

St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church

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February 8, 2018

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Rev. Philip E. Zielinski, Pastor

Organist: Ray Miller

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**PRAYER FOR THE DAY** O Lord, my creator, redeemer, and comforter, as I come to worship You in spirit and in truth, I humbly pray that You would open my heart to the preaching of Your Word so that I may repent of my sins, believe in Jesus Christ as my only Savior, and grow in grace and holiness. Hear me for the sake of His name. Amen.

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IN THE NAME OF JESUS

The Prelude

Opening Hymn [Please Stand] 790

Order of Worship Matins Service on page 219

Opening Versicles

Common Antiphon

Venite

Common Antiphon

Scripture Lessons as Printed on the Bulletin

Sermon Hymn 398

Responsory (Common)

Sermon

Canticle – **TE DEUM** 223

Offering

Kyrie

Prayers: **P** let us pray to the Lord:

G Lord, have mercy.

Benediction

Closing Hymn. 825

Silent Prayer

Postlude

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**WELCOME** to our Worship Service this morning in the name of Jesus, our Savior. May the Lord who has filled your life with all good things grant fulfillment and blessings to this new week ahead. Go with God and embrace one another as Christ has done for you.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL

|           |         |                         |
|-----------|---------|-------------------------|
| Today     | 12:00pm | Youth Group-Cookie Bake |
| Monday    | 6:00pm  | Confirmation            |
| Monday    | 7:30pm  | Handbell Choir          |
| Tuesday   | 7pm     | Elder Meeting           |
| Wednesday | 11:30am | Bible Study             |
| Thursday  | 7pm     | Choir Rehearsal         |

**YOUTH GROUP** – will meet today at noon to bake valentine cookies and deliver to the shut-ins. If you have any question, please see Molly Ross.

**YOUTH NEWS!** Nicole Gatt and Morgan Hama are on the Buckeye Girls' Basketball Teams this winter. Recently, each girl helped their teams score victories! Congratulations! Be sure to check out the bulletin board in the narthex.

**EASTER DECORATING COMMITTEE** – We are looking for volunteers to organize and decorate our church for Easter Sunday. There is a sign-up sheet at the welcome center.

**THANK YOU** to all the members who helped make the German Dinner a success. Another delicious meal at St. Paul. Also, Thank you to all those who baked for the LWML bake sale.

**WEDNESDAY LENTEN SERVICES** – Beginning on Wednesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, Our Mid-Day Lenten Service will begin at 11:30am followed by a light lunch and Bible Study at 12:00. Join us at 6:00pm for a Soup Supper followed by the evening Lenten service at 7:00 pm. Sign-up sheets are at the Welcome center for the Soup Suppers, look to see what afternoon or evening works best for you.

**LWML QUARTERLY** - It is renewal time for the LWML Quarterly. The cost is \$6.50 per year for the 4 issues. Older issues of the Quarterly are available on-line for free. Also the ODE may be purchased for \$2.50 a year. The ODE is also available online free. If you would like to renew your subscription, or place a new one, contact Diane Johnson by Feb. 25.