

## ❖ JOIN US IN WELCOMING THE PAUL FAMILY \_\_\_\_\_

The St. Andrew Pastor Nominating Committee is pleased to present the Rev. Matthew (Matt) Paul to be called as our next permanently installed Pastor/Head of Staff. Join us as we welcome the Paul family to St. Andrew. For more information on Rev. Paul and his family, you may find an information flier at the Welcome Table.

**9:45 – 10:45 am:** meet the Paul family for coffee + donuts in Fellowship Hall.

**12:20 pm:** congregational meeting to vote to extend a call to Rev. Matt Paul as Pastor/Head of Staff and approve his terms of call.

## ❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS \_\_\_\_\_

- Children's bulletins and worship bags are available in the Narthex as you enter the Sanctuary.
- Nursery care is provided for 2-year-olds and younger during both worship services.
- Children's Time is for ages 3 years through kindergarten and meets in the Castle Room in the East Wing. This is a time of unstructured play, special activities, and continuing worship.
- Seating, sound, and worship hymnals are available in the Narthex.
- Flowers are given by the Schmidt family in thanksgiving for all their blessings.
- There is no Christian Education today. Please join us in Fellowship Hall to meet the Paul family.
- Interested in the ministry opportunities of St. Andrew?

Our weekly *Mini-Messenger* and monthly *Messenger* newsletters are available online at: [www.saintandrew-ic.org](http://www.saintandrew-ic.org) (under the "News" heading) or in paper version in the Narthex.

## ❖ COMING UP IN ADULT EDUCATION \_\_\_\_\_

April 10: The Words We Sing / Songs That Shape Us

Bill Ford will lead us in a study of the texts that we sing and why they are so important. As theologian Marva Dawn states, a hymn text "is great in proportion to what we can learn from it." This will also be an opportunity for people to share their own treasured hymns, telling stories of how certain hymns and songs have shaped their lives.

April 17: Hymns Ancient and Modern II

## ❖ LENTEN PRAYER PROJECT \_\_\_\_\_

During Lent again this year, a group of our church members will be praying for each person in the congregation during the six weeks of Lent. You may leave any special requests in the Prayer Box beside the office workroom door. These will be confidential, unless you mark a Prayer Card "Share with Congregation."

**This week:** April 3: last names beginning with *L through Pa*.

*The eternal God is your refuge and underneath are his everlasting arms. -Deuteronomy 33:27*



## FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

APRIL 3, 2011 ❖ 8:30 + 11:00 AM

*Hymns and songs may be found in The Presbyterian Hymnal (blue) or Sing! A New Creation (green).*

## ❖ WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD \_\_\_\_\_

WELCOME + ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

8:30: Hashivenu *setting by Erin MacGorman Moore* Jubilate!  
Restore us to yourself, O LORD, that we may be restored! Renew our days as of old. *-Lamentations 5:21*

11:00: In Christ Alone *setting by Mark Hayes*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Congregation of Jesus Christ, where is your trust placed?

**Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven and earth.**

Grace, mercy and peace to you in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

**Amen!**

\*OPENING HYMN

In Christ Alone *see insert*

## ❖ WE ARE RENEWED IN GRACE \_\_\_\_\_

\*CALL TO CONFESSION

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Most holy and merciful Father,**

**We confess to you and to one another, that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. For the sake of Jesus Christ, Amen.**

\*WORDS OF ASSURANCE

The Gospel of Christ speaks to us of the assurance we may have of God's pardon.

Hear these words from the gospel of John 6:35-40.

The Gospel of Christ. **Thanks be to God!**

\*THE PEACE/TIME OF GREETING

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**And also with you.**

*Parents who would like to have their children participate in Children's Time in the Castle Room are welcome to accompany their children to the East Wing during the passing of the peace.*

**Bold print** - speak or sing together in unison

**\*please stand as you are able**

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## \*OUR COMMITMENT TO HOLY LIVING

Since we have been saved by grace, how shall we live in relationship to him who saved us?

**We will have no other gods before him; we will not make for ourselves any substitute gods; we will not abuse the name of the Lord, but speak it only in reverence and love; we will honor the Lord's day through worship, witness and fellowship with his people.**

How shall we live in relationship with others?

**We will honor our parents and hold the family in high esteem; we will not abuse or injure our friends or neighbors by words, gestures or deeds; we will not commit adultery, but live holy disciplined lives; we will not steal; we will not lie; we will not grasp for what we do not have, nor reject others for having it.**

How does Jesus summarize these commandments?

**He says that we should love the Lord our God with all our heart, mind and strength, and our neighbors as ourselves, and by God's grace, we will do it!**

## ✦ GOD SPEAKS THROUGH HIS WORD

### OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 12:1-9

OT Bible, pg. 10

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

### GOSPEL READING

Luke 9:1-6

NT Bible, pg. 69

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

### MESSAGE

Travel Light *Rev. Matthew Paul*

## ✦ WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

### WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*If you have a prayer request, please fill out a prayer card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.*

### OFFERTORY

You Are the Branches *by Michael Jochen*

8:30: Agape Singers w/ Melissa McCoy, soloist

11:00: Logos Choir

*Please join in singing as invited:*



"I am the vine, you are the branch-es, I am the vine," says the Lord!



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## ✦ EUCHARIST

### GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND PRAYER CONCERNS

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts!

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

*blue, pg. 16 - traditional*

### THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

### DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

8:30: Gentle Shepherd, Joyful Servant *setting by Cathy Moglebust*

Laudate!

11:00: Lamb of God *setting by Wayne J. Kerr*

Resound! + Beth Hill, flute

I was so lost, I should have died, but you have brought me to your side to be led by your staff and rod and to be called a lamb of God.

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God!

O wash me in his precious blood, my Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God. *-Twila Paris*

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN: Behold the Lamb (Communion Hymn) stanzas 1-3 *see insert*

## ✦ SENDING

### \*SENDING HYMN

Behold the Lamb (Communion Hymn) stanza 4 *see insert*

### \*CHARGE + BLESSING

### \*POSTLUDE

Prelude in C Major *by J.S. Bach*

*You are invited to be seated for the postlude. Soli Deo Gloria! Glory to God Alone!*

## ✦ WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

**Pastors:** Rev. Matthew Paul + Rev. Kyle Otterbein

**Directors of Music:** Matthew Penning, Laura Kastens, Erin Moore

**Musicians:** 8:30: Agape Singers w/ Melissa McCoy, soloist, Jubilate!, Laudate!

11:00: Logos Choir, Resound!, Beth Hill, flute

**Ushers + Greeters:** Elders + Deacons