# The Philippian

The Monthly Newsletter of St. Philip's Lutheran Church of Hastings, Minnesota

Come and Worship...Come and Serve...Come and Learn...Come as you are ....Philip said to him, "Come and see" John 1:46

April 2024

# **April Events**

Sunday School and Adult Education Forum Sundays at 10:30 am

**Grief Support Meeting** Wednesday, April 10 at 6:00 pm

Family of Faith Pizza and Game Night Saturday, April 13 from 5:00-7:30 pm

Garage & Plant Sale Planning Meeting Thursday, April 18 at 6:30 pm

Wednesday Night Zoom Bible Study Begins Wednesday, April 17 at 7:00 pm Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God; everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. <sup>8</sup>Whoever does not love does not know God, for God is love. <sup>9</sup>God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him. <sup>10</sup>In this is love, not that we loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. <sup>11</sup>Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. <sup>12</sup>No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us, and his love is perfected in us.

#### 1 John 4:7-12

Who will deny that love is the dominant theme of the age in which we live? Everyone talks about love, though not everyone practices it.



The Christian faith has always emphasized two very important things – truth and love. Jesus Christ himself was the preeminent expression of both of these – truth and love – held in perfect balance. Jesus was fully the expression of truth, and fully the expression of love.

Three times in this passage the phrase "love one another" occurs. It is here in Verse 7, also in Verse 11 ("Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another"), and in Verse 12 ("No man has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us..."). Obviously, the primary exhortation here is this three-fold repetition, "love one another." The nature of this love is inherent in the very statement John makes. "Love one another," he says. Thereby it is indicated that love is not to be only for those who are pleasant to us, or who are nice, congenial, clever people. We are not to love because people are lovable, but because each is another.

Everyone is a person, capable of a unique relationship to God, and therefore not a *thing* to be dealt with impersonally, or to be opposed or accepted as it suits our purpose, but a living, breathing, searching creation of God, just like us. That is why we are to love one another, without regard to what that person is like. This defines what love is meant when the Bible talks about love. True love is an interest in and a concern for another person, just because she is a person, and for no other reason. It does not matter whether they are rich or poor, black or white, old or young, male or female, Republican or Democrat; it makes absolutely no difference. He or she is a person!

Love takes no notice of what a person is like, or what he does, or how she dresses, or how he looks, or anything about her background. It sees one thing only, and that is, "Here is another person, another one like me with all the longings, the heartaches, the problems, the aspirations, the hopes, dreams, and frustrations of life like me. Here is another one, struggling as I am to face the problems of life. What can I do to help?" That is love.

In these verses we have this great exhortation to love one another because, as John marvelously declares, that kind of love can only originate with God. This kind of love is "of God." In fact, God is this kind of love, God is love. Therefore, wherever the life of God is present that love is found. And if that love is not found, the life of God is not present. The argument is clear, is it not? It is so simple. It is no good claiming that you know God if the love of God is not found in your life. If you cannot treat people objectively and see through the irritating qualities that may offend you to be nice to them because they are in need of love; If your reaction to those who offend you is one of opposition, rejection, and instant antagonism; Then it is no good saying you belong to him. That is not God's life, that is not God's love. John's argument is, if the life of God is present in us, then the love of God will be there too.

Your Servant in Christ, Pastor Geier

#### THANK YOU!

We would like to thank the congregation for supporting our preschool Raise Right fundraiser. We are so happy to announce that due to your support our students will be able to attend our field trip for free.

Preschool Students and Staff

#### – Among Our Own –

Congratulations to ...

Aubrey Joy Retterath (daughter of Joshua and Chelsey Retterath) blessings on her baptism

Sympathies to ...

**Karen Elliot** as she mourns the death of her brotherin-law Tom Kimmes

# Preschool Chatter

Our preschoolers have been loving the weather this year! The warm winter months have meant more outside time and even playground time in early March. For the month of March our themes were Dr. Seuss and the Easter story. One super fun thing we did in March was the book *Oh the Places You'll Go* by Dr. Seuss. For this we asked the children what they wanted to be when they grew up. Then they got to dress up like what they had said and make their own *Oh the Places You'll Go* hot air balloons. We had everything from athletes, doctors, firefighters/police, all the way to unicorns and diamond space hunters. It was so fun to hear their answers. We also talked a lot about preparing for Easter which included a palm parade and many sweet art projects.

Enrollment for the 2024-2025 school year is now in full swing. If you have any friends, family, or neighbors looking for preschool next fall, please share our information with them. They can email us at <u>preschool@splchastings.org</u> with any questions or follow us on Facebook @StPhilipsPreschoolHastings.

After our January, February and March RaiseRight orders we have raised the entire amount needed for our spring field trip! Our next goal will be to buy new woodchips for our playground. Thank you for you continued prayers and support of our program. We are blessed to be part of St. Philip's church!

Becky Kaphing and Lorelei Rein Preschool Co-Directors

# Sunday Scripture Readings

April 7	1 John 1:1-2:2 John 20:19-31
April 14	Acts 3:12-19 1 John 3:1-7 Luke 24:36b-48
April 21	Acts 4:5-12 1 John 3:16-24 John 10:11-18
April 28	Acts 8:26-40 1 John 4:7-21 John 15:1-8

# Ellen Diischer

The memorial service for Ellen Diischer, St. Philip's Music Director and Coordinator of Worship Planning, sister in Christ and friend, was held on March 1. It was a beautiful music and scripture filled that honored service her memory. Those in attendance had many memories, stories, and time they spent with Ellen as she touched so many lives during her life.



# **Paying Their Respects**



Five young women came to the visitation of Ellen Diischer, to honor her, and share memories of their time under Ellen's direction of St. Philips' annual musical productions. Pictured are Rachael Fischer, Julia Viktora-Croke, Julie Ronning, Maddy Chandler and Amelia Chandler.

#### 2024 2023 February 2024 YTD General and Misc Giving \$115,282.37 \$84,835.95 February 2024 YTD Capital Fund \$33,965.50 \$31,638.00 February 2024 YTD Expenses \$102,353.57 \$105,936.67 Net \$46,894.30 \$10,537.28 February 2024 YTD Mortgage Principal Required \$ 16,730.38 \$ 14,588.09

# **Giving and Expense Update**

# **Grief Support**

The next grief support meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 10 at 6 pm in the youth room. These quarterly support meetings provide an opportunity for St. Philippians who have experienced loss to support one another through the shared experience of learning to live without a loved one. A curriculum is not used, rather the group takes the conversation where it needs to go. Camille Johnson-Oster is the facilitator, but it is through the attendee's participation that God does the work of providing comfort and insight. The theme for this quarter's conversation will be primary and secondary loss.

# Garage & Plant Sale Kick-Off Meeting

April 18, 6:30 pm

St. Philip's Garage & Plant Sale doesn't happen without good planning and commitment from its many volunteers. Please come to the planning meeting Thursday, April 18, at 6:30 pm.



This meeting is especially

exciting when we welcome new people into the "sales team". It is essential to add new sale participants every year in order to keep the garage/plant sale tradition going.

Department leaders are in place. Those who are not department heads are able to align themselves to a department they will find appropriate for them. All men and women interested in a first-hand look at how it all comes together should attend this meeting.

See you in the fellowship hall on April 18, at 6:30 pm. Contact Deborah Dreher, deborahdreh@aol.com, regarding any questions you may have.

# Wednesday Night Zoom Bible Study

The Wednesday Night Zoom Bible Study group is going to be studying Joshua and Judges starting Wednesday, April 17 at 7 pm. If anyone would like to join in, please contact David Tank for the Zoom link and study schedule along with suggested online resources. Come and Learn!

### St. Philip's to Partner with Interserve Ministries! Discovery Team is Next!

At our March 18 council meeting, our church council unanimously voted to enter into a partnership with Interserve Ministries to aid us in our ministry with children, youth and families. Interserve's process will help discern and create a sustainable model for moving forward in the next chapter of our ministry.



InterServe has Associates that come on staff for approximately 6 - 12 months. These are ministry professionals who can help carry out the current children's, youth and family ministry programs and assist in the visioning process and change that may take place during any type of transition. They believe this interim time can be a healthy and exciting process for a congregation, as we work together to turn anxiety into discovery and excitement for the future. We also believe that building a solid children, youth and family ministry model is essential in the longevity of an incoming staff person.

Our next step is forming a Discovery Team of 8-10 people, both youth and adults, who will work with the InterServe associate during their time in our congregation. This group will help plan and implement some of the CYF ministry events and will work through some of the stated tasks of the interim process. This team will also serve as a visionary group of people who are excited about the future of our children, youth, and family mininstries.

As stated above, we need several youth to share their ideas and visions as well as build ownership within our youth. The only requirement to be on the Discovery Team is to have a passion for faith development in young people and hold the needs of our youth ministry in their best interest.

If you are interested in participating in this exciting opportunity, please let Pastor Geier, Becky Kaphing, or Dan Strehlow know!

# **April Worship Format Change**

St. Philip's will have guest musicians on April 21 to lead us in a contemporary worship service. Therefore, April 7, will be of a traditional format, rather than the usual first Sunday contemporary format.



Calling all superhero's young and old. We are starting to plan for this year's VBS scheduled for July 22-25. Registration forms for both youth and adults will be coming soon. If you are interested in helping with the preparation ahead of time, please reach out to beckyk@splchastings.org.

# **Food Drive Updates**

As of the time the newsletter went to print we have raised over 546 items for Hastings family service with still a week to go. Thank you so much to everyone who participated in making such a big difference for members of our community.

# Easter Egg Hunt Preparation

Members of our congregation young and old help prepare for our annual Easter Egg hunt. Jameson is seen here excitedly stuffing eggs.



# Take Me Out to the Ballgame!

This year the Fellowship Ministry Team is trying a new family friendly night out. We will be heading to a St. Paul Saints Baseball game Friday evening June 21. Cost is \$20. Watch for details to come!

# St. Philip's T-Shirts Now Available

There are times when group activities at St. Philip's warrant wearing a "signature" t-shirt. New shirts are available in a nice purple color which will have a St. Philip's message on the back. Anyone can order a t-shirt. They will be made available to those attending the Garage & Plant Sale meeting April 18, at 6:30 pm or by contacting Deborah Dreher at a Sunday morning worship service. There's a large range of sizes.



Jan Edstrom is selecting her best size from t-shirt contact person Deborah Dreher

NEW St. Philip's T-Sł	nirts
Women's size: S – XL	\$20
Women's size: 2XL	\$21
Unisex size: S – XL	\$20
Unisex size: 2 XL	\$22

# **New Council Members**

Five new council members were elected at St. Philip's annual business meeting. Being installed at a recent worship service were Maria Gathje, Dolores Pemble (Treasurer), David Fry, Alex Zuzek (Vice President), and (not pictured) Jen Klos. The new council members are elected for a two-year term. The congregation appreciates their willingness to serve.



#### **April Adult Forums**

#### April 7

Austin Pavel and Dylan Koenig will be joining us to discuss the current status and issues of being high school students. Their initial comment is "just getting through the day." Austin and Dylan will give their thoughts on:

- What is high school like?
- Changes in school before, during and after COVID-19
- How can the faith community help?
- Activities that we can help with to supplement school?
- Future plans?

#### April 14

Bridgette Norring will be discussing her personal thoughts on the death of her son, Devin, from illicit fentanyl and how it impacts her life, the family, and our community. As a result of this tragic event, she established The Devin J. Norring Foundation to honor Devin and bring attention to the community on issues of illegal drug use. Additional information can be found at https://www.dnfhelp.org.

#### April 21

Officer Geoff Latsch, Dakota County Sheriff's Office and Deputy Chief Bryan Schowalter, Hastings Police Department will discuss their Drug Task Force and perspective on keeping the community safe. The Drug Task Force focuses on the sale, distribution and use of narcotics. The task force also investigates gang and violent offender crime. It is a cooperative effort on behalf of all Dakota County law enforcement agencies. They will be showing drug kits and explaining their activities, efforts and how the faith community can become involved.

#### April 28

A three-week series on the unhoused/homeless will led by Lisa Bergert, April 28, May 5 and May 12. Learn about and discuss the different dimensions of those who live without a permanent roof over their head. Who are they? What defines someone as homeless? What is the unhoused situation in our community? We will discover the social, psychological, and theological dimensions of these fellow children of God.

# Superintendent Dr. Tamara Champa at Adult Education Session

Adult Education invited District 200 Superintendent

Champa to meet St. Philip's and present at a recent Sunday morning adult forum session. The passing of the recent tech focused bond was Dr. Champa's focus. She reviewed five initiatives the District is focusing on as it rebuilds following an "education-costly"

pandemic period. She entertained numerous questions from the



audience of at least thirty-five congregation members attending.

It was a very valuable and well received visit from Superintendent Champa.

# **Become a Worship Leader**

A big part of volunteering at St. Philip's is being a worship leader. Being an usher is one such duty which is both important and appreciated. To be a worship leader such as a greeter, usher, lector, communion preparation person or a worship coordinator, complete a Time and Talent form as found on the rack behind the welcome canter. Pictured below are Gary and Marge Evenson, St. Philip's members since 1967.





#### Confirmation Serving Event! Wednesday May 1 6:15-9:00 pm

Come join our confirmation students as we make a difference by packing meals for hungry neighbors around the world! Volunteering at Feed My Starving Children is a great team-building experience. Enjoy working together to save lives and feed kids in a positive, energetic and team-focused environment. We have 8-10 extra slots available.

If you have already participated in a FMSC event, then you know how much fun it is. If you haven't done this yet, now is the time! Those who want to will meet at the church to form carpools and leave at 6:15 pm. Otherwise plan on being at 990 Lone Oak Road, Suite 136 in Eagan by 7:00 pm. Our slot to learn and work is from 7:00-8:30 pm and we hope to be back at the church around 9:00 pm.

# LET'S SERVE TOGETHER!

# **Offering Time**

The Stewardship of our financial resources begins early at St. Philip's with young people given the privilege of bringing their offerings forward the during worship hour. Returning to reioin their parents, bringing their after



offerings to the altar are siblings from one family.



St. Philip's in the Community

**May Park Clean-Up** is a great service opportunity for families! We have signed up to be part of the Hastings Park Cleanup effort. We have been assigned Roadside Park on Highway 55.

- Park clean-up will begin at 8:30 am on Saturday, May 4.
- Meet at the pavilion. We will have bags and pickers from the Park and Rec Department.
- There will be donut balls!!!!
- Look for the SignUpGenius to be emailed out to you in April.

This was a fun activity last year and did not take us very long. If you have questions, send an email to <a href="mailto:ctoppin409@gmail.com">ctoppin409@gmail.com</a>

Food Rescue Update at Hastings Family Service -

Thanks to all of you who have helped with food rescue at Hastings Family Service. Food comes in from Cub, Coborn's, Kwik Trip and Walmart several days a week.

This has greatly expanded the fresh pounds of food available for our neighbors. Last year HFS served 2,279 families, an increase of 53% from last year.

Anyone over the age of 18 can volunteer. Watch for the SignUpGenius that Lista Klocow will send out around the 25th of each month.

# SignUpGenius

Speaking of SignUpGenius...this online tool is available to any SPLC ministry team that might have a need to find some volunteers to help at an event, to sign up for an outing, to provide food or meals for someone, etc. The possibilities are great.

SPLC has been using it for a while now providing an easy way to sign up to help i.e. the Food Rescue at Hastings Family Service, drive a member to cancer treatments and the preschool uses it for parents to provide snacks, etc. If you have any questions or would like to try it contact Cindy Toppin or Lista Klocow.

### **Children's Time**

The children's sermon time of St. Philip's worship hours is a treasured time for both the children and the congregation looking on. Pictured, is an especially engaged little guy who knows and answers Pastor Geier's questions with amazing confidence.



#### Columbarium

St. Philip's provides care for its members from birth

baptism and through death and eternal life. The church offers a final resting place option for its members and their families - a church home columbarium. А



columbarium is a group of small compartments, or niches, designed to hold the cremated remains of our loved ones. The columbarium is located east of the church building along Pleasant Drive. The columbarium has 80 niches and includes a beautiful peace garden for visiting family and friends. Application folders for those who are interested in leasing a niche are available at the welcome center. For more information, call Gary McDougall at 651-216-7213 or Judy Hansen at 612-600-1209.



### **Keeping Connected**

#### Todd and Kathy Jensen



Our story begins a long time ago. Todd and I met in Worthington, Minnesota back in 1977.

I am a native of Worthington, but Todd's family moved to Worthington from Papillion, Nebraska the fall of 1977. Both our families attended the

United Methodist church which is where we met. The volunteering committee luckily paired us together to teach Sunday school. Over time, we became good friends and then started dating. Prior to leaving for college, we continued to volunteer for youth group activities, participated in mission trips and I sang in the choir. This involvement in church helped build our faith foundation.

Todd attended the University of Minnesota Duluth, graduating with a degree in Communications. I attended St. Cloud State University, graduating with a degree in Physical/Health Education.

In September 1987, we were married in our hometown.

We lived in Bloomington and Eagan for fifteen years, prior to moving to Hastings. We moved here in February 2002. Neighbors invited us to St. Philip's the next year and with the guidance and encouragement from Glenda Schnirring, we became members.

We both have been fortunate to have had only a couple of careers. I worked for Northwest Airlines for twenty years, and then finished my last sixteen years at Dakota County as the Director of the Service and License Centers. Todd worked in the pharmaceutical sales industry for thirty-four years. His successful career allowed us to go on many amazing trips around the world. Hawaii, Rome, Monte Carlo, Argentina, and Bermuda are just a few destinations we visited.

We both are now retired and enjoying the "little" things in life. We fish, golf, bike, travel, garden, and throw a lot of bean bags (corn hole). You may see us as you are walking down Northridge Drive.

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We were never blessed with children, but we have had seven English Springer Spaniel's throughout our time together. Currently we have Rags (8 years) and Rudy (5 years). Todd is an avid pheasant hunter and these two helpers bring home a lot of birds.

It's hard to say where our journey will take us next, but for now it's Hastings and St. Philip's!



Steven and Carol Tobin



Steve began his life in Spring Valley, Minnesota. He graduated from Spring Valley High School. His hobbies were; ham radio, Boy Scouts, fishing, hunting, and reading. After he graduated, he started working as a relief agent for the Milwaukee Railroad during the summers. That fall he started attending Rochester Junior College to study electronics.

Carol lived in several places growing up; St Paul, Wanda, farm in Redwood County, and Rochester. She graduated from John Marshall High School. She spent her high school years babysitting and later working in the farm store her dad managed. Hobbies included: sewing, reading, and riding bike. She attended Rochester Junior College for one year then transferred to Mankato State College to get a teaching degree.

We met on a blind date the week after school was out for the summer. We were doing our friends a favor. They did not go out again. Steve and I dated for the next two years. He was in Rochester during the school year and I was in Mankato. In the summer he went to work for the railroad and I worked at the farm store in the breaks between school and summer sessions. He finished school in the spring of 1969 and went to work for Collins Radio in Iowa. Carol graduated August 21, we married at Gloria Dei Church in Rochester on the 23<sup>rd</sup>, we moved to Cedar Rapids on the 24<sup>th</sup>. I started teaching school in Marion, Iowa on the 26<sup>th</sup>. It was a busy weekend.

We moved back to Rochester after a year. We both worked for the Rochester School district, Steve in the audio-visual department and I was at Kellogg Jr. High school as the art teacher. Then we moved to Jordan: Steve worked for TELEX and I worked for Shakopee Schools.

We moved in 1977 to a hobby farm in the Hampton area when Steve started working for 3M. Sarah, our daughter was a year old. I started working as a substitute teacher. Peter, our son was born two years later. We did pursue all the activities related to hobby farming like gardening and raising chickens and cows It was an excellent opportunity to have pets: cats, dogs, turtles, toads, and fish.

We became active in the Randolph community including church and school. During this time Steve became the Boy Scoutmaster in Cannon Falls. In 1990 our children transferred to Hastings schools and I started working for the Hastings school district. We transferred our membership to St. Philip's. We had worked with an interim pastor in Randolph. When pastor became interim pastor at St. Philip's, she told us many good things about St. Philip's and she was right.

After teaching in Hastings for six years, Carol became certified in Adult Basic Education and got experience working in corrections. She went to work for Ramsey County Correctional Facility, a position with many challenges and rewards. She was there for sixteen years. She retired ten years ago.

Steve was spun off from 3M to Imation to Kodak to Carestream. He retired about twelve years ago.

St. Philip's has been good to us. Peter was confirmed, Sarah and her husband were married, and all three of our grandchildren were baptized. Sarah and Peter enjoyed youth activities as teenagers. Steve and I have been active in the garage sale each spring.

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Greeter Bruce Akins	Marge Peterson, Bernita Weber, and Sunday School Students	Wayne & Beth Fahlstrom, Jon Faust	Karen Elliott	
Usher Camille Nelson	Lance & Lois Twedt	Kent & Pam Hoffman	Dan Thomas & Steve Wolverton	
Lector	Wes Ask	Beth Fahlstrom	Lori Best	
Communion Bread Lisa Bergert	Pastor Geier & Barb Jorenby	Pastor Geier & Becky Raimann	Pastor Geier & Lori Best	
Communion Wine & Connie Ball	Patty Todnem & Darla Kimmes	Darlene Olson & Deborah Dreher	Katy Lindberg & Jennie Thomas	
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Ron Toppin Bob Cruse Offering Counters	Judy Hansen Denny Kohn	Pam Hoffman Mary Rock	Deb Frandrup Deborah Dreher	
Prayer Team Vonnie Olson	Judy Werner	Jennie Thomas	Barb Jorenby	
Music Leader/Cantor Wormley	Unity		Maria Gathje	
Noreen Swanson & Children's Organist/Musicians Choir	Noreen Swanson & Unity	Sam Willis and Guest Band	Bells	
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#### Church Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm Friday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

#### Sunday Worship Service:

In Person and Livestream Worship at 9:30 am (Livestream link on www.splchastings.org, YouTube and Facebook)

#### **Sunday Education Hour:**

Adult Forum at 10:30 am in the Learning Room Sunday School at 10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall

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