

Fourth Sunday in Lent  
Sunday, March 22, 2020 in the year of our Lord

# Opportunities to Equip and be Equipped

“St. Paul . . . sent by Jesus Christ and God the Father who raised him from the dead.” (Galatians 1:1)

*“A Christ-centered, Gospel-based church equipping you for service.”*

All face-to-face activities at the church are cancelled through April 5th as per the request of Bishop Beaudoin and longer if needed.

Some options for Worship and feeding your spiritual life during this time :

- **Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/stpaulsandusky/> We will go live each Sunday morning at 9:00 am with a message/devotions/music. Also, we will post prayers, devotions, and/or sermons for viewing at your convenience.
- **Website:** We will also post sermons/inspirational thoughts/prayers to our website: <http://www.stpaulsandusky.org/>.
- **Radio:** You may listen at 10:00 am to a sermon each week at 1450 AM (WLEC) on your radio dial.
- We hope to create a **You Tube** page where you will also be able to access sermon/devotions/prayers (we'll let you know via email/Facebook/Website when this is active).

If you are not on the internet, ask a family member to help you.

Stay tuned to your email/Facebook/Website for additional options as we identify and implement them.


Please let the church know of a valid email address that we can use to notify you of any changes. This will save us time as changes are happening quickly. Thank you.

As of now the events on this page are still being planned or will be continuing. We will let you know if anything changes.

The spring assembly of the WELCA Eastern Conference will be at St. John's Fremont on April 25 at 8:30 am. Please watch the Sword and your bulletins for more information.

The ELCA's 40 Days of Giving for World Hunger has started. Please bring the coins you have collected in each week so we can keep track of our progress toward our goal of \$2500.00. Please look to the weekly bulletins for more information and inspirational stories. As of March 15th there has been \$171.75 collected toward our goal.

We are looking for volunteers to pickup and take home people that need a ride to service. This will start as soon as we have some volunteers to do this.



If you or someone in your **immediate** family would like a hospital or home visit by Pastor Bill, please contact him by calling the church office. In case of emergency he can be reached at 480-518-4951. Thank you!

The Mills School Pantry will be on Wednesdays from 4:30-5:30. We need volunteers from 4:00-6:00. Please meet at Mills School . Any help you can give us would be appreciated. You don't have to stay the whole time.

OUR LENTEN JOURNEY

**MAUNDY THURSDAY: Washing of Feet & Communion**  
– April 9<sup>th</sup> (Zion - Huron) 7:00pm  
**GOOD FRIDAY – April 10<sup>th</sup> (St. Paul) 7:00pm**  
**HOLY SATURDAY: Healing Service with Communion –**  
April 11<sup>th</sup> (St. Paul) 6:00pm

**\*\*\* WE ENCOURAGE EVERYONE  
TO SUPPORT ONE ANOTHER BY  
PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP AT  
BOTH CHURCHES. \*\*\***

St. Paul Lutheran Church has an account at Sandusky Steel whereby if you take ANY kind of metal (aluminum, steel, copper etc.) there, we will receive monies deposited to our account. YOU MUST MENTION THAT YOUR "DROPOFF" IS TO BE CREDITED TO THE ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH ACCOUNT FOR US TO RECEIVE CREDIT.



We encourage all our members to participate in the US Census. If you need assistance completing your census questionnaire online, ask one of your children or grandchildren to help you. Otherwise you can complete it by phone or mail. Be watching for yours in the mail!

The Ministry Team has put an IDEA box at the back of the Sanctuary. We will be taking ideas from the congregation and distributing them twice a month to team heads to discuss. Remember if you ever have any IDEAS we would like to hear them. ALL ARE WELCOME.

**New Service Times**

Sunday Mornings: Traditional Worship at 9:00 am  
Sunday Evenings: Praise Worship at 5:00 pm

The following events have been cancelled. We will let you know when they are rescheduled.

There will be a voting meeting on March 22nd. Because of the congregational meeting there will be only one service at 9:00 am. The 5:00 pm alternative service will resume on March 29th. Please plan on attending this important meeting.

A new Bible Study entitled "Making Sense of the Christian Faith" by David J. Lose will be presented by Pastor Schroeder on the fourth Thursday of the month at 1:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The next scheduled meeting is March 26. The study will conclude in June. The study is open to everyone. The March 26th meeting has been postponed.

The Stitch 'n Rip sewing group meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month in the first room off of the gym. Everyone is welcome!

Our Christian sympathy goes to the family of Rev. Richard Sutter who passed away on March 6th

There will be a dinner honoring Charles Scruggs's 25th Anniversary on March 28th at 6:00 pm. Please sign up in the Narthex if you plan on attending. If you would like to help contact Linda Ewers at 4419-679-6255.

Boy Scouts  
Cub Scouts  
Dartball  
Brothers of Basketball  
Women, Word and Wine  
Worship and Music  
Team meetings  
Lenten suppers  
Lenten Wednesday worship services  
Sunday worship  
AA/Al-anon