

## Intercessions

### Birthday

Paula Fall 01/04, Holly McCalla 01/05, Brittney Johnson 01/05,  
Dennis Blubaugh 01/06, Erick McCalla 01/10, Christine Castellano 01/10

### Continued Prayers

John Adam Tallman, Rachel Small, Nancy Whitaker, Matthew B,  
Nancy Warmath, Kathy Greene, Marilyn Dean, Genevieve Herron,  
Maria Vozniuk and family, Christine Hammer, Eric, Annette Streyer,  
Barry Bashore, Milli Mills, Adriana McNally, Judy Lippert,  
Dan Graham, Gary Shine, Margaret Doresco

### Military

SSgt Sean Stuart, SSgt Gage Graham, MSgt Kenney Dupre,  
SMSgt James Ashton, ENS Jason Warren, Eden McGrain,  
Rebekah Vasquez, Danny Hazard, Anneka Wesche

### Service Leaders

**Presider:** Canon Jessie Gutgsell Dodson

**Director of Christian Education:** Dr. Jennifer Vasquez, ELCA Deacon

**Director of Music:** Brad Cresswell

**Organist:** Jane Weber

**Guest Musician:** Angie Tavormina

**Livestream Engineer:** ?

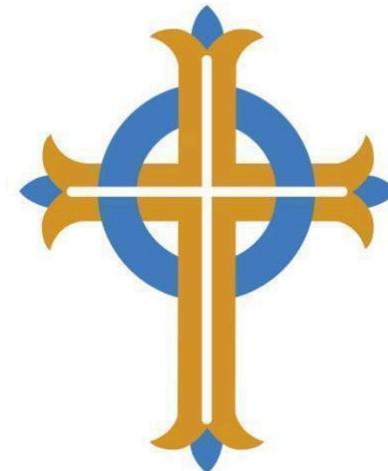
**Lectors:** Ken Robinson 8 AM, Anne Galindo 10 AM

**Chalice Bearers:** Ken Robinson 8 AM, Todd Deye 10 AM

**Ushers:** 8 AM, Terry Fraker 10 AM

**Altar Guild:** Dru Hazard, Deb Graham, Dee Pauken, Terry Pratt

**Coffee hour:** The Deye's family and Macie



Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Second Sunday after Christmas  
January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
8 AM & 10 AM

## Order of Service for January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Prelude: O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright      arr. Charles Ore

### The Word of God

Processional: The First Noel the Angel Did Say (vs. 1-4)	H109
Salutation	BCP 355
Gloria	S280
The Collect	Insert
First Lesson: Jeremiah 31:7-14	Insert
Psalm 84	Insert
Second Lesson: Ephesians 1:3-6, 15-19a	Insert
Sequence: How Lovely is Thy Dwelling Place	H517
Gospel: Matthew 2:13-15,19-23	Insert
Sermon	The Rev. Jessie Dodson
Nicene Creed	BCP 358
Prayers of the People Form I	BCP 383
Confession of Sin	BCP 360
The Peace	
Announcements	

### The Great Thanksgiving

Offertory: March of the Kings	arr. Henry Kihlken
Eucharistic Prayer A	BCP 361
Sanctus	S128
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 364
Breaking of the Bread	S154
Communion	R21, R229, R200
The Post Communion Prayer	BCP 366
The Blessing	
Recessional: What Star is This, with Beams so Bright	H124
Dismissal	
Postlude: Oh, Rejoice, Ye Christians Loudly	arr. Camil Van Hulse

### Announcements

<https://stpaulsmaumee.org>

#### Flowers Ministry

There is one opening for the Chancel flower on January 25th. If you want to honor someone you love, please contact Claudia Stein using the form on the website.

#### Sunday School (Christian Education)

**Godly Play:** Age 3-4th grade. Meets outside the double doors after Communion at the 10:00 service for about 20 minutes.

**Adult Class:** Meets from 9:00-9:50 in the Skylight Room. We are studying the book *Paul the Pharisee* by John Dominic Crossan. You do not need to read the book to participate! A Zoom link will be available for anyone who would like to join remotely.

#### Bible Study

Make a New Year's resolution to join a Bible Study! Join us on Wednesdays at 7PM on Zoom for a 6-week Epiphany-themed deep dive into the gospel of Matthew, chapters 1-4, beginning January 7. See the website to view optional lectures.

#### (Almost Epiphany) Dinner Party: TODAY, 5-7PM

We will be hosting a dinner along with Epiphany traditions and activities (skit, singing, chalking the church, kings' cakes, and more). It is a wonderful event for all ages!

#### Save the Dates:

January 18: Introduction to the Land Statement

January 25: Celebrate St. Paul's Feast Day

February 1: Migration with Dignity Sunday

February 8: Annual Meeting, Young Adult Care Packages, and Choir Bake Sale  
Dates TBD: First Communion and Baptismal instruction and Acolyte training

**St. Paul's Book Club:** January 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 PM: *Magic Hour by Kristin Hannah*.

You're invited to join St. Paul's Book Club! We meet virtually on the second and fourth Tuesdays at 6:30 pm and read one book per month across a variety of genres. For more info, please contact Donna Dick (donna.dick@gmail.com).

#### Many Voices Book Club: January 8<sup>th</sup> at 8 AM

Please join us for a social justice book discussion! Every two months we choose a new non-fiction book to read. We meet on the second Thursday of each month at 8PM via zoom to discuss our progress. If you have any questions, contact Jaimie Deye.

#### Livestream Volunteers

We are looking for a few new wizards to build out our team for the livestream ministry. Well, you don't really have to be a wizard. It is not as complicated as it may look! It is a satisfying experience to produce a livestream video. Ideally, team members would run the livestream one Sunday per month. If interested, please contact Bruce Burgin for a demo.