



FIRST ST. PAUL'S
LUTHERAN CHURCH

DECEMBER 28, 2025
1ST SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS - 10:35 AM

UNITED, WE LIVE GOD'S WILL

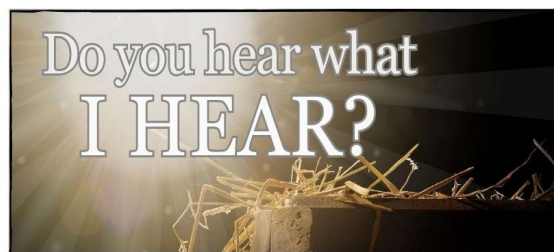
Welcome. We're so glad you're here!

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Call to Worship
"Behold"

Songs of Praise
"As It Is in Heaven"
"Jesus Messiah"
"Cornerstone"

Scripture Reading
Matthew 2:13-23

Prayers & Blessing
"Blessed Be Your Name"

Go in peace. Share the harvest.
Thanks be to God.

Next Week's Scriptures

Jeremiah 31:7-14
Ephesians 1:3-14
John 1:[1-9] 10-18

2025

YEAR END GIVING

Your gifts make our ministry possible. To be credited to the 2025 tax year, contributions must be in the Church Office by 3:00 p.m. on December 31st or in the offering plate at the December 27th and 28th services.

Thank you for your generosity!

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FIRST ST PAUL'S?

Ichthus Menu: There will be no meal on December 31st. Meals and activities will resume on January 7th with Chili, Assorted Cheeses, Salad Bar, PB&J Sandwiches and Cinnamon Roll.

2025 Year End Giving: Your gifts make our ministry possible. To be credited to the 2025 tax year, contributions must be into the Church Office by 3:00 p.m. or made electronically through Easy Tithe by end of the day December 31st, or in the offering plate this weekend.

The Church Office will be closed on Wednesday, January 1st. Normal business hours will resume on January 2nd. Have a great New Year!!!

Royal Family Kids Mentoring Program is in need of supplies, volunteers to fund, prepare and serve meals and provide decorations for holidays. Please see your newsletter for more information.

Encounter the Cross: This event is for men and will be held January 8th-10th in Lexington, NE at the Crossing Retreat Center. The cost to attend is \$175.00 and includes your food and lodging. To register go to NebraskaEncounter.com or contact John Boltz. The Church van will be taking a group if you are interested in attending.

Bible Studies Start January 7th: Make sure to check out the Newsletter for the new and upcoming Bible Studies. There is something for everyone.

March of Faith: Join us January 10th and 11th for our March of Faith, a time to reflect on how God is calling us to serve and to complete your Time & Talents survey and Pledge Cards. This year, everyone is asked to complete a Time & Talents Survey, even if you already serve, as we are updating our records and don't want to miss anyone.

Kids Choirs will be singing at the 10:35 a.m. Worship Service on Sunday, January 18th. Mark your calendars.

If: One Night Women's Retreat will be held on Friday, February 27th from 5:30-10:00 p.m. Come and hear speakers: Jeannie Allen, Christine Caine, Jada Edwards and Francis Chan. To register scan the QR Code on the insert in your bulletin. Cost of the event is \$25.00. If you have questions contact Morgan Savage at 402-469-5110 or Jessica Walston at 402-705-2401. Make sure to tell your friends!!!

The Annual Meeting will be held on January 25th at 12:00 p.m. in the Celebration Center. A Soup Luncheon will be served by the Jr. High Mission Team. There will be a freewill donation collected. All proceeds will go to help with the cost of the mission trip to LVR.

GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

Altar Flowers are sponsored with thankfulness for abundant blessings, past and present. Given by Dean & Micki Buscher.

Radio Broadcast is sponsored in loving memory of our brother, Larry Munroe, Dean's sister, Eileen Way, brother-in-law, Allen Hoylman and our parents, Lawrence & Mildred Monroe and Elmo & Margaret Hawthorne, given by Dean & Karen Hawthorne.

Media & Publications are sponsored in honor of our many blessings, given by Jeanne Loch and family.

Our Hospitalized this week is Rebecca Johnson and Connie Hartman.

Thank you Helping Hands 10:35 a.m.

Worship Team: Pastor Joel Remmers & John Boltz

Ushers: Mitch & Liz Schroeder and Eric & Jessica Walston

Acolyte: Ethan Stritt

Media: Darrin Nienhueser and Lisa Diecker

Praise Band: Jen Bronson, Kathy Schultz, Angie Gill, Angie Buhr, Jeff Morris, John Bonham and Jordon Harms

WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY, 12/28

Traditional Worship, 8:25 a.m.
Education Hour, 9:30 a.m.
Parent Forum, 9:30 a.m.
Contemporary Worship, 10:35 a.m.

MONDAY, 12/29

Bells, 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, 12/30

Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, 12/31

Passion 2026

Last Day for Year End Giving, 3:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, 1/1

New Years Day

Passion 2026

Church Office Closed

FRIDAY, 1/2

Passion 2026

SATURDAY, 1/3

Passion 2026

Traditional Worship, 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, 1/4

Traditional Worship, 8:25 a.m.
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