

# **St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church**

*Holstein, Iowa*

*Phone: (712) 368-2228; fax: (712) 368-4584*

## **Worship Services:**

Sunday 9:00 am

Sunday School 10:00 am

Coffee Hour: 10:00 am

## **Office Hours**

Mon. – Thurs. 8:30 am – 4:00 pm; Fri. 8:30 – 12:00

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**Ministers:** *All the members*

**DYME:** *Jim and Kris Kistenmacher – 368-2250*

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## **Scripture Readings for**

**January 14, 2018**

### **Second Sunday of Epiphany**

**First Reading:** 1 Samuel 3:1-10

**Psalmody:** Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 6:12-20

**Gospel:** John 1:43-51

## **Worship Participants**

### **GREETERS**

**9:00 am:** Doug and Karen Wessling

### **LECTORS**

**9:00 am:** Vickie Heck

### **DEACONS**

**9:00 am:** Chad Dutler and Kelly Otto

### **ACOLYTES**

**9:00 am:** Emma Vohs and Jake Breyfogle

### **SOUND/VIDEO OPERATOR**

**9:00 am:** Doug Wessling and Anya Kistenmacher

**TRANSPORTATION:** Norm & Jan Buenger

(368-2254 or 712-830-2163)

**FLOWERS:** Altar vases provided by the Altar fund

**COFFEE HOSTS:** Wayne and Kaye Albers (chairman)

Doug and Karen Wessling

## **St. Paul Church Schedule**

### **THURSDAY, January 11**

**7:00 PM** Audit

### **SUNDAY, January 14**

**9:00 AM** Worship – Guest speakers Mike and Patti Andrews

**10:00 AM** Sunday School

**10:00 AM** Coffee hour

### **MONDAY, January 15**

**7:00 PM** Trustees

### **TUESDAY, January 16**

**9:00 AM** Sewing Day

### **WEDNESDAY, January 17**

**3:34 PM** LOGOS – *Talk like a Pirate Night*

### **THURSDAY, January 18**

**7:00 PM** Task Force

**8:00 PM** Church Council

### **SUNDAY, January 21**

**9:00 AM** Worship with communion- Pastor Ben McIntire

**10:00 AM** Sunday School

**10:00 AM** Coffee hour

### **WEDNESDAY, January 24**

**3:45 PM** NO LOGOS

### **SUNDAY, January 28**

**9:00 AM** Worship – Pastor Jeff Ungs from WIS

**10:00 AM** Sunday School

**10:00 AM** Brunch followed by Annual Meeting

## **LOGOS – Jan. 17 - Workers**

**Set-up:** Susan Endrulat, Megan Stowater

**Snack Servers:** Susan Endrulat, Eileen Ostermann

**Cook Team:** Karen Breyfogle, Monica Nedved, Lynette Henry, Mary Jane Gebers, Joy Wulf

**Clean-up:** Lori Forneris, Robin Huenecke, Stuart Else, Shanade Stevenson, Mark Vincent, Amy Venteicher, Mike Grimes, Deb Bagenstos, Jessica Ernst

**Wash Table Cloths:** Barb Stratton

**Wash Towels:** Barb Stratton

**Home Bakers:** Jan Grell, Monica Nedved, Bonnie Barkema, Laura Peuse, Audrey Dittmer





# Hospital report at the time of printing...

No one is in the hospital at this time.

If you know of anyone who needs transportation to/from worship services please call the person listed for transportation on our participant list in this mid-week by **Thursday afternoon.**

If you have a prayer request or wish to be included on the prayer chain please call Eileen Ostermann (368-4579) or the Church Office (368-2228).

## Baptism Anniversaries

(January 11 – January 17)



- 1-11: Chelsea Taylor
- 1-12: Darla Brosamle, Anya Kistenmacher
- 1-14: Karna Free
- 1-15: Gail Gebers, Julie Johnson, Dane Rodriguez, Clayton Trost, Johnathan Henderson, Leo Nedved

Stewardship Task Force is pleased to welcome Mike and Patti Andrews to speak here at St. Paul on January 14<sup>th</sup>. This couple has taken several mission trips over the years. For their next journey they will be accompanied by two dentists. The Andrew's goal is to take 2500 to 3500 toothbrushes with them on this mission trip.

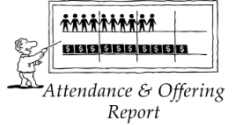
So here's the deal. Will you, as members of St. Paul, help us gather an "offering" of as many toothbrushes as possible? On January 7<sup>th</sup> and also on the day of their presentation (January 14) we would like to "gather" toothbrushes and present them to them.

Toothbrushes can be any size or color and for any age. We are hoping the children of the congregation will help us at gathering time each Sunday.



Suggested donations for the **Community Basket** during the month **January** are baking items. You may place your donations in the box under the coatrack in the north entrance.

## Congregational Close-up Worship Service Attendance



January 7, 2018

9:00 Worship – 155      Sunday School – 19  
Treasurer's Report for the week of Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>

### BENEVOLENCE

#### LOCAL

- Sioux City Gospel Mission ..... \$10.00
- Ingham/Okoboji Bible Camp ..... \$5.00

#### IOWA

- ELCA Western Iowa Synod ..... \$20.00

### CURRENT

- General Fund..... \$4,612.00
- Loose Plate..... \$19.00
- Initial Offering..... \$115.00
- Communion..... \$55.00
- LOGOS-donations-Lutheran ..... \$45.00
- Wee Wisdom-fees ..... \$75.00
- Wee Wisdom-donations ..... \$42.54
- Sunday School..... \$15.00
- Sunday School-NOISY Offering..... \$107.65
- Bldg ..... \$70.00
- Bldg-Sunday School Renovation ..... \$5.00
- Bldg-kitchen..... \$80.00

**Total Income Jan. 7, 2018..... \$5,276.19**

Let our New Year's resolution be this: We will be there for one another as fellow members of humanity, in the finest sense of the word.

--Goran Persson

"Kindness is like snow - it beautifies everything it covers."

--Kahlil Gibran

## Birthday Anniversaries

(January 11 – January 17)



- 1-11: Brock Bisenius
- 1-12: Steven Kay
- 1-14: Catherine Doxtad, Jean Meier, Cheryl Meyer, Keith Rochau,  
Jim Werner, Donna Wittrock
- 1-15: Jim Clausen, Kyle Friedrichsen, Gary Jensen
- 1-16: Margene Fritz
- 1-17: Colton Dutler, Marilyn Mooney, Shannon Rohlk

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Wish these St. Paul members a very "Happy Birthday" and watch for a new list each week.

If your birthday was inadvertently omitted, or is incorrect, please call the office so we can make the correction to our records.

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### Task Force and Committee Chairman and Treasures

The **Audit** will be on **January 11, 2018** starting at **7:00 PM**. Check the schedule for your appointment. Please be early to your appointed time since it is our hope to be ahead of schedule. There are a lot of books to audit with the most difficult audits being later in the evening. The annual report will be completed, printed and ready for your viewing by January 21, 2018. The Annual meeting of the congregation is scheduled for **Sunday January 28, 2018**. We will have Worship at **9:00 AM** followed by a Brunch at 10:00 AM and the Annual Meeting will be immediately after in the fellowship hall.

Bells -----	7:00 pm
Gifts/Memorial -----	7:05 pm
WELCA -----	7:15 pm
Men's League-----	7:25 pm
Endowment Foundation -----	7:30 pm
Children's Memorial fund-----	7:45 pm
Jr.& Sr. League -----	7:55 pm
Church Financial Secretary (Sue) -----	8:00 pm
Church Gen. Statement (Donna) -----	8:00 pm



## COMMUNITY BASKET MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

Free Food will be brought to **Battle Creek, IA** for residents of: Holstein, Galva, Ida Grove, Arthur, Odebolt, Battle Creek, and Kiron.

Food distribution held at

**Battle Creek Fire Station  
Thursday, January 18<sup>th</sup> at 4:30**

Please bring containers for food.

If you need food but cannot make it to the distribution site, contact Bonnie Barkema (368-4778) by **January 15<sup>th</sup>**.

**Brought to you by  
Community Members and Leaders**

Included in this mid-week are the new **Lector, Greeter and Coffee Host** schedules for the year **2018**. If you are unable to fulfill your duties on the date assigned to you please trade with someone on the list and call the office so the change can be made on the Master lists. Thank you all that serve on these committees as without each and every one of you things would not be as easy around St. Paul Lutheran Church.

### **Mission Opportunity**

Support *United Christians International (UCI) of Caiman, Haiti* **Wed., Jan 17**. If you aren't involved with LOGOS this evening, please consider eating supper at Pizza Ranch in Storm Lake. Caleb Kistenmacher and the Haiti mission team will be busing tables for your Tips! UCI will receive the tip money and a portion of the sales that evening.

**Sun., Jan. 28**. Caleb and members of the mission team will serve brunch prior to the Annual Meeting. Come and Enjoy delicious eggs, fresh fruit, and Karen Brunelle's delectable cinnamon rolls in support of the Haitian school children of UCI.

This team is planning for a week long mission Mar 7-14, 2018.

# ST PAUL SUNDAY SCHOOL RENOVATION

## PROJECT UPDATE

### PROJECTED COSTS

Room #	Location	Class	Cost	Goal Met
Room 201	Top steps West	4th-6th Grade	\$2,285	YES!!
Room 203	Fire Escape NW Room	7th-8th Grade	\$1,675	YES!!
Room 204	NE Room	2 <sup>nd</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	\$2,200	\$773.82
Room 205	East Side Center North room	Kindergarten 1st Grade	\$1,645	YES!!
Room 206	East side, Center South room	Nursery, Preschool, TK	\$1,735	YES!!
Room 207	SE Corner Room	Open	\$2,250	
Room 208	Top steps East Small room	Study/Prep	\$ 945	YES !!
Window Installation	Installation cost for all 7 classroom windows		\$6,000	YES!!
<b>Total Projected Renovation Cost</b>			<b>\$ 18,735</b>	<b>\$ 15,058.82</b>

Wow!! Our cup is over half full already! In less than 2 months, we are getting very close to meeting our goal needed to give the Sunday School rooms a much needed face lift. **Thank you** for your generous support of this project! Over **\$15,000** has been raised leaving a balance of **\$3,676.18** left to fund the remaining needs of this project. We hope to proceed with renovation in late spring and sooner as we are able. Please keep this project in mind as we move into 2018 and again, **thank you** St. Paul members for your help and financial support!

## *The Temple*

This puzzle focuses on the amazing temple that God instructed Solomon to build. You'll find words about its construction, furnishings, and more

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*What important item is missing from the list?*