

*Eyewitness  
of His  
Passion*



JOIN US TO HEAR THE STORY  
THROUGH NEW EYES!  
WEDNESDAYS AT 7:00 P.M.  
Feb 25 **MALCHUS**

**WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FIRST ST. PAUL'S?**

**Ichthus Menu February 25th:** Homemade Vegetable Soup, Garlic Bread, Salad Bar & Veggies, PB&J Sandwiches and a Dessert.

**Eyewitness of His Passion this Lenten Season:** Hear the story of Jesus' Passion through the voices of those who witnessed it firsthand on Wednesday nights. Begins on February 25<sup>th</sup> with Malchus, the slave who participated in the arrest of Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane. Worship begins at 7:00 p.m.

**Jr. & Sr. High Mission Trip Group Leaders** will meet Sunday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> at 12:00 p.m. in the Celebration Center. Please plan to attend.

**Jr. High Mission Trip Meeting** will be at held Sunday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1:00 p.m. in the Celebration Center. This meeting will include parents. Please make sure that you plan on attending.

**Soul Café Extended** is going to the movies this Sunday! Meet at the Rivoli at 5:45 p.m. for *I Can Only Imagine* 2.

**OREO's** meets this Sunday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. OREO's will head out and purchase groceries for the Lenten Food Drive. Make sure to bring your friends. See you there!!!

**Easter Garden:** Order a Easter Lily (\$12) or Assorted Flower (\$15) to help decorate the Church this Easter. Order by scanning this QR code, filling out the paper order form or by contacting the Church Office. Deadline is Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> by 5:00 p.m.



**Adjusted Ichthus Activity and Bible Study Times:** During Lent, kids activities and Bible Studies will end at 6:45 p.m. so that everyone can attend worship at 7:00 p.m. Confirmation classes will attend the worship service as a group.

**The Lenten Food Drive** will through Lent. Please bring your non perishable food items to the grocery carts located in the Friendship Gathering Area. All items will be given to the Hastings Food Pantry.

**Judas Purse** recipient this year is Catadupa, Jamaica. Catadupa survived a category 5 hurricane but not without extensive damage. Donations will go to hurricane relief. Let's help out a community near and dear to our heart!

**If:One Night Women's Retreat** will be on Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-10:00 p.m. Come and hear amazing speakers streaming live! To register, click the link on our website (firststpauls.org). Make sure to invite your friends!

**Calling All High School Seniors:** The FSP Foundation is offering a one-time scholarship for those planning to attend college. Pick up an application in the Church Office or download from our website. Deadline is March 1<sup>st</sup>!!!

**New Member Class** will be held March 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, and 15<sup>th</sup> after the 10:35 a.m. worship service in Founders Hall. Lunch is provided. Please contact the Church Office to sign up. New members will be received on March 22 at the worship service of their choice, with a reception between services.

**Thrivent Action Team Grants** help make the ministries of FSP possible. We are in need of a sponsor for our Easter bags that will be delivered to special members of our church family. Contact the Church Office if you are willing to lead an Action Team! Many opportunities are available.

**GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD**

**Altar Flowers** are sponsored in loving memory of Dr. Edwin & Donna Lebsack, Clarence & Marjorie Timm and Sue Lebsack, given by Dr. Tim & Barb Lebsack & family, Dr. Joel Lebsack and Dr. Jon Lebsack & family.

**Radio Broadcast** is sponsored in loving memory of Esther Hoagland, given by Verle & Mary Ann Spracklin and family.

**Media & Publications** has open dates for sponsorship. Please call the Church Office for available dates if interested.

**Our Hospitalized** this week is Betty Magee and Aletha Bennett.

**WEEKLY EVENTS**

**SUNDAY, 2/22**

Traditional Worship, 8:25 a.m.  
Education Hour, 9:30 a.m.  
Parent Forum, 9:30 a.m.  
Contemporary Worship, 10:35 a.m.  
Mission Trip Adult Leader Meeting, 12:00 p.m.  
Jr. High Mission Trip Meeting, 1:00 p.m.  
Soul Café Extended, 5:45 p.m.  
OREOs, 6:30 p.m.

**MONDAY, 2/23**

Bells, 6:30 p.m.

**TUESDAY, 2/24**

Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m.  
Compassionate Friends, 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, 2/25**

Neighborly Supper, 5:00 p.m.  
Kids' Activities, 6:00 p.m.  
Confirmation, 6:00 p.m.  
Adult Bible Studies, 6:05 p.m.  
**Lenten Worship Service, 7:00 p.m.**  
Praise Band Practice, 8:00 p.m.  
Soul Café, 8:00 p.m.

**THURSDAY, 2/26**

GriefShare, 1:30 p.m.  
Knit, Pray, Crochet, 2:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY, 2/27**

**If: One Night 2026, 5:30 p.m.**

**SATURDAY, 2/28**

Traditional Worship, 6:00 p.m.

**SUNDAY, 3/1**

Traditional Worship, 8:25 a.m.  
Education Hour, 9:30 a.m.  
Parent Forum, 9:30 a.m.  
Contemporary Worship, 10:35 a.m.  
**New Members Class, 12:00 p.m.**



# Easter Garden

We invite the congregation to participate in decorating the church for Easter. If you would like to give a beautiful flower in memory of loved ones or to honor family or friends, please fill in the information below. Your names and all those being honored or memorialized will be printed in the bulletin on Easter Sunday, April 5th, 2026.

Easter Lilies \_\_\_\_\_ \$12  
Assorted Flowers \_\_\_\_\_ \$15  
(Tulips|Daffodils|Hyacinths)



PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

IN MEMORY OF:  
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IN HONOR OF:  
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OTHER DEDICATION:  
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Orders can be place in offering plate, drop off at the Church Office or by scanning the QR Code above.

**Deadline for Ordering Wednesday, March 25th by 5:00 P.M.**

**Thank You Helping Hands!**

Saturday 6:00 p.m. Worship Team  
Pastor Joel Remmers and Sandi Stevens  
Lay Reader: TBD  
Usher: TBD  
Acolytes: Michael Harrenstein & Emersyn Schultz

Sunday 8:25 a.m. Worship Team  
Pastor Joel Remmers and Micki Buscher  
Lay Reader: Amanda Snell  
Usher: Wade & Jennifer Fleischer  
Acolytes: Olyvia & Elliott Craddock