

St Paul Touchpoint

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Bulletin Board of

St. Paul Lutheran Church

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REGULARLY SCHEDULED EVENTS

English Service—Sundays	9:00 AM	
Spanish Service—Sundays	11:00 AM	
Sunday School--Sundays	10:45 AM	
Lutheran Hour Ministries--Sundays	9:00 AM 9:40 WINZ AM Radio	
LWML Monthly--1 st Tuesday	11:00 AM Women's	
Lifelight Bible Study—Mondays	7:30 PM Rm. 10	
Men's Bible Study—Thursdays	7:00 PM Upper Room	
Book of the Moth—Friday March 17 th	at church (not at Kathy Reed's)	
ELDERS' MEETING	Second Tuesday, 7 PM	Next 03/14
CHURCH COUNCIL	Fourth Tuesday, 7 PM	Next 03/28

SUNDAY SCHOOL & BIBLE CLASSES

Children with Special Needs	Room #9
Preschool 2/3/4	Room # 5
Kindergarten/Grades 1-2	Room # 12
Grades 3-5	Room # 1
Grades 6-8	Room # 8
Grades 9-12	Upper Room
Adults	Room # 6
Senior Adults	Room # 10
College/Young Adult	Office Conference Room

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Offering Receive Sunday 02/26/2017:	1883.00
Offering Pledges Commitments:	1923.00

*Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not
Reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.*

2 Corinthians 9:7

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LIFTING UP OTHERS IN PRAYER:

Please do keep us updated on the status of your prayer requests. Call or email the church office to confirm or modify your requests for prayer or praise. From time to time we will change the prayer list according to our best knowledge.

Elke Kraushaar: Update, she had her catheter removed and was more alert. She remains in ICU and will progress to rehab. Keep her and Bill in your prayers. (Elke had an enlarged hematoma and was taken to the hospital for treatment).

Nila Parages: Doing much better and back at BASCP. Still, do pray for full recovery.

Tim Graff: Persist in your prayers for Tim in all his medical challenges. Good to see you at church, amigo.

Pray of Gigi and John as they deal with challenges of their own and life care decisions. All our love to the Graff family. Pray that they would worship with us as often as possible.

John Gaff: Now in rehab, coming home Saturday. Always pray.

Arash Khaymedooz: (*our property maintenance worker*): whose father is very ill, now at home but still in need of much care. Pray of the whole family.

Leticia and Angelica Agosto: Nyree Hernandez, Leticia's niece, who has been diagnosed with cancer recently. Pray for healing and best therapies.

Elly Mims: Pray for her grandson who is undergoing extensive tests for cancer.

Del Snipes: Pray as he faces medical procedures and challenges. We love you, brother Del.

Joyce Schmidt: Pray for facilitation for her to get to church to worship: pray about motivation and means to get to the service. Also, about general comfort from God as she deals with life's challenges.

Linda Oxholm: Prayers coveted for Nellie Drake who is struggling with cancer, also pray for relatives.

Maria Parages: Continue to pray for health issues. Pray for Mike and Nila as well. We love you all.

Evelyn Fredrickson: Pray for health related issues.

Pray: for all the families who have suffered the loss of dear ones in the recent past, and in the last year.

Elizabeth Wenzel: Always pray for Elizabeth as she deals with health and living situation issues.

Shut-Ins: Always pray for the members of our community who are unable to join us for worship but whom we always miss among us.

***SWAP MEET VOLUNTEERS
THANK YOU ALL!***

Big thanks to all those who participated in helping with donated items, item sorting, food preparation and sales, field and space marking, space assigning and directing traffic, money counting, and general cleaning afterwards.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR TIME AND EFFORTS!

You truly helped to make this event the great success it was!

Well done good and faithful servants!

**BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE PROGRAM:
POSITION AVAILABLE**

Please contact **Ana Dye** at 305 271 8171 or in person

**BOOK OF THE MONTH—FRIDAY, MARCH 17TH 11 AM
AT THE CHURCH (Not Kathy's home)**

Bring a snack and enjoy fellowship and the study!

ONE-NIGHT MOVIE EVENT:

Don't miss this special event: a one-time showing of the new
Martin Luther Film at:

UA Falls 12 on Thursday, March 30th from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

This event will be a perfect outreach opportunity... a chance to invite friends and
neighbors to an event in a community setting. And it is a must-see for any life-long
Lutheran.

LENT SCHEDULE

Mid-Week Services on Wednesdays at 11 AM and 7 PM:

15th, 22nd, 29th, and April 5th

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday: April 9th, 9 AM

Holy (Maundy) Thursday: April 13th---11 AM and 7:30 PM

Seder Dinner at 6 PM Room # 1

Good Friday: April 14th at 11 AM and 7 PM

Easter Sunday: April 16th Sunrise Service at 7 AM

Easter Breakfast at 8 AM

Easter Service at 9 AM

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNING MEETING

Thursday, March 16th at 6 PM

Contact Lavonia Losada for questions.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: June 12th -16th

TROPICAL ZONE SPRING RALLY

Saturday, April 1st, 2017

Immanuel Lutheran Church—Tavernier, FL 108 Ocean Drive--\$5

RSVP by March 26th to: stierelaine@aol.com or 612 701 9177

LWML Convention

Date: June 22-25, 2017

Location: Albuquerque, New Mexico

Theme: "Jesus Christ Above All"

Empowered by the Holy Spirit, through Word and Sacrament, I will proclaim Jesus Christ above
all.

<http://www.lwml.org/2017-convention>

ELDERS' CONTACT NUMBERS:

Anyone in our congregation may contact any of the Elders at anytime for issues related to ministry, spiritual concerns, and counseling. Please use this roster as your guide. You may elect to contact any Elder you like .

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