

The Epistle

Paul Owens, Senior Pastor



I sat at Fritz and Cora's kitchen table with them. It is one of those oak, pedestal tables that so many of us have sat around, shared meals around, done homework on, prayed around, and played cards on. I asked them "how did you learn to budget?" Fritz smiled and said "We sat around our kitchen table, like this. I was fresh out of the Corps of Cadets from A&M and a new officer in Germany. The Army paid me \$200 per month. Cora and I were newly-weds; she had just taken the long, slow boat across the ocean and then long train ride to join me in Germany. Since we were married, the Army paid me \$40 more... so we had a grand total of \$240/month on which to live. So we sat around our kitchen table and took out envelopes and put a designation on each one – offering, groceries, clothing, etc., - and we divided up the cash among the envelopes. That's how we started."

Sounds like pretty simple discipline, pretty faithful... and pretty abnormal today.

Today, the vast majority of Americans spend more time planning a two week vacation than they do their budget or their retirement. When you don't take just a little time and discipline to discuss and plan, money and then debt become a big, hungry elephant in the room... as they have for most families in America. As a congregation, rather than dance around it, we are shifting our culture to talk about the elephant... and to help you kick it out of your living room and off your family's back.

Jesus could not have said it better: "Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." Matt 6.21. Notice how he said it: your heart FOLLOWS your treasure. Dear ones, money is not a financial issue; it's a **spiritual issue**... a matter of the heart. If I am undisciplined with money, that means my heart is undisciplined... literally, not following God's plan for me.

If Fritz and Cora could use envelopes and a simple, disciplined approach, so can you☺. Here's the truth about money: God owns it all. We are his managers (stewards), called to use it his way for his glory. Your kitchen table – and prayer – is a great place to start.

Your brother in Christ,

Pastor Paul



February 2017

Chip Reynolds, Pastor



How are you doing? No...I mean how are you REALLY doing?

I find myself tending toward what people want to hear instead of the honest truth. It is much easier to just put on the happy face instead of letting people see the inner-most parts of who we are.

But don't we all know that there are highs and lows in everyone's lives and that should make being authentic with each other simpler. But why the fake smiles? Are we afraid that if we share then we are going to have to bear with other people's authenticity as well? Are we going to have to bear their burdens as well as our own? Heaven forbid that we walk with other people through their trials and they walk through ours with us.

This past three days has been a rollercoaster ride for me on the National Guard side of things. On Saturday Kathryn and I attended the Artillery Regimental Dining Out. We dressed up and took pictures and enjoyed a great evening with many of my soldiers and their significant others. It was a blast.

Then, yesterday, I buried one of my soldiers. He was sick and died of medical complications last week.

In between was just the regular day-to-day things that compose most of my drill weekends. I visited with lots of soldiers, followed up on lots of soldiers that are struggling, and sat in a lot of meetings. Mountaintops and valleys. My military life and my regular life aren't that different, are they? And probably not that different from yours. Highs and lows with a lot of status quo in between.

So if we all have this type of life why are we not comfortable sharing our lows with each other? Why are we more likely to default to the positive or non-committal answers so as to keep the conversation very superficial? Why isolate ourselves instead of commune with each other? Scripture tells us that we are all parts of a body and that we should not just rejoice together but we should also suffer together.

If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it. Now you are the body of Christ, and each of you is a member of it. (1 COR 12:26 & 27)

So, try not to just put on the face that you think people want to see. Also, be willing to let people into the real parts of your life. Let's be authentic. Let's be real. With highs and lows. Mountains and valleys. Let's live life TOGETHER as the body that God intended.

In His Arms,

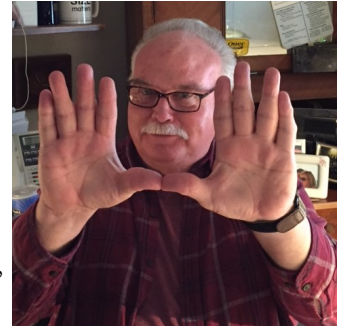
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Phase 1 Capital Campaign Update:

As of **January 22, 2017**, we have received **\$805,411** toward Phase 1 of our facility expansion and renovation. Praise God; we are so grateful! By the end of April, our target is to receive **\$194,589** more, for a total of \$1 million in gifts. This would put us in great shape with a conservative monthly payment on our loan. Please pray and consider giving.

February 2017

Fred Terry, Congregation President



Greetings, my brothers and sisters in Christ!

Here it is, the second month of 2017 already. I pray that you and yours are all healthy, warm, and dry!

In my photo this month, you see me looking through my open hands. Your leadership has a mission, vision, and priorities of innovation and excellence. We pride ourselves on thinking outside of the box. We do this in our Council Meetings, Board Meetings, Committee Meetings, as well as the staff in their daily duties. You ought to be proud of each and every member as we all work diligently to provide the Congregation a strong and prayerfully orientated oversight of the operations at St. Paul Lutheran Church. In the June Semi-annual Congregation Meeting, you will be asked to vote on some of the leadership positions of your Congregation Council (including the President and Vice-President). It will behoove you all to pay attention to what the Nominating Committee, under the direction of Chuck Knudson, provides for the platform in June. The impact that the Council has on this institution, its Congregants, and its future cannot be overstated! Every meeting held at St. Paul is open to anyone who would like to sit in. Dates and times are advertised in the Sunday bulletin, monthly Epistle, as well as the website: www.nbstpaul.org. Step forward and join a Board or Committee, it is every body's chore to serve!

Though the construction of Phase One of the Master Plan is a little behind schedule, we are looking real nice! I take a moment every time I drive up to the campus and make a circle around the exterior, then slip beyond the barricades while no one is looking (with safety gear, of course) to see what is new. It brings a tingling feeling from head to toe to see what great things are happening. I did not get this sensation from the fancy video that Hiemsath Architects presented nor from the print materials. There is no justice in the blueprints, only the actual product that the contractors and the trades produced are in their due diligence every day of work. It has been a very long time coming. I remember this started with similar working with Pastor Chuck and Malcom Fischer over fifteen years ago and finally we are there. All of this to the Glory of God!

Next month, March 1st, we will be celebrating Ash Wednesday. Noon at St. Martin and then that evening in the Sanctuary. Mark your calendars now before the time slips away. Ash Wednesday is the beginning of Lent. Emily Harborth and the Board of Congregation Life are busy with planning events during the season along with Rod Mueller and the Board of Worship. This ought to be a season of great events for the entire family. Looking forward to seeing you all on campus. It will not be long until we will be celebrating Holy Week.

Let's not forget that the Annual Wild Game Dinner will be upon us very soon. Thank you to Lance Bielke, Garth Bielke, and the entire WGD Team. Long ago, the first meal was served in our Fellowship Hall to a couple hundred attendees with funds raised to provide a "Gator" ATV to a youth camp. The WGD has grown to fill the New Braunfels Civic Center to capacity - there's even a dance with a live band! Proceeds benefit many entities! This event is considered "the event of the season" by the whole community. Looking forward to seeing you there in a few weeks!

"The government will one day be corrupt and filled with liars, and the people will flock to the one who tells the truth."
Thomas Jefferson

And so it goes, we all are bombarded every waking moment of every day, with the one lying about the other and so forth. It is not just politics that the devil has incorporated himself. It is everywhere we look these days. *"Save, oh Lord, for the godly one is gone; for the faithful have vanished from among the children of man."* Psalm 12:1

Lord: We are tempted to follow other voices, but they are all flash and dash. Forgive us for letting social networks replace real face time with You and others. Help us to ignore the chime of an incoming text message that threatens to interrupt our every conversation. May Your life-giving words ring to the depths of our soul and embrace us in Your Grace. Amen

Your brother in Christ!

Fred



The 13th Annual St. Paul Lutheran Church Wild Game Dinner



The 13th Annual St. Paul Lutheran Church Wild Game Dinner will be held on March 11, 2017, at the New Braunfels Convention and Civic Center in New Braunfels, Texas. The Wild Game Dinner is a family event focused on fun and fellowship while spreading the word of Jesus Christ through raising funds for the church's youth activities and various outreach programs in the community. The event includes: dinner with a wide variety of wild game and non-game items, live and silent auctions, a drawing featuring a custom built rifle, and live music by local country artist Bret Graham and his band.

The Wild Game Dinner net proceeds will be distributed equally among:

- Youth Ministry** – supports youth programs, including summer camps, mission trips, VBS and more.
- New Life Children's Center** - a residential treatment center for severely troubled girls ages 11 – 17.
- Cross Trails Outfitters** - a Christian-based youth outdoors program.
- Trinity Oaks** - an outdoors experience for veterans, youth, terminally ill, and persons with disabilities.
- The Gabriel Project** - a crisis pregnancy counseling and assistance program.
- Communities in Schools** - provides support to help students stay in school and succeed in life
- Texas Outdoor C.H.I.L.D.** - provides hunting, fishing and outdoor adventures to youngsters between 8 and 20 years old that have experienced a life altering medical incident.

Tickets are \$20 for adults with children 12 and under free. Corporate tables (seating for 10) are \$350 with limited availability. To reserve yours, please contact us as soon as possible. For questions or to make a donation, please contact St. Paul Lutheran Church or Lance Bielke or Garth Bielke at the phone numbers or email addresses below. All donations are greatly appreciated!

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Women's Retreat

March 24- 26, 2017
It is time to register!

“When the Spirit of truth comes, He will guide you into all the truth... “
Come! Focus on the Holy Spirit! Guest Speaker shares how the Spirit leads her.

Forms in narthex and online www.nbstpaul.org

Checks to church office or pay on line by March 19.

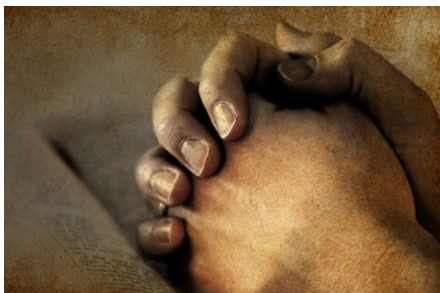
BIBLE BLESSINGS-FAITHFUL FELLOWSHIP-AMAZING ACCOMMODATIONS
& FABULOUS FOOD



Breaking Bread Together



Groups will start forming and meeting again in March. If you are interested in joining a group or just want to find out more about it, please contact Dotty Collins at 830-629-5129, Dotty@postofficerealty.com, or call the church office.



Prayers Service

February 21 at 5:30pm

Prayer is a gift that God has given to us as a means to approach the throne of grace with confidence—like that of a child coming to her parents sharing concerns, victories, defeats and every part of life. It is an opportunity to express the deepest heartache and the greatest joy. Please join us!

Construction Progress



Sunday Morning - 9:15

Birth through 12th Grade

The Nursery through 5th grade will be studying the Spark Activate Faith Series. The curriculum follows the lectionary calendar.

Nursery Children - led by Cassie Mueller, meet in the Butterfly Room.

3 years – 4 years - led by Nancy Schlather and Kristin Haas, meet in the Monkey Room.

5 years – Kindergarten - led by Azeneth Knudson and Cheryl Koepp, meet in the Gecko Room.

1st Graders – 2nd Graders - led by Tracy Granado, meet in Room 208.

3rd Graders – 4th Graders - led by Jill Kreuzler and Kristee Wirebaugh, meet in Room 204.

5th Graders - led by Kelly King, meet in Room 203.



The 6th Grade through 12th will be studying “The Gospel Project”.

It is a three year program that starts with Genesis and goes to Revelation.

6th Graders - meet in Room 223.

7th Graders - 8th Graders - led by Joe Wilson, meet in Room 224.

9th Graders - 12th Graders - led by Pastor Chip Reynolds & Steve Chapman, meet in the Youth Room upstairs.

Nursery available in the Butterfly Room from 7:45 – 11:45

Adult Classes

Men’s Bible Study, led by Tex Brown, is taking books of the Bible and going through them one chapter at a time. They meet downstairs in the Zebra Classroom.

Study of the Lectionary, led by Teeta Bahr, is based on the study of the weekly texts. This class is open to all and meets downstairs in the Sacristy.

Study of God’s Word, led by Lanelle Rudolph, is on a study journey from Genesis to Revelation. This multi-generational group meets in the Chapel.

Women’s Bible Study, Kay Magness is leading the class in room 201 through February 12th. The topic is "Israel's Mission" a Ray Vander Laan video and study from Focus On the Family. All are welcome!

Mary and Martha Class, led by Sharon Schroeder, is a group of women that meet together to study and provide friendship and support. They are continuing a Bible study on 1,2,3 John. They meet in the kitchen.

Men’s Class, led by Brian Taylor, is studying the Book of Luke. They meet upstairs in Room 210.

Partners in Faith, led by David and Liz Doss, is studying Romans in Room 202.



Weekdays

Family Night Wednesdays 6:15 – 8:00

Kindergarten – 5th Graders - CLIMB, led by Tracy Granado, Kelly King, Kay Magness, and Isaiah Granado. The theme is “Treasure Seekers” where kids discover who God is. They will be in Rooms 203, 204, & 209.

6th, 7th, and 8th Graders - led by Pastor Chip Reynolds, will be in Confirmation. They will be learning about the Ten Commandments. They will meet in Rooms 225 & 226.

9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th - They will meet in the Youth Room.

Bible Study for Women - Anointed, Transformed, Redeemed: A Study of David. Meet in the Chapel

Bible Study for Men - Meet in room 210.

Monthly

Third Thursday of the Month

SPICE - led by Lanelle Rudolph in her home at 6:00 p.m., is a women’s group that studies a different book of the Bible each year from the God’s Word for Today Series. They are studying 1st & 2nd Thessalonians in 2017.

The Report Card - Karisha Neely Director

February; the month of Love. Our God teaches us to love all! He is an amazing God who lives inside of each of us. We have so much to give, yet so often hold it inside. Shame on us; we must try harder every day to love... especially with children. I want to share with you something I read recently:

If children don't know how to read, we teach!

If children don't know how to write, we teach!

If children don't know how to count, we teach!

If children don't know how to behave, we....punish?

What, Why punish? If we constantly love, we will teach.

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."



DID YOU KNOW???

Not only can you put your offering in the plate on Sunday morning, but you can also give a gift electronically by:

- E-CHECK
- DEBIT CARD
- CREDIT CARD

To give electronically, see Giving Options under Resources at www.nbstpaul.org.

February 2017 Youth Calendar

Wed. Feb. 1	6:15p.m.	Middle school and high school lesson. 12th graders AND parents have 2nd lesson in Blessing Our Graduates.
Sun. Feb. 5	1:00-3:00p.m.	BINGO at Kirkwood – for all 6th-12th grade students.
Wed. Feb. 8	6:15p.m.	Middle school and high school lesson.
Wed. Feb. 15	6:15p.m.	Middle school and high school lesson.
Sun. Feb. 19		Butter Braid fund raiser begins.
Wed. Feb. 22	6:15p.m.	Middle school and high school lesson.



SERVICE PROJECT – Bingo at Kirkwood

February 5 1:00 - 3:00p.m.

For all 6th-12th grade students. Meet in the Youth room after 2nd service for lunch. Will travel by church vans to Kirkwood to play BINGO from 1:00p.m.-2:45p.m. All students can be picked up at church at 3:00p.m. CHAPERONES AND STUFFED ANIMALS ARE NEEDED! If interested in being a chaperone, please contact Alison at alissetser4@gmail.com.

Butter Braid Fundraiser

begins Sunday, Feb. 19

This fund raiser is for all 6th-12th grade students. Forms will be handed out during Sunday school. This fund raiser will end on March 12.

Accepting payments for Camp Eagle 2017 NOW!

May pay with cash, check or online.

PAYING WITH CASH - put cash in an envelope and label it with event name and student name, seal it and place in offering plate on Sunday or take to church office during normal business hours.

PAYING WITH CHECK - make payable to SPLC and notate in memo Camp Eagle 2017 and students name. Place in offering plate on Sunday or take to the church office during normal business hours.

PAYING ONLINE - follow the steps below:

- Go to www.nbstpaul.org
- Click on Resources (at top of page towards right hand side)
- Click Giving Options
- Click on maroon box “Click Here to Give Online”
- You can either register and create a password to be able to give again quickly in the future or you can click on “Quick Give”.
- There is an amount box and to the right of the amount box is a drop down menu – pick “Camp”.
- There is another box that states “Additional Information or Comments, please state your child’s name there and “Camp Eagle 2017”, so that our Bookkeeper has complete clarification.
- You can then pay by e-check, debit or credit card.

Music Ministry - Jody Noblett Director of Music & Creative

- Children:** Cherub Choir (3yrs - 2nd Gr.) 10:10 a.m. Sunday - Jody Noblett
 Alleluia Choir (3rd - 6th Gr.) 9:15 a.m. Sunday - Jody Noblett
- Youth:** Mimes practice as needed - Diana Clayburne
 Puppets practice as needed - Jody Noblett
- Adults:** Covenant Band 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Jody Noblett
 Sanctuary Choir 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Jody Noblett



Ministry Partners

- Quilters** - Meet every Tuesday 9:00 a.m. in Rm. 212 to sew quilts for Lutheran World Relief. Contact Betty Pankau
- Prayer Blankets** - Meet as needed to crochet prayer blankets for the sick. Contact Dorothy Nehring
- Sunshine Ministry** - Make gifts and take them to our shut-ins. Contact Jeannie Anderson
- Bereavement Ministry** - Meet as needed to provide receptions for funeral/memorial services. Contact Carol Schorn
- Eucharistic Ministry** - Give communion to shut-ins monthly. Contact Carolyn Zunker
- Hospital Visitors Ministry** - Visit members in the hospital. Contact Ola Fischer
- Use Your Car Ministry** - Good Neighbors that drive others to church or appointments. Contact Benno Engel
- Prayer Ministry** - Contact Carolyn Zunker
- Friday Morning Prayer** - Contact Roylene Haggard or Gloria Jung
- Kitchen Angels** - Provide meals as needed for those coming home from the hospital. Contact Emily Harborth
- Master Craftsmen** - All men of St. Paul - First Wednesday, 7:30 a.m. Contact Harold Voges

Fellowship Ministry

- Breaking Bread Groups** - meet monthly in people's homes. Contact Dotty Collins
- Bridge Friends** - meet the 1st & 3rd Thursdays at 1:30 p.m. at New Braunfels Senior Citizens Center. Contact Karen Krieg
- Mah Jongg Friends** - meet the 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. Contact Shirley Stamets at 620-1731 for location.
- Out to Eat Friends** - meet on the 2nd Friday at 5:00 p.m. Contact Sue & Larry Schwab
- Domino Friends** - meet the 4th Saturday at 6:00 p.m. Contact Janice & Larry Phillips



Board Reports

Board of Christian Ed - Sue Schwab - 830-237-0749

Did not meet in January.

Board of Congregational Life - Emily Harborth - 830-609-7912

Did not meet in January.

Board of Personnel- Chip Franck - 830-214-0366

The Personnel Board continues its work to resolve issues identified in the Compliance Review.

Board of Preschool - Nancy Schlather - 830-609-8344

- Current Enrollment is 97 students.
- We are currently working on updating all job descriptions.
- We are in the process of creating a survey that would go out to all parents/staff. This would help us identify our strengths and weaknesses. It will help us identify some goals for the following year.
- We are working towards setting some annual goals.

Board of Property - Danny Zunker - 830-221-7673

- Sanctuary lighting project was completed.

Board of Youth and Family - Alison Setser - 210-722-8065

- Discussed “pros and cons” of December events.
- Received final report/progress of January scheduled events.
- Brief report given on the collection progress of all past due payments. Collection process for all 2017 events has begun.
- Board approved January - May 2017 calendar which included the following service projects and events:
Trash pick-up with TxDOT Adopt-a-Highway program, Bingo at Kirkwood, Butter Braid fundraiser, Pancake Supper, youth involvement with WGD, Blessing the Graduate Stepping Stone and so forth.

Board of Evangelism – Paul Henfey - 210-383-6101

Board of Public Relations - Phil Moore - 830-832-6067

Board of Stewardship – Arlen Pietsch- 830-625-2152

Board of Worship – Rod Mueller -

Memorial Committee Report

Memorials during the month of November, 2016, were given in memory of the following people: Vernon Bleck, Roy and Teresa Duelm, Dwight Kanz, Herman Kupfernagel, Harvey Lee, and William (Bill) Tart.

Memorials during the month of December, 2016, were given in memory of the following people: Roy and Teresa Duelm, Mike Grahan, Mavis Greif, Dennis Harborth, Rhoda Jahns, Harvey Lee, Otis Walter Mueller, William (Bill) Tart, Allan Thieme, Roger Thieme, and Frances Townsend.

Honorariums during the month of December, 2016, were given in honor of the following people: Pastor Danny and Janet Koenig and SPLC Leadership (Staff & Volunteers)

The Memorial Committee has voted to reserve \$3,800 for the Congregational Life Board as they select an outdoor nativity scene for future holiday decoration. More information will become available as the Board researches and evaluates possible structures.

February Flowers

<i>February 5</i>	<i>Richard Albon & Lanelle Rudolph</i>
<i>February 12</i>	<i>Raymond & Mary Gass</i>
<i>February 19</i>	<i>Wayne & Cynthia Graybill</i>
<i>February 26</i>	<i>Open</i>



Our Sympathy to

Rod and Sandi Mueller on the death of his mother, Nell Mueller, and his brother-in-law, Graham Phares.
 Ola and Malcolm Fischer on the death of her sister, Wanda.
 Lou and Marilyn Paliani on the death of his mother, Mary Lou Paliani.
 Benny Schumann on the death of his brother, David Schumann.
 Amy McHan on the death of her father.
 Jennifer Burrows on the death of her father-in-law, Eddie Burrows.
 Meredith Nyman on the death of her mother, Mildred Neuman.
 Reno Engel on the death of his wife, Kay Engel.



Congratulations to

Sharon and Dustin Ikels on the birth of their baby boy,
 Rhett Montgomery Ikels. Grandmother is Peri Ikels.

Josh and Cassie Mueller on the birth of their baby girl, Elise.
 Grandparents are Rod and Sandi Mueller.

Grandparents Rodger and Barbara Johnson on the birth of grandbaby Matias Collin.



Wes and Jesica (Wolter) Zunker on their union of marriage on January 1, 2017.
 Thor and Alicia (Stoll) Kooda on their union in marriage on January 15, 2017.

"I would like to say "Thank you" for all the prayers, cards, hugs, and other expressions of sympathy that I received when my sister, Wanda, passed from this life to her eternal home with Jesus. The support of my church family is so very precious to me."

Ola Fischer

We videotape and photograph during worship services and church events. These images may be released online, in video or photo format, or used in publications. If anyone should object, please call the church office at 830-625-9191.



*****Sundays*****

8:00am Traditional Service 9:30am Covenant Choir

9:15am Sunday School 10:00am Cherub Choir

Alleluia Choir 10:30am Informal Service

February 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 7:30am Mastercraftsmen 2:00pm Construction Progress 5:30pm Building Comm 6:15pm Family Night 6:30pm Blessing Our Graduates 7:00pm Choir	2 6:00pm Congregational Life 6:30pm FPU	3 7:00am Prayer Group	4
5 COMMUNION See Above 8:45am FPU 9:15am FPU 1:00pm Youth Bingo at Kirkwood	6 1:30pm StaffMeeting 6:30pm Youth & Family Board 6:30pm FPU 6:30pm Preschool Board	7 9:00am Quilters 9:00am Memorial Com 10:00am FPU 6:00pm Christian Ed 6:30pm FPU 6:30pm TNT's	8 3:00pm Kirkwood 6:15pm Family Night 7:00pm Choir	9 5:30pm Worship Board 6:30pm FPU	10 7:00am Prayer Group 5:00pm Eat Out Friends	11
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26 See Above 8:45am FPU 9:15am FPU	27 1:30pm StaffMeeting 6:30pm FPU	28 9:00am Quilters 10:00am FPU 6:30pm FPU 6:30pm TNT'S 7:00pm Stewardship				

February 2017 Service Calendar

		Sun., Feb. 5	Sun., Feb. 12	Sun., Feb. 19	Sun., Feb. 26
Altar Guild Vicki Hollmig		Becky Krueger			
Lay Minister Fred Terry		BJ Hageman Jr.	Rod Mueller	Fred Terry	Paul Finley
Scripture Readers Margaret Warncke	8:00	Pat Quade	Chris Ewald	Kathy Quade	Pat Quade
	10:30	Susan Syamken	Dotty Collins	Kaci Gougler	Eric Schmidt
Ushers Ed Berich	8:00	Team 13 Bob Warnecke	Team 2 Benno Engel	Team 2 Benno Engel	Team 4 Ken Wunderlich
	10:30	Team 14 Reno Engel	Team 1 Harvey Borgfeld	Team 1 Harvey Borgfeld	Team 3 Russell Stollewerk
Acolytes	8:00	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
	10:30	Alize Martinez & Jack Bloxsom	Cathryn Bielke	Jack Bloxsom	Alize Martinez
Audio Tech Greg Schlather	8:00 & 10:30	Tech Team	Tech Team	Tech Team	Tech Team
Visual Tech Greg Schlather	8:00	Tech Team	Tech Team	Tech Team	Tech Team
	10:30	Tech Team	Tech Team	Tech Team	Tech Team
Communion Preparers Pixie Hageman	8:00	Gail Krueger & Carolyn Johnson		Nolan & Erna Dietert	
	10:30	Arlen & Josephine Pietsch		Peri Ikels & Carol Schorn	
Communion Servers Pixie Hageman	8:00	Nancy Becker & Cindy Wilson		Margaret Warncke & Dottie Hough	
	10:30	Ginger Dicker & Ola Fischer		Benno & Jan Engel	
Greeters Liz Doss	8:00	Gail Krueger & Eileen Lindenau	Patti MacDonald & Marlin McFarland	Pete & Susan Montgomery	Phil & Kim Moore
	10:30	Paul & Sheri Luckemeyer	John & Kay Magness	Josh & Cassie Mueller	Arlen & Josephine Pietsch
Friendly Visitors Ann Stollewerk		Craig & Vicki Hollmig		Mark & Mindi Wing	
Pew Pals Tracy Granado		Willa Faulkner Team	Dina Dornburg	Dale & Julie Goos	The Granado's & Kelly King
Hospital Visitors Ola Fischer		Malcolm & Ola Fischer	Pat & Kathy Quade	Dotty Collins & Kathy Lamon	Nancy Becker & M'Lissa Steel

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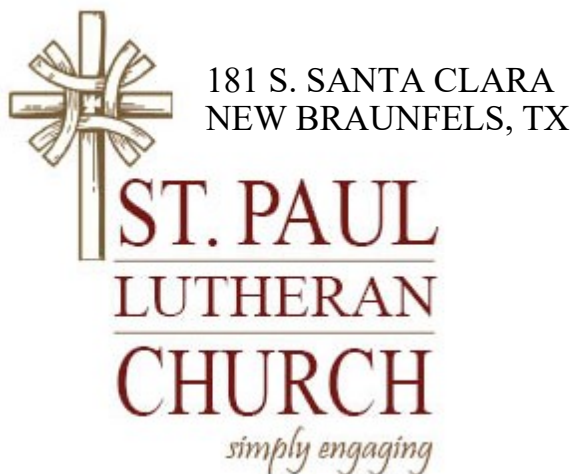


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As a Christ-centered, Gospel-driven Congregation, we are called by our Lord Jesus to go and make disciples of all nations. We will be a congregation that engages people in order to help families follow Jesus.

- * Promote a culture of family ... supporting home prayer & Bible study with parents as key teachers
- * Increase weekly worship * Maintain trust & confidence in leadership * Raise up the next generation of leaders



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