

# The St. Paul Prophet

## March 10 & 11, 2007

Third Sunday in Lent

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**Our Mission:** Helping people know the love of Christ and live for Him.

### IN OUR PRAYERS

**HOSPITALIZED:** Angel Rose Gallagher (child of Mike and Brandi Gallagher); Fay Lee Townsend.

**RECOVERING:** Jerry Garland, (uncle of Sharon Schwartzkopf); Alexis Jordan; Pastor King.

**SCHEDULED FOR TESTS:** Ken Kelly

**TREATMENTS:** Carolyn Byers (fr. Kluvers); Laurie Barteck (sister Shelly VanNess); Daniel Caugron (Sandy Brooks' son); Juanita Chamberlain (fr. Karraker's); Debbie Easley; Christine Harre (niece of Jacks); Jack Kelly (Ken Kelly's father); Betty LeBaube (Sharon Schwartzkopf's aunt); Janie Link; Rev. Ralph Ogden (father of Ralph Ogden); Barry Phegley; Aaron Phillips (cousin of Camryn Will (one of our students); Kathy Ratcliff (mother of Julie Ketcherside); LaVonne Richardson (sis of Ken Kluver); Mike Shannon and Janet Shannon (frs. O'Briens); Mary Lou Sloan (fr. Susan Baird); Jan Uhlbricht (fr. McClanahans);

**CONTINUED STRENGTH:** Helen Aldridge (cousin Edna Hinkle); Jeanette Anderson (mother of Jim Anderson); Jewel Bacon; Alisha Carrow; Georgia Clemons (Darlene McWilliams' sister); Gib Cresswell (fr. of the Jacks); Ray Detring; Barbara Detring Foster (Jean & Ray Detring, and Pat Brockmiller's sister); Vicki Gallagher; Keller Gierse; Connie Giesselmann; Hank Gregory (fr. of Clausers); Ruth Graham (Jean Detring's Cousin); Jerry Held; Edna Hinkle; Henry Hull; Collins Henson (Michelle King's grandfather); Martha Jarrell; Mae Johnson (Lisa Norris mother); Opal Kelly (Ken Kelly's mom); Carolyn Meinz; Kenny Mell; Reba Mell; Mike Nash (bro. Donna Ferguson); Mike O'Brien; Woodrow Oberman; Dee Owens (Jeff Owens' grandmother); Emma Powers; Cathy Redmond (fr. Karen Detring); Liam Rind (fr. Kim Weakley); Anna Roy (Linda Province grandmother); Ron Shepherd; Rob Shipman (Elizabeth Jordan's cousin); Craig Thomas; Marie Tinnin; Pat Vogt (sister Betty Detring); Debbie Wade (fr. Ruth Ann Kollmeyer); Sharon Weber (sister of Michelle Bird); Kathy Wright.

**HOSPICE:** Vashti Francis; Madeline Reppart (fr. Linda Kelly)

**POWER IN PRAYER:** Bill and Nancy Krekeler; Dorothy Kretschmar; Mike and Heather Kurtz, Sabarina and Harley.

**SYMPATHY:** to Caroline Detring and family at the death of her husband, Clifford; to the family and friends of Mary Meyer; to Jenny Bertram and family at the death of her mother, Lovell Laws; to Mark Jones and family at the death of his grandmother, Ruth Matson; to the family and friends of June Sullivan (fr. Carol Faircloth).

**SERVING IN MILITARY:** Shelly Ammerman (Edna Hinkle's granddaughter); Michael Bailey (fr. Susan Kollmeyer); Jeremy Baumgarth (Edna Hinkle's grandson); Pat Byington; Mark A. Cashion (son of Henry Cashion); Kyle Clifton (fr. Katie Mell); Scott Detring; Josh Duncan (cousin of Debbie Bone); Josh Eckrich; Aaron Judge (Diane Judge's son), LTJg Rob LaRue (son of Alan and Anita LaRue); Corey Miller (son-in-law Diane Judge); Philip Mistretta (fiancé of Mallory Buckley); Larry Myer (grandson of Dr. & Bobbi Karraker); Jonathon Paige (nephew of Debbie Easley); "S" Sgt. Mitchell Reves (nephew of Marcie Jack); Andrew and Becky Smith; Patrick Stackpole (fr. of

Warebergs); Josh White (Grandson-in-law of Blumenbergs); Paul Wolski (son-in-law of Chuck Hoehn); and strength for their families.

**MEN'S THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY** has begun meeting at Rosener's on Thursday mornings at 7:00 am.

**THANK YOU:** Thanks to the 4-8 graders for singing a special number, "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" at the 10:30 am service on February 25<sup>th</sup> under the direction of Barb Towler.

**THANK YOU** Alana Warenberg for the pre-service on the piano February 25<sup>th</sup> music. Alana performed the theme song from "Chariots of Fire."

**PARALLAX VIEW IN CONCERT: A Benefit for Craig Thomas:** Friday March 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the St. Paul gym. Admission is \$5.00. Tickets are available at the school office 756-5147

**LENTEN MEALS:** The 2007 Lenten Meals will be provided by the St. Paul Youth Groups. The youth will prepare and serve the dinners on Wednesday evenings during the season of Lent. Dinner will be served from 5:30 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. The cost will be a free-will donation. The money earned will be applied to the youth attending the LC-MS National Youth Gathering in Orlando later this summer. Below is a schedule of the dinners.

March 7: Baked Potato Bar

March 14: Soup and Sandwich Dinner

March 21: Taco Salad Dinner

March 28: Fish Fry Dinner

**MITE BOX WEEKEND:** Next weekend is Mite Box Weekend. The Lutheran Women's Missionary League collects mites (loose change or dollars) and uses them to assist in building chapels and churches here and throughout the world. Please put your mites in the LWML bags found at the outer end of each pew and pass toward the center aisle.

**YOUTH GROUP** will not meet this week. However, **Venturing Crew** will meet at the youth house at 5:30 pm.

**LWML SPRING RALLY** On Sunday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, the Spring Rally of Iron Mountain LWML Zone is scheduled to be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Ironton, MO. ALL ladies who are communicant members of our church are invited to attend with their relatives and friends. We will have car pooling, leaving Farmington at 12:30 pm. Drivers and those going – please sign up on the chart at the Carleton Street door. We've been told that Ironton ladies are planning a special dinner and are praying for a full church. Their pastor is the LWML Zone Counselor – Rev. Ronald Simmons (Rachel Cook's father).

**ST PAUL SUNDAY AT DAIRY QUEEN:** Tell your server you are a St. Paul member and 20% of all sales will be given back to St. Paul Lutheran School. Offer good on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month.

**PILGRIM ADS:** Last chance to renew Pilgrim ad. Please call the church office 756-7872 to renew or to become one of our advertisers.

**OFFERING COUNTERS:** Three of our counting team retired this month; therefore, we are in need of a new team to replace them. The counters go to the bank on Monday, count the offerings from the weekend, deposit at the bank and bring the church office a copy of the deposit. It is only a couple of hours on Monday mornings every fourth month. There will be someone there to help learn the process. Call the church office at 756-7872 for more information.

**NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK** is next week. A bus is taking our families to Saxony Lutheran High School in Fruitland to begin the week. It will leave the school at 12:30 and return approximately 5:30 with a possible stop at McDonalds.

Our classrooms will have a "can" war. The food collected will be given to the local food panties.

**'H' HIWAY CLEANUP:** On March 18<sup>th</sup> members of St. Paul will meet to clean our 2 mile section of 'H' highway. Volunteers of all ages are invited to come and help. We will met at Jim Schifferdeckers at 1:00 pm.

**JOBS FOR YOU:** If you are out of school and didn't complete high school, graduated high school, are in college or Vocational school and want to continue your education; if you are looking for work, working part-time and want full-time, or if you want a better job East Missouri Action Agency wants to help you. Call the Employment/Training Department at EMEA and ask to speak with someone about RYSE program. St. Francois County call 454-2192, Ste. Genevieve County call 883-7275 and Madison County call 783-5226.

**HEARTS ON FIRE, FAN THE FLAME:** We have received over \$29,000 of the \$55,000 of our matching funds. *We will continue to keep the Hearts on Fire campaign going until we reach our goal.* Thank you for your support to our school.

**ALS BRACELETS:** We have ALS Bracelets in the church office. They are \$1.00 a bracelet and you get a Lou Gehrig baseball card with it. The proceeds go the Craig Thomas Fund.

**CANS FOR CRAIG THOMAS:** We have plastic bags in the church office, school office, and on the back pew of the church (or you may use your own) to collect aluminum drink cans. The cans may be taken to the church (by the garage) or to Terry Clauser at St. Francois County Glass. The proceeds from the cans will go to the Craig Thomas fund.

**WEB SITE FOR CRAIG THOMAS:** Brian Clauser, a classmate of Craig Thomas has developed a web site for Craig [www.meetcraigthomas.com](http://www.meetcraigthomas.com)

**YOUR ELDER:**

Kurt Kellams, Chmn	AA-BIR	366-0826
Ken Smith,	BIS-CAR	756-0829
Thad Kieninger	BIS-CAR	747-1774
Bill Giessing, Sec'ry.	CAS-DER	756-5283
Doug Pratt	DET-FU	756-7996
Ken Kelly,	GA-HAR	760-0528
Ron Jarrell	HAY-JAR	756-6260
Carl Cook	JEN-KOL	756-4648
Richard Detring	KR- MEI	756-7989
Steve Needy	MEL-NO	756-2880
Mark Jones	O'B-PY	756-2710
Steve Thomas	RA-SCH	756-1444
Eric Bertram	SE-THOM	756-9575
Bill Bertram	THUR-WEB	747-0663
Kraig Sutherland	WES-Z	756-3453

**IN THE LORD'S SERVICE:**

**Altar Guild for March:**

Sat. 6:00 pm – Susan Faenger  
 Sun. 8:00 am – Ann Bohman  
 10:30 am – Miriam Sutherland

**Acolytes:**

Sat. 03/03 – 6:00 pm – Tyler Herbert, Garrett Ramsey  
 Sun 03/04 – 8:00 am – Lucas Baird, Kory Barnes  
 10:30 am – Garrett Geiler, Jonathon Bird  
 Sat. 03/10 – 6:00 pm – Matthew Tressner, Connor Eaton  
 Sun 03/11 – 8:00 am – Brittany Fink, Megan Gwin  
 10:30 am – Taylor Brockmiller, Abby Tyree

**Ushers:**

Sat. 03/03 – 6:00 pm – Vernon and Mickie McClanahan  
 Sun 03/04 – 8:00 am – Hays, Ratcliff, Needy, Anderson Family  
 10:30 am – Sherrill and Jordan Families  
 Sat. 03/10 – 6:00 pm – Pete and Mildred Wiley  
 Sun 03/11 – 8:00 am – Hays, Ratcliff, Garner, Brockmiller, Giesselmann  
 10:30 am – Ken Smith and Brian Kocher families

**FRUITS OF OUR FAITH**

**Attendance:**

2/24 Sat	6:00 pm	110
2/25 Sun	8:00 am	82
	19:30 am	<u>235</u>
<u>Total</u>		427

Sunday School 115

**FINANCIAL:**

**Year-to-date Tithes and Faith Promises**

**Operating Fund:**

Received last week	\$10,084 Tithes
	35 Sunday School
	100 Hymnals
	<u>63 Clearance</u>
Total Deposit	\$10,282
Weekly Goal	9,945
Year to Date Average	9,521

Tithe Contributions	\$331,016
Tithes Needed	<u>\$348,075</u>
Behind Budget	(17,059)

**Building Fund:**

Tithe Contributions	\$38,016
Tithes Needed	<u>\$65,625</u>
Behind Budget	(27,609)

Loan Balance \$496,363

## WEEKLY BIBLE CLASS



Day	Topic	Location	Teacher
<b>Sunday</b>	9:15 a.m.		
	Book of Revelation	School Gym	Pastor King
	Book of Luke	Lower Level	Mr. Giesselmann
	Sunday School	School	PS-8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
<b>Monday</b>	High School	Youth House	Mr. Kellams
	1:15 p.m.		
<b>Thurs.</b>	Life with Spice	Lower Level	E. Frueh
	7:00 a.m.		
	Men's Bible Study	Roseners	Pastor King

### Day Light Savings Time



Turn clocks forward one hour on Saturday night, March 10<sup>th</sup>.

## Lent 2007 - Places of the Passion

Please join us each Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. or 7:00 p.m. as we take our Lenten Journey this year. This year we will focus on some prominent places in Jerusalem concerning the life, suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

- March 7: Gethsemane – A Place of Strength
- March 14: The Garden – A Place of Eternal Love
- March 21: Pilate's Court – A Place of Renewal
- March 28: The Trial – A Place of God's Will
- April 5: The Last Supper – A Place of Forgiveness
- April 6: The Cross – A Place of Praise
- April 8: The Tomb – A Place of Remembering

## ST. PAUL CALENDAR

### THIS WEEK:

<b>3/04</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>Worship, Communion</b>
	9:15 am	Sunday School, Bible Class
	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Worship, Communion</b>
	3:00 pm	Auction Committee Meeting
3/05	5:30 pm	Venturing Crew – youth house
	1:15 pm	Life with Spice LL
	3:00 pm	Cub Scouts LL
	5:15 pm	Tiger Scouts LL
3/06	5:30 pm	Scout Pack Committee Mtg LL
	7:00 pm	4-H LL
	7:00 pm	Board of Ed
	8:00 am	Ladies Aid
3/07	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Lenten Service</b>
	3:00 pm	Girls Scouts LL
	3:00 pm	Webelos UL
	5:30 pm	Lenten Supper-Baked Potato Bar – gym
3/08	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Lenten Service</b>
	7:00 am	Men's Bible Class – Roseners
3/09	8:00 am	LL in use all day
	5:00 pm	Fish Fry at Trinity, Fredericktown
<b>3/10</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Worship Service</b> (Mite Box Weekend)

### NEXT WEEK:

<b>3/11</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b> (Mite Box Weekend)
	9:15 am	Sunday School/ Bible Class
	<b>10:15 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b> (Mite Box weekend)
	12:00 pm	LL in use
3/12	3:00 pm	Auction Committee Mtg.
	1:15 pm	Life with Spice LL
	3:00 pm	Cub Scouts LL
	6:00 pm	Quilt Tacking
3/14	8:00 am	Ladies Aid
	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Lenten Worship Service</b>
	12:00 pm	Ladies Luncheon
	3:00 pm	Webelos UL
3/15	3:00 PM	Daisies (Kindergarten room)
	5:30 pm	Lenten Supper (soup & Sandwich) gym
	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Lenten Worship Service</b>
	7:45 pm	Rejoice Choir LL
3/17	7:00 am	Men's Bible Class Roseners
	1:00 pm	B-day Brigade LL (for Feb & Mar)
	7:00 pm	Triple C
	5:00 pm	Board of Outreach UL
	6:00 pm	Worship, Communion