

Weekly News - April 27, 2025

(Ways for you to get connected, and ways you can encourage others to get connected.)

Faith in Action (May 4) - St. Paul will participate in a Flemington-wide Faith in Action event on Sunday, May 4th from 12:30 PM to about 3:00 PM along with other faith communities in our area. We will be assembling boxes of baked goodies, and dropping them off at various first aid and firehouses around the local area. We are looking for people to attend the event and also contribute home-baked goods of any type. The event starts with a simple luncheon at the Flemington Jewish Community Center followed by the service project. A sign-up sheet is located on the Connection Table in the lobby. Please direct any questions to Tracy Cordasco (908-752-9821), Frances Hattauer, or Bob Goodwin.

Confirmation Sunday (May 4) - Celebrate with our students as they make a profession of their faith and receive their first communion during the 10AM worship service on May 4, 2025!

New Member Information Session (May 4) - If you are thinking about making St Paul your church home or if you would simply like more information about our ministry, please join Pastor Bob for our next New Member Information Session on May 4, 2025. We will meet in the Lounge immediately following the 10AM worship service. See you there!

Diaper Drive/Fill-the-Baby-Bottle (May 11-June 15) - Please join our Outreach & Mission in supporting the "Friendship Center for New Beginnings" on Main Street in Flemington. We will be holding a Diaper Drive as well as a "Fill the Baby Bottle" campaign, running from Mother's Day until Father's Day. The Friendship Center is always in need of diapers sizes 4,5,and 6, and prefers Pampers or Huggies, due to their non-allergenic nature. The "baby bottles" will be available for distribution following both services on April 27th. Please fill them with your change! Collection of diapers and baby bottles will run from Mother's Day to Father's Day. I am confident that together, we can create a multitude of blessings for this worthy cause. Any questions, feel free to reach out to Holly Bormann, 908-247-5542.

"We Need You" - Sunday School - We are looking for a "few good men" to teach Sunday School on Mother's Day, May 11th. Need: Two adult males; Two young adult males. Contact Jane Blades at 732-371-7854 or jmblades1@comcast.net. A sign up sheet is also available in the Connection Center. We thank you in advance for your help and support!

Prayer Request – Prayer is a conversation with God; therefore, it is an important part of a Christian's walk of "connecting life and faith." Please submit your prayer request by clicking on the "Prayer Requests" button on our

website homepage at www.stpaulnj.com. It is an honor and privilege to join you in your prayer life.

Give – Giving is an important part of "connecting life and faith" as a Christian. As God leads you to give to his ministry through St Paul, you can do so in the following ways: 1) Online at www.stpaulnj.com - click on the GIVE button; 2) In person - offering plates are located at the back of the worship center; and 3) By mail - 201 State Route 31, Flemington, NJ 08822. Thank You for supporting the ongoing work of sharing the gospel at St Paul Lutheran Church!

This Sunday's Prayer list:

Prayers of Concern: Elaine VanDuyne (Aggressive breast cancer); Liz Capano (Friend of Corey and Diane Lebo - Treatment for pancreatic cancer); Nancy Whitaker (Kirsten Goodwin's mother - Peace and comfort for Nancy and family as Nancy is placed in Hospice care)

Praise and Thanksgiving: For the resurrection of Jesus Christ! He is Risen! He is Risen indeed! Hallelujah!; For those who help make the season of Lent and Easter go so well

Grieving: Family and Friends of Ruth Shust (Debbie Herold's mother); Family and Friends of Dottie Brown (Friend of the Erck's)

"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest." (Matthew 11:28)

Have a prayer request? Go to https://www.stpaulnj.com/pray/ to let us know how we can pray with you and for you.

Birthday List: 4/27: Jason Linz, Robert Wolf, Whitney Dunnigan; 04/28: Karen Marciano; 04/29: David Hanson, John Perone, III; 04/30: Kerri Quaglia II, Mary Eilbacher; 05/01: Jaylynn Trewin, Lindsey Lorenz, Peter Plesh, III, Stacey Schlack; 05/02: Pat Casuscelli, Richard Mirande; 05/03: Philip Stroebele

Anniversary List: 04/29: John & Mary Rudder; 05/01: Joe & Jennifer Lloyd; 05/03: John & Bobbie Nester

"Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights" (James 1:17)

Flowers on the altar this 2nd Sunday of Easter are given to the glory of God by George & Debbie Reichert with gratitude for God's blessings as they celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary on April 24th. Congratulations!