

# Congregational Announcements

- \*\* Altar Flowers are placed today by Ellen Barrett, in memory of her husband, Bob.
- \*\* Parish Ed Board will meet on Tuesday, December 6th, at 6:30 pm.
- \*\* Sarah Circle Meeting is Wednesday, December 7, at 9:00 am.
- \*\* OWLS will share a potluck on Thursday, December 8, at 12:00 noon.
- \*\* Church Council will meet on Tuesday, December 13 at 7:00pm.
- \*\* Lydia's Closet will be open during the Soup Lunch on Wednesday, December 14 at noon.
- \*\* The Men's Group will meet at 8:00 am on Thursday, December 15.
- \*\* Miriam Circle will gather on Thursday, December 15 at 1:00pm.
- \*\* Items for Christmas Cheer Boxes must be turned in at Church by Friday, December 16 at 3:00 pm.
- \*\* Christmas Cheer Boxes will be packed on Saturday, December 17.
- \*\* The Sunday School Christmas Program "Who's That Baby?" will be presented on Sunday, December 18 at the 10:30 Worship Service.
- \*\* Coffee with Council will be held during the coffee hour on Sunday, December 18.
- \*\* Items for the newsletter must be in to the Church office by Monday, December 19.
- \*\* Rainbow Station Nursery School Christmas Program will be presented on Tuesday, December 20, at 10:00 am, in the Church Sanctuary.
- \*\* Christmas Eve Services: 4:30, 6:30, and 8:30 pm
- \*\* Christmas Day Service: 9:30 am

No Believer's Club on Christmas Day

**Please be sure to sign the attendance roster so that our yearly**



## St. Paul Soup Lunch



The November 30th meal served 104 people,  
with 17 volunteers, totaling 121 folks fed!

The St. Paul Soup Lunch provides a warm meal and  
a spirit of community that so many people need.

*The need is great, and the people are many.*

*Thanks be to God that we are able to provide this blessing!*

## WELCA Nut and Candy Sale

Sale Today! Sunday, December 4  
and  
Sunday, December 11

*Sales are held during  
the Coffee Hour and  
from 10:00 til 10:30  
in the upper hallway.*



## **Christmas Cheer Boxes!**

**Christmas Cookies are needed to fill the Cheer Boxes  
made each year for our St. Paul homebound members.  
Cookies can be brought to Church by Friday, December 16th  
by 3:00 pm.**

**A Delivery Person is needed to deliver the boxes  
on Sunday, December 18th.**

## Christmas Poinsettias



*Orders are being taken for poinsettias to adorn our Sanctuary for Christmas!*

*Each plant is \$15.00, and can be ordered with the slip on the last page of the bulletin.*

*A list of memorial and honorary names for each plant given will be listed in the bulletin each week during Advent.*

*Orders must be made by December 11.*

*Folks may bring a poinsettia from their home and place it in the Sanctuary. Please let Rhonda know in the office if a name can be added to the memorial list. Also, poinsettias can be taken home after January 1st.*



Everyone is welcome to join in visiting and caroling with St. Paul members that are homebound.

Saturday, December 17

The time is yet to be determined.



### St. Paul Apparel!

Orders are being taken by the Believer's Club!

T-Shirts \$11.00

Long Sleeve T-Shirts \$14.00

Crew Neck Sweatshirts \$16.00

Hooded Sweatshirts \$21.00

All Sizes Available!

See a Believer's Club Member for details!



**ST. PAUL  
LUTHERAN CHURCH**

# Stewardship at St. Paul Lutheran



8:00 a.m.

Judelle Murphy  
 Sharyn Pann  
 Sharyn Pann  
 Team 1 Katterhenry  
 Betty Katterhenry & Ellen Barrett  
 Cassie Krueger  
 Zach Fillbach

None Scheduled  
 Music & Worship Ministry

8:00 a.m.

JoAnn Rosenow  
  
 Team 7, Harris  
 Marge Kline & Addie Flowers  
 Folts Team  
 Cassie Krueger  
 Jan Knutson

None Scheduled  
 Ruth Circle

Serving

Council Person  
 Assistant Minister  
 Reader  
 Ushers  
 Greeters  
 Communion Team  
 Organist  
 Power Point Operator  
 Nursery Attendant  
 Altar Guild  
 Coffee & Fellowship

Serving Next Week

Council Person  
 Assistant Minister  
 Reader  
 Ushers  
 Greeters  
 Communion Team  
 Organist  
 Power Point Operator  
 Nursery Attendant  
 Altar Guild  
 Coffee & Fellowship

10:30 a.m.

Lyn Cruse  
  
 Glenda & Russ Liptow

Jan Knutson  
 Rachel Shepherd  
 None Scheduled

10:30 a.m.

Jim Saudargas  
  
 Colleen Pettit  
  
 Sara & Zach Fillbach

Trevor Carr  
 Rachel Shepherd  
 None Scheduled

## **Soup Lunch Holiday Gift Shop**

As in past years, gifts will be given to our friends that share our Soup Lunch each week.

This year's Christmas meal and gift giving will be on Wednesday, December 21st.

Donations of hats, scarves, gloves, throw blan-



### **CARITAS**

*Sharing with others the necessities of life.*

**St. Paul is sponsoring a Personal Care shelf in the Caritas Pantry.**

Donations of personal care items are desperately sought to provide to folks who are in need. There is a bin placed in the Narthex with a list of items needed. Thanks for your generosity!




St. Paul Owls will share Christmas Carols and a Potluck Lunch

## **New Member Orientation and Reception**

Due to a very busy schedule for December, the next New Member's Orientation and Receiving of New Members has been postponed to January. The Orientation meeting will be Monday, January 9 at 7:00 pm in the Michael Chapel. We will receive New Members on Sunday, January 15. If you know of anyone interested in becoming a member at St. Paul, please pass along the info.

## *This Week At St. Paul*

<b>Today</b>	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship Service with Holy Communion</b>
	<b>9:15</b>	<b>Coffee Hour</b>
	<b>9:15</b>	<b>Believer's Club Sunday School</b>
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Worship Service with Holy Communion</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>6:30</b>	<b>Parish Ed Meeting</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9:00</b>	<b>Sarah Circle</b>
		<b>Soup Lunch</b> 
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>12:00</b>	<b>OWLS—Potluck and Caroling Choirs</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8:00</b>	<b>Worship Service with Holy Communion</b>
	<b>9:15</b>	<b>Coffee Hour</b>
	<b>9:15</b>	<b>Believer's Club Sunday School</b>
	<b>10:30</b>	<b>Worship Service with Holy Communion</b>

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### *Stewardship: Time, Talent & Treasure*

**Attendance:** Thanksgiving Eve: **91**  
Last week: 8:00 **53** 10:30 **67** Total **120**

#### *Weekly Collection:*

**Week of November 20: \$2983.15**      **Total Offering**

<b>Week of November 27: \$3882.47</b>	<b>Total Offering</b>
General Fund Giving \$3449.47	Cynthia Burnside Fund \$87.00
Mission Outreach \$5.00	Thanksgiving Offering \$206.00
RSNS Scholarship \$50.00	Miriam Circle Offering \$50.00
	Church Mutual Insurance \$35.00

#### *A Call to Stewardship*

*The measure you give will be the measure you get back.*

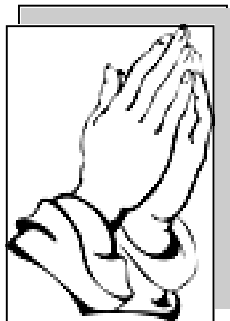
*See Luke 6:38*

#### **Thrivent Choice Dollars**

By directing designated Choice Dollars through Thrivent Choice, eligible members recommend where Thrivent Financial distributes some of its charitable outreach grant dollars among thousands of participating Lutheran non-profit organizations and congregations.

By Thrivent's generosity, St. Paul has received \$2,981.00 to date in 2011. These funds are used for non-budgeted and undesignated expenses.





**Friends and Family to remember in prayer:** Audrey Kottenberg, Jack Weeden, Bud Carlson (father of Karen Saudargas), Shawn Nunnick (friend of the Murphy's), Jane Carr & family, Carson Benner, Dick Bridge, Payten Lee Ann Fobes (great granddaughter of Joyce Elwood), Robert Schewe, Karen Fahrney, Dick Gabrielson, Paul Dailey (friend of Steurers), Sherry O'Grady, Denice Brunton, Lynn Weeden, Diane Murphy, Victoria Roberts, Traci Callies, Marguerite Messer (friend of Robin Hoefler), Ruby Hall, Steve Gretka, Brett & Carol (Kitelinger) Frame, Henry Carlson (father of Dan), Donna Navrestad (sister of Shirley Hallmark), Sandra Lindeman, Don Folts, Geri Banno and Amy Byers (relatives of Kerri Carroll), Lucille Alton, Betty Christianson, Matilde Hernandez, Jeff Hughes, Brad Dillett, Bill Champion Sr. and Kari Champion (brother and sister of Lori Katterhenry), Linda Draeving - Hammack, Vi Chamberlin, Ed and Ingrid Petersen, Jesus Abarca and his family, Dorothy Rohr, Jan Pinnow (friend of Tammy Pedrick), Trevor Young (friend of Martin Scott), Sammie Crall, and Barbara Petersen (mother of Andy and Lisa Petersen).

**Friends and Family in the Military:** Lukas Davis, Christian Carlson (friend of Ashley Allen), Tim Chartrand Jr. (brother of Julia Lasecki), Jeff & Scott Miller (friends of the Locks), Michael Watson (friend of Katterhenrys), David and Adam Flowers (grandsons of Addie), Ryan & Stephen Carrick (friends of the Panns), Kyle Schoon and Blaine Packard (grandsons of Kathryn), Aaron Hallmark (nephew of Shirley), Kyle Hoefler (nephew of Robin), Matthew Cluver (relative of the Weedens and Wests), Chris Rutledge (husband of LeeAnn), Paul Drummer (friend of the Windens), Michael Ferger, and Andy tePas ( grandson of Ethel and Dick Bridge).



### San Jose Angel Tree

Crocheted Angels will adorn a Christmas Tree in Church as a fundraising effort to support the San Jose Congregation. Each angel costs \$1.00, and receives 100% matching grant funds, providing \$2.00 for each angel sold. Lyn Cruse is coordinating the sale, which will be held during the coffee hour and after the 10:30 worship service.



### *Christmas Poinsettia Order Form* *Let's fill our Sanctuary with Christmas Beauty!*

*Name* \_\_\_\_\_

*In Honor Of:* \_\_\_\_\_

*In Memory Of:* \_\_\_\_\_

*In Thankfulness For:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Please include \$15.00 with your order and place in the Offering Plate or leave with the Church Office by December 11. Thank You!*



## *Christmas Poinsettias*

*Given by:*

*Tammy Pedrick*

*Ellen Barrett*

*Joyce Buske*

*Alan and Sue Katterhenry*

*In Memory of:*

*Cliff Pedrick*

*Bob Barrett*

*Erwin Buske*

*Melvin Katterhenry*

*Given by:*

*Alan and Sue Katterhenry*

*Merlin and Billie Kenitzer*

*In Honor of:*

*Betty Katterhenry and*

*LaVerne and Ruth Doll*

*Keith, Ann Marie, and Jane*

*Given by:*

*Lynn and Cathy Oswald*

*With Thankfulness for:*

*Our Family*

