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The St. Paul Prophet February 6 & 7 2010

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany
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Our Mission: Helping people know the love of Christ and live for Him.

And one of the scribes came up and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, asked him, "Which commandment is the most important of all?" Jesus answered, "The most important is, 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." Mark 12:38-41

IN OUR PRAYERS

HOSPITAL: Charli Hartley (fr. Linda Kelly); Lisa Wahoff Kissel (daughter Karon Wahoff); Tommy Myer (son of Cyndie Meyer); John Ogletree, (Janet Ross' father); Lauren Williams (fr. Cindy Sabastian); Roy Whales (fr. Kluvers).

REHAB: Jack Krekeler (brother-in-law of Nancy Krekeler);

SCHEDULED FOR SURGERY: Jack Sebastian (Matt Sebastian's father).

TESTS: Susan Faenger,

SCHEDULED FOR SURGERY: Alen W. Sales (fr. of Steve & Monica Frederics).

RECOVERING: Helen Aldridge (Edna Hinkle's cousin); Gene Allen; Sharon Brooks (Elizabeth Jordan's aunt); Allison Eller; Emily Hale (fr. Karen Detring); Lisa Harris (Edna Hinkle's daughter-in-law); Ina Stokes (Julie Reese's sister),

TREATMENTS: Gina Allen (fr. Linda Kelly); Janet Archibald (fr. of Kellys); Marilyn Bannister (fr. Karen Detring); Seth Barnes; Myra Bertram; Daniel Caughron; Norma Clauser; Liz Collier (fr. Crystal Dement); Melissa Davis; Melinda Francis (wife of Greg Francis); Philip Freeburg; Teeny Greer (fr. Debbie Easley); Hank Gregory (fr. Norma Clauser); Margaret Haynes (fr. of Michelle Bird); Sandy Hoehn; Terry Holmes (fr. Sheila Ratcliff); Lee Kreitler; Jim Lange; Rhonda (LaPlant) LaPierre (fr. Janet Rickus); Debra Lewis; Georgia Mauk (fr. Sheila Miano); Rev. Ralph Ogden; Missy Pope; Randy Ragsdale (fr. Jenna & Sara Rigdon); Frank Raymer; Whitney Russell (fr. Pam Ross); Gary Sherrill (relative of Shannon Chandler); Mary Lou Sloan; Rosemary Vaughn; Mabel Waller (Julie Storz aunt); Kim Weakley; Daisy Whitener (Sally Whitener's mother-in-law).

CONTINUED STRENGTH: Madison Akers (niece Norma Clauser); Roger Alman (fr. Molly Hartup); Jeanette Anderson; Jewel Bacon; Fred Barnes; Noel Barton; Chris Bone; Frank Bradley (fr. McClanahan's); Vera Brune; Todd Carolyn; Georgia Clements; Sandra Cosby; Cora Creceluis, (granddaughter of Connie Creceluis); Mary Crouch (fr. Betty Detring); Debbie Derrick (Ken Kelly's cousin); Pete Dastoor (fr. Janet Laut); Beverly Elliott (Phyllis Floyd's daughter); Beverly Elliott (Phyllis Floyd's daughter); Frank Erard and Jackie Erard (Tammy Pritchett's parents); Tom Erard (Tammy Pritchett's brother.) Earl Faircloth (Amy Lix grandparent); Bill Feezor; Zola Francis (Tim Crites grandmother); Ann Frederick; Angel Rose Gallagher; Vickie Gallagher; Barbara Garland (Sharon Schwartzkopf's aunt); Connie Jo Giesselmann; Nadine Giessing; Ruth Graham; Joe Green; Peggy Green; Jerry Held; Randall Harris (Edna Hinkle's son); Edna Hinkle; Marion Honerkamp (uncle of Larry Honerkamp); Shelly Inserra (fr. Kurtz family); Jackie Jarnag; Martha Jarrell; Jack Kelly (Ken Kelly's father); Opal Kelly (Ken's mother); Jackie Killian; Nellie Kollmeyer; Lil Logan; Logan Matthews (2 yr. old nephew of Heather Garner); Kenny Mell;

Betty Miller (grandmother of Cate Robke and Ella Bertram); Woodrow Oberman; Dee Owens; Patricia Petty (Scott Lix aunt); Cathy Quinn; Kathy Ratcliff; George Ray (Stacy Dickinson's father); Vickie Reeves and family; Jessie Sloan (fr. of Kelly's); Darrell Sumpter (stepfather of Rhonda Shields); Craig Thomas; Rusty Townsend; Sam Whitener (Sally Whitener's father-in-law). Nellie Wiley; Homer Wiley.

TROUBLED PREGNANCY: Gary and Mindy Parrett (fr. of Kim Weakley)

FOR FAMILIES who have lost loved ones.

HOSPICE: Paul Bertram; Marie Meyer

SERVING IN MILITARY: Shelly Ammerman (granddaughter of Edna Hinkle); James Anderson; Jeremy Baumgarth; Pat Byington; Mark Cashion (son of Henry & Sandy Cashion, 3rd deployment to Afganistan); Jared Clauser; Jeremiah Crites, Darrell Cureton; Jason Day; Shannon Finley; Rob LaRue; Larry May; Philip Mistretta; Brandon Leigh; Larry Myer; Caleb Owens; Mitchell Reves; Logan Smith; Patrick Stackpole; Kyle Sullivan; Terry Throm; Jason Weiss; and Adam Wells, and strength for their families.

FRUITS OF OUR FAITH

Cash Flow for Operating Account

Date	Description	Income	Expense	Balance
1/29	Account Balance			\$ 1,410
1/31	Actual Tithes	10,402		\$ 11,813
	Misc. Operating Exp.		1,274	\$ 10,539
2/8	Estimated Tithes	10,000		\$ 20,539
	Estimated Tuition	5,000		\$ 25,539
2/10	Payroll		28,000	\$ (2,461)
	Misc. Operating Exp.		1,000	\$ (3,461)
2/14	Estimated Tithes	10,000		\$ 6,539
	Misc. Operating Exp.		2,100	\$ 4,439
2/21	Estimated Tithes	10,000		\$ 14,439
	Misc. Operating Exp.		1,588	\$ 12,850
2/25	Payroll		28,000	\$ (15,150)
	Concordia Plan		12,000	\$ (27,150)
	Estimated Tuition	12,000		\$ (15,150)

Average weekly contributions for the current fiscal year are \$10,588. In order to meet our approved budget, the average weekly contribution needs to be \$11,120. In order for St. Paul to meet the average weekly contributions required to meet our current budget, with 22 weeks remaining, contributions need to be \$ 11,202.

Building Loan as of 12/31/09 - \$78,126.

THANK YOU: The family of Neil Bishop would like to thank all of you for your outpouring of love, prayers, and concern during his illness and at the time of his death. Lettie, Kathe and David.

LADIES AID: Ladies, don't forget to bring your batch of cookies for the Shut Ins Wednesday, February 10th.

LUTHERAN WITNESS: It is time to renew Lutheran Witness subscriptions. Make checks payable to St. Paul Lutheran Church and put Lutheran Witness in the memo or place in an envelope and mark Lutheran Witness. The cost this year is \$15.00.

FOOD BASKETS: St. Paul is doing another Food Basket for the needy for Easter. There will be boxes at the door to put items into. Thank you for all your donations.

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES: This weekend congregations throughout our synod are celebrating Lutheran Hour Ministries Sunday. Lutheran Hour Ministries, also known as International Lutheran Laymen's League, was formed by a group of dedicated laymen at the 1917 Synodical convention to wipe out a \$100,000 debt. The Lutheran Hour, a radio broadcast of Lutheran Hour Ministries was first broadcast on Oct. 2, 1930. Almost 80 years since it started The Lutheran Hour continues to send out a clear Gospel message on more than 900 stations in the United States and Canada. Lutheran Hour Ministries also reaches out to lost and hurting souls in more than 30 countries around the world. (It does this through a variety of means, including: media programming, dramas, Music, Bible correspondence courses, youth programs, printed materials, and evangelism workshops.) Locally The Lutheran Hour can be heard on radio, Sundays: 7:30 a.m. KHCR 97.7 FM, 10:00 a.m. on KREI 800 AM, 12:30 p.m. and 5:00 pm KFUD 850 a.m. For more information on the outreach of Lutheran Hour Ministries and some ways in which you can respond, check out the brochure in your church mailbox.

FISH FRY: All You can Eat" Fish Fry & Spaghetti Dinner February 12th. 4-7 PM. at Trinity, Fredericktown, then starting in Lent we will have Fish Fries & Spaghetti Dinner on February 19th, skip a week, March 5th, skip a week then last one March 19th. Adults \$ 8.00 child 5-12 yrs \$ 4.00 under 5 free.

Come celebrate Mardi Gras by attending the St Paul Youth Group Fundraising Dinner. Tickets are available now for this exciting event intended to raise money for the upcoming National Youth Gathering in New Orleans this July. We have 15 youth attending the gathering. They have been working really hard in their fund raising efforts. The dinner will be held Friday, February 12 at 6 pm in the St Paul Gymnasium. The meal will consist of delicious fried fish, red beans & rice, fresh corn bread, veggies, and a mouth-watering King cake. Lemonade, tea, and coffee will be available. Following dinner, there will be a 50/50 card game for entertainment. Tickets are \$15/adult and \$8/child <12 and can be purchased from the senior youth, at the church office, before and after church services, from Pastor King, or Lisa & Tony Mengwasser.

HAITI EARTHQUAKE: If you would like to help the people of Haiti after this devastating earthquake, you can give through any number of organizations. Our church body

distributes relief through LCMS World Relief and Human Care. If you would like to make a donation through this mercy arm of our synod, use a designated envelope from your packet and mark it Disaster relief – Haiti; or you can contribute on line by going to www.lcms.org/worldrelief.

LIFE LINE: St Paul Lutheran Church is pleased to offer a preventive health event. Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will host their affordable, non-invasive, painless health screenings on 3/4/2010. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries, which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms, which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs, which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat, which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package with Heart Rhythm for \$149. All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Your Health is in Your Hands, so call 1-888-653-6441 for more information or to pre-register

MEN'S CLUB: Men's Club meeting is Feb 11 @ 5:30 PM in the lower level. Menu is chicken and dumplings and Les's home grown green beans. All men welcome Men's Club will be having a Pancake and Sausage breakfast Feb 21. Serving begins at 7:00 AM. Freewill Offering

ATTENDANCE:

Sat. 01/30	6:00 pm	68
Sun 01/31	8:00 am	88
	10:30 am	128
Total		284

ALTAR GUILD FOR FEBRUARY:

6:00 pm – Danielle Owens
8:00 am – Velma Kocher
10:30 am – Michelle Bird

USHERS:

Sat. 02/06 – 6:00 pm – Rob & Laura House, Mickie McClanahan
Sun 02/07 – 8:00 am - David, Steve, Greg, Terry Mell, Gary Cleve
10:30 am – Brad Quinn Family, Scott Lix Family, Kraig Sutherland
Sat. 02/13 – 6:00 pm – Richard Detring, Wayne Blumenberg
Sun 02/14 – 8:00 am – Brian Kocher family, Greg Dement family
10:30 am – Ceth Jordan Family

ACOLYTES:

Sat. 02/06 – 6:00 pm – Morgan Brockmiller, Catherine Mell
Sun 02/07 – 8:00 am – Victoria Needy, Madison Ikemeier
10:30 am - Ryan Schwartzkopf, Chase Sheldon
Sat. 02/13 – 6:00 pm – Dylan Vogelsang, Grant Crocker
Sun 02/14 – 8:00 am – Emily Eaves, Casey Buckley
10:30 am – Samantha Reed, Madeline Gible

Worship Service
06:00 PM Saturday

Elder Assigned
Richard Detring, Ron Jarrell,
Marcus Bader, Tony
Mengwasser

08:00 AM Sunday

Bill Giessing, Derrick Eaves,
Jason Garner, Gary Cooper,
Tim Crites, Jason Garner,
Derrick Eaves

10:30 AM Sunday

Bill Bertram, Ceth Jordan,
Ken Smith, Doug Pratt,
Kraig Sutherland

WEEKLY BIBLE CLASS OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday 10:15 a.m.

Job	School Gym	Pastor Oddi
Matthew	Lower Level	Mr. Giesselmann
Sunday School	School	PS-8 th Grade
High School	Youth House	Tammy Pritchett
Pub Schl Confirm	3 rd grade room	Pastor King

Sunday 6:00 p.m.

Lord's Learners	Lower Level	Doug Pratt
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Monday 1:15 p.m.

Life with Spice	Lower Level	Pastor Schack
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Wednesday 6:30 pm

PK's Bible Study	in the School	Pastor King
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Thursday 7:00 a.m.

Men's Bible Study	Rosener's	Pastor King
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YOUR ELDER

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ST. PAUL CALENDAR:

THIS WEEK:

02/07	8:00 am	Worship, Communion
	9:15 am	Sunday School, Bible Class, Confirmation
	10:30 am	Worship, Communion
	5:00 pm	Youth Group Super Bowl Party in gym
02/08	1:15 pm	Life with Spice LL
	6:00 pm	Mission Quilting and Tacking LA room
02/09	7:00 pm	Elders Mtg.
	7:00 pm	Kindergarten Open House
02/10	8:00 am	Ladies Aid
	8:15 am	Chapel
	12:00 pm	Ladies Aid Luncheon
	3:00 pm	Girl Scouts LL
	6:00 pm	Handbells UL
	7:00 pm	4-H LL
	7:00 pm	PK's Bible Class 6 th grade room
	7:15 pm	Rejoice Choir - loft
02/11	7:00 am	Men's Bible Class - Roseners
02/12		No School
	5:30 pm	Men's Club - LL
	6:00 pm	Youth Mardi Gras Dinner in gym
02/13	6:00 pm	Worship Service

NEXT WEEK:

02/14	8:00 am	Worship Service
	9:15 am	Sunday School, Bible Class, Confirmation
	10:30 am	Worship Service
	6:00 pm	Lord's Learners LL
02/15		No School
		Church Office Closed
	6:00 pm	Mission Quilting and Tacking
	6:00 pm	Girl Scouts LL
02/16	7:00 pm	Farmington, Altenburg Dist. Mtg gym
	7:00 pm	Church Council UL
02/17	8:00 am	Ladies Aid
	9:00 am	Ash Wednesday Service, Communion
	5:30 pm	Soup and Sandwich in gym
	6:00 pm	Handbells UL
	7:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Service, Communion
02/18	7:00 am	Men's Bible Class at Roseners
	1:00 pm	Birthday Brigade LL
02/20	1:00 pm	LL in use
	4:30 pm	Board of Life UL
	6:00 pm	Worship Communion