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St. Paul Monthly Messenger

February 2011

Rev. James Bruner
Rev. Kirk Abatelli



*A Message from
Pastor Bruner*

*The February Messenger
is sponsored in honor
of the 80th birthday of
Elmer Snover.*

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in God's family,

How do I find a job that motivates and inspires? What should I major in at college? Why is my family life in such a shambles? "How do I pay the bills? How do I live a life of meaning and significance? Am I really living the life God has created uniquely for me?"

from *The Calling: Live the Life of Significance* by Dr. Kurt Senske

What does it mean to "Live a life of significance?" Why are we here? How do we know if we are doing what is most important in life?

Here is a brief summary and only a few of the many passages in the Bible that help us discover:

The answer... is provided through God's Word.¹

The course correction... is accomplished by God through the Sacraments.²

The support and encouragement we need... is given by God through His Church, which is a variety of people united together into one family, His family.³

You are going to be invited to discover and celebrate ***the life of significance*** as a member of God's family. Hopefully beginning late February and then in March, most of you will be able to attend a Cottage Meeting in the home of a fellow member. We want to come together in small groups of 10 to 25 to celebrate being God's family and also discuss what plans God has for each of us as a member of His family (the church) as we search the Scriptures together.

Some of us know we are missing something in life. There are others who do not know they are missing anything and are busy in self-absorbed activity. This article and other forms of communication will be inviting you to discover and live the life that is significant. I want to live the life God intended for me. I want to serve because God wants me to serve. Spread the word that we are coming together as God's family in Christ to live the life of significance.

Remember, you matter to God and you matter to me,

Pastor Bruner

1 - The answer is provided through God's Word.

Matthew 6: ³³ But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. ³⁴ Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

Eph. 2: ⁸ For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—⁹ not by works, so that no one can boast. ¹⁰ For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Mark 10: ⁴² Jesus called them together and said, "You know that those who are regarded as rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. ⁴³ Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴ and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all. ⁴⁵ For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

Heb. 6: ¹⁰ God is not unjust; he will not forget your work and the love you have shown Him as you have helped His people and continue to help them.

2 - The course correction is accomplished by God through the Sacraments.

Acts 2: ³⁸ Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ³⁹ The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call."

Matthew 26: ²⁶ While they were eating, Jesus took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body." ²⁷ Then he took the cup, gave thanks and offered it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you. ²⁸ This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins.

John 8: ¹⁰ Jesus straightened up and asked her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" ¹¹ "No one, sir," she said. "Then neither do I condemn you," Jesus declared. "Go now and leave your life of sin."

3 - The support and encouragement we need is given by God through His Church, which is a variety of people united together into one family, His family.

1 John 3: ¹ How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him.

Acts 2: ⁴² They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. ⁴³ Everyone was filled with awe, and many wonders and miraculous signs were done by the apostles. ⁴⁴ All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵ Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need. ⁴⁶ Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, ⁴⁷ praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

John 13 [Jesus said,]³⁴ "A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. ³⁵ By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."



February Birthdays in our St. Paul Family



Germain, Angela	2/1	France, Justin	2/11	Withers, Craig	2/18	Borcherding, John	2/29
ILL, LuRene	2/1	Mason, Kevin	2/11	Wolverton, Adam	2/18	Brown, Andrew	2/29
Jaruzel, James	2/1	Milostan, Chase	2/11	Bodeis, Rebecca	2/19	Kauer, Sharon	2/29
Jaruzel, Karen	2/1	Shoens, Roger	2/11	Brown, Nancy	2/19		
Brown, Glenn	2/2	Titsworth, Brian	2/11	Denome, Lynette	2/19		
Evans, Kathleen	2/2	Wood, Jennifer	2/11	Draper, Michaela	2/19		
Grzebinski, Patrick	2/2	Balcer, Mathew	2/12	Gorsuch, Sarah	2/19		
Sergent, Edward	2/2	Cobanovich, Emma	2/12	Irving, Delores	2/19		
Sutherland, Cheri	2/2	Hunt, Cory	2/12	Weiss, Dennis	2/19		
Brown, Cindy	2/3	Ketels, Celeste	2/12	Bouchard-Schmidt, Betty	2/20		
Damm Jr., Martin	2/3	Lichnovsky, Jason	2/12	Brown, Rachel	2/20		
Jones, AshLynn	2/3	Cobb, Andrew	2/13	Haley, Sandra	2/20		
June, Arden	2/3	Corradi, Lindsay	2/13	Kaiser, Erika	2/20		
Schmidt, Jan	2/3	Erdman, Michelle	2/13	Leach, Roger	2/20		
Sergent, Cole	2/3	Harpst, Judy	2/13	Malace, Holly	2/20		
Dormire, Bradley	2/4	ILL, Wilbert	2/13	Mallard, Adorna	2/20		
Jones, Hunter	2/4	Laplow, Carolyn	2/13	Sohn, Kenneth	2/20		
Robinson, Alec	2/4	Piar, Kyle	2/13	Lich, Shawn	2/21		
Burns, Joshua	2/5	Baker, Danielle	2/14	Petzold, Micah	2/21		
Colman, Ronald	2/5	Keinath, Shila	2/14	Reinert, Garrett	2/21		
Higgins, Renee	2/5	Kralik, Carl	2/14	Coleman, Riley	2/22		
Kowitz, Kaycee	2/5	Laplow, Richard	2/14	Henderson, Tamara	2/22		
Rondo, Jennifer	2/5	Schiefer, Joann	2/14	Jensen, Rachel	2/22		
Usrey, Hayley	2/5	Wiacek, Bonnie	2/14	Pashby, Jessica	2/22		
Bailey, Meagan	2/6	Folino, Danielle	2/15	Radisovich, Robert	2/22		
Kennard, Haley	2/6	French, Sheryl	2/15	French, Cris	2/23		
Lich, Troy	2/6	Goodhue, Alex	2/15	Higgins, Darlene	2/23		
McPherson, Brianna	2/6	Hoard, Aidan	2/15	Badgley, Jason	2/24		
Petzold, Dale	2/6	Lusk, Eddie	2/15	Bearss, Briar	2/24		
Schuler, Jonathan	2/6	Snover, George	2/15	Bearss, Bryce	2/24		
Sutton, Kiahna	2/6	Stange, Kyle	2/15	Erickson, Kaylee	2/24		
Torrey, Kimberly	2/6	Fisher, Kyle	2/16	Erickson, Teresa	2/24		
Brown, John	2/7	Kroll, Elinor	2/16	Henderson, Karen	2/24		
Germain, Landon	2/7	Leach, Brad	2/16	Heuchert, Cheryl	2/24		
Haines, Donald	2/7	Reinert, Chad	2/16	Keinath, Macinzie	2/24		
Harry, Corey	2/7	Schultz, MaKaylee	2/16	Keinath, Marjorie	2/24		
ILL, Ryan	2/7	Timmons, Tina	2/16	Reinig, Weston	2/24		
Keinath, Jeremy	2/7	Ames, Lucas	2/17	Weber, Loretta	2/24		
Kester, Linda	2/7	Bassett, Patrick	2/17	Bickel, James	2/25		
Selich, Erica	2/7	Brow, Kyle	2/17	Conrad, Cody	2/25		
Washburn, Steve	2/7	Duranseau, Jason	2/17	Denome, Donald	2/25		
Galloway, Patrick	2/8	List, Derrick	2/17	Hubert, Sierra	2/26		
Hergenreder, Sarah	2/8	Mulka, Gregory	2/17	Kaiser, David	2/26		
Mohr, Ruth	2/8	Sutton, Kevin	2/17	Myers, Cathy	2/26		
Bearss II, Roger	2/9	Woodward, Laurel	2/17	Petzold, Brady	2/26		
Keinath, Nicole	2/9	Goodhue, Tyler	2/18	Shreve, Mary Jane	2/26		
Wirsing, Andrea	2/9	Herrick, Ryan	2/18	Ayotte, Dawn	2/28		
Withers, Braxton	2/9	Kern, Rhonda	2/18	Hiles, John	2/28		
Devereaux, Thomas	2/10	Ketels, Jason	2/18	June, Alan	2/28		
Hebner, Robert	2/10	Michael, Patrick	2/18	Lichnovsky, Donald	2/28		
White, Edwin	2/10	Mullin, Arthur	2/18	Reinert, Tyler	2/28		
Wyman, Sharon	2/10	Peche, Jason	2/18	Stiff, Craig	2/28		
Balcer, Aiden	2/11	Pederson, Kathryn	2/18	Wagle, Melissa	2/28		

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If your name does not appear on your birthday month, please call the church office so we can update our records. Thanks.

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Mud Puddles and Dandelions

When I look at a patch of dandelions, I see a bunch of weeds that are going to take over my yard.
My kids see flowers for Mom and blowing white fluff you can wish on.

When I see an old drunk and he smiles at me, I see a person who probably wants money and I look away.
My kids see someone smiling at them and they smile back.

When I hear music I love, I know I can't carry a tune and don't have much rhythm so I sit self-consciously and listen.
My kids feel the beat and move to it. They sing out the words. If they don't know them, they make up their own.

When I feel wind on my face, I brace myself against it. I feel it messing up my hair and pulling me back when I walk.
My kids close their eyes, spread their arms and fly with it, until they fall to the ground laughing.

When I pray, I say thee and thou and grant me this, and give me that.
My kids say, "Hi, God! Thanks for my toys and my friends. Please keep the bad dreams away at night.
Sorry I don't want to go to heaven yet. I would miss my Mommy and Daddy."

When I see a mud puddle, I step around it. I see muddy shoes and dirty carpets.
My kids sit in it. They see dams to build, rivers to cross and worms to play with.

I wonder if we are given children to teach or learn from? No wonder God loves the little children!!

Enjoy the little things in life, for one day you may look back and realize they were the big things.
Just a reminder about the important things in life.

I wish you mud puddles and dandelions.

- Author Unknown

Calendar of Events

Quilting

Tuesdays from 1-3PM in the Parish Hall.
Everyone is welcome!

Heroes meets Tues., Feb. 1st at 7PM.
All men are welcome!

Mom to Mom Sale and Bake Sale

Sat., Feb. 5th from 8AM-8PM in the Parish Hall. It's not too late to rent a table! Call Lori Osborn 989-205-9873 to rent an 8 foot table or space for \$10.00. If you have your own hanging racks or display racks, please bring them. Large items such as strollers, furniture, etc. are \$1.00 each to rent space. This is a fundraiser for St. Paul. You will keep the money from your sales, or you may donate items to be sold with the proceeds going to support our school. This is a great way to share your gently used children's items. We accept things of all sizes and baked goods of all kinds. Invite your friends to shop and find treasures for infants to young adults, as well as maternity clothes. All items are gently used and for sale at a reasonable price. You will find school clothes and shoes, church clothes, maybe an Easter outfit, and many everyday items.

Millington Pizza

4736 Main St.
989-871-3200

Hours: Mon. - Thurs 11AM-9PM
Fri. - 11AM-10PM Sat. 12PM - 10PM
Sunday - Closed

St. Paul Fundraiser
Mon., Feb. 7-Sat., Feb. 12
Coupon Needed - excludes specials

Voters' Assembly Meeting

Sun., Feb. 13th at 1:30PM - All St. Paul members 18 and older are encouraged to attend.

Messenger/Calendar Deadline
Mon., Feb. 14th

OCD Coupon Class

Financially, times are tough. Money is tight. We sometimes doubt how God is going to provide what we need. We have a class which may ease some of that worry and doubt. The **OCD Coupon Savings Club** will be here on Fri., Feb. 11th at 6:30PM in the Projects Room. The \$20.00 fee for the class includes close to \$80.00 worth of coupons and instructions on how to save close to 75% of your grocery bill. If you would like to enroll in the class, **please register online at www.ocdsavingsclub.com**. You will have to click on the class schedule tab near the top. Free babysitting will be available. **You will not be allowed to walk in and take the class without registering.**

This also serves as a fundraiser for St. Paul. For each person that pays to take the class, the school will receive \$5.00. We need to have at least 15 people signed up in order to have the class. Also, if you plan on taking the class, please begin to buy three Detroit Free Press newspapers on Sunday morning. This will help build your coupon inventory. If you have questions, or need help registering, please contact David or Erika Kaiser at 871-4581 ext. 4.

A SCRAPBOOK EVENT at St. Paul

(Sponsored by the Board of Youth & Fellowship)

Come for a great time of fellowship, fun, and learning.
Saturday, February 19th

TIME: 9AM-7PM -doors open to set up at 8:30AM

WHERE: The Parish Hall

COST: Pre register \$5.00 or \$10.00 at the door

PRIZES: Great Food! Great Fun! Prizes!

BRING: Your own stamping &/or scrapbook supplies, a dish to pass and beverages if you want other than coffee or water.

A Representative from Stampin' Up and Creative Memories will be set up with supplies, lessons, "how-to's" and ideas. **PLEASE R.S.V.P.** - Sign up in the school office or with Susan Jensen 871-4866 or e-mail: jenco33@yahoo.com

SCRAPBOOKING MAKES MEMORIES

THAT LAST A LIFETIME....

JESUS MAKES MEMORIES THAT LAST FOREVER!

Upcoming Scrapbooking Dates: Mar. 12th, Apr. 9th,
May 14th, June 11th

Mark your calendar:

Couples Game Day

Sun., Mar. 13th from 4-7PM.

Free Babysitting!

More details in next month's Messenger.

Spiritual News



Adult Bible Studies Sunday Mornings at 9:45AM

- † **Amos Old Testament Bible Study** - Led by Pastor Bruner in the Parish Hall.
- † **The Gospel of Mark** - Led by David Kaiser in the Computer Lab.
- † **Effective Parenting in a Defective World** - Led by Paul Schoenkecht in the 5th grade classroom.
- † **Crown Financial Bible Study** - Led by Ted Wager.
- † **Adult Instruction Class** - Led by Pastor Abatelli in the Projects Room.
- † **S.T.A.T.I.C. (Serving Together As Teens In Christ) – High School Bible Study** – Led by Laura Gleim in the Youth Room.

Adult Confirmation

Sun., Feb. 13th at 8:30AM

New Member Welcome

Sun., Feb. 13th at 9:45AM in the Parish Hall. Please come and meet the newest members of our St. Paul family.

Mid Michigan Teen Challenge

On February 20th we have the privilege of having *Mid-Michigan Teen Challenge* coming to help us worship our Lord and Savior at our Sunday services. This is a Christ-centered ministry that provides a structured environment to help people work through their problems. They are not just a program. . . **but a way of life!! The only cure is a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.** There will be a potluck after the 11AM service, please bring a dish to pass. We hope to see you there. God bless.

Meetings

Council Wed., Feb. 2nd at 7:30PM.

Stephen Ministry Mon., Feb. 14th & 28th at 7PM.

Dorcas Tues., Feb. 15th at 6:30PM.

Evangelism Tues., Feb. 22nd at 7PM.

Elders Tues., Feb. 22nd at 7:30PM.

February Scripture Readings

February 6th

Isaiah 58:5-9a
I Corinthians 2:1-5
Matthew 5:13-20

February 13th

Deuteronomy 30:15-20
I Corinthians 2:6-13
Matthew 5:20-37

February 20th

Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18
I Corinthians 3:10-11, 16-23
Matthew 5:38-48

February 27th

Isaiah 49:13-18
I Corinthians 4:1-13
Matthew 6:24-34

Musical Opportunities



Church Choir Rehearsal

Wednesdays at 6:53PM

There is now a **nursery available** during choir rehearsal for parents with young children. Please join us.

Praise Team

Meets every Thursday at 6:15PM.
Anyone is welcome to join at any time.

Youth Services

We are looking for any youth and adults who would like to help with the music (singing, playing an instrument, etc.) for our Youth Services every 5th Sunday. If interested, please call Pastor or Katie Abatelli 871-5015.

Messenger Sponsors

Messenger sponsors are needed for April, May, June and July. The cost is \$120.00 per month. Please call the church office to reserve a month.

Altar Flowers

The 2011 flower chart is hanging in the hallway between the church mailboxes. To sign up for flowers, please write your name, phone number and if center or side vases and call the church office for bulletin wording. Thank you.



ASH WEDNESDAY
WED., MARCH 9TH

Memorials and Special Gifts / Misc.

FEBRUARY 2011 MEMORIALS AND SPECIAL GIFTS

IN THANKSGIVING FOR Ministry by Pastor Bruner General Fund	\$147.00
IN HONOR OF Elaine Bickel on her Birthday General Fund	\$25.00
IN HONOR OF Darryl & Edna McLaren on their 50 th Wedding Anniversary Boiler Fund	\$500.00
IN HONOR OF Erwin Weber on his 80 th Birthday General Fund	\$800.00
IN HONOR OF Bill & Sharon Garrett and IN MEMORY OF Jack Shreve Jack Shreve Scholarship	\$75.00
IN MEMORY OF Justin Ray Brown, Raymond Brown, Edward Reif, Norman Sohn, Lowell & Lenora Brown, Ray & Arline Keinath, Carl Keinath, Leon Keinath & Joe Mays. Building Fund	\$110.00
IN MEMORY OF Cora & Curtis Henderson Line of Credit	\$2000.00
IN MEMORY OF Karen Petzold & Herb Reinert Boiler Fund	\$200.00
IN MEMORY OF Mary Snover General Fund	\$10.00
IN MEMORY OF Erwin Reinert General Fund Future Church Worker	\$5187.77 \$ 10.00
IN MEMORY OF Juanita Wiacek General Fund To be designated by family	\$105.00 \$ 20.00
IN MEMORY OF Elwin Kline General Fund Building Fund	\$130.00 \$ 10.00
IN MEMORY OF Lynda Rohn General Fund Stephen Ministry	\$95.00 \$10.00

Annual Reports Due

If you haven't already, please turn in your report by Tuesday, Feb. 8th. They can be emailed to stpaul@tds.net or brought in to the church office. Thank you.

In Matthew's Gospel we read, "With God all things are possible" (19:26). Thanks to the compassion and generosity of your parish community this past year, Food For The Poor was able to help countless destitute families and restore hope to those in need, especially those devastated by the deadly earthquake in Haiti, and the subsequent cholera outbreak. We wish to express our sincere gratitude for your help.

By allowing Food For The Poor the opportunity to share our mission with your parish family, you have helped bring the love of Christ to suffering children and families.

Your remarkable generosity this year and that of our donors has helped us:

- ◆ Feed approximately two million people daily;
- ◆ Build more than 9,500 houses for destitute families, many of whom were living in tents;
- ◆ Ship over \$1 billion worth of goods;
- ◆ Construct 124 artesian wells, water treatment and sanitation projects;
- ◆ Care for more than 3,600 orphans; and
- ◆ Support numerous schools, clinics, and churches.

Despite these difficult economic times, your parishioners were especially generous in the outpouring of compassion for Haitian families impacted by one devastation after another. All of us at Food For The Poor thank you for partnering with us in this ministry to bring good news to those living in abject poverty.

May God continue to bestow His blessings upon you and your parishioners throughout the coming new year!

A servant of the poor,
Robin G. Mahfood, President
Food For The Poor

Carryover Deficit 11/30/10	(40,059.90)
December General Fund Income	102,935.05
General Fund Expenses	<u>106,166.79</u>
Balance	<u>(3,231.74)</u>
Ending Deficit 12/31/10	<u>(28,791.64)</u>
Missions (Budgeted & Non-Budgeted)	2,815.23
Building Fund	28,487.09
T.I.M.	1,609.75
VLHS	649.73
Boiler Fund	700.00
Line of Credit	14,500.00



February Schedule



Acolytes

February	Time	Acolyte	Back Up
5 th	7:30PM	Jeremy Corrigan	Brendan Johnson
6 th	8:30AM	Aaron & Kent Singer	Nick Harsen
6 th	11AM	Aaron Knoll	David & Mike Derscha
12 th	7:30PM	Brendan Johnson	Jeremy Corrigan
13 th	8:30AM	Nick Harsen	Andrew & Richard Cobb
13 th	11AM	Cameron & Jim Henderson	Austin & Scott Koch
19 th	7:30PM	Brandon David	Tyler & Jordan Goodhue
20 th	8:30AM	Evan Hoard	Eddie & Ed Meeks
20 th	11AM	Eddie & Ed Meeks	Cameron & Jim Henderson
26 th	7:30PM	Tyler & Jordan Goodhue	Brandon David
27 th	8:30AM	Tim & Kent Singer	Evan Hoard
27 th	11AM	Aaron Reinbold	Justin Allen

Greeters

First Sunday	8:30AM 11:00AM	Shirley Petzold, Ken & Kathy III Les & Diane Maxson, Ron & Olga Nims
Second Sunday	8:30AM 11:00AM	Russell & Sherry III & Rachel III LuAnn Licavoli, Wayne & Luanne Jaruzel
Third Sunday	8:30AM 11:00AM	Dianne Scarborough, Natalie Smith Rosie Horning, Linda Kester, Dale & Pam Hanlin
Fourth Sunday	8:30AM 11:00AM	Jim Bickel Evelyn Gregory, Anna Tuttle, Cheri Sutherland
Fifth Sunday	8:30AM 11:00AM	Donna Torrey Linda Kester, Steve & Nila Schmandt
Second Saturday	7:30PM	Bill Bleuer & Betty Bleuer Greeter Subs – Denise Miller (871-2675), Sherry Sebert (871-3084)

Ushers

Team A

7:30PM	Brian Glady - Captain; Dale Peche
8:30AM	Phil Gordon - Captain; Kerry Koch - Assistant Ron Johnson, John Keinath, James Kribs, James Petzold, Larry Petzold Peter Shollack, Chris Smith, Gerry Smith, Gerry Smith II
11:00AM	Dick Gross - Captain; Arnold Petzold - Assistant Chuck Eilers, Jason Germain, Steve Holmes, Tom Keinath, Derrick (Kip) Keinath, Mike O'Hearn

Church Sextons Rodger & Judy Grulke
Ray & Judy Leach
Ron & Ruth Mieske
Ed & Marcia Keinath

Elmer Snover
Ted & Katrina Wager
Rod & Nancy Wilson

Thank you to everyone who in any way volunteers their time to help with the worship services. May your servant heart continue to bless those you serve at St. Paul.



St. Paul Lutheran School

February 2011

“How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are!”

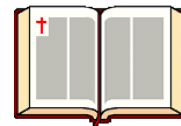
1 John 3:1

This month we think a lot about **LOVE**. God has truly blessed each of us with His great love; His Son, Jesus Christ and eternal life through belief in Him. Let us all remember the love of our heavenly Father and show that to others in all we think, say and do throughout this month and always.

February is **Hearts for Jesus** month. Our offering for Chapel services this month will help the Lutheran school left in the city of Detroit, Detroit Urban. Our offerings and “oatmeal banks” will go to help spread God’s word in this school; just \$20 a day to help give a Christian education to a child of God. The children are already working hard on this. Keep up the **GREAT** work of God!

Our hymns of the month are *O God Forsake Me Not LSB #731*

Our Bible verses for the month are:	1/30-1/5	Luke 12:32
	2/6-12	John 5:17
	2/13-19	I John 2:15
	2/20-26	I John 2:16



The special events for St. Paul Lutheran School in the month of February are:

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| Feb. 8 | P.T.L. Meeting |
| Feb. 9 | Abe Lincoln School Assembly |
| Feb 15 | BD Mongolian BBQ P.T.L. Fundraiser Night in Flint |



School Musical Opportunities



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| Feb. 20 | Cherub Choir | 8:30 a.m. |
| Feb. 27 | Free Spirit Choir | 8:30 a.m. |



Spartan Sports



Our basketball season for boys and girls on the A-teams is going strong. Here is a list of the games that these boys and girls will play. Remember the girls play first and the boy’s game follows.

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| Feb. 2 | at Bethlehem, Saginaw | 4:30 p.m. |
| Feb. 4 | with St. Paul, Flint | 6:00 p.m. |
| Feb. 5 & 6 | Girl’s Groundhog Classic Tournament at Peace, Saginaw | TBA |
| Feb. 9 | at Peace, Saginaw | 4:30 p.m. |
| Feb. 10 | with St. Lorenz, Frankenmuth | 4:30 p.m. |
| Feb. 16 | at Christ the King, Sebawaing (girls only) | 4:30 p.m. |
| Feb. 18 | with Bethlehem, Saginaw (READING BUDDY NIGHT) | 6:00 p.m. |
| Feb. 24, 25 & 26 | League Tournaments | TBA |

C-TEAM BASKETBALL

4th & 5th graders

girls play first and then the boys

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| Feb.19 | with St. Lorenz, Frankenmuth | 9:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. |
| Feb. 26 | with St. Paul, Millington (boys v girls) | 9:00 a.m. |

We have many programs going on throughout the school year that earn money for St. Paul: Box-Tops for Education, can tabs, Campbell soup labels, drink pouches, ink cartridges, **SCRIP**, *Thrivent*, *Meijer* and *Kroger* programs and others. Some other programs that have started are those with the following companies: Lay’s Snacks, Mars candies. See the school office for more information.

We are getting ready for **Lutheran Schools Week**; this will be March 6-11. If you would like to help in any way, please contact the school office as soon as possible.

