



St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church

In Wilmington, North Carolina since 1858

Our mission at St. Paul's is to welcome all people, proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ, experience a personal relationship with him, and joyfully share God's love with others.

St. Paul's Friday Epistle

Easter Egg Hunt

St. Paul's Easter Egg Hunt: Saturday, April 16, 10:00 - 11:00 AM

The Eggs are filled, and the Bunny is scouting good hiding locations! Thank you to all who contributed eggs and candy for this great event!



Easter Sunday Worship

We will celebrate our Risen Savior at three Easter Sunday services.

7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service held in the church parking lot. Bring a lawn chair and blanket if needed.

9:00 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary. YouTube link and bulletin

11:00 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary: YouTube link and bulletin

The Fellowship Ministry Team will be providing **Hot Cross Buns and coffee** following the Sunrise Service and 9:00 a.m. worship.

Our Easter cross will be placed by the front doors of the church. Please bring fresh flowers from your home garden to help decorate!

Note: No one ever plans to have technical issues, but they tend to happen on occasion. Often, at the least convenient time. Should a technical difficulty interrupt the livestream feed of a service, we will continue to record it and upload it to our YouTube channel as soon as possible.

Good Friday Services

Due to technical difficulties, the 12:15 p.m. Good Friday service was unable to be livestreamed. It was recorded and is now available on our YouTube channel. (Bulletin)

The 7 p.m. Good Friday service is <u>scheduled to be livestreamed at 7:00 p.m.</u> If there are further technical delays, it will be uploaded to our <u>YouTube channel</u> as soon as possible. (<u>Bulletin</u>)

Church Office Closed

The church office will be closed on Monday, April 18, for the Easter Monday holiday.

List of Items Included In Bag othpaste (Regular size) Toothbrush and plastic container Dental floss Soap and plastic soap container Bath towel and wash cloth Deodorant Shampoo (Regular size) Hair brush and comb Disposable razors Hand cream Safety pins Bandaids Nail file Hand sanitize Suntan lotion



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Migrant Worker Kits

During the month of April, the Leland Women's Circle will be collecting items to fill Migrant Worker Bags. These bags will then be distributed through Church Women United to the workers in Pender and Onslow Counties.

Please contact Leann Grossman at 910-214-3924 (call or text) or Deb Delekto at 703-475-0497. We will get a bag to you with a list of personal care items to fill the bag. The bags need to be returned to either Leann or Deb by April 25. Thank you

LDR in Eastern Europe

So far, generous donors have given over \$3 million to support relief for those impacted by the crisis in Eastern Europe through Lutheran Disaster Response. Those gifts are at work in Ukraine as well as in the border countries of Poland, Slovakia, Hungary and Romania. They are providing crucial resources such as cash support for refugees; emergency items such as beds and shelter, food and clean water; protection for vulnerable individuals and groups; psychosocial care; and the prevention of sexual abuse.

You can make a donation on the ELCA's Eastern Europe Crisis Response page.

Prayers of the Church

Our prayers are with: Carolyn Augustine, Fred & Judi Bratteson, Martha Greer, Larry & Alice Hovis, Pam Kubicek, Pam Marinko, Anne Mason, Debbie Mason, Caryway Robeson, Pat Simmons, De Strickland, Wayne & Cindy Swicegood, Chaplain Bob and Sylvia Weeks, Sue

Wiechman, Pastor Mel and Nancy Amundson, Stacy and Naomi Blackburn-Hoelscher, Sara Carano, Toby and Elaine Hopkins, Joel Kleven, Piper Lloyd, Rich Plummer, Brittney Ramos, the Steven family.

Stewardship Options

Your gifts continue to be appreciated as we navigate these uncertain times. Here are some giving options to consider:

- online (http://stpaulswilmington.org/donate)
- text "Give" to 984-203-6953
- mail (12 N. 6th St. Wilmington, 28401)
- bank draft: E-bill payment through your online banking

Birthdays for the Week of April 17

4/17 Judy Beach 4/18 Judi Bratteson Sue Fred 4/19 Rex Wicker 4/20 Robin Hueskes 4/21 Al Cheatham
Lynn Grubbs
Mike Walton
4/23 Larry Gates
Andrew Haskins
Doris Miller-Canady
Robert Rehder

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