

NEWSLETTER

ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

226 E Madison Street • Waterloo, WI (920) 478-2570

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Bible Study



St. Paul's is offering two new ways to grow in your faith and love for Christ. Join us as we gather together for Bible Study to develop a deeper understanding of God's Word.

(920) 478-2570 Office
StPaulsWaterlooWi@gmail.com

Office Hours: By appointment
for the months of December
and January

*Hours are subject to change.
Please call ahead to ensure
that someone will be there to
assist you. Thank you.

Beer & Bible Study

Thursday December 16th, & 30th
5:30 PM-6:30 @ MT Bar

Chará Bible Study

Sundays 10:30

Please see page 5 for more information.

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November Council Notes:

- Actively seeking a Treasurer - contact a council member if interested!
- Seeking Sunday School teachers - contact Sue Quamme or Jamie Stock-Retzloff if interested. We plan to begin the next round of Sunday school after the first of the year.
- Masking will continue through the remainder of 2021. The situation is reviewed monthly by both the council and the worship committee.
- Will be ordering a 9', slimline, pre-lit tree for the sanctuary. Decorating to take place December 5th immediately following the service.
- Valerie Silha will be assisting Pastor Bob with the confirmation classes going forward.
- The call committee is working to schedule a meeting with Holy Trinity Church in Marshall to explore the possibility of a shared Pastor arrangement. Hoping mid-January for the joint meeting between all involved parties.

July Membership

Changes:

Received: 3 (UC), 0 (C)

Removed: 0 (UC), 3 (C)

Total Members: 49

Confirmed: 429

Unconfirmed: 69

Cell Phones During Services

Out of courtesy to others we kindly ask that all cell phones are **turned off** (not just muted) during worship in hopes that our streaming is not interrupted.

Thank you for your understanding!

Deadline for Newsletter

If you would like to make a contribution to the newsletter, please submit information to the office no later than the 20th of the month. Information submitted after this date may not go into the newsletter for that month.

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December Birthdays

12/1 Jacqueline Schaller

12/1 Ramona Strand

12/5 Peggy Ratcliff

12/7 Blake Fahser

12/8 Logan Braunschweig

12/8 Dennis Hotmar

12/11 Wade Larsen

12/12 Brett Lanphier

12/13 Rachel Lasiewicz

12/14 Lilyana Smith

12/14 Cole Wegner

12/15 Kelly Sullivan

12/16 Christopher Kohn

12/19 James Kasuboske

12/21 Haydenn Sellnow

12/21 Tim Sullivan

12/22 Nancy Doschadis

12/22 Robert Dunneisen

12/26 Avery Meyer

12/29 Debra Ward

12/30 Jenna Kohn

12/30 Bernice Zak

12/31 Rita Lewellin

12/31 Ronald Oelke

12/31 Christian Stahnke

12/31 Megan Tarnowski



If your birthday is not listed; the omission is not intentional (please contact the church office with an update). We wish you a very Happy Birthday as well!

Weekly Services

Sunday services are available weekly on Charter/Spectrum Cable Channel 992.

Past services can be viewed through our website and YouTube channel.

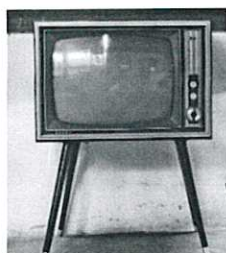
Weekly Broadcast Schedule

Mondays– 8:30 pm

Tuesdays– 8:00 am & 5:00 pm

Wednesdays– 7:00 pm

Thursdays– 12:00 pm



Mobile Food Pantry

Monday December 13th, 2021

3:30 pm until all food is distributed at
Marshall High School

623 Madison St. Marshall, WI.

It is open to people in the Marshall and Waterloo area who are in need of assistance.

****Due to Covid-19, protocols have changed. Please contact Second Harvest Foodbank of Southern Wisconsin for more information.**

Attn: Members

Advertise your business Here!!

St. Paul's is offering free advertising to members who own or manage a business. Your ad space will be based on number of ads and newsletter space available. Typically a 2x3 ad will be available.

We want members to recognize, and be aware of other members business' so we can all help strengthen and support each other.

Please contact the office 920-478-2570 for more information. You can also email your ad, business card or a basic one can be created for you. StPaulsWaterlooWi@gmail.com



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New Online & Mobile Giving
We are now using Vanco Mobile
Here are the steps needed to
donate once you download Vanco

1. **Search for our church**
(St Pauls Ev Lutheran Church)
2. **Select your fund and amount**
3. **Enter payment method**
4. **Choose if you want to cover**
processing fee
5. **Complete your donation**



Instrumental Worship

We look forward to having you join us on December 12th as we worship and appreciate the many talents of our members whom the Lord has blessed us with.

COME
WORSHIP
with us!



Beer & Bible Study

If you are someone who is not likely to show up at a church for a Bible study - BUT you would be relaxed enough with a beer (or soda) in your hand to wander around in the book that Christians, Jews, and Muslims all claim speaks in God's own voice - I'd love to have you join us!

THIS WILL BE:

A participant-led chance to talk about questions and doubts - without lectures or pep talks.

A participant-led chance to share the insights and wisdom of EVERY PERSON as they arise.

A Bible study meant to be an honest seeking together.

There will be no experts. All will lead.

TWO IMPORTANT NOTES:

"Beer" is meant to emphasize the informal style of this study.

Non-beer drinkers are welcome!

If you ARE someone likely to show up at church for Bible study - this is for you too. Come and check it out!

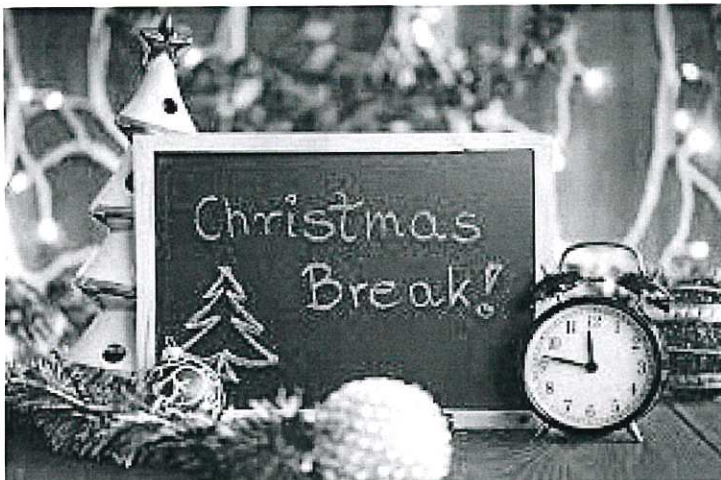
Thursday

December 2nd, 16th and 30th

MT's Bar

120 Madison St. Waterloo, WI 53594

Chará Bible Study



There will be no Chará Bible Study the month of December. We will start back up January 9th, look forward to seeing you back then!!

Ushers Needed for Christmas Eve Services

4:30 PM & 10:00 PM

I will be calling you to see if you are planning on attending and which service. Help will be needed as part of the candle lighting and distribution during the service. There is a need for 4 people at both services. Thank you, your service is greatly appreciated!

Russ Peloquin

Call with any questions or to
volunteer

(920) 623-0516

Videographers Needed

St. Paul's is looking for volunteers to help record services on Sunday mornings at 9:00 am. If you are interested in helping record services, please contact the church office to let us know. You can volunteer as often as you would like and create your own schedule based on your availability. Thank you in advance for your service to St. Paul's ministry.



Decorating St. Pauls

Please feel free to volunteer with tear down, help is always needed and appreciated. Tear down will happen January 9th.



St. Paul's will begin Sunday School again on Sunday January 23rd, 2022. The program will run for 12 weeks, with classes ending on April 10th, 2022 and the children singing in the April 17th Easter service. If there are enough children interested in participating, we hope to also have a children's bell choir participate in the Easter service. Sunday School will begin at 10:00 AM following the 9:00 AM service and will conclude by 11:00. If you have children who would like to append, have questions, or would be interested in helping with the program, please contact Jamie Stock-Retzloff at (608) 577-9744 or jsretzloff@gmail.com. We hope to see you on the 23rd, all are welcome!

Looking for our treasure!!

St. Paul's is in need of a treasurer for the parish. If you would like to be considered for the position please let Sue Quamme or Tracy Beyer know. Thank you!!!




Sunday School
MAKES A DIFFERENCE

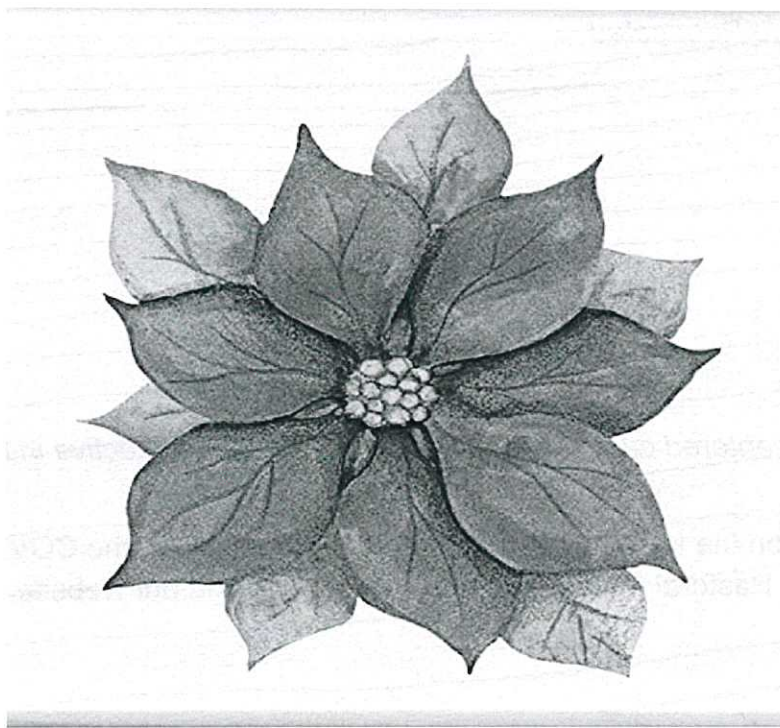




December 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 6:30 Worship 7:00 - 8:00 Confirmation	2 7:30 AA 5:30 Beer & Bible Study	3	4
5 8:00 Bell Practice 9:00 Communion Worship	6	7 9:30 Staff Meeting	8 6:30 Worship 7:00 - 8:00 Confirmation	9 7:30 AA	10	11
12 8:00 Bell Practice 9:00 Lay Service 10:00 Worship Meeting	13	14 9:30 Staff Meeting	15 6:30 Worship 7:00 - 8:00 Confirmation	16 7:30 AA 5:30 Beer & Bible Study	17	18
19 8:00 Bell Practice 9:00 Communion Worship 10:00 Council Meeting	20	21 9:30 Staff Meeting	22 6:30 Worship 7:00 - 8:00 Confirmation	23 7:30 AA	24 4:30 & 10:00 Christmas Eve Service	25  <small>shutterstock.com - 177502067</small>
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Poinsettia Donation In Honor of Loved Ones



If you would like to donate a poinsettia in honor of a loved one, past or present, please purchase yours and deliver it to the church the week of Christmas Eve. They will also be mentioned in the Christmas Eve service bulletin. If you would like to do this please fill out the sign up sheet in the narthex.

Interim Pastor's Contact Information

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Address Service Requested

A Christ centered community striving to make our faith active in love to all!

****Stay up-to-date on the latest news and announcements about the COVID-19 pandemic & Pastoral transition through Facebook and our website.**

Worship Services Offered:

Wednesday 6:30 P.M. In-Person Worship, except during June, July & August**

Sunday 9:00 A.M. In-Person Communion Worship**

Services will also be streamed via Facebook Live.

You can view our past services on Facebook, YouTube, and at stpaulswaterloo.com.

****Please see calendar for updated worship services**

Due to Covid, services may go virtual at any time

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