



March 16, 2025

Tidings

St. Paul's Lutheran Church 120 N. Easton Road Glenside, PA 19038

Serving This Morning

Presiding: Pastor Esther Rajashekar

Acolytes: 8:00 AM Austin Reiff
10:30 AM Izzy Pratt

Assisting Ministers:

8:00 AM Vicar Daniel Marrone,
10:30 AM Vicar Daniel Marrone, Jane Kinsey,

Musicians:

Rae Ann Anderson, music director
Susie Pierce Mills, piano



Greeter/Usher

8:00 AM Kathy Kersul-Weiner
10:30 AM Fred Helbig, Marilyn Kowalick

Flower Delivery: Marilyn Kowalick

Hospitality: Karen O'Brien

Last week's member giving:

\$2,668.00

Counter: Bob Moyer

Attendance: Sunday

8:00 AM	10:30 AM
In Person: 29	62
YouTube: 27	23
Facebook 59	86

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Holden Evening

7:30 PM
48

Flower Dedications

In loving memory of my father, Clair H. Putnam on his birthday, by
Linda Putnam Erat



St. Paul's warmly invites you to join us for the ordination of our former vicar, Ian Clements, on **March 29**, at 11:00 AM at Centennial Lutheran Church, 1330 Hares Hill Rd., in Kimberton, PA. We are excited to celebrate this significant step in Ian's spiritual journey and wish him all the best

as he begins this new chapter. Ian has been a cherished part of our community, and while we miss him, we know he will continue to inspire others. Please join us in offering our prayers and best wishes for his future ministry.



Card Ministry Thinking-of-you cards for our homebound members this month have been made by the children of the nursery school. We thank them, their

teachers, and nursery school director Kathleen Getz for their part in helping Lois Circle with its ministry of reaching out to St. Paul's members who are unable to be at worship at this time. Easter cards will be available in the Great Room for the congregation to sign next month. Coincidentally, Easter Sunday is the third Sunday in April. The Lois Circle appreciates everyone's participation in this ministry. Signing one's name to a greeting card is a small thing to do but means a great deal to those who receive cards. If you would like to include a member of the congregation on the list of recipients, please get in touch with Kathleen Breuer (breuer613@gmail.com).



Rummage Sale News — Save The Dates

The main sale will be held **April 11 & 12**. Donation drop-offs begin starting

April 6 with set up April 9 and sorting April 10. More details will be in the Messenger and future Tidings and notices. As always, we are hoping for lots of good, lightly-used donations, and also, more especially, **volunteers** of all sorts. Look for posters and sign-up sheets in the Great Room. Any questions contact Cyndee Folk at 202-577-1007.



Join us for The Holden Evening Prayer every Wednesday evening at 7:30 throughout Lent. The final Holden Evening Prayer will be on Wednesday, April 9.



PRAYER MINISTRY

The Prayer Ministry Team meets monthly to pray for people and situations.

Prayer requests are kept confidential. Please be in touch with Marlen Livezey to make a request or to update the status of a person for whom you have requested prayers.

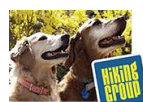


Attention Thrivent members! Have you directed your Choice Dollars? You can do so by going to the Thrivent.com website and log into your account. Find the tab-choice "Dollars" and follow the prompts. If you would like to direct to St. Paul's, type in *St. Paul, Glenside*. You can also call Thrivent at 800-847-4836 if you need help directing or have other questions. Thanks for your generosity.



Help Wanted! St. Paul's Nursery School is looking for energetic, creative individuals to join our team. Contact

nurseryschool@stpaulsglenside.org for more information!!!



For all those interested in following through with your New Year's resolutions to get fit and exercise more, St. Paul's is here to help! We are

starting a hiking group called Pathfinders. The first hiking event will be beginner-to-moderate level. Since the weather has been brutally cold, we are waiting until the temperatures are generally in the 40s or 50s to start. Please use the signup sheet in the Great Room to indicate your interest. We are excited that already, with no prior announcement, a *second* signup sheet has now been added! No commitment is required.

First Communion class will take place on **April 6** at 12:00 PM in Room 200. If you are interested in having your child receive first communion, please see Pastor Sonntag or reach out to office administrator Chris Garcia in the office via phone or email.

Lenten Soup Suppers are back!

Join us Wednesdays in March at 6:30 PM for a meal before worship at 7:30 PM. The final Soup Supper is on April 9



Easter Flower dedication forms are available in the Great Room. Dedications are due to the church office by **Monday, April 7**.

If you have someone on the prayer list whose prayers have been answered, please let the office know.

IN OUR
Thoughts and Prayers

Betsy Ahlum	Earl H.	Scott Robinson
Rodney Barnhart	Jill Hamilton	Robertson/Fragale family
Martha Baum	Dick Harrington	Jerry Rogowski
Jeremy Birnbaum	Arlene Hayes	Rondinelli/Montgomery families
Betty Bortmann	Charmaine Hoff	Robert Rumnock
Fr. Joe Brandt	Oscar Hoffmann	Toby Sauer
Robert Breuer	Bernard & Barbara Hoffmann	Mary Ann Saurman
Claudette Brown	John	Barbara Sheppard
Conrad Bush	Cathy Keim	Brad Schutt
Jean Cristaldi	Thubi Kolmobe	Mary Sims
Leslie D.	Tom Lackman	Annabelle Sittler
Jerome & David	Linda Landes	Richard Sittler
Dr. Steven Deets	Sandra Ellis-Killian	Stephanie Smith
Angela Giordano	Boaz Lazarus-Klein	Lucille Stimmel
Roselee Feinour	Carol Lange	Jane Storm
Peter di Filippi	Zach Lean	Rachel Stube
Kathy DiSandro	Anita Lukach	Grace Stumpf
Flossie F. & Gloria F.	Joe Lukach	Pastor Karl Stumpf
Mario F.	Sue and John McLaughlin	Jerry Sutliff
Tom Finney	Gwendolyn Neveil	Jane Vanderliw
Leona Finney	Ariella Notarianni	Don Wolf
Rina Fresnak	Nancy O'Conner	Jenn Wetzel
Chad Friedman	Lucas Palumbo	Wolfgang
Glasgow/McDermott family	Dr. Michael Pladus	Richard Woodring
John Gillespie	Deborah Pancoe	Marie Woodring
Jenna Gresko		



Private First Class
Carson Campbell



The family and loved ones of
Gerda Friedrich (Pastor
Sonntag's grandmother)

The family and loved ones of
Helen Edelman



Messenger Deadline Reminder If you would like to submit an article to our monthly newsletter, please send it to cgcarcia@stpaulsglenside.org no

later than the third Monday of every month. Articles for the April Messenger are due March 17.



We want to take a moment to extend our heartfelt gratitude for your generosity and support of our food pantry. Thanks to your continued donations, we are pleased to share that our pantry is currently well-stocked and able to serve those in need. Your contributions make a profound difference, not only for the members of our church but also for many families within our local community.

WEEKLY
Sneak Peek

Sunday	3/16/25	
8:00 AM	The Eucharist	
9:15 AM	Sunday School	
9:15 AM	Living Last Supper	200
9:15 AM	Youth Singers	
4:00 PM	Free Concert	Nave

Monday	3/17/25	
	April Messenger Deadline	
6:45 PM	Executive Committee Meeting	200
7:30 PM	Council Meeting	200

Tuesday	3/18/25	
10:00 AM	Chapel	Nave
10:30 AM	Staff Meeting	200
5:00 PM	Simple Supper	
5:30 PM	Cherub Choir	
6:00 PM	Children's Choir	
7:00 PM	Prayerful Yoga	GR
7:30 PM	Chancel Choir	

Wednesday	3/19/25	
10:00 AM	Chapel	Nave
11:00 AM	Prayer Ministry Team	GR
6:30 PM	Soup Supper	FH
7:30 PM	Holden Evening Prayer	

Thursday	3/20/25	
	Briar Bush Nature Preserve Visits Nursery School	
7:00 PM	Girl Scouts	101

Friday	3/21/25	
10:00 AM	Card Ministry Set-Up	GR

Sunday	3/23/25	
8:00 AM	The Eucharist	
9:15 AM	Sunday School	
9:15 AM	Living Last Supper	200
9:15 AM	Youth Singers	

Please feel free to reach out to any of the staff with questions, concerns or general inquiries.

Contacts

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Did you know you can now donate with Venmo?



Calling all knitters and crocheters
Thanks to a grant of \$250.00 from Thrivent for Lutherans, yarn has been purchased to create prayer shawls. Yarn kits are available in the Great Room and instructions for shawls are included in the kits. Lydia Circle welcomes your participation in this ministry. Contact Misty Wagner (mistyliswagner@gmail.com) for more information about Lydia Circle and its ministry.



Exciting News! St. Paul's has a new website!
We're thrilled to announce the launch of our brand-new website for St. Paul's! Designed to be more user-friendly and informative, our new site makes it easier than ever to stay connected with our church community. We invite you to explore the site, and we'd love to hear your feedback—your thoughts will help us continue improving this online home for our congregation! Visit us at Stpaulsglenside.org