



Purpose Statement

Living Christ centered lives so we may love all, serve our community, and share the Word.

News for Sunday, March 9

Coffee Fellowship will be served following worship, hosted by Nancy Eilers.

Join us for Worship at 9:00 a.m.

Click [HERE](#) for the 9:00 a.m. Worship bulletin

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We Remember in Prayer; those on our Home Visitation list and those on our prayer list: Phyllis Jacobson, JoAnn Garcia, Barb Lenn, Lori Dewey, Betty Steinke, Larry Wahler, JoDell Cruz, Sandy Julifs, and Lila Edeus.

During this time of transition if you have an emergency, please call Sue in the church office or one of the council members who will contact the pastor that is covering during that time.

Friendship Pads/Connect Cards/Prayer Request Papers

New green connect cards are now in the pews, where you can share all of your details. These also have a place for prayer requests. **As always,** if you would like to have Pastor include your prayer request in that Sunday's public prayers, please hand your connect card to an usher during the gathering hymn.

Midweek Lenten Worship with our Tri-Church Partners

St. Paul is again participating in worship on Wednesdays with our tri-church partners, Immanuel and St. John's. These Wednesdays are March 12 – April 9. The theme for these services is "Turning Toward God's Abundance" and will focus on five divine attributes: faithfulness, mercy, compassion, forgiveness, and love.

St. John's will host the mid-day service. Please gather for lunch starting about 11:15 a.m. and worship will follow at 12:15 p.m.

Immanuel will host the evening service. Please gather for supper starting about 5:00 p.m. and worship will follow at 6:00 p.m.

All are welcome!

Sound/Livestream volunteers needed. We are need of more volunteers to help out with the sound system on Sunday mornings. If you would like to learn or see all what's involved, please see Greg Zeigler. Thank you in advance!

HOLY COMMUNION during Lenten Sundays

For the five Sundays of Lent, beginning March 9, communion will be offered both at the rail and at the base of the steps in front of the altar. Pastor will alternate his Sunday locations, but will bless all of the communion elements. This will require more communion servers. Please call Sue in the office, or contact a council member if you would like to help with communion distribution.

Children's Offering

The March Children's Offering we will be supporting the harvest of food for those in need through the Buddy Bag Program, a free meal program that provides food to school kids on the weekends, when school lunch is not available. The need is great, on average they pack 130 lunches each week. The cost of each bag is \$3.46. The Tri-Church Youth help to pack these several times during the school year.

THIS WEEK

Monday, March 10

Pastor Mark in the office – 9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, March 12

Lenten lunch at St. John's – 11:15 a.m.

Lenten Worship at St. John's – 12:00 p.m.

Lenten Supper at Immanuel – 5:00 p.m.

Lenten Worship at Immanuel – 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 13

Council meeting – 5:30 p.m.

Devotions: Mary Ordean

Next Sunday, March 16

Worship/Communion service at 9:00 a.m.

Coffee Fellowship at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday school at 10:15 a.m.

Next week's Worship Assistants

Opener/Head Usher/Closer – Stacey Avelar

Acolytes – Avelar family

Greeters – Dan Dir, Bev Graunke

Ushers – Greg Zeigler, Ron Ukena

Reader – Stacey Avelar

Sound – Greg Zeigler

Coffee Fellowship – Cox