



St. Paul's Lutheran Church & School in Cudahy, Wisconsin

A Member of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

December 30, 2018

FOR OUR GUESTS

Thanks so much for joining us for worship today! We'd love to see you again next week!

BRING THE KIDS

We enjoy the "worshipping family" at St. Paul's. Children who act up are not considered a bother in worship. We're excited they're here! If you feel the need, the Little Lamb's Lounge is in the church's lower level. We offer a children's bulletin for ages 4-10 years on the entryway wooden racks.

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL

It is a blessing to assist parents with the Christian Education of their children through St. Paul's School. We serve children from age 4 through 8th Grade and provide a quality Christian Education for them. For more information about our School call the School Office (744-9771) or leave a message any time.

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We Thank Our Organist

♪ Sarah Butler

In the Hospital – In Our Prayers

- Carter Pedersen is at Children's
- Fred Schulz is at St. Luke's - South Shore
- Jim Hahn is at St. Luke's – 27th St.

New Bible Study Begins January 6/7 "Idols We Never Knew We Had"

Sunday Mornings at 8:30 am / Monday Evenings at 6:30 pm

A wood-carved animal figurine. A chiseled stone statue. A golden goddess. Do you have an idol-worship area set up in your home? We'd say: "Absolutely not! I don't bow down to idols!" But sometimes we do worship idols and make them our gods, not even realizing they are there. Join us in this study as we identify many present-day idols that hide themselves so easily in our homes and hearts and become equipped by God's Word to avoid falsely worshipping them.

Snow Removal

We're looking for an individual(s) to take over snow removal responsibilities at church and school. St. Paul's has a large snow blower. Contact the church office (744-9988) or our Buildings and Grounds Chairman – Dave Hintz (217-1641) if you can help.

Anniversary Cookbooks (\$10)

Anniversary Cookbooks make a great gift for someone special.

2019 Offering Envelopes

Offerings are one of the ways God's people respond to His grace and goodness. Your offering envelope is your weekly response for His daily blessings! The packets are "Mail Ready." They can be easily mailed to church when you're unable to attend. You'll find yours in your church mailbox.

Usher Teams
Welcome
Greeter Teams

Sunday (12/30) R + N Jacobs / H + J Dressler / B Buckhalter /
 R + E Villa / L Ubl

New Year's Eve (6:30 pm) J Hansen / R Stack

Thursday (1/3) R Adam / M Coulthurst

Sunday (1/6) K Malsack / G Roebke / T Herbst / D Rickaby /
 T Smukowski / A Jones / S Nommensen

Sunday (12/30) Charlie + Ruth Price / Dan + Holly Binder

Sunday (1/6) Brad + Dyann Nommensen / Dave + Tammy Smukowski

A New Year with Our Lord

Sunday (December 30)
 No Sunday School – *meets again Jan. 6.*
 No Bible Class – *meets again Jan. 6.*
9:30 AM..... CHRISTMAS ONE WORSHIP

Monday (December 31)
6:30 PM..... NEW YEAR'S EVE COMMUNION
 **AND CANDLELIGHT CAROLING**

Thursday (January 3)
 8:00 AM..... Classes at School Resume
6:30 PM EPIPHANY WORSHIP / COMMUNION

Saturday (January 5)
 8:00 AM..... Building & Grounds

Sunday (January 6)
 8:30 AM..... Sunday School
 8:30 AM..... Bible Class
9:30 AM..... EPIPHANY WORSHIP W/COMMUNION

EPIPHANY

Epiphany is a Greek word that means to "shine forth."
 During this season of the Church year we see Jesus shine forth as God's Son and Mary's son.

The Festival of Epiphany (January 6) is the Christian Church's second oldest festival. (Easter is the oldest.) To the Orthodox Church, (St. Nikola Serbian Orthodox Church, 3 blocks south of St. Paul's on Swift Ave.), Epiphany is the festival of Christ's birth. You can understand why since the Festival of Epiphany celebrates Jesus as the Savior of the world – the Magi from the East (the first Gentiles) came to worship Jesus. The season of Epiphany highlights the appearance of the Son of God as the Savior of the whole world – both Jew and Gentile. God revealed the mystery of his person and his mission through the preaching and miracles of Christ. From John's Baptism to the Father's booming voice, God revealed the truth about Jesus to the world: this son of Mary is the Son of God!

The Season of Epiphany (8 weeks long) also focuses on the growth and new life we have as Christians in Christ. That growth comes from continued contact with God's Word.

We Serve Our Savior

As We Gather for Worship

Thursday	49
Sunday	137
Christmas Eve	357
Christmas Day.....	161
Total.....	704

When We Bring Our Gifts

Envelope Offerings	\$12,142.05
Holidays	4,896.00
Camp Philip	5.00
125 th Anniversary.....	5.00
Memorial.....	50.00
Electronic Giving.....	1,178.45
Total.....	\$18,276.50

Memorial
 In Memory of Alex & Pauline Bauer, Carol Huhn has given \$50.

3-yr 125th Anniversary Appeal

Gifts this week	\$5.00
Total Gifts.....	\$143,015.00
2018 Goal.....	\$165,000.00

(Monthly 125th in offering packets.)