

Sunday, February 18	
Scripture Readings: Genesis 9:8-17, Psalm 25:3-9, 1 Peter 3:18-22, & Mark 1:9-15	
8:00 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.
9:00 am	Sunday School
10:15 am	Contemporary Worship-Doar Hall
10:15 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.
5:00 pm	Middle School Youth
Monday, February 19	
8:00 am	Centering Prayer
10:00 am	AA
10:30 am	Pastoral Care Team Meeting
7:00 pm	Venture Crew
7:00 pm	AA
Tuesday, February 20	
6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 730
7:00 pm	Men’s Bible Study
Wednesday, February 21	
10:00 am	AA
4:30 pm	Better Together Study 1st Group
5:30 pm	Cursillo Reunion Group
6:00 pm	Fellowship Dinner
7:00 pm	Better Together Study 2nd Group
7:00 pm	St. Paul’s Choir
7:00 pm	AA
7:00 pm	High School Youth
7:00 pm	Stephen Ministry Training

Thursday, February 22	
10:00 am	AA
11:00 am	Healing Prayer Service
11:30 am	Al-Anon
5:00 pm	Medical Outreach Clinic
7:00 pm	Boyscout Troop 2
Friday, February 23	
7:00 pm	AA
Saturday, February 24	
7:00 pm	AA
Sunday, February 25	
Scripture Readings: Romans 8:31-39, Psalm 16:5-11, & Mark 8:31-38	
8:00 am	Traditional Service-Church Bldg.
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First Sunday in Lent

The Season of Lent - An Intentional 40 Days

By: Cathy McGrew

What is Lent? Above all else, Lent is the season for the experience of giving your life over -- in each moment, bodily, deliberately -- to Christ and to what the Spirit is showing you. God wants you to surrender yourself, and let the Spirit work in you. In Lent, we take responsibility for our acts and thoughts, and treat certain of those as the killers they are. Lent is self-discovery of the parts of ourselves we don't want to discover, through prayer, fasting, and other disciplines. It is the opening up, the turning over to God, the repenting of our sins, the turning away from that which does not please God. Yet there is just a glimpse of Easter through the heavy clouds of Good Friday -- that Christ has taken the burden, and you don't have to carry it anymore. Don't you want to follow that kind of a God?

Lent is not all about giving things up. It's also about adding good things to our lives or to others' lives. Perhaps it’s time to try a small group! Consider signing up today in the Atrium for our parish wide study *Better Together: 40 Days of Community*. On Wednesday evenings beginning February 21 groups will meet from 4:30–6:00 or 7:00–8:30 with a simple fellowship meal at 6:00 in Skardon Hall. Maybe you are doing the study in your small group but would like to spend time sharing a meal with your church family on Wednesdays during Lent. Please join us! **Be sure to sign up the Monday before here:** stpaulssummerville.wufoo.com/forms/q1ezdi6k0m8mzko/ Let’s be intentional this Lent to make community a priority by growing closer to each other as we grow closer to our Lord.

To reserve a cover or if you have a submission for the Sunday News please contact Shelley Fipps the Tuesday before you want the addition.

Wednesday, Feb 21 Menu

St. Paul’s Signature Lenten House Salad with White Balsamic-Fresh Basil Vinaigrette Dressing

Italian Wedding Soup
Flat Bread Wedges with Pesto Sauce

Santa Fe Tortilla Soup
Southwest Cornbread

Meatball and Tortellini Soup
Italian Bread with Seasoned Olive Oil

Wild Rice and Turkey Soup
Sour Dough Bread

Beef Stew Soup
Cheese Biscuits

White Chicken Chili
Yeast Rolls with Maple Whipped Butter

Clergy:

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Guests



WELCOME, We’re glad you’re here!

Date: _____

☐ 8:00 am CB ☐ 10:15 am CB ☐ 10:15 am DH

☐ 1st Time Guest ☐ New to Area

☐ Looking for a church home

☐ Regular Attending Non-Member

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY / STATE / ZIP

HOME PHONE

CELL PHONE

EMAIL ADDRESS

☐ I would like to receive emails from St. Paul's

AGE

__13-19 __20's __30's __40's __50's __60's __70's+

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

NAME

DOB

NAME

DOB

NAME

DOB

I would like more information about:

___ A new life in Christ

___ Membership at St. Paul’s

___ LifeGroups

___ ALPHA

___ Other _____

PRAYER REQUESTS & COMMENTS

If you would like your request concerning health, death, or other concerns to be added to our public prayer, please indicate by marking the box. All others will be put on the confidential prayer list for 3 weeks.

Place form in the offering plate or take to our Welcome Table to receive more information and a gift.

Biblically minded—Christ centered—Holy Spirit driven

