

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church  
310 E. Second Street  
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Holstein, IA 51025

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Worship Schedule

Sunday 9 am

Sunday School 10 am

Coffee and fellowship 10 am

(Facebook or YouTube after 4 pm)



March 19—25 Edition

## St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church

Holstein, Iowa

Phone: (712) 368-2228

### Sunday Worship Service: 9 AM

Coffee and fellowship at 10 AM

Sunday School at 10 AM

Holy Communion 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month  
*or as noted*

The worship service is recorded and posted by  
4 PM Sunday afternoon on our YouTube channel:  
St Paul Lutheran Holstein IA  
(link is also on our church Facebook page)

### Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 1 PM to 5 PM;

Friday 9 AM to 1 PM

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**Organist:** Sharen Borchers

**Handbell Choir Director:** Vickie Heck

**Custodians:** Karen and Doug Wessling

**Wee Wisdom Staff:** Kathy Mohr

Jane Breyfogle

Connie Snyder

## Worship Schedule & Participants

### March 22 ~ Fifth Sunday in Lent

#### Scripture Readings:

**1st Reading:** Ezekiel 37:1-14

**Psalms:** 130

**2nd Reading:** Romans 8:6-11

**Gospel:** John 11:1-45

#### Worship Participants:

**PULPIT SUPPLY:** Rev. Dr. Melanie Hauser

**LECTOR:** Vickie Heck

**DEACONS:** Marvin Todd and Susan Endrulat

**GREETERS:** Cole Norris & Lenita Nannenga

**ACOLYTES:** Brynn Nedved and Mason Christiansen

**SOUND & VIDEO:** Doug Wessling and Kreighton Krager

**COFFEE HOSTS:** Terri & Leo Schimmer

Barb Stratton

*We will be celebrating Holy Communion  
this Sunday, March 22nd, 2025.*



**LENTEN  
EVENING  
PRAYER  
SERVICE**

### March 25 ~ 7:00 PM

#### Worship Participants:

**DEACON:** John Walsh

**ACOLYTES:** Graham Boling and Gabe VanHouten

**SOUND & VIDEO:** Kyle Krager and Tyler Gebers

*Everyone is welcome at the 6:15 p.m. Wednesday evening meal  
before the Lenten Evening Prayer Service at 7:00 p.m.*

**PRAYER & PRAISE LIST**

*Barb Gebers  
 Krystal Peterson  
 Cameron Sharkey  
 Layla Peterson  
 Jane Breyfogle*



**LOGOS Leaders & Helpers for  
 March 25th, 2026**

*“God’s Mission”*

- Set up:** Barb Stratton and Susan Endrulat
- Home Bake:** Sue Fitch, Kim Stevenson, Shanade Stevenson, Bonnie Barkema, Liz Kistenmacher
- Cook Team:** Joy Wulf, Sherry Gebers, Connie Butcher, Kristi Waller, Sheila Soellner
- Clean Up Crew:** Liz & Dave Kistenmacher, Cindy Barry, Adam/Tammy Schumacher, Kelby Wulf, Mark Vincent, Darci/Brock Boling
- Fishes & Loaves:** Liz Kistenmacher
- Washing:** Kristi Waller - Towels only  
 Sharen Borchers - Table cloths only

**St. Paul Sunday School students will continue to collect a noisy offering during the season of Lent! We invite your participation by bringing coins (and dollars) to worship. All noisy offering funds collected during the Lent season will be used by our Sunday School youth to purchase food & personal care items for the Ida County Community Basket.**



**Community Basket  
 Mobile Food Distribution**



Free food will be brought to **Battle Creek** for residents of Arthur, Battle Creek, Galva, Holstein, Ida Grove, Kiron and Odebolt. Food distribution will be held at

**Battle Creek Fire Station**

**504 1<sup>st</sup> Street**

**March 19**

**Doors are open 4:30 to 5:30**



**Brought to you by:  
 Community Members and Leaders  
 Holstein Representative  
 Bonnie Barkema  
 368-4778**

This is the person to contact if you need food but cannot make it to the distribution. The representatives will pick up and deliver your groceries for you.

**All delivery orders must be placed by**

**March 12**



This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



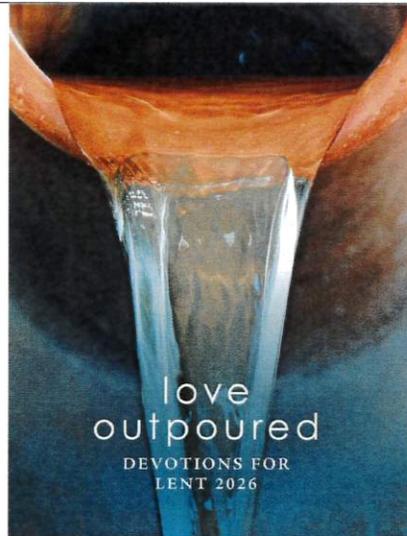
3/19 Alex Johnson                      3/25 Kris Kistenmacher  
 3/23 Angela Breyfogle                3/25 Hudson Ludvigson



3/19 Jim Meier                              3/22 Danelle Johannsen  
 3/20 Karen Wessling                    3/24 Brantley Fox  
 3/21 Susan Endrulat                    3/25 Melissa Ebert  
 3/21 Kolby Stevenson                  3/25 Owen Drury  
 3/21 Joseph Williams

“Love Outpoured,” a daily Lenten devotional, is available at the church to supplement your Lenten walk. These small books are in located in a basket in the hallway by the church office or at the rear entrance of the church.

We also have “Lord I’m Listening” children’s / family Lenten devotional activities!



**Worship Service Attendance**  
**Worship for March 15th, 2026 was cancelled due to impending weather**

**Business Manager’s Report for the week of March 15th, 2026**

<b>BENEVOLENCE</b>	<b>LOCAL</b>	
	Ingham / OLBC	\$5.00
	<b>GLOBAL</b>	
	ELCA Hunger Appeal	\$220.00
	ELCA / Global Missions	\$200.00
<b>CURRENT</b>		
	General Fund	\$3,231.45
	Loose Plate	\$12.00
	Misc Current	\$25.00
	Sunday School	\$5.00
	Building	\$55.00
	Lent	\$135.00
	LOGOS Donations	\$50.00
	Wee Wisdom Fees	\$210.00
	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,148.45</b>

**Electronic giving for the week was \$2,926.50**

**March Community Basket needs:**

Beverage Items: coffee, teas, juices, hot chocolate, bottled water, etc.  
 Please bring to the bin in the church office.  
Cash donations are always welcome!



## *St. Paul Church Calendar*

### THURSDAY, March 19

- 2:00 PM Women's Bible Study in the forum room  
7:00 PM Congregation Council meeting

### SATURDAY, March 21

- 8:00 AM Piano Festival

### SUNDAY, March 22 ~ Fifth Sunday in Lent

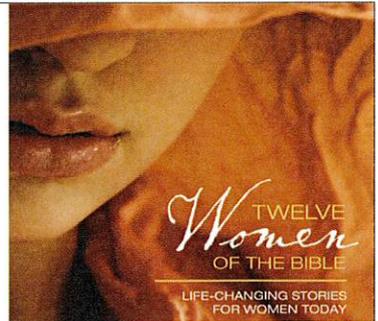
- 9:00 AM Worship / Holy Communion  
10:00 AM Sunday School  
10:00 AM Coffee & Fellowship

### WEDNESDAY, March 25

- 5:00 PM LOGOS ~ "God's Mission"  
6:15 PM Lenten Supper ~ All are welcome!  
7:00 PM Lenten Evening Prayer Service

*For the complete church calendar, visit our church web site:  
[www.holsteinstpaullutheran.com](http://www.holsteinstpaullutheran.com)*

*The next Women's Bible Study session will take place on Thursday, March 19th, 2026 at 2:00 PM in the forum room downstairs. Join us for a time of study and fellowship!*



### Media Modernization Team

The Church Congregation Council has started discussing the possibility of an upgrade to our video system and components in the sanctuary! We are looking to form a small group of people to research and implement these updates. If you have experience with technology or are willing to help us research new equipment and contact specialists, we would love to have your help. Please contact the church if you are interested!

