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St. Paul Lutheran Church - Postville IA

JANUARY 2020

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Please be sure to leave a voicemail if we
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Saturday Casual Worship ~
5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall
Sunday Worship ~ 9:00 am in the Sanctuary
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Please let the church office know if you have an  
address change.

If you would like a visit...Call Pastor or the church  
office at 864-7643. If you are hospitalized...Please  
call and let us know if you or a family member is  
hospitalized; also remember to use the hospital  
chaplain if available.

If we can pray for you...Please let us know if you or  
a member of your family would like to be included in  
our prayers; in the bulletin and in the prayers during  
worship.



The start of 2020  
reminds us that the  
“Spring Festival” is

now only 3 months away. We are continuing  
with the ‘church raffle’ for 2020. The  
committee has started to gather raffle items  
and will print more details in the next few  
newsletters. We will also continue with the  
church bake sale and carnival games. The  
“Spring Festival” will be **April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020**. We  
will be having a **Spring Fest meeting on**  
**Sunday, January 5<sup>th</sup> following church around**  
**10:30 in the Fellowship Hall**. We need new  
members and ideas and welcome any  
volunteers for 2020. Hope to see you in  
attendance.

The “Spring Festival” Committee

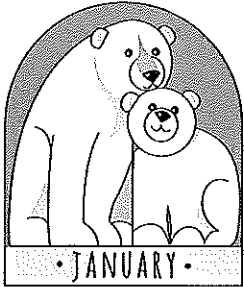


Are you still interested in receiving our monthly  
newsletter? Would you rather look at it online or not  
get it at all? Have you moved or your children moved  
into their own homes? Have you joined another  
church? If so please call the office @ 563-864-7643,  
email us @ [parishsec@neitel.net](mailto:parishsec@neitel.net) or mail us a note @  
116 E Military Rd, Postville, IA 52162. Thank you and  
have a Happy New Year!!

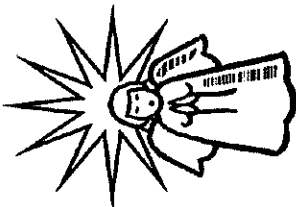
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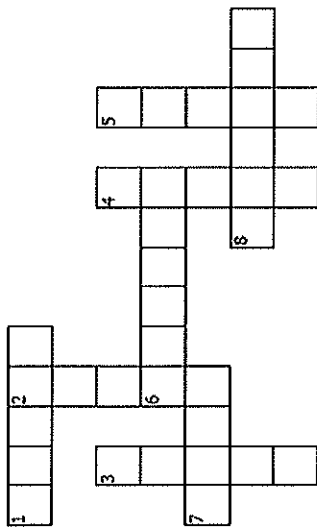


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# Angels Watching Over Me

When they had gone, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream. "Get up," he said, "take the child and his mother and escape to Egypt. Stay there until I tell you, for Herod is going to search for the child to kill him." Matthew 2:13 (NIV)



## ACROSS

- To see images and hear voices in your mind while sleeping
- To run away from someone or something; break loose; get free
- To cause someone to die
- A female parent

## DOWN

- A heavenly servant of God
- A person from the time of birth until he or she is fully grown
- The king of Judea who tried to kill baby Jesus
- The part of every twenty-four hour period when it is dark

|       |        |       |        |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|
| HEROD | NIGHT  | CHILD | KILL   |
| DREAM | ESCAPE | ANGEL | MOTHER |



December was a busy month! Our Sunday School children just put on an amazing Christmas program in which they told the story of our Savior's Birth! All our kids worked extra hard this year in practice to prepare for the program. Charlie and Dean put in a lot of hours making sure our microphones were where we needed them to be and worked with our children on the importance of speaking loud and clearly into the microphone. I hope they know how much they are appreciated for all their help! Also, I need to thank DeAnn for always being willing to accompany the kids singing on the piano! Our teachers and helpers did a wonderful job working with our kids to help the program run smoothly! You are appreciated!

Also happening the same day was our annual Jr/Sr Youth cookie walk! It was a great turn out again this year! Our families baked some delicious treats and we are thankful for the support of our congregation members who purchased goodies! This year we tried something new as well. Our Sr Youth had a soup and sandwich luncheon following the children's program. We didn't know what to expect but we had a lot of people stay to enjoy some lunch! Half of the proceeds that we raised from the lunch will be donated to the Postville Food Pantry to help members of our community who may be struggling during the winter months. Jamee Xiya took charge of the lunch and did an excellent job!

Our Jr and Sr Youth groups both meet for their Christmas Parties which took place in Paul's Place. We ate pizza and played a few games and enjoyed each other's company! We have had a lot of fun in 2019 and I am excited to see what great things these kids will do for St. Paul in 2020!

Christa Jacobson

## St. Paul Garage Sale monthly drop off!



**What:** Garage sale drop off

**When:** Saturday, January 4<sup>th</sup> & Saturday, January 18<sup>th</sup>  
1:00-5:00 p.m.



**Where:** Along the south wall in the Fellowship Hall

**\*\*Drop off your garage sale donations so we can sort the items and put them in our storage unit to be sold this spring! Proceeds from the garage sale go towards Vacation Bible School!**



***\*SAVE THE DATE\****

*Vacation Bible School*

*Ewalu Day Camp*

*July 20-24th, 2020*

Any WELCA questions please contact  
Sharon Dean or Sharon Drahn  
WELCA co-Presidents

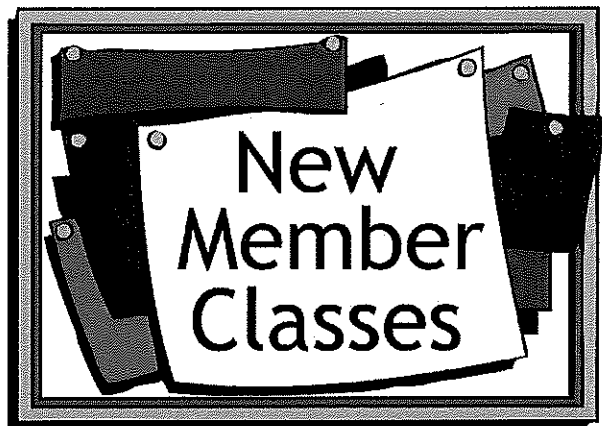
**\* January Circle Meetings\***

**Mary Circle** at East Park Terrace  
Wednesday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm  
*Joann Martins*

**Eve Circle** in Alcove  
Tuesday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am  
*Sandy Deering & Becky Fritz*

**Priscilla Circle** in Alcove  
Thursday, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm  
*Lillian Jahnke*

**Ruth Circle** at Grand Meadow  
Thursday, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm  
*Lolita Engelhardt*



will be held for 3 weeks (Jan. 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>) on Sunday mornings at 10:30 in the Library. This is also open to anyone already part of the Congregation. Classes will be based on Lutheran teachings and practices. A New Member Reception will be held Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup>. If you or you know someone who would like to participate in this class, please let the church office know.

**Raising our Voice  
for Iowa Children and Families –  
Lutheran Day on the Hill**

Families struggling without access to mental healthcare. Human services providers overworked and underpaid. Former refugees striving to build new lives.

These are all issues faced by Iowans. Join us to make sure they are heard at the Iowa State Capitol.

Please consider joining Lutheran Services in Iowa (LSI) and the three Iowa synods of the ELCA for Lutheran Day on the Hill, an annual day of advocacy in Des Moines to uplift the needs of our neighbors. The event will be held on Tuesday, February 25. Visit [www.LSIowa.org/advocacy](http://www.LSIowa.org/advocacy) next month for event details, online registration, and an online toolkit for your congregation.

If you are new to advocacy, come learn more about the legislative process and your role as a citizen. If you've attended before, join us again. If you would like to learn more about how you can support Iowa children and families, contact Deb Whitford, LSI director of philanthropy and church relations, at 563.676.2065 or [Deborah.Whitford@LSIowa.org](mailto:Deborah.Whitford@LSIowa.org).

*Our Mission: Lutheran Services in Iowa responds to the love of Jesus Christ through compassionate service. LSI is an affiliated social ministry partner of the Iowa congregations of the ELCA (Evangelical Lutheran Church in America) and a member of LSA (Lutheran Services in America). We proudly serve people of all ages, abilities, religions, sexes, gender identities, national origins, ethnicities, races, and sexual orientations. Learn more at [LSIowa.org](http://LSIowa.org) and [Facebook.com/LSI.iowa](https://www.facebook.com/LSI.iowa).*

**"Finding Her Community"**

Originally from Eritrea, Kiros, her husband, and her young son were forced to flee their country and live in an Ethiopian refugee camp for almost two years.

When the opportunity came to resettle in Iowa, Kiros and her husband were excited to put down roots and call Iowa home. They settled in the Des Moines community and knew this was it; this was where they wanted to create a new life in the U.S. Since then, they have raised four more children and set their sights on receiving citizenship in the country that helped them heal and rebuild. Kiros enrolled in LSI's English and citizenship classes and worked hard to study for her U.S. Citizenship Exam. Every week, she met with instructors from LSI's Refugee and Immigrant Services to prepare for her interview with U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services. When the time came, she passed her exam with flying colors. She recently attended her U.S. citizenship ceremony, then went home to prepare for her daughter's fifth birthday party. Kiros has poured her time and energy into building a life where her family has the same opportunities as every other family in their community.

# Thank you for your **GENEROSITY!!**

## God's Gifts – My Gifts

### Postville Food Pantry

The Postville Food Pantry is operated under the auspices of the not-for-profit corporation, Postville Community Support which is governed by a Board of Directors comprised of area church members, clergy and area residents. Pastor Steve Brackett is the current President of the Board of Directors. The mission of the group is to serve the people of Postville and surrounding areas who are in need. They pledge to assist all people regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, marital status, disability, religious or political affiliation, age or sexual orientation.

The Postville Food Pantry came into existence in response to the needs of the people who lost their jobs due to a fire at Iowa Turkey Products in December of 2003. The pantry's first home was in the old hospital building on Oak Drive where the Food Pantry opened its doors June 23, 2004. When the old hospital building was sold by the City, the Food Pantry moved to its present location in space generously and graciously provided by Hall Roberts' Son on Greene Street.

The services of the Food Pantry proved to be invaluable following the Immigration and Customs Enforcement raid of the Agri-Processors Plant in May of 2008 and the bankruptcy of the plant the following November, both of which left workers and their families in dire need of assistance. Food and monetary donations came from all across the county to assist Postville Community Support in meeting the needs of these families. The Postville Food Pantry continues to serve hundreds of people each month.

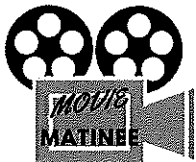
The need for funding, both monetary and food products, is ongoing. Cash donations assist the Pantry in purchasing a great quantity of food at a reduced cost through the Northeast Iowa Food Bank in Waterloo. For every dollar donated, the pantry can help to provide about five meals to people in need through purchases from the Food Bank. Donations of food are also greatly appreciated. Donations may be dropped off at the Food Pantry at 1 p.m. on Tuesdays or at the Postville Herald Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. The Pantry is open each Tuesday from 2-5 p.m. in the Hall Roberts' Building located at 133 West Greene in downtown Postville.

#### *Special Monthly Offering*

Jan. – Postville Food Pantry - \$903.00  
Feb. – EWALU - \$820.00  
Mar. – Barnabas Uplift - \$702.00  
Apr. – Hospice - \$375.00  
May – Scholarships - \$462.00  
June – Black Hills Cares - \$212.00  
July – Campus Ministry - \$312.00  
Aug. – Shepherd of the Hills - \$188.00  
Sep. – Postville Child Care - \$597.00  
Oct. – Lutheran Services in Iowa - \$1552.00  
Nov. – Camp Courageous - \$372.00  
Dec. – World Hunger -



### **Free Movie Matinee St. Paul Lutheran, Postville**



**When:** Sunday, January 12th at 1:30 p.m.

**Where:** St. Paul Fireside Room

**What:** We will be showing the movie, *Gifted*

After the death of Frank's sister, he is now a single man taking care of his young niece, Mary, who is very gifted in mathematics. Once teachers start realizing Mary's strengths, her grandmother finds out and tries to get custody of her. Frank says her mother's wishes were for Mary to have a normal life but if grandma gets custody, her life will be anything but normal.

There will be Free Popcorn and bottled water for everyone

**Come and enjoy an afternoon movie and bring a friend!**

## Busy End of the Year

## ... Timing Off for VOICE

## Articles Though ...



**BARNABAS UPLIFT**  
a mission of encouragement

The Graduation Celebration was on October 22. A couple of students missed class time and did not complete the required makeup work. Seven students successfully completed the class. Three graduates were sponsored by Barnabas and four were sponsored by their employers or in NICC's nursing program. This celebration was the first where a family member was so moved that they gave a cash donation to the program that night.

Sunday November 24<sup>th</sup> was our annual French Toast Brunch fund-raiser headed up by Mike and Barb Krambeer. And what a success it was! We made over \$1,000! Even folks who were unable to attend wanted to support this ministry and gave me a donation.

NICC has a proposed schedule for a Spring CNA class to be taught here at St. Paul during the day. The class would run from mid-April into the first week in June. It will be presented to the Church Council for approval at their January meeting.

If you know of anyone, especially from Postville or nearby, who has interest in a health care career and would be interested in class here in Postville, please tell them to get in touch with me. I have voicemail at the church 563-864-7643. My email address is [barnabasuplift12@gmail.com](mailto:barnabasuplift12@gmail.com). Anyone interested is welcome to call my cell phone 563-379-6569. They will need to leave a message as I do not answer calls from unknown numbers. I will return their call.

As always thank you supporting this outreach ministry and for the honor of coordinating this ministry!

Marsha Ruby, M. S. W., Barnabas Uplift Program Coordinator

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## **SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS CONFERENCE MINISTRY NEWSLETTER**

100 West Hill Street, PO Box 36, Saint Olaf, Iowa 52072-0036    Hours: 9am-12 and 1-4 pm. Monday-Fridays

### MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Our Annual Christmas Just 4 Kids Giveaway was held Dec 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>. At the time of this writing, we have served 484 children from 181 families! I will be working with families through Dec 20<sup>th</sup> yet, so those numbers may change. We cannot say **THANK YOU** enough for all of the monetary & physical donations we received for this project from our Conference & Non-Conference Churches, Businesses, Organizations and Individuals in our local communities & outlying areas!! Shepherd could not continue do provide this ministry without **ALL OF YOU!**

Our First Annual Service of Prayer for Christian Unity is being held at Peace, UCC in Elkader on Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>. Supper will be served at 5:45pm. Worship will begin at 6:30pm. All are Welcome. Offerings will go to the Clayton County Food Shelf.

SOTH Annual Conference Assembly will be held February 16 at Zion Lutheran in Oelwein, beginning at 2pm. Fellowship will follow. Delegates, Pastors & Visitors are welcome to join us that day!

In looking ahead, the 2020 Synod Assembly held in June, will be an important one, as we will be electing a new Bishop. We have just received a mailing from the Synod Office, with articles "Calling a Bishop" along with our Synod Profile. Both documents will be made available and discussion may be held during our SOTH Annual Assembly. As stated in the "Calling a Bishop" article, "As people of God, we prayerfully enter into this process of discernment and deliberation." As stated before, this will be an exciting time for our Synod!

*Many Blessings – Heather*

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec 24-Jan 1 ~ SOTH CLOSED

Jan 22 ~ Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Worship – Peace UCC, Elkader

Supper 5:45pm, Worship 6:30pm

Feb 16 ~ Conference Assembly – 2pm

Zion Lutheran Church, Oelwein



## A Message from the Pastor – “New Beginnings”

*So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see everything has become new!*

(2 Corinthians 5:17)

As we approach the beginning of the New Year, I wonder how many of us are starting to work on New Year’s Resolutions for 2020. Come December 31st, many of us will make up our minds to try to quit something that is effecting our bodies or lose weight or do a better job of handling our finances. Some of us will decide that we want to be more intentional in reading Scripture or pray every day. All these things are worthy to do, and we try so hard to do them... until about three weeks into January, we lose interest and discontinue with what we wanted to set out to do and achieve in the first place.

Despite our best intentions, New Year’s Resolutions are nearly impossible to keep. Yet, we still make them every year. We have this sense that January 1st is somehow different than every other day – it gives us a fresh start, a new beginning. And new beginnings give us hope and a sense of purpose.

January 1st is a new beginning for us, but so are January 2nd and 3rd and so on. Each new day is a gift from God and an opportunity to live out our baptism. That means each day is a chance to die to those things that keep us from the love of God and neighbor and rise to the new life God offers to each and every one of us. Each day is a new beginning!

Speaking of something new, beginning in the spring of 2020 preparations will begin as we look forward to our 150th Anniversary Celebration! One of the things that we will look forward to is welcoming former Pastors and their families. Our hope is on the second Sunday of each month there will be a themed Sunday emphasis centered on a stain-glassed window. This will continue for 14 months as there are 14 themed stain-glassed windows in our worship space and will conclude with our celebration in 2021 (more information will be coming forth).

Last fall, the Generosity Committee emphasis was “Keep it Simple.” Perhaps we did not hear a lot about this theme. And you are correct! Rather, as we “Keep it Simple” in the year 2020, we will be having conversations throughout the year what this means for us as a congregation and what it means for us as we grow in our faith and generosity.


So, for those of you who are trying to usher in positive change with the New Year, please know you are in my prayers. It takes time and patience. But it is my hope that we all remember that we do not need a new year to discover what it means to live as a beloved child of God. Perhaps we just need not be afraid to explore new things and just “Keep it Simple” and not be overwhelmed knowing that we have a loving Savior who watches over us and cares for us. May you all find the New Year filled with hope and promises; so if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see everything has become new!

Epiphany Blessing,

Pastor Lynn and Jane

| Operating – General Fund |               |               |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|
|                          | November 2019 | Y-T-D         |
| Income                   | \$ 17,006.27  | \$192,210.67  |
| Expense                  | \$ 17,546.83  | \$245,750.22  |
| Difference               | \$ (540.56)   | \$(53,343.68) |

PRAYING FOR YOUR



**RECOVERY**

Please call the church office if you or a family member is hospitalized, would like Pastor to visit, or are in need of prayers and would like to be listed in the prayer section of the bulletin.

**Roll Call:** Sharon Drahn, Theresa Johnson, Roger Mathews, Linda Zuercher, Mike Jacobson, LaRae Schutte, Conner Meyer, Eric Meyer, Pastor Lynn J. Noel; Absent: Charlie Meyer, Jessica Deering, Mindy Rose, Dean Ohloff, Drew Lubka; Guests: Christa Jacobson and Daryl Schultz

**Minutes:** Regular Minutes in November were approved as read. M/S/C

**Thank you** from the Food Pantry

**Pastor's Requested Vacation Dates** – December 26, 27, 30, & 31, January – 7-14

Worship Attendance – Weekend Averages

| 2019 to date | Last Month | 2017 | 2016 |
|--------------|------------|------|------|
| 156          | 154        | 173  | 175  |

**Requests for Use of Church Facilities / Contact Info:** M/S/C

Alicia Kelly, Early Access Meeting with Family, 12/12, 11:30-12:30 pm, FR

Rachel, NEICA, Cooking Project, 12/13 (now 12/20), 4 – 6:30 pm / FH/K

Alicia Kelly, Early Access Meeting with Family, 12/18, 3:00-4:00 pm, FR

Lupita, Helping Services, Latino Inter Agency Meeting, 12/19, 12 – 3 pm, FR

DeAnn Lenth, Post Prom Meeting, 1/5/20, 4 -5 pm, FR  
Gloria McMillian, Baby Shower, 1/11/20, 1 – 4 pm, FR

**Requests for Removal of Membership from St. Paul:** M/S/C

Norm & Marilyn Leeman transfer to Illyria Community Church, Elgin

**Committee Reports:**

EVANGELISM & MEMBERSHIP – Met December 8<sup>th</sup>

FINANCE – Met December 14<sup>th</sup>. Roger went over printed reported. Motion to send a letter to members of the congregation to remind them of St. Paul financial need. M/S/C

MEMORIAL ADVISORY – Met November 24<sup>th</sup>

WORSHIP & MUSIC – Met November 12<sup>th</sup>

**New Business:**

- Daryl Schultz was present at the meeting to discuss his spiritual journey as he begins seminary classes. Pastor Lynn has been asked to by Bishop Ullestad to supervise Daryl as the synodical authorized minister during the time he will be serving Zion Lutheran in Castalia beginning January 1, 2020 as he works toward ordination. Motion was made to support Daryl by funding mileage and also with a book allowance. These funds will come from the Leonne Deering scholarship. M/S/C
- Family Ministry Report - Christa was present and went over the recent activities
- Thrivent members met and dispersed funds
- Elevator – Due to the possibility of malfunction, the elevator will remain locked when not in use and an usher will supervise when in use.
- Motion to approve Barnabas Uplift new class schedule for spring 2020. M/S/C
- Post Prom Gift, Christa bought in the past
- The abortion statement of the ELCA was reviewed as a point of interest. No action taken.
- Pastor's housing allowance was signed by Vice President Charlie Meyer and will become part of the minutes. The allowance was reduced from \$5000 to \$3000. M/S/C
- Next Council Meeting will be January 20<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm, Annual Meeting is January 26<sup>th</sup> @ 10:15 am
- St. Paul sponsored the Wissmann Family, along with other churches, as they presented a Christian Christmas Concert, Dec. 15.
- January 19<sup>th</sup> – Baptism of Lucas Ray Enyart, son of Avery Enyart & Brooke Holthaus

Sharon Drahn, Secretary



## HSED Classes [formerly GED]



Mondays and Wednesdays from 6:30 to 9:00 PM at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Postville, Iowa. There is no cost until you are ready to take the exams.

If you have questions, please call Jennifer at 563 379-1036 and if calling during the business day, leave a message that you are calling about HSED classes.

## ESL Classes



Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:30 to 9:00 PM or Tuesdays and Fridays from 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Postville, Iowa. There is no cost for this class.





# January

# Volunteers

**January 5 - 9:00 am**

**Holy Communion**

**Council:** Charlie Meyer & Theresa Johnson

**Communion Server:** Karen Meyer

**Reader:** Joyce Christofferson

**Video:** Sara White

**Acolyte:** Prestyn Bahr & Rojelio Loera-Upton

**Cross bearer:** Katelyn Frey

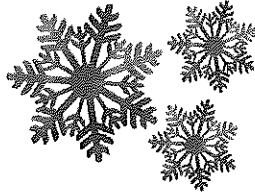
**January 12 - 9:00 am**

**Council:** Mike Jacobson

**Reader:** Barb Duwe Peterson

**Video:** Sara White

**Acolyte:** Hannah Nielsen & Adam Kirkestue



**January 19 - 9:00 am**

**New Traditions / Holy Communion**

**Council:** Eric Meyer & Conner Meyer

**Communion Servers:** Youth

**Reader:** Youth

**Video:** Ken Upton

**Acolyte:** Greyson Guerrero & Cheyenne Ruff

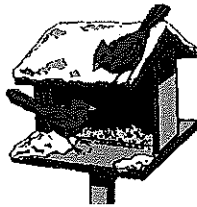
**January 26 - 9:00 am**

**Council:** Mike Jacobson

**Reader:** Linda Zuercher

**Video:** Mike Krambeer

**Acolyte:** Nora Malcom & Eva Vargas



**Saturday Night Worship - 5:30 pm**

**January 4**

**Holy Communion**

**Council:** LaRae Schutte

**PowerPoint:** Marianna Soy

**January 11**

**Council:** Roger Mathews

**PowerPoint:** Cheyenne Ruff

**January 18**

**Holy Communion**

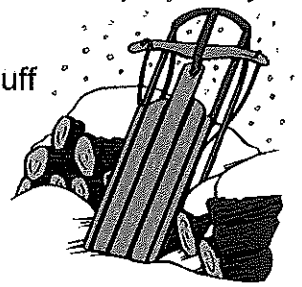
**Council:** LaRae Schutte

**PowerPoint:** Audrey Ruff

**January 25**

**Council:** Roger Mathews

**PowerPoint:** Hannah Nielsen



**January Usher Team**

Mike & Jodi Jacobson family (leaders), Dean & Laurel Ohloff, Dick Schlee, Roger Mathews, John Brazell, Jerome & Mary Lenth

**January Tellers**

Vada Guyer, Mary Lenth, Kathy Snitker

**January Altar Guild**

Kim Deering & Cindy Schultz

**Calling all members!** Pastor Lynn desires to meet with members of the congregation. He is looking forward to coming to visit you in your home for a cup of coffee or any beverage. Don't be shy, and don't think you need to feed him. This is a way for him to continue to meet people of the church. Also, if you would like to receive communion in your home please call the church office or let Pastor Lynn know so a visit can be scheduled.

WEEKLY  BROADCAST

Be sure to watch our Sunday Morning Service on NEIT Cable TV. It is shown twice a week on Channel 4: on Tuesday at 2:30 pm & on Thursday at 7:00 pm. This is a free service from NEIT.

**\*\*Deadline for VOICE\*\***

**Wednesday, January 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Bulletins Deadline**

Each Wednesday

**Council Deadline**

Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup>



**January Special Offering**

Postville Food Pantry

**Loose Quarters** go to

World Hunger

Saturday, January 4<sup>th</sup> &

Sunday, January 5<sup>th</sup>



St. Paul Lutheran Church

**(B)irthdays and (W)edding Anniversaries**

January 2020



| Sunday                                                                                                                                                             | Monday                                                                                                                                           | Tuesday                                                                                                                               | Wednesday                                                                   | Thursday                                                                                   | Friday                                                                                                        | Saturday                                                                                           |
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| <b>5</b><br>Irie Coon (b.)<br>Kennedy White (b.)                                                                                                                   | <b>6</b><br>Darby Suckow (b.)<br>Brandi Walker (b.)                                                                                              | <b>7</b><br>Evan Meyer (b.)                                                                                                           | <b>8</b><br>Chase Ramey (b.)<br>Harper Ramey (b.)<br>Kristy Robinson (b.)   | <b>9</b><br>Kari Bohr (b.)<br>Kenny Jones (b.)<br>Margaret Kugel (b.)<br>John Rodecap (b.) | <b>10</b><br>Hannah Dougherty (b.)<br>Jeni Melcher (b.)<br>Rozalyn Pelayo (b.)<br>Robert & Nancy Radloff (w.) | <b>11</b><br>Cayl Heins (b.)<br>Adam Kirkestue (b.)<br>Margery Stansberry (b.)                     |
| <b>12</b><br>Christopher Crawford (b.)<br>Gloria McMullan (b.)<br>Roberta Rodecap (b.)<br>Kandice Starkey (b.)<br>Denise Walker (b.)<br>Christopher Zimmerman (b.) | <b>13</b><br>Robert Dull (b.)<br>Kaylene McNally (b.)<br>Kristine Schissel (b.)                                                                  | <b>14</b><br>Carlton Collins (b.)<br>Weston Everman (b.)<br>Rojelio Upton (b.)<br>Megan Xiquita Jochola (b.)<br>Jennifer Ziemann (b.) | <b>15</b><br>Hayley Dougherty (b.)<br>Kala Kriener (b.)<br>Jodi Palmer (b.) | <b>16</b><br>Jeremy Birdsall (b.)<br>Mia Boch (b.)<br>Deb Hanson (b.)<br>Eric Winter (b.)  | <b>17</b><br>Jill Haire (b.)<br>Sherman Ziemann (b.)                                                          | <b>18</b>                                                                                          |
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