

Our Stewardship For: Oct. 29, 31 & Nov. 1, 2020

Church and Communion Attendance:

	Church	Comm.
Thursday---	20	19
Saturday---	31	
8:00---	92	
10:30--	34	

Our Gifts to God:	NOV 1, 2020	\$11,722.00
	NOV To Date Giving	\$11,722.00
	NOV Monthly Budget Needs	\$91,900.00

Please Note: ALL above figures include only Unified Giving, Loose Cash, General Fund Giving and Special Envelopes (i.e.-Lent; Thanksgiving, Christmas, etc.). The above figure includes donations given through the Simply Giving automatic, electronic fund transfer system. These figures do not include any tuition amounts or monies designated for special purposes (i.e.-missions, alms, school, school library, school music programs, hymnals, endowment fund; capital improvement, etc.)

Opportunities for Special Gifts/Memorials—Thank you!

Bob & Dorothy Suter gave an undesignated gift in memory of Bob Atlmann.



OPPORTUNITIES

For the Week of Nov. 8, 2020



For the Family of God at St Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church, School and Day Care

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Check Out Our Website:
www.stpaulsjanesville.com

No Offerings will be collected at this time. Offerings can be mailed to the church: 210 S. Ringold St, Janesville WI 53545. Electronic giving is also available—check our website at www.stpaulsjanesville.com for more information.

Our Church Calendar for the week of November 8, 2020

Sunday: *Virtual Sunday School*; Comm Wor.-8a; Bible Study & ZOOM-9:15a; Comm Wor. & Livestream-10:30a;

Monday: Voters Meeting IN THE SANCTUARY (church proper)-6:30p.

Tuesday: Bible Study-9:30a

Wednesday: Women's Bible Study-9a; Handbells-5:30p; Contemp. Rehearsal-6:30p; ZOOM Women's Bible Study-6:30p.

Thursday: Thursday Morning Bible Study-6:30a; ZOOM Women's Bible Study-9a; Women's Bible Study-6:30p; Comm Wor.-6:30p; Women's Bible Study-6:30p.

Saturday: Private Communion 1 to 3p; Comm Wor.-6p.

Next Sunday: *Virtual Sunday School*; Comm Wor.-8a; Bible Study & ZOOM-9:15a; Comm Wor. & Livestream-10:30a;

Baptism: In a private ceremony on Friday, Nov. 6, we welcomed two new members to the Lord's Kingdom by Holy Baptism. We baptized Harper Renee Haines, child of John & Taylor (nee Hanson) Haines. Her sponsors were not decided when we went to print. We baptized Amari Allen Schuhmacher, child of David & Brooke (nee Hanson) Schuhmacher. His sponsors are Alec Osmond and Logan Coulter. Please continue to pray for these families as they grow together in the Lord's Grace.

Hospitalized: *Please remember, if you want a pastor to visit you when you are hospitalized, you or a family member or friend will have to notify the pastors or the church office directly at 754-4471 ext. 200 and let them know which hospital you are in. Thank you.* At St Mary's-Eddie Jenson. Please remember Eddie in your prayers, along with Tom Roth who has been released from the hospital.

Special Saturday Private Communion is being offered each Saturday from 1 to 3p in the church. Anyone who wishes to receive Holy Communion is welcome to come during this time to have a private communion service with the pastor.

St. Paul's Fall Voters Meeting is set for Monday, November 9 at 6:30p in the Sanctuary (upstairs). We will be electing new members to the Church Council as well as give an update on our financial situation during this time of Covid. Please make plans to attend.

Dorothy Decker has moved to Huntington Place and would enjoy cards from her faith family. They may be sent to 3801 N Wright Rd, Room 305, Janesville WI 53546.

Veterans Appreciation Meal Canceled. Mr. Fenrick's 8th Grade has traditionally hosted a Veterans Appreciation Meal in November. Unfortunately, due to continued concerns regarding COVID, Mr. Fenrick has decided to cancel this year's meal. We continue to praise God for all of the men and women who serve our country. Your dedication is truly inspiring. Look for the meal to return in 2021.

Opportunities to Remember Others In Prayer

Members in the Military: Please pray for all those who serve in our armed forces. We remember: Kathy McKillips; Tyler Morehead; Josh Stanton

Opportunities to Be in God's Word: Weekly Bible Studies

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY AT 9:15AADULT BIBLE STUDY
FELLOWSHIP HALL(CHURCH BASEMENT) WITH PASTOR JOSH GROTELUESCHEN
VIA ZOOM..... CONTACT ED & LOIS JAMES 608-756-0854 OR ELJ1519@HOTMAIL.COM

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY AT 9:30AADULT BIBLE STUDY
CHURCH SANCTUARY (UPSTAIRS) WITH PASTOR DAN DECKER

WEDNESDAYS AT 9A WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WOMEN/FAMILY MINISTRY RM FOR MORE INFORMATION: KATHY PINGEL (754-4471 EXT. 306)

WEDNESDAYS AT 6:30P WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
VIA ZOOM..... FOR MORE INFORMATION: KATHY PINGEL (754-4471 EXT. 306)

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY AT 6:30ARAY VANDER LAAN: FAITH LESSONS
FELLOWSHIP HALL WITH BARRY & RUTH WIER (608-752-9330)

THURSDAYS AT 9A WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
VIA ZOOM..... FOR MORE INFORMATION: KATHY PINGEL (754-4471 EXT. 306)

THURSDAYS AT 6:30P WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
LIBRARY FOR MORE INFORMATION: KATHY PINGEL (754-4471 EXT. 306)

Rock County Holiday & Family Needs Committee hoping to have every child "adopted" for Christmas this year. They are asking for people to consider adopting a child (or children) to help families in need this holiday season. "Our guarantee to the youth we serve is that they will receive at least one outfit and one item from their wish list. If you have the means and you would like you may also provide gifts to the parents or to the family as a whole, but this is not required." If you are interested in helping a family please call 608-741-3405.

If you are unable to adopt a child this holiday but would still be willing to support our cause we are able to accept monetary donations, restaurant or store gift cards, and new toys as well as all sizes of new children's & adult clothing. Please call 608-741-3405 to arrange to drop-off items. Monetary donations may be sent to: Rock County Holiday Committee, ATTN: Toni Muniz, PO Box 1649, Janesville WI 53547.

Laundry Soap Fundraiser: It's that time of year again. This year laundry soap is a joint effort between the St Paul's Youth Group and St Paul's PTL (School Parent-Teacher League). All of the proceeds will go towards these two organizations. Order forms can be found in the School/Church Office. Order forms and money are due by Monday, November 9th to the School/Church Office and pick up will be the week of November 30th. More pick up details to come. If you have any questions please reach out to either Lisa Wedel, lwedel@stpaulsjanesville.com or Ashley Ausen, ausen215@gmail.com. Thanks for your support!

Support St. Paul's 7th grade Washington DC Trip while enjoying dinner at Buffalo Wild Wings, 2929 Milton Ave, Janesville! Just tell your server that you are supporting TEAM E – St. Paul's Lutheran School. The server will add 10% of your total sales to our running total. And when you purchase a Scrip card, you can support St. Paul's even more. If you aren't able to dine at Buffalo Wild Wings and want to support the 7th Grade Trip, cash donations are greatly appreciated. Contact Mr. Jim Kroll (jkroll@stpaulsjanesville.com) for more information.

Opportunities to Support St. Paul's Church & School:

By Enrolling in *Simply Giving!* Through *Simply Giving* your gifts are made through a pre-authorized withdrawal from your bank account. You determine the amount and frequency of your automatic gift. Because your gift is given consistently, you won't need to play "catch-up" at year-end or worry about forgotten checkbooks or missed Sunday offerings. Contact the church office for an enrollment form.

By Ordering and Using SCRIP for all of your shopping needs! SCRIP certificates and cards give 3 times. . . full value to you (or the recipient of your choice) PLUS a rebate of 2%-25% of that amount to our school! And we'll give back part of the rebate to you to reduce your tuition, to help St. Paul's Budget or to add to St. Paul's School Scholarship Fund! The choice is yours!

Order your SCRIP at shopwithscrip.com or RaiseRight mobile app by Sunday. Orders placed by 8p each Sunday will be ready to pick up the following Thursday from the school office (8a to 3:30p) or in Fellowship Hall (the church basement) immediately following the end of the 8a worship service AND immediately before the start of the 10:30a worship service on Sunday morning. You may pay for your order thru Presto Pay, or deliver cash/check at the time of pick up. (Only exact amount, please. No change will be given).

We're sorry, but all SCRIP sales must be PRE-ORDERED ONLINE at this time. No sales on demand will be made. Thank you for your understanding during these difficult times.

Next Weekend, November 14 & 15, 2020 we welcome Pastor Emeritus Larry W. Myers who is here to speak to us about the Lutheran Heritage Foundation. Welcome Pastor Myers.

Pastor Emeritus Larry W. Myers

Pastor Emeritus Larry W. Myers retired from full-time ministry at the end of December 2016 after 44.5 years of service. Within that career he spent 11 years overseas in the Republic of Korea (Lutheran Church in Korea) and in the Federal Republic of Germany (European Field Service Pastor for the Division of Service to Military Personnel, Lutheran Council in the U.S.A.). He also spent 13.5 years in academic teaching (Concordia, St. Paul, MN; Concordia, Austin, TX; Concordia Seminary, St. Louis; and Milwaukee Lutheran H.S.) and was interim staff for the LCMS Commission on Theology and Church Relations for eight months. He served as a pastor at Elm Grove Ev. Lutheran Church, Elm Grove, WI for 19.5 years.

Pastor Emeritus Myers has been to India six times as a special liaison from the LCMS to its oldest partner church, the India Evangelical Lutheran Church (IELC). During both 2017 and 2018, he taught courses at Concordia Seminary, Odessa, Ukraine, and in 2019 he did academic retreats for the pastors of the Ceylon Evangelical Lutheran Church (CELC) in Sri Lanka and the IELC in India. He served as vacancy pastor for 15 months at Christ the Life Lutheran, Waukesha, during 2017-2018. At the end of 2018 he also did a three-month vacancy stint at the English-speaking International Lutheran Church in Seoul, Korea.

Pastor Emeritus Myers is a retired USAF chaplain (30-year career reservist). He was privileged to serve at all levels of command, including one MAJCOM and two Numbered Air Force(s) in addition to base level. He did two tours in the Chief of Chaplains Office in D.C. and was the first-ever Reserve chaplain of any branch to serve on the Joint Staff of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. He was on duty with the Joint Staff on 9-11 in 2001 at the Pentagon and stayed for nearly two months in volunteer status as the U.S. military mobilized and deployed troops to combat the Taliban. He retired in 2002 with the rank of Colonel.

Pastor Emeritus Myers has been an active member of local Rotary clubs since 1988 and is currently an Assistant Governor for Rotary International District 6270. He is also a Commissioner on the City of New Berlin Police and Fire Commission. Since 2017 he has represented the Lutheran Heritage Foundation for the State of Wisconsin, the purpose of his visit this weekend.