

# ST. PAUL'S MEMORIAL CHURCH

Pastor Greg Jagers  
Pastor Emeritus Rev. Thomas M. Thews  
Worship Leader: Eme Miller  
Acolyte: Carol Mills—Ushers: Mike & Liz Nowaczewski  
March 19, 2023 – 11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE (Please silence your phone)

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES Acolyte

GREETING Pastor Greg Jagers

OPENING PRAYER Pastor Greg Jagers

(Please stand)

OPENING HYMN “Spirit of the Living God” UMH #393

(Please be seated)

ANNOUNCEMENTS Worship Leader

PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISES Worship Leader

ST. PAUL'S HANDBELL CHOIR Mary Wishmeier, Leader

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Greg Jagers

LORD'S PRAYER Pastor Greg Jagers

Matthew 6:9-15 The Lord's Prayer  
Pew Bible #964

(Please stand)

HYMN “Let There Be Peace on Earth” UMH #431

(Please be seated)

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS Worship Leader

(Please stand)

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him all of ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

TODAY'S READING Matthew 18:21-35 Mary Ann Guy

(Please continue to stand for the reading of God's Holy Word)

(Children may be excused for Sunday School)

MESSAGE

“Costly Forgiveness” Pastor Greg Jagers  
Week 5: “Praying the Lord's Prayer”  
Matthew 18:21-35

(Please stand)

CLOSING HYMN “Jesus Is All the World to Me” UMH #469

CLOSING PRAYER/BENEDICTION Pastor Greg Jagers

POSTLUDE

PRAYERS / PRAISES

- Prayers: Marlene Reinking's nephews, Dave Molnar having heart surgery and Craig Barber with a ruptured appendix. Miracle, the blind little girl Samona Hellman had previously asked for prayers for; she is blind in her right eye and doctors are trying to save her right eye. Jan Huston's former son-in-law, Greg, who's having knee replacement surgery. Pastor Greg's son, Alex, and his family. Ellyn Schroeder's nephew struggling with depression. Wesley Shelby's family over the loss of Rodney Chatman.
- Praises: Linda Thews again thanked all the people who have supported them with calls, prayers and food; she has left returned containers in the Great Hall for people who donated food to pick up their containers. Jimmy Shumaker announced that March 22 is his birthday
- As always, to add someone to the prayer chain, call or text Connie Roseboom, 574-303-9684.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Monday: Sew 'n Sew Quilters at 9:30 am (bring your own lunch).
- Tuesday: Yoga and Balance starting at 9:15 am.
- Thursday: Food Pantry starting at 10:00 am.
- Saturday: Bell Choir at 10:00 am

CONNECTING

PLEASE wear your name tags, and if you don't have one, fill one out and wear it. If you spot a new face, say hello!

SIGN-UPS

There are new sign up sheets on the Name Badge table. Please remember to sign up to bring refreshments for the social hour after church on Sundays. (It is a lot of refreshments for one person so we are asking that two people sign up for each Sunday.)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & HAPPENINGS

- The Ladies Luncheon will be at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 22, at Outback on Grape Road, Mishawaka. RSVP to Marlene Baker, 574-298-8839, or Cheryl Nickerson, 574-335-9188.
- It has long been a St. Paul's Easter tradition, we decorate the front of the sanctuary with Easter lilies, donated by members of the congregation in memory of or honor of loved ones. The lilies this year are \$10. Anyone wanting to donate a lily may fill out the form in the bulletin and give to Fran Napieralski. Checks should be made out to St. Paul's Memorial Church.
- Maundy Thursday: April 6th, 2023 at 6:00 pm. If you would like to attend, please see Dave Abbott or Marlene Baker to add your name to the list.

*Then came Peter to him, and said, Lord, how oft shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? till seven times?.. Jesus saith unto him, I say not unto thee, Until seven times: but, Until seventy times seven*



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*Matthew 18:21,22*