



St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod
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March 1, 2026 Second Sunday in Lent

He himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By His wounds you have been healed. 1 Peter 2:24

Sunday, February 22nd: Church Attendance: 34

Contributions: General Fund 2/22: \$ 729.29

Total: \$ 729.29

For all spiritual needs please call an elder.

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Happening this Week...

Sunday, March 1st, Worship Service

Bible Class, 10:15 a.m.

Wednesday, March 4th, Lenten Midweek Service 3 at Messiah

4 p.m. 1st Service, 5-6 p.m. meal, 6:30 p.m. 2nd service

No Birthdays or Wedding Anniversaries If anyone has been missed let the office know.

In our prayers: Ben James (Dad of Crystal McDaniel); Linda King.

Missionary: Rev. Eric Stinnett and family--missionary work in Ethiopia

Those in Uniform: Sgt. 1st Class Bradley Herrin, Staff Sgt. John Bodenhamer, Major Austin Gouldsmith, Grady Whiteman, Major Andrew Rossow

Those who have cancer. **Our Shut-ins:** Linda Loges; Norman Morton, Lillian & Larry Weinreich

Please call the church office with prayer requests at 816-373-5290. Please leave a message if the phone is not answered.

¹I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come? ²My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth. ³He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber. ⁴Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep. ⁵The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand. ⁶The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night. ⁷The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. ⁸The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore. Psalm 121



The **Lutheran Urban Mission Agency Auxiliary** will meet on Wednesday, March 18 at Messiah Lutheran Church, 613 S. Main St, Independence, MO. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. with the opening service at 9:30 a.m. The program will be a speaker from Mother's Refuge in Independence. The Mission of the Month collection is non-perishable food pantry items and monetary donations. Lunch will be served. Please RSVP by March 15 to Jane Clark, 816-616-3383, jclark2100@att.net. All ladies of the congregation are invited to attend and all donations for the Mission of the Month collection are appreciated. Thank you! "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Matthew 25:35.

SOS Sausage Dinner – Sunday, March 15th

Join us for the annual SOS Sausage Dinner on Sunday, March 15th, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Saint Paul Lutheran High School, 205 S. Main St., Concordia, MO.

Enjoy a delicious meal featuring sausage, sauerkraut, potatoes & gravy, green beans, applesauce, and cheesecake. Dine-in (inside Krueger Dining Hall) and drive-thru options will be available, with drive-thru pickup in front of Krueger Dining Hall.

This event is offered for a free-will offering. Proceeds support Servants of the Saints (SOS) and help provide funding for projects at Saint Paul Lutheran High School to promote and assist its ministry.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Seek the Lord and his strength;
seek his presence continually!
I will praise you with an
upright heart as I learn
your righteous laws.
Psalm 105:4