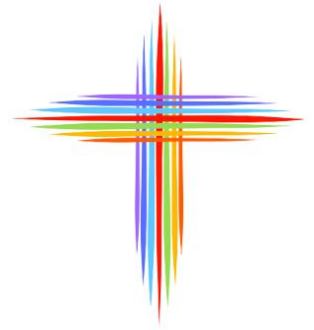


Saint Paul's @ the Farm

A United Church of Christ Community

Welcoming you on Christ the King Sunday

10:30 a.m. ~ November 23, 2025



Welcoming Saints and Sinners since 1900



Welcome to Saint Paul's! Here we believe this is God's house, and you are welcome. This is home to all who enter. We strive to be a community as diverse and hospitable as we understand God's kingdom, welcoming saints and sinners alike since 1900. We don't all look or act alike, dress alike, and God knows we don't all think alike. We don't all read the Bible the same way. We bring different questions, and we carry different burdens. Yet, every time we gather, we

gather, fellowship, and worship as one big family. In this place, we do Sunday mornings in some pretty traditional ways. We study the teachings and the actions of Jesus. We sing many of the same hymns our grandparents sang and some that may be more modern as well. In our liturgy, our prayers, and our preaching, we wrestle with the challenges of the modern world we live in. I hope your heart will hear something personal and relevant this day—a word of comfort, a spur to action, and a call to a deeper relationship with God.

If you are new here, before you leave today, please introduce yourself to the pastor, and if you would, fill out a welcome card. Find us on Facebook and check out our website at spuccfarm.org to learn more. Get involved in whatever way you choose. Jump right in. You may never know; you may have just found your church home. As we like to say to everyone who comes through the door, "Welcome Home."

A special note to parents: Come, sit in the front few rows, there's not much interesting about the backs of heads and for our littlest ones, they like to see too. Should you choose, we have a staffed nursery open for newborns to three years of age. Additionally, we offer Children's Church immediately following the "time with our children" for children ages 3 through 2nd grade. We find children to be truly the teachers and leaders of our faith community and welcome them all with open arms.

Finally, if you are visiting and need anything at all, please don't hesitate to ask a neighbor, an usher, the pastor, and know we are glad you are here!

*Peace,
Pastor Timothy Hogan-Palazzo*

Gathering of the Community

Gathering Music

Sharon Styer

Chiming of the Hour

Introit

"Holy Ground" / G. Davis

**"We are standing on Holy Ground, and I know that there are angels all around;
Let us praise Jesus now. We are standing in His presence on Holy Ground."**

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Timothy Hogan-Palazzo and Sue Overdorf

Invocation

Pastor Timothy Hogan-Palazzo

Time of Centering

"Dawn Praise" / G. Hamilton / Sharon Styer

Sharing of the Light

Cora Kazibwe

*Call to Worship

Sue Overdorf

Leader: The Lord promises: "I will raise up a righteous Branch, a king who will reign wisely and do what is just and right in the land." (Jeremiah 23:5)

Family: Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. All things were created through him and for him. (Colossians 1:15-16)

Leader: In him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church, the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead. (Colossians 1:17-18)

Family: Even on the cross, crowned with thorns, Jesus reigns as King. "Remember me when you come into your kingdom," the thief cried out. (Luke 23:42)

Leader: And Jesus answered, "Today you will be with me in Paradise." (Luke 23:43)

Family: God is our refuge and strength. The Lord of heavenly forces is with us!

Leader: Come, let us worship Christ our King—

All: The one who brings peace, who reconciles all things, who reigns not with violence but with love!

*Hymn of Praise, 234

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Proclaiming the Word

God Moments & Concerns of the Family

Pastor Timothy Hogan-Palazzo

Preparing Our Hearts for Prayer

"Lord Be Glorified" / B. Kilpatrick

"In my heart, Lord, be glorified, be glorified; In my heart, Lord, be glorified today."

Silent Reflection and Family at Prayer

*The Lord's Prayer (unison):

****Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our **sins as we forgive those who have **sinned against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

***May use name/words most familiar to your understanding of God.*

Chancel Choir Anthem

"Forever King!" / Anderson & Forrest

Who is God, that we should praise Him? Who is He, that we should sing? Who is this exalted Savior, crown'd the everlasting King? Why fall at His feet in worship, Alleluias to Him bring? Architect of ev'ry atom, Author of each passing hour, Chief of all the changing seasons, Maker of each field and flow'r, speaking all into existence, God of majesty and pow'r. Morning stars, all sing together, shout for joy, ye sons of God! Rocks and stones, O be not silent, streams and rivers, give Him laud! Clouds that frame the dome of heaven, sound your thunder and applaud!

*Confirmation

*Riley Gill and Skyler Ritter
Parents: Brad & Jeannette Gill and Valerie Ritter*

Faith Family Assent: We promise to stick with you - through youth group pizza nights, mission trips, and even when life gets messy. We'll pray for you during finals week, cheer you on at your games and matches, and feed you - literally at potlucks, church dinners, breakfast and spiritually as we learn and grow together. Whether you're navigating high school drama, college decisions, or just figuring out life, we're in this with you. As you grow, we grow. And together, let's keep showing Jesus' love in real, everyday ways.

Children's Choir Anthem

"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" / R. Founds

Time with Our Children

Colleen Franciscus

Lectionary

Frank Wetzel

Epistle Lesson: Colossians 1:11-20 (page 899 in your pew Bible)

*Gospel Lesson: Luke 23:33-43 (page 806 in your pew Bible)

Lector: This is the word of God for all God's Children.

All: Thanks be to God.

*Lectionary Response

"Gloria Patri" / Trad.

***"Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen."***

Sermon

"Tell Us All We Need to Know"
Pastor Timothy Hogan-Palazzo

Responding to the Word

Sermon Response

"I Love You, Lord" / L. Klein

***"I love You, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship You, O my soul, rejoice!
Take joy, my King, in what You hear: may it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear."***

Offering

Offertory

"Jesus, Bread of Life, I Pray Thee" / arr. D.E. Wagner / Sharon Styer

Presentation of Our Gifts

To give electronically, you may scan the QR code below

*Offertory Response

"Holy, Holy, Holy" / Argentine Folk Song

***"Holy, holy, holy. My heart, my heart adores you!
My heart knows how to say to you: You are holy, Lord."***

*Offertory Prayer

Pastor Timothy Hogan-Palazzo

A Statement of Faith (United Church of Canada):

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in Creation, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God.

*Sending Hymn, no. 304

"Lift High The Cross"

*Benediction

*Benedictory Response

"O, for a Thousand Tongues" / C. Wesley

***"My gracious Master and my God, assist to proclaim,
to spread thro' all the earth abroad, the honors of Thy name."***

*Postlude

"A Festal Postlude" / J. G. Barr / Sharon Styer

*Please stand in body or spirit as you are able.



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Organist, Accompanist, and Director of Children's Choir	Sharon Styer
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Child Care Attendant	Katy Mahon
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