

### **Intercessions**

#### **Birthday**

Allysa Goetz 1/25, Jane Music 1/28, Marie Adkins 1/31,  
Kenneth Millen 1/31, Dylan Perry 1/31

#### **Anniversary**

Judy & Ernie Lippert 1/30

#### **Continued Prayers**

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

#### **Military**

SSgt Sean Stuart, SSgt Gage Graham, MSgt Kenney Dupre, SMSgt James Ashton, Eden McGrain, Rebekah Vasquez, A1C Timothy Goehring, Danny Hazard, Anneka Wesche, LTJG Jason Warren

#### **Service Leaders**

**Officiant:** The Rev. Jeff Bunke

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

**Director of Music:** Brad Cresswell

**Organist:** Jane Weber

**Guest Musicians:** Bill Fayerweather

**Livestream Engineer:** Rebekah Vasquez

**Acolytes:** Todd Deye and Jonathan Ashton 10AM

**Lectors:** Kelly Trame 8 AM, Steve McNally 10 AM

**Chalice Bearers:** Will Robinson 8 AM, Anne Galindo 10 AM

**Ushers:** ? 8 AM, Deye family 10 AM

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

**Coffee hour:** Jane & Jack Baessler

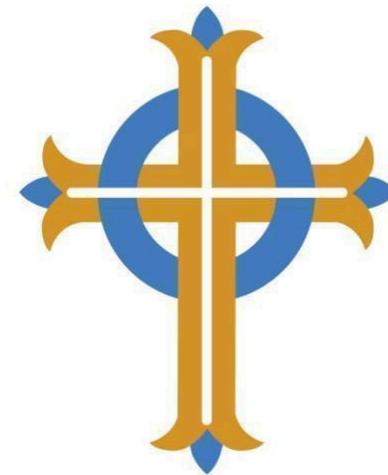
#### **Altar Flowers**

In thanksgiving for the 44<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination to the priesthood on January 24, 1982, by Jeff Bunke.

#### **Chancel Flowers**

In celebration of their daughter-in-law, Madeleine Toerne, on her January 6th birthday, by Susan & Douglas Gavin.

In thanksgiving for the warm and loving people of St. Paul's over many years of friendship and support.



**Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle  
January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
8 AM & 10 AM**

## Order of Service for January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Prelude: Variations on Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now

arr. Paul Manz

### The Word of God

Processional:

We Sing the Glorious Conquest Before Damascus' Gate	H255
Salutation	BCP 355
Gloria	S280
The Collect	BCP 238
First Lesson: Acts 26:9-21	Dramatic Reading
Second Lesson: Galatians 1:11-24	Bible p. 945
Sequence: For All the Saints Still Striving (vs. 1-3)	H231
Gospel: Matthew 10:16-22	Bible p. 791
Sermon	The Rev. Jeff Bunke
Nicene Creed	BCP 358
Prayers of the People	Insert

*Minister: We pray, All: In your light we see light.*

The Peace

Announcements

### The Great Thanksgiving

Offertory: Etude in C# Minor, Op. 2 A. Scriabin (Bill Fayerweather)	
Eucharistic Prayer B	BCP 367
Sanctus	S128
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 364
Breaking of the Bread	S154
Communion	R147, R236, R145
The Post Communion Prayer	BCP 366
The Blessing	
Recessional: Spread, O Spread Thou Mighty Word	H530
Dismissal	

Postlude: Toccata in E Minor Johann Pachelbel

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### Flowers Ministry

There are three openings for the Chancel flowers on February 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>. If you want to honor someone you love, please contact Claudia Stein using the form on the website.

### Sugarcane Documentary Screening

**Thursday, January 29, 6:30 PM, Maumee Indoor Theater**

St. Paul's Outreach Committee invites you to a free screening of the National Geographic documentary *Sugarcane*, hosted by the Maumee Environmental and Tree Advisory Commission. Sign up on the website to go with the St. Paul's group, and join us for the (optional) discussion afterwards at St. Paul's.

**St. Ursula Academy's Production of *Les Misérables* School Edition: Jan. 29, Feb. 1, 7:30 PM**

Come enjoy a presentation by Karli Huntsberger, granddaughter of Eric McCalla, at the Valentine Theatre in Toledo, Ohio.

**Legally Blonde, Jr. Production: January 30 and 31, 7 PM at Maumee Middle School**

We are excited to announce that Berkeley Thompson (granddaughter of Dan and Carol Sachs) and Brynn Stein (granddaughter of Claudia Stein) will be starring in Maumee Middle School's production of Legally Blonde Jr. Find more details on our 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 is available on the website if you would like to join remotely.

### Bible Study

All are invited on Wednesdays at 7PM on Zoom for an Epiphany-themed deep dive into the gospel of Matthew, chapters 1-4. See the website to view optional lectures.

### Save the Dates:

February 8: Young Adult Care Packages and Choir Bake Sale

*Please send names and addresses of young adults to Jennifer V! Donations of items to include in the packages are also requested.*

### **“Sacred Journeys” Study - Join the pilot group!**

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At the conclusion of each petition of the prayers, please respond, "In your light we see light."

Jesus Christ, the risen Lord, sends the word of light into a world of darkness to enlighten, to transform, to heal, and to save.

With grateful joy, we pray: ***In your light we see light.***

Lord Jesus Christ, you turned Saint Paul's zeal for the way of his ancestors into zeal for you, who are the Way and the Truth: – open the minds of all people of good will to receive your transforming word. We pray: ***In your light we see light.***

Lord Jesus Christ, you called Saint Paul out of darkness into marvelous light: – enlighten all those who hate and persecute. We pray: ***In your light we see light.***

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*Intercessions and Petitions*

*Thanksgivings*

*For the Departed*

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*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect:*

Almighty God, by your Holy Spirit you have made us one with your saints in heaven and on earth: Grant that in our earthly pilgrimage we may always be supported by this fellowship of love and prayer, and know ourselves to be surrounded by their witness to your power and mercy. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom all our intercessions are acceptable through the Spirit, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

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