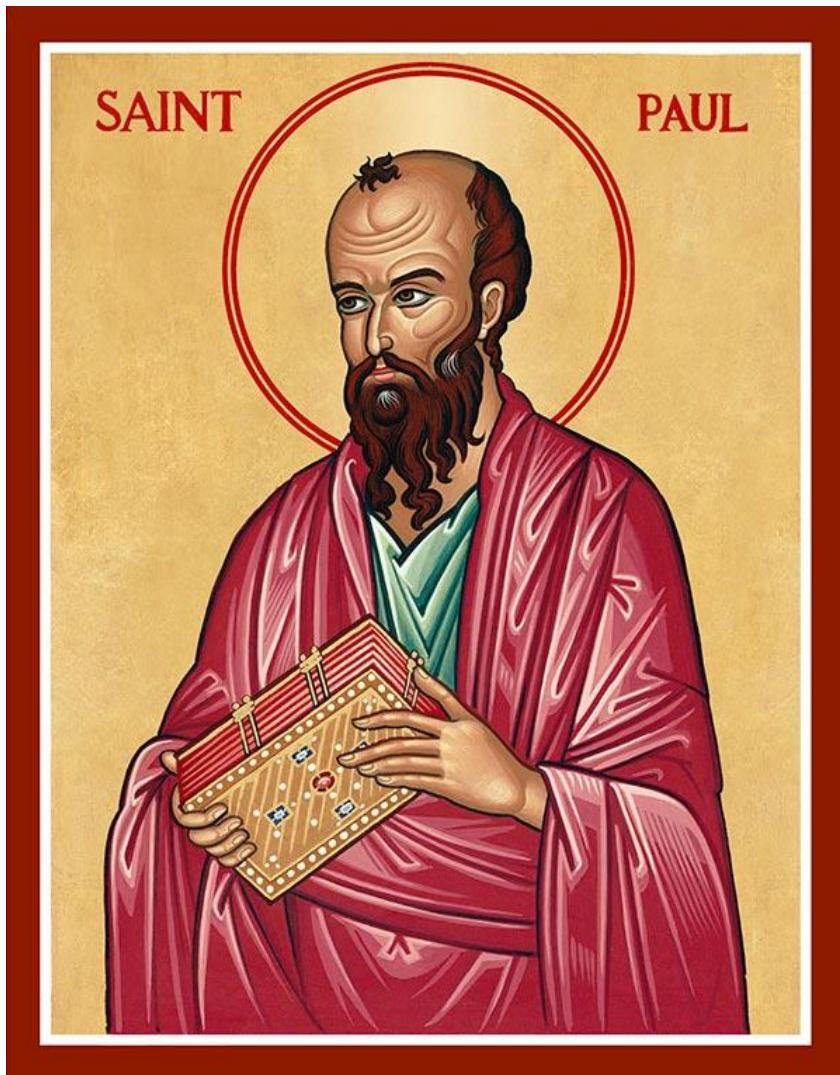


# The Conversion of St. Paul

## January 25, 2026



# St. Paul's Lutheran Church

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**WELCOME** Thank you for being with us.

**We are a Christian church within the Lutheran tradition** (Evangelical Lutheran Church of America) and we welcome people of all Christian traditions as well as people of other faiths and people of little or no faith. Christian worship has been offered to God in this congregation for 189 years. By worshipping with us today, you become part of that living tradition.

**Offerings** Offerings are received during the liturgy. They are presented along with gifts of bread and wine at the altar. You may also donate via our website at [www.stpaulsyork.org](http://www.stpaulsyork.org) or use the QR Code provided.

**Restrooms** are located in the Good Shepherd Room (Springettsbury lobby) and the narthex (George St). Baby changing stations are provided in these restrooms as well as in the nursery. The restrooms are independent units. Please remember to latch the door.

**An AED/Defibrillator** unit is located in the Good Shepherd room. It is placed on the wall left side of the Springettsbury door exit.

**The Nursery** is accessed through the front right double doors. The liturgy is live-streamed into the Nursery. Parents are asked to stay with their children. Quiet activities are also available in the Narthex for infant through preschool children to use with an adult.

**We ask parents to accompany their children** to the restroom during the liturgy and wait with them. This is a way for us to practice good safety protocol within our building.



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***This morning we welcome the Reverend Stephen Herr, Bishop of the Lower Susquehanna Synod of the ELCA as our guest preacher. Please extend your personal greeting to him following the liturgy.***

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January 25, 2026

8:00 & 10:30 AM

*Musical Setting #1 Evangelical Lutheran Worship*

## PRELUDE

*Hyfrydol Aspects* Terry Everson

Trumpet, James Palmer, Piano, Harrison Palmer

*Stand*

## ENTRANCE HYMN

*O God of Light (ELW 507)*



1 O God of light, your word, a lamp un - fail - ing,  
2 From days of old, through blind and will - ful a - ges,  
3 Un - dimmed by time, those words are still re - veal - ing,  
4 To all the world your sum - mons you are send - ing,



shall pierce the dark - ness of our earth - bound way  
though we re - belled, you gent - ly sought a - gain,  
to sin - ful hearts your jus - tice and your grace;  
through all the earth, to ev - 'ry land and race,



and show your grace, your plan for us un - veil - ing,  
and spoke through saints, a - pos - tles, proph - ets, sa - ges,  
and quest - ing spir - its, long - ing for your heal - ing,  
that myr - iad tongues, in one great an - them blend - ing,



and guide our foot - steps to the per - - fect day.  
who wrote with ea - ger or re - - luc - tant pen.  
see your com - pas - sion in the Sav - - ior's face.  
may praise and cel - e - brate your gift of grace.

## APOSTOLIC GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

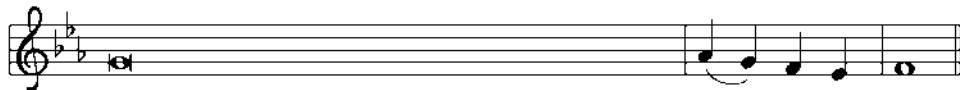
## KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



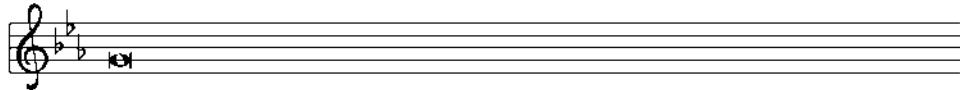
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



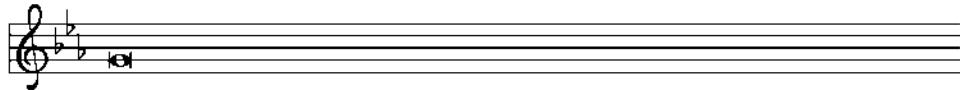
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.

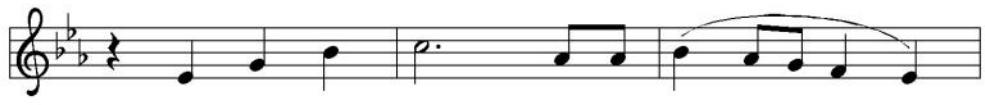


Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.

## HYMN OF PRAISE



Glo - ry to God in the high -



est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.



Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - might - y God and



Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we



praise you for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus



Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,

Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the

world: have mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the

right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.

For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a -

alone are the Lord, you a - lone are the Most High,

Je-sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the glo - ry of

God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Glo - ry to God in the high -

est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY.

Let us pray. . . .Lord God, through the preaching of your apostle Paul, you established one Church from among the nations. As we celebrate his conversion, we pray that we may follow his example and be witnesses to the truth in your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

*Sit*

### FIRST READING

Acts 9:1-22

<sup>1</sup>Meanwhile Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest <sup>2</sup>and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. <sup>3</sup>Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. <sup>4</sup>He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" <sup>5</sup>He asked, "Who are you, Lord?" The reply came, "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. <sup>6</sup>But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do." <sup>7</sup>The men who were traveling with him stood speechless because they heard the voice but saw no one. <sup>8</sup>Saul got up from the ground, and though his eyes were open, he could see nothing; so they led him by the hand and brought him into Damascus. <sup>9</sup>For three days he was without sight, and neither ate nor drank.

<sup>10</sup>Now there was a disciple in Damascus named Ananias. The Lord said to him in a vision, "Ananias." He answered, "Here I am, Lord." <sup>11</sup>The Lord said to him, "Get up and go to the street called Straight, and at the house of Judas look for a man of Tarsus named Saul. At this moment he is praying, <sup>12</sup>and he has seen in a vision a man named Ananias come in and lay his hands on him so that he might regain his sight." <sup>13</sup>But Ananias answered, "Lord, I have heard from many about this man, how much evil he has done to your saints in Jerusalem; <sup>14</sup>and here he has authority from the chief priests to bind all who invoke your name." <sup>15</sup>But the Lord said to him, "Go, for he is an instrument whom I have chosen to bring my name before Gentiles and kings and before the people of Israel; <sup>16</sup>I myself will show him how much he must suffer for the sake of my name." <sup>17</sup>So Ananias went and entered the house. He laid his hands on Saul and said, "Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus, who appeared to you on your way here, has sent me so that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit." <sup>18</sup>And immediately something like scales fell from his eyes, and his sight was restored. Then he got up and was baptized, <sup>19</sup>and after taking some food, he regained his strength.

For several days he was with the disciples in Damascus, <sup>20</sup>and immediately he began to proclaim Jesus in the synagogues, saying, "He is the Son of God." <sup>21</sup>All who heard him were amazed and said, "Is not this the man who made havoc in Jerusalem among those who invoked this name? And has he not come here for the purpose of bringing them bound before the chief priests?" <sup>22</sup>Saul became increasingly more powerful and confounded the Jews who lived in Damascus by proving that Jesus was the Messiah.

## PSALMODY

Psalm 67 *spoken responsively by verse*

- <sup>1</sup> May God be merciful to | us and bless us,\*  
    show us the light of his countenance, and | come to us.
- <sup>2</sup> **Let your ways be known | upon earth,\*  
    your saving health a- | mong all nations.**
- <sup>3</sup> Let the peoples praise | you, O God;\*  
    let all the | peoples praise you.
- <sup>4</sup> **Let the nations be glad and | sing for joy,\*  
    for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the nations | upon earth.**
- <sup>5</sup> Let the peoples praise | you, O God;\*  
    let all the | peoples praise you.
- <sup>6</sup> **The earth has brought | forth her increase;\*  
    may God, our own God, give | us his blessing.**
- <sup>7</sup> May God give | us his blessing,\*  
    and may all the ends of the earth stand in | awe of him.

## SECOND READING

Galatians 1:11-24

<sup>11</sup>For I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that the gospel that was proclaimed by me is not of human origin; <sup>12</sup>for I did not receive it from a human source, nor was I taught it, but I received it through a revelation of Jesus Christ.

<sup>13</sup>You have heard, no doubt, of my earlier life in Judaism. I was violently persecuting the church of God and was trying to destroy it. <sup>14</sup>I advanced in Judaism beyond many among my people of the same age, for I was far more zealous for the traditions of my ancestors. <sup>15</sup>But when God, who had set me apart before I was born and called me through his grace, was pleased <sup>16</sup>to reveal his Son to me, so that I might proclaim him among the Gentiles, I did not confer with any human being, <sup>17</sup>nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were already apostles before me, but I went away at once into Arabia, and afterwards I returned to Damascus.

<sup>18</sup>Then after three years I did go up to Jerusalem to visit Cephas and stayed with him fifteen days; <sup>19</sup>but I did not see any other apostle except James the Lord's brother. <sup>20</sup>In what I am writing to you, before God, I do not lie! <sup>21</sup>Then I went into the regions of Syria and Cilicia, <sup>22</sup>and I was still unknown by sight to the churches of Judea that are in Christ; <sup>23</sup>they only heard it said, "The one who formerly was persecuting us is now proclaiming the faith he once tried to destroy." <sup>24</sup>And they glorified God because of me.

*Stand*  
**VERSE**



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.  
*Repeat alleluia*

Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

**HOLY GOSPEL** Luke 21:10-19

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>10</sup>Then he said to them, "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; <sup>11</sup>there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven.

<sup>12</sup>"But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name. <sup>13</sup>This will give you an opportunity to testify. <sup>14</sup>So make up your minds not to prepare your defense in advance; <sup>15</sup>for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. <sup>16</sup>You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. <sup>17</sup>You will be hated by all because of my name. <sup>18</sup>But not a hair of your head will perish. <sup>19</sup>By your endurance you will gain your souls."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Sit*  
**SERMON**

The Reverend Stephen Herr, Bishop

*Stand*  
**NICENE CREED**

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God  
from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.

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**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

**With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

**Amen**

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

*A brief silence.*

Holy and Merciful God, you entrust the message of the cross and the mission of the gospel to the church in every land. Guide the newly baptized and deepen the faith of all who follow you. Merciful God,

**receive our prayer.**

Teach us to live as wise stewards. Guard against greed so that the earth's resources benefit all inhabitants of the earth. Merciful God,

**receive our prayer.**

Free any who are unjustly accused or wrongly condemned. We pray for those in authority to uphold laws and ordinances protecting the safety of all (*local and national officials may be named*). Merciful God,

**receive our prayer.**

Give health and wholeness to all who are sick (especially). We pray for all who are affected by natural disasters (*individuals or situations may be named*). Provide for their needs and relieve their suffering. Merciful God,

**receive our prayer.**

Nurture in us a spirit of patience and respect. Make us love one another as you love us. Merciful God,

**receive our prayer.**

Grant energy and strength to Bishop Herr as he leads the Synod. Give him wisdom and understanding as he serves you and the people of the territory. Merciful God,

**receive our prayer.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

Holy Savior, you free us from the power of death. Lead and guide us until we come at last into the communion of all your saints in light. Merciful God,  
**receive our prayer.**

We commend all for whom we pray to your loving-kindness made known to us through Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Amen.**

**PEACE**

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.**

*The ministers and congregation greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

**Sit**

**OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS**

8:00 AM      Organ      *Lead Kindly Light*      Murray Bradshaw  
10:30 AM      Chancel Choir      *Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies*      Walter L. Pelz

**Stand**

**OFFERTORY**

***Create in Me (ELW 188)***

Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right

spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your

pres-ence, and take not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re -

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store un - to me the joy of your sal - va - tion,  
and up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

## OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray. Blessed are you,

**O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

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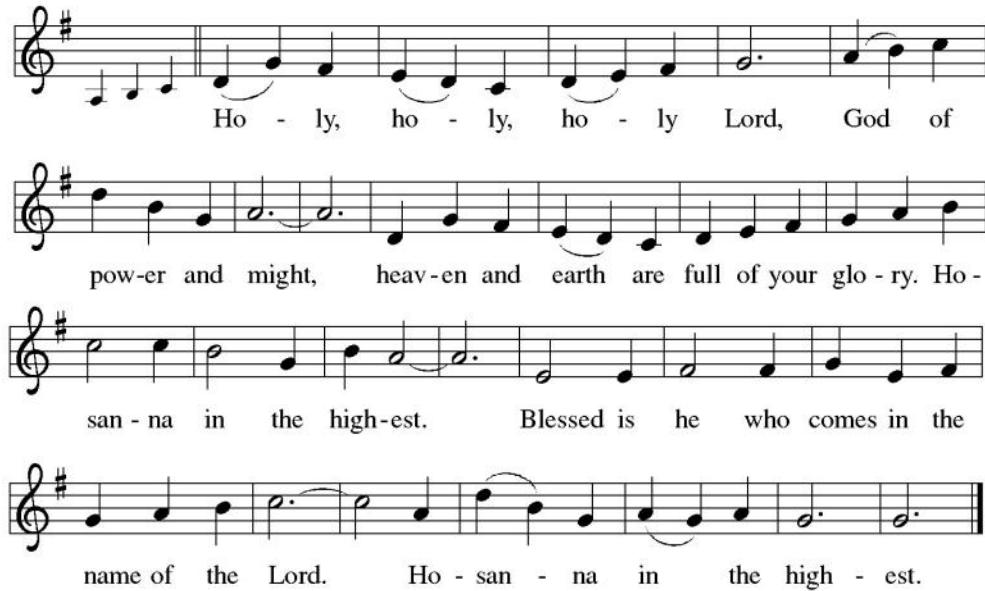
*Sung by Pastor and congregation*

The Lord be with you. And also with you.  
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

## PREFACE *The preface appropriate to the day is sung.*

It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, through the great shepherd of your flock, Christ our Lord; who after his resurrection sent forth his apostles to preach the Gospel and teach all nations, and promised to be with them always, even to the end of the age. And so, with patriarchs and prophets, with the apostle, Paul, and with all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

## SANCTUS



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## THANKSGIVING

You are indeed holy, O God, the fountain of all holiness; you bring light from darkness, life from death, speech from silence. We worship you for our lives and for the world you give us. We thank you for the new world to come and for the love that will rule all in all. We praise you for the grace shown to Israel, your chosen, the people of your promise: the rescue from Egypt, the gift of the promised land, the memory of the fathers, the homecoming from exile, and the prophets' words that will not be in vain. In all this we bless you for your only-begotten Son, who fulfilled and will fulfill all your promises. In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me. For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Therefore, O God, with this bread and cup we remember the incarnation of your Son: his human birth and the covenant he made with us. We remember the sacrifice of his life: his eating with outcasts and sinners, and his acceptance of death. But chiefly [on this day] we remember his rising from the tomb, his ascension to the seat of power, and his sending of the holy and life-giving Spirit. We cry out for the resurrection of our lives, when Christ will come again in beauty and power to share with us the great and promised feast.

**Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, that we and all who share in this bread and cup may be united in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, may enter the fullness of the kingdom of heaven, and may receive our inheritance with all your saints in light.

**Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

Join our prayers with those of your servants of every time and every place, and unite them with the ceaseless petitions of our great high priest until he comes as victorious Lord of all.

**Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. Amen.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,**

**your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

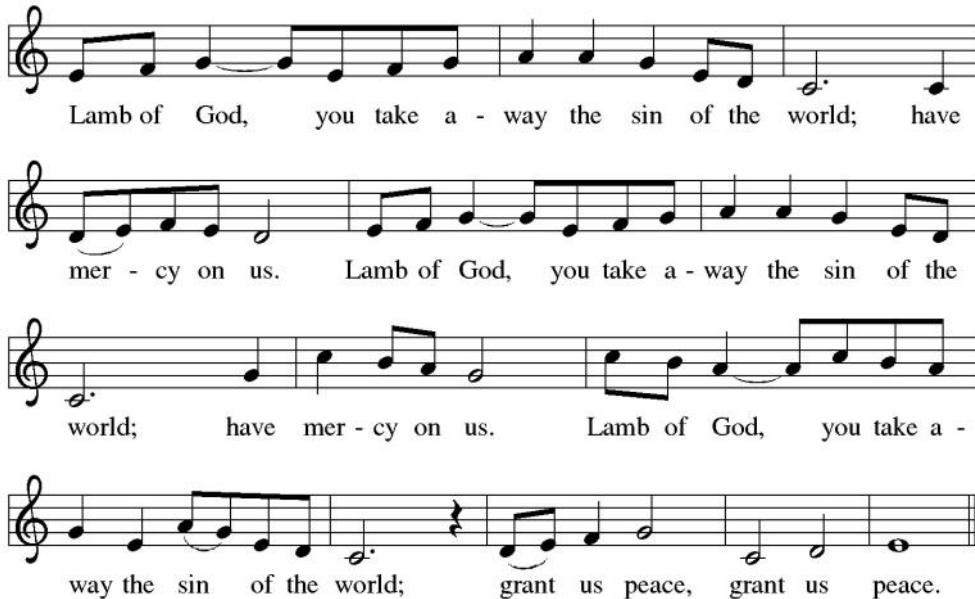
**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

## FRACTION

*A brief silence is kept.*

## AGNUS DEI



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have  
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -  
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

*Sit*

## COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL

Our Communion is “open” to all believers who trust that the Risen Christ is present for his people in the Holy Eucharist.

*Procedure for receiving Communion:*

1. *Come to communion using the center aisle.*
2. *Take a communion glass from the tray of glasses.*
3. *Take your place along the chancel step.*
4. *The ministers will bring the bread and wine to you.*
5. *Place the used cup in an empty tray located on a credence table at the side aisle.*
6. *Return to your pew using the side aisle*

## COMMUNION CANTICLE

*Refrain*

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose  
2 Sing . . with all the peo - ple of God, and

blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.  
join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:

Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and  
Bless-ing and hon - or, glo - ry and might be to

hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.  
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

*Refrain*

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3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -  
gun his reign. Al - - le - lu - - ia.

**10:30 AM    *By All Your Saints*    (ELW 420)**

1 By all your saints still striv - ing, for all your saints at rest,  
2 Praise for the light from heav - en, praise for the voice of awe,  
3 Give praise to God Al - might - y, and wor - ship God the Son,  
  
your ho - ly name, O Je - sus, for - ev - er - more be blessed!  
praise for the glo - rious vi - sion the per - se - cu - tor saw.  
and sing to God the Spir - it, e - ter - nal Three in One,  
  
For you a - rose vic - to - rious that they might wear the crown  
O Lord, for Paul's en - light' - ning we bless your name to - day,  
till all the ran - somed num - ber fall down be - fore the throne,  
  
and share the light of glo - ry re - flect - ed from your throne.  
come, shine with - in our dark - ness, and guide us on our way.  
and hon - or, pow'r, and glo - ry as - ccribe to God a - lone.

**Stand**

**POST-COMMUNION BLESSING**

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen**

## POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray. Almighty God, as we have commemorated St. Paul in this most Holy Sacrament you have brought us near to an innumerable company of angels, apostles, martyrs, and saints. Keep us in fellowship with them until at last we may attain to our eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## BLESSING

Almighty God, Father, Son, Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever. **Amen**

## HYMN

*Let the Whole Creation Cry (ELW 876) next page*

## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

*Sit*

## POSTLUDE

*Fiat Lux*

Theodore Dubois

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*The altar flowers are presented to the Glory of God  
And in honor of Bishop Herr and his family  
by St. Paul's congregation.*

## Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

**Tuesday, 3 February 2026 6:30 PM**

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church, 2935 Kingston Road, York will host this year's prayer service. This is an opportunity for all Christians to gather for prayer; for the Christian witness, for deepening relationships, and drawing closer to Christ. Great effort has been made to include congregations from across the area. Pastor Reep will be taking a leadership role in the prayer service. Members of St. Paul's congregation are encouraged to attend. Because this is a Tuesday evening we will not have a Tuesday Bible study session. St. Joseph's has plenty of parking, is easily accessible. If you are unable to attend in person, set aside time at 6:30 PM 3 February to be in prayer for a stronger more vital Christian witness in our community and throughout the world.

## Let the Whole Creation Cry



1 Let the whole cre - a - tion cry, "Glo - ry to the Lord on high!"  
2 Ser - vants striv - ing for the Lord, proph - ets burn - ing with the word,  
3 Men and wom - en, young and old, raise the an - them loud and bold,



Heav'n and earth, a - wake and sing, "Praise to our al - might - y king!"  
those to whom the arts be - long add their voic - es to the song.  
and let chil - dren's hap - py hearts in this wor - ship take their parts;



Praise God, an - gel hosts a - bove, ev - er bright and fair in love;  
Pow'r's of knowl - edge and of law, to the glo - rious cir - cle draw;  
from the north to south - ern pole let the might - y cho - rus roll:



sun and moon, lift up your voice; night and stars, in God re - joice.  
all who work and all who wait, sing, "The Lord is good and great!"  
"Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly One; glo - ry be to God a - lone!"



## This Week at St. Paul's

Church office open Mon–Thurs 8:00 AM—4:00 PM Fri 8:00 AM—11:30 AM

### Sunday, January 25

#### The Bishop's Visit

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist  
9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages  
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist —Live Stream  
6:00 PM Confirmation Class  
6:30 PM AA Meeting—Community Rm

### Monday, January 26

6:00 PM Christian Ed Mtg—ZOOM  
7:00 PM Mutual Ministry

### Tuesday, January 27

9:30 AM Pantry  
6:00 PM Create—Preschool thru Grade 6  
6:00 PM Bible Study

### Wednesday, January 28

10:00 AM Preschool with Pastor—Nave  
10:30 AM Bible Study—Christ Hall

### Thursday, January 29

10:00 AM Preschool with Pastor—Nave  
6:30 PM Handbell Choir  
7:30 PM Chancel Choir

### Saturday, January 31

8:00 AM Council & Committees Retreat

### Sunday, February 1

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist  
9:15 AM Sunday School for All Ages  
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist —Live Stream  
6:00 PM Confirmation Class  
6:30 PM AA Meeting—Community Rm

### Serving the Lord with Gladness

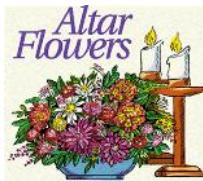
DATE	TIME	Assisting Minister	Crucifer	Lector	Greeters	Ushers -	Altar Guild	Bread Bakers
1/25	8:00 AM	Harold Sargeant	Harrison Palmer	Ann Ulrich	John & Kathy Monk	Team 1E:Jeff Riese, John Monk, Alex Bastian, Claudia Deitrich	Pat Scarborough, Kathleen Lemke	Ann Ulrich
	10:30 AM	Patty Snyder	Jacob Kates	Christine Kates	Sandy Dickensheets, Jim & Nancy Bennett	Team 1L: Dave Kopp, Scott Donaldson, Darren Smith, Kass Keleta	Ann Anstadt, Jill Striebig	Nancy Bennett



**Weekly Bible Study**  
Tuesday Evenings 6:00 PM  
Wednesday Morning 10:30 AM Christ Hall



**Please remember to pick up your offering booklets for 2026.**  
They are in the Good Shepherd Room.



**Altar Flower sponsors are needed for many dates in 2026.**  
Please check the flower chart in the Springettsbury foyer to sign up. Vases are \$40 each. Remember to fill out the form and slip it under the secretary's window.

**Food Pantry Needs:** St. Paul's Food Pantry needs **Whole Grain Cereal donations**. We give out 80 boxes of cereal each week and our sources for cereal currently have very little available.

**Other Pantry Needs:** **Peanut butter, Plastic and paper shopping bags, Monetary donations.** Monetary donations can be placed in a special" envelope. marked "Pantry".

**St Paul's is collecting clothing for Union Lutheran Church's Clothing Ministry** and your help is requested. Union's volunteers are very appreciative of our cooperation and our help. If you have large donations you may take them directly to Union Lutheran Church. Simply call them to arrange a time.

### **A Partnership Between Local Churches & LifePath Thrift Stores**

New Year's resolution to clean out our closets? Please remember to donate your no longer needed items to LifePath Thrift Stores. The stores then return a portion of the value of these items in the form of gift cards to our church to help those directly in our care.



You may get information regarding closures at our website [www.stpaulsyork.org](http://www.stpaulsyork.org) or on our Facebook page St. Paul's Lutheran Church York PA on Springettsbury & George.



### **Valentines Dinner - Friday February 6**

Once again the Witness Committee will be hosting an evening for our young singles and families in recognition of Valentine's Day. The event will be Friday, February 6 from 5:30 – 7:30 PM. Additional information will be in Invitations sent out via texts/emails. Be on the lookout!

The evening consists of a special dinner for the young adults and free child care in the Youth Room for children ages 3-grade 5. Miss Kelly and her helpers will give the children dinner and have activities for them in the Youth Room. Our young adults can enjoy dinner and conversation and time together while the children are having their own Valentine's Party. Great evening for all!