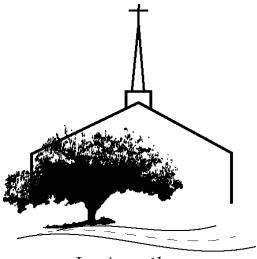


St. Paul Lutheran Church



*Loving others
into the Love of Christ*

Sunday Worship
8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School & Bible Class
9:15 a.m.

**Our Church Infant/Toddler
Nursery is available during
the 9:15 a.m. Sunday School
hour, and during our
10:30 a.m. Worship.**

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HAPPY Mother's DAY

All your children
will be taught
by the LORD, and
great will be
their peace.

ISAIAH 54:13, NIV





St. Paul Lutheran Church

The Church on the Highway

Loving others into the Love of Christ

4th Sunday of Easter/Mother's Day † May 11, 2025

"Be thoughtful - be silent - be reverent; for this is the house of the Lord. Before the service, speak to the Lord; During the service, let the Lord speak to you; After the service, speak to one another."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME! We worship in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. May God bless you as we gather before the throne of heaven. Please take a moment to complete a **"Registration Card"** (located in the hymnal rack). We utilize these cards to have a proper soul-accounting for worship, to keep our member records up-to-date, to collect prayer requests and/or updates, and as a means of communication of other needs through the office and pastoral staff. Please place your completed card in the card collection slot at the end of each pew (center aisle side), hand to an usher or place in the offering plate.

A MOTHER'S DAY HYMN:

Sing praise to our Creator God!
Earth prospers from the way
God "mothers" each new child into
This world day after day.

God fabricates in motherhood
A channel from above
That longs to share with every child
God's comfort, grace and love!

Sing praise to our Creator God,
Who "mothers" us from birth!
Providing what we truly need
Throughout our lives on earth.
—Peggy Ferrell

CHILDCARE AVAILABLE: We offer childcare for infant and nursery age children **during our 9:15 a.m. Sunday School/Bible Class hour and our 10:30 a.m. Sunday morning worship service.** We also offer a weekly **children's bulletin**, quarterly devotion books and activity bags for children during our worship located as you enter the Narthex (please return all items to the activity bag after worship and return to the hooks on your way out of worship).

REMEMBER OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN PRAYER:

The weekly prayer list is shared via email every Monday and Friday. If you are not receiving emails through Constant Contact, please contact the church via email: wecare@splcwaco.com.

FLOWERS were placed on the altar this morning to the glory of God by Kenneth & Cindy Cohrt in thankfulness to the Lord for the many blessings He has bestowed on their lives, for we are truly blessed and thankful; and in loving memory of Jack & Namu Cohrt, and Justin Hammons.

AS WE GATHER

Merciful Father, through Holy Baptism You called us to be Your own possession. Grant that our lives may evidence the working of Your Holy Spirit in love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control, according to the image of Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

ORDER OF DIVINE WORSHIP

(Please silence your cell phones and mobile devices during our worship time.)

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC AND WELCOME

OPENING HYMN, 605: "Father Welcomes"

Refrain: Father welcomes all His children
To His fam'ly through His Son.
Father giving His salvation,
Life forever has been won.

1 Little children, come to Me,
For My kingdom is of these.
Life and love I have to give,
Mercy for your sin.
Refrain

2 In the water, in the Word,
In His promise, be assured:
Those who are baptized and believe
Shall be born again.
Refrain

3 Let us daily die to sin;
Let us daily rise with Him,
Walk in the love of Christ our Lord,
Live in the peace of God.
Refrain

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INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Response: Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: All we like sheep have gone astray;

Response: we have turned every one to his own way;

Pastor: and the LORD has laid on Jesus the iniquity of us all. He Himself bore our sins in His body on the cross

Response: that we might die to sin and live to righteousness.

Silence for reflection and examination.

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

Response: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Response: Amen.

Pastor: He who began this good work within you will bring it to completion on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Response: Amen.

KYRIE

Pastor: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

Response: Lord, have mercy.

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

Response: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: 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.

Response: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

Response: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

Response: Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE, 740: "I Am Jesus' Little Lamb"

- 1 I am Jesus' little lamb,
Ever glad at heart I am;
For my Shepherd gently guides me,
Knows my need and well provides me,
Loves me ev'ry day the same,
Even calls me by my name.

- 2 Day by day, at home, away,
Jesus is my staff and stay.
When I hunger, Jesus feeds me,
Into pleasant pastures leads me;
When I thirst, He bids me go
Where the quiet waters flow.

- 3 Who so happy as I am,
Even now the Shepherd's lamb?
And when my short life is ended,
By His angel host attended,
He shall fold me to His breast,
There within His arms to rest.

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SALUTATION AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Response: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty God, merciful Father, since You have wakened from death the Shepherd of Your sheep, grant us Your Holy Spirit that when we hear the voice of our Shepherd we may know Him who calls us each by name and follow where He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Response: Amen.

FIRST READING: Acts 20:17–35

¹⁷Now from Miletus [Paul] sent to Ephesus and called the elders of the church to come to him.
¹⁸And when they came to him, he said to them:
"You yourselves know how I lived among you the whole time from the first day that I set foot in Asia, ¹⁹servicing the Lord with all humility and with tears and with trials that happened to me through the plots of the Jews; ²⁰how I did not shrink from declaring to you anything that was profitable, and teaching you in public and from house to house, ²¹testifying both to Jews and to Greeks of repentance toward God and of faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. ²²And now, behold, I am going to Jerusalem, constrained by the Spirit, not knowing what will happen to me there, ²³except that the Holy Spirit testifies to me in every city that imprisonment and afflictions await me. ²⁴But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course and the ministry that I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God. ²⁵And now, behold, I know that none of you among whom I have gone about proclaiming the kingdom will see my face again. ²⁶Therefore I testify to you this day that I am innocent of the blood of all of you, ²⁷for I did not shrink from declaring to you the whole counsel of God. ²⁸Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood. ²⁹I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock; ³⁰and from among your own selves will arise men speaking twisted things, to draw away the disciples after them. ³¹Therefore be alert, remembering that for three years I did not cease night or day to admonish everyone with tears. ³²And now I commend you to God and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among all those who are sanctified. ³³I coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel. ³⁴You yourselves know that these hands ministered to my necessities and to those who were with me. ³⁵In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE: Revelation 7:9–17

⁹After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" ¹¹And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."
¹³Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" ¹⁴I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb."
¹⁵"Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.
¹⁶They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat.
¹⁷For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL: John 10:22–30

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the tenth chapter.

Response: Glory to You, O Lord.

²²At that time the Feast of Dedication took place at Jerusalem. It was winter, ²³and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the colonnade of Solomon. ²⁴So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Christ, tell us plainly." ²⁵Jesus answered them, "I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name bear witness about me, ²⁶but you do not believe because you are not part of my flock. ²⁷My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. ²⁸I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand. ³⁰I and the Father are one."

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Response: Praise to You, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Blessing of the Pocket Prayer Quilts

HYMN OF THE DAY, 709: "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

- 1 The King of love my shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His
And He is mine forever.
- 2 Where streams of living water flow,
My ransomed soul He leadeth
And, where the verdant pastures grow,
With food celestial feedeth.
- 3 Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
But yet in love He sought me
And on His shoulder gently laid
And home rejoicing brought me.
- 4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill
With Thee, dear Lord, beside me,
Thy rod and staff my comfort still,
Thy cross before to guide me.
- 5 Thou spreadst a table in my sight;
Thine unction grace bestoweth;
And, oh, what transport of delight
From Thy pure chalice floweth!
- 6 And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
Within Thy house forever!

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SERMON: "Belonging In The Flock" - John 10:27

CONFESSION OF FAITH: Apostles' Creed

ALL: I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

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

Father, You have shown Your goodness and mercy in providing for us Your own Son to be our Good Shepherd and to lay down His life for His sheep. Grant us Your grace that we may hear the voice of our Good Shepherd, follow where He leads, and live in peace and quietness all our days. Lord, in Your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Father, Your Son has raised up under-shepherds through whom He provides His care and protection, guarding us by His Word and nurturing our faith by His Sacraments. Make us attentive to their voice that we may be kept from danger and secured in the truth so that nothing can snatch us from Your hand. Lord, in Your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Father, we have seen Your goodness in the still quiet waters and rich green pastures You daily and richly provide. Give us wise and grateful hearts that we may receive Your grace with thanksgiving and treasure them in our hearts. Lord, in Your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Father, Your watchful care is supplied for us in the governments and leaders of our land. Give to us wise and faithful leaders who will govern us according to Your Word and will work for peace and justice for all. Lord, in Your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Father, shepherd the sick and suffering to healing and relief that they may know Your presence in trouble and Your peace in trial. Hear us especially for... all who stand in need of Your grace, and keep them to everlasting life. Lord, in Your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Father, deliver us from distraction and complacency, lest we wander from the arms of Your mercy and lose the blessing of Your shepherding care. Bring us at last with all Your sheep that we may be one flock under the one Good Shepherd, united in doctrine and in faith in Christ. Lord, in Your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Father, you provided a mother for your only Son, having conceived Him by the Holy Spirit in the virgin Mary. Just as you called Mary, "Highly favored," so also enable us to honor and cherish our mothers this day as we celebrate the blessings they provide through your grace. Lord, in Your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Into Your hands, O loving and gentle Shepherd, we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Response: Amen.

OFFERING

LORD'S PRAYER

ALL: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

Response: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN, 711: "Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us"

- 1 Savior, like a shepherd lead us;
Much we need Your tender care.
In Your pleasant pastures feed us,
For our use Your fold prepare.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
You have bought us; we are Yours.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
You have bought us; we are Yours.

- 2 We are Yours; in love befriend us,
Be the guardian of our way;
Keep Your flock, from sin defend us,
Seek us when we go astray.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
Hear us children when we pray.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
Hear us children when we pray.

- 3 You have promised to receive us,
Poor and sinful though we be;
You have mercy to relieve us,
Grace to cleanse, and pow'r to free.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
Early let us turn to You.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
Early let us turn to You.

- 4 Early let us seek Your favor,
Early let us do Your will;
Blessèd Lord and only Savior,
With Your love our spirits fill.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
You have loved us, love us still.
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,
You have loved us, love us still.

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POSTLUDE

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NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 4-11, 2025

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY: This morning the Ol' Sew 'n' Sow Quilters, along with the LWML, will share handmade pocket prayer quilts for all of our Mothers. We are especially grateful to Janet Hurta for printing the backs for each prayer quilt, and to Cindy Lehrman for managing the project. We pray that all of the mothers find this gift a blessing in their day-to-day activities.

ATTENTION ALL 2025 ST. PAUL GRADUATES! We want to celebrate YOU, and give you a chance to brag about all of your accomplishments during your education! Please submit your graduate information by May 19, (please include: school of graduation, degree received, list of clubs, groups, sports participated, and any special awards, scholarships, or accolades received...and keep information as short/condensed as possible). This information will be published in the JUNE 2025 Newsletter. If you have any questions please contact the church office at wecare@splcwaco.com.

NEW BIBLE STUDY COMING SOON: Following the retirement of Deaconess Krahn, the Wednesday morning Ladies Bible Study group will be changing. We will be looking at new opportunities for weekly Bible study for **ALL MEMBERS**. Please watch upcoming bulletins and newsletters for information, or see Pastor Hesse with questions.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, JUNE 8-11:

- ☀️ **ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR VBS IS OPEN!** Please visit the [church website](#) or click/scan the QR code to the right to register your child(ren) age 3 (*must be potty-trained*) through those who have completed 5th Grade to attend Vacation Bible School.
- ☀️ **VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP SHEETS** are available in the church foyer. Please stop by and sign-up to help us with this HUGE community outreach event!
- ☀️ **NIGHTLY MEALS:** This year we are sharing the opportunity with other members outside of the Fellowship Committee to prepare and serve our family meal each evening. If your family or group would like to provide a meal, please select a date and sign-up today. If you have any questions about this, please see DCE Josh or Angel Breton.



SECOND SUNDAY SNACKS/FELLOWSHIP: We will not have 2nd Sunday Snacks & Fellowship in the month of May. Instead, we hope that you will take that opportunity to thank and bless your mothers.

SEMI-ANNUAL CONGREGATION MEETING: Mark your calendars and make plans to join us for the Semi-Annual Congregation Meeting, on Sunday, June 1. More details will be shared in upcoming worship bulletins and in the June newsletter.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We are looking for volunteers to help with serving lemonade following 10:30 a.m. Worship Services from late Spring until early Fall when the temperatures change. If you would be interested in helping with this ministry, please contact the church office.

MAY YOUTH EVENTS:

- ⇒ **"Sinking the Shot," Sunday, May 25:** Students grades 5-12 are invited to join us for lunch at Raising Cane's by Baylor (located at: 801 J H Kultgen Expy.), students/families will be responsible to pay for their meal. From 2pm-4pm, we will meet at Putters (located at: 320 South 2nd Street) for a fun time playing putt-putt golf. Students are encouraged to bring a bag of quarters as there are also arcade games to play as well. (The putt-putt expenses will be covered.) **Students must register with Josh to attend this event. The registration deadline is: Sunday, May 18.**
- ⇒ **"Created For a Purpose," June 23-26, Houston Trip:** Incoming 6th graders through graduating Seniors. **REGISTER by MAY 18, by scanning the QR code or on the church website: www.splcwaco.com/youth.**



If you have any questions about upcoming Youth Events or Activities, please see DCE Josh.

THANK YOU:

- Billy & Pam Schulze thank everyone for their calls, cards, prayers and visits following his recent surgery and through his recovery. We are truly blessed to call St. Paul our church family!

Classes for All Ages

Please join us for Sunday School and Bible Classes at 9:15 a.m.

Adult Bible Study (Albers Family Life Center)

Join us as we continue our study, *Expanding Your Easter*, where we will take a closer look at the lectionary readings appointed for the Easter Season.

ASK PASTOR HESSE: Outside Pastor Hesse's office you will find a box to place any questions that you would like Pastor Hesse to answer during the Adult Bible Study class on Sunday mornings.

Men's Bible Class (classroom behind the Parish Hall)

This class is utilizing the study, *A Longer Look at the Lessons*. With this study, participants will delve deeper into each week's three Scripture readings based on the lectionary in Lutheran Service Book.

Ladies Bible Class (Conference Room)

This class is going through the study, *Significant - A Study of Women in Jesus' Genealogy: Six Ordinary Women, One Extraordinary God*, by Rachel Risner. How can we walk by faith in the face of uncertainty? Six women from the Bible faced their own uncertain times, and yet God used them to build His family. Learn from their stories alongside Rachel Risner as she teaches from the Bible how to be a woman of significance.

Simply Loved, Nursery - Fifth Grade Students (classroom)

Let's get back to the heart of what matters most! Simply help your kids love Jesus and each other. Every activity, song, and visual in *Simply Loved* is designed to help kids remember each lesson long after their children's ministry years. *Simply Loved* curriculum was created with the truth found in 1 John 4:7 in mind which says, 'Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God.'

Resilient Minds, Sixth - Eighth Grade Students (classroom)

This class is utilizing the study, *Resilient Minds*. This is a Christ-centered study covering topics such as anxiety, emotions, Christian identity, and resiliency.

High School and College Students (Youth Room)

All high school and college students are invited to join in the Youth Room every Sunday for Bible Class! This will be a great time of study, building relationships, fellowship and fun! *Breakfast is usually served.*

Other Bible Study Opportunities:

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College Student Evening Bible Study/Fellowship (LDLT - Lutherans Doing Life Together)

The LDLT group will resume their Monday night fellowship and Bible study in the Fall. If you have any questions, please contact Karen Shelton or Pastor Hesse.

Youth Confirmation/Catechesis Training and Music (grades 5-8)

Classes for grades 5-8 will resume meeting in the Fall, watch for more details.

There's a place for EVERYONE to be immersed in God's Word and fellowship with other Christians!

MEETING AND ACTIVITY NOTICES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 11-18, 2025

SUNDAY, MAY 11 ~ Mother's Day

Scripture Reading for today: Luke 18-21

- 8:00 a.m.: Worship in the Sanctuary
- 9:15 a.m.: Adult Bible Class (Albers Family Life Center)
- 9:15 a.m.: Ladies Bible Class (Conference Room)
- 9:15 a.m.: Men's Bible Class (classroom behind the Parish Hall)
- 9:15 a.m.: Simply Loved Sunday School (grades Nursery through 4th Grade, Music Room/classroom)
- 9:15 a.m.: Resilient Minds Sunday School (grades 6-8, Music Room/classroom)
- 10:30 a.m.: Worship in the Sanctuary

MONDAY, MAY 12

Scripture Reading for today: 1 Samuel 21-24

- 10:00 a.m.: Quilting Group (Parish Hall)
- 6:00 p.m.: Men's Club Meeting (Los Cucos, 2805 W Loop 340, Waco)
- 6:00 p.m.: Tri-Cities Ministries Resume Writing Class (Conference Room)
- 7:00 p.m.: AA/Al-Anon Meetings (Parish Hall/Classrooms)

TUESDAY, MAY 13

Scripture Reading for today: 1 Samuel 25-28

- 10:00 a.m.: Tri-Cities Ministries (Parish Hall/Classrooms)
- 12:00 p.m.: Shepherd's Heart Food Pantry (parking lot/building)
- 7:00 p.m.: AA Meeting (Parish Hall/Classrooms)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

Scripture Reading for today: 1 Samuel 29-31

- 11:00 a.m.: Senior Adults Worship and Fellowship Lunch
- 12:00 p.m.: Shepherd's Heart Food Pantry (parking lot/building)
- 12:45 p.m.: LWML Meeting

THURSDAY, MAY 15

Scripture Reading for today: 2 Samuel 1-4

- 7:00 a.m.: Lawn/Building Maintenance
- 12:00 p.m.: Shepherd's Heart Food Pantry (parking lot/building)
- 6:00 p.m.: Tri-Cities Ministries Board Meeting (Conference Room)
- 7:00 p.m.: AA/Al-Anon Meetings (Parish Hall/Classrooms)

FRIDAY, MAY 16

Scripture Reading for today: 2 Samuel 5-8

- 7:00 p.m.: AA Meeting (Parish Hall/Classrooms)

SATURDAY, MAY 17

Scripture Reading for today: Psalms 46-48

- 7:00 p.m.: AA Meeting (Parish Hall/Classrooms)

SUNDAY, MAY 18

Scripture Reading for today: Luke 22-24

Guest Preacher, Rev. Ben Gonzalez

Deadline to Register for Youth "Sinking the Shot" Event

Deadline to Register for Youth Summer Trip to Houston, "Created for a Purpose"

- 8:00 a.m.: Worship with Holy Communion in the Sanctuary, with Guest Preacher, Rev. Ben Gonzalez
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ATTENDANCE TOTALS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2025

8:00 a.m. Sunday Worship.....	106
Sunday School/Adult Bible Class.....	25/110
10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship	240
Live Stream Sunday Worship.....	57