 **School resumes**

1/9 **6:30am Men's Bible Class**

1/11 **445 Rejoice Service 445 —Gym**

6:00pm **Worship Service**

1/12 **9:00am Worship Service**

10:15 **Bible Study, SS class Ps. Conf**

1/13 **1:15 Life with Spice**

6:00pm **Monday Night Quilters**

6:00pm **Bible Study**

1/15 **8:15 Chapel**

8:00 **Ladies Aid**

5:30pm **Remnant Group Practice**

1/18 **4:45 pm Rejoice 445**

6:00pm **Worship Service**

1/19 **9:00am Worship Service**

10:15 **Bible Study, SS class Ps. Confirm**

1/20 **No School—Office closed**



St. Paul collects aluminum cans for recycling. You can drop them off in the bin between the church & the brick house.

### Altar Guild for Jan.

Sat. 6:00 pm H. Zeleny

Sun. 9:00 am M. Sutherland



### Stewardship Moment

**1 Peter 4:17 – “For it is time for judgment to begin at the household of God; and if it begins with us, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God?”** The Gospel had freed us from all fear. God the Father loves us to the ends of love, and He has sent His Son to die for us and call us into His kingdom through the rebirth of water and Spirit. Saint Peter views this not as an excuse to sin but as encouragement for godly living. The judgment of the Lord is a real event, and it applies to the household of God. As members of His household, we desire to serve Him.



## St. Paul Lutheran Church & School

**Our Mission:**

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

**Pastor Steve Constien –sjconstien@juno.com**

**Weekly News and Notes**  
**January 4 & 5, 2020**

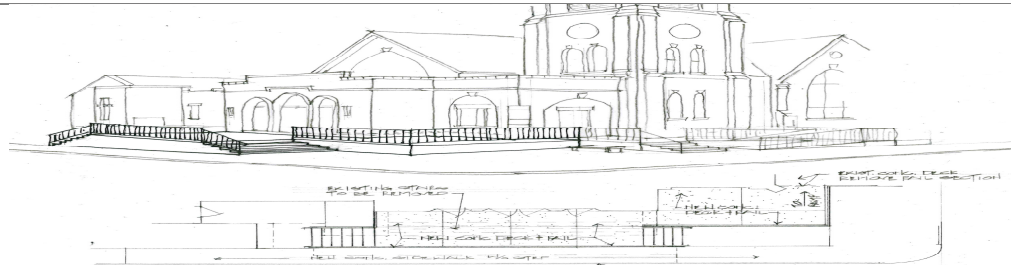
# Epiphany

### St. Paul Congregation!

Thanks once again for the wonderful Christmas Baskets! The recipients were so happy with the food and gifts it went very well this year. Thank You Nancy Eaves and Jamie Montgomery for taking care of this year's baskets. Thank You Tim & Kim Kollmeyer for always being ready to help in anyway possible. Another successful year done and people knowing that St. Paul Lutheran Church and School really cares!!!!!! Thank You and God Blessing to everyone!

Please pick up your envelopes on the table in the front entrance. Begin using them as of January 5, 2020 Any questions call the Office 756-7872

Service of Sacrament- The Lords Supper Holy Communion is intended for all who have been properly instructed in the doctrine of the Lord's Supper, who repent of all their sin, and who want God's help to amend their sinful lives. If you are a guest or a visitor and wish to commune, we would ask you to make every effort to speak with the pastor or one of the elders prior to the worship services.



**Front Entry Project.** Funds for the front entry project continues to grow. We now have over \$ 35,000. The bid to do Phase I is \$54,600, but volunteer labor will reduce some of this. With this increase in funds, we hope to have enough to start the project after Easter 2020. This project should make our entry much safer and we will not have the falls and injuries as in the past. Contributions to this project may be made by making your check payable to “St. Paul Front Entry Project” and placing it in the offering plate or dropping it off at the office.

**ARE YOU IN BIBLE STUDY AND GROWING IN GOD'S WORD:**

Please consider attending one of the following groups that are available.  
 Sunday Morning at 10:30 - We have classes available for Preschool - 8th grade  
 Public School Confirmation Class—7th & 8th grade confirmation class—Mrs. Sarah Folk  
 Adult classes : Lord's Learners lower level -Doug Pratt, Pastor Constien Class school commons.  
*Also available are:*  
 Life with Spice - Lower Level Mon.1:15 Lead by Gary Cooper  
 Monday Night Bible Study—LL 6pm, Men's Bible Study - Thur. 6am - factory  
 Ruth's Circle - Women's bible study that meets at the home of Leslie Jones the first Tuesday of each month at 6:00 PM.



It's been a while since we talked about Going Beyond. Thank you to everyone who pledged and contributed over the last 3 yrs. In the final stretch of

the campaign you'll be seeing the logo more frequently and as the year draws to a close please consider the Going Beyond fund in your end of year giving. Our original fundraising goal in 2016 was \$650,000. Pledged amount totaled \$419,264. To date we have received \$342,432. We thank God for each contribution received and pray that in this final stretch of this campaign, we will see our final number grow even closer to the original goal and maybe going beyond!

- Elders**  
 Steve Thomas 573- 701-8510  
 Richard Detring 573-756-7989  
 Doug Pratt 573- 482-6062  
 Tim Crites 573-760-9756  
 Greg Dement 573-701-3030  
 Gary Cooper 573-631-0774  
 Pat Province 573-631-0309  
 Marcus Laut 573-561-4836  
 Kraig Sutherland 573-915-9016  
 Kim Kollmeyer 573-330-0155  
 Jason Garner 573-631-2798

**Readings for Worship**

Date	Festival	First Reading	Epistle	Gospel
1/05	Epiphany	Is.60:1-6	Eph. 3:1-12	Matt. 2:1-12
1/12	First E. a. Epiphany	Is.42:1-9	Rom. 6: 1-11	Matt. 3:13-17
1/19	Second E. a. Epiphany	Is.49:1-7	1 Cor. 1:1-9	John 1:29-42a
1/26	Third S. a. Epiphany	Is.9:1-4	1 Cor. 1:10-18	Matt. 4:12-25

**Weekly Contribution**

Date	Contribution	Weekly need is	Last Week's Attendance
12/08	\$8,448.86	<b>9,130.77</b>	445pm 37
	Going Beyond \$342,432.36		12/24 7pm 191
12/15	\$6,755.00	<b>9,130.77</b>	12/24 10pm 130
	Going Beyond \$344,468.36		12/25 65
12/22	\$7051.42	<b>9,130.77</b>	6:00pm 35
	Going Beyond \$351,467.44		9:00 am 130
12/28	\$7135.10	<b>9,130.77</b>	
	Going Beyond \$351,827.80		

**Poinsettias**

**If you Paid for a plant you may take it with you today!!**

**Adorning our Church have been given by:**

Nancy Krekeler in memory of husband, Bill Krekeler Bobbi Karraker in memory of husband Al Karraker and For blessing received; Darlene McWilliams in memory Paul Detring ,Bob McWilliams; George Detring Family & blessings received; Sharon Sherrill in memory of Mike Sherrill; Janet Laut in memory of husband, Bill Laut, Richard & Karen Detring in memory of Bill & Minnie Detring; Janet Short in memory of husband Ken Short & parents Emmett & Ruth Yeager ; Chris & Heather Zeleny in memory of Frank & Edith Zeleny & Virginia Martin; Beth Freeburg & Sandy Pratte in memory of Bob & Tooky Rickus , Bobby Rickus and Eric Freeburg; Fay Lee Townsend & Shonda Adams in memory of Rusty Townsend; The Cleve family, The Mell families & The Bayless Family in memory of David Bayless , Craig Cleve, Marvin & Farn Mell and their 4 sons– Bobby, Tommy, Marshal and Kenny Mell . In honor of Delores Cleve for many blessings for her family.

