

# Announcements and Upcoming Events

*We offer with joy and thanksgiving what God has first given us, ourselves our time and our possessions.*

"Unified Fund Summary (the Unified Fund is the checking account from which all routine operating expenses are paid; e.g. payroll, utilities, supplies, etc.)"	
<b>Beginning Bal. January 22, 2024</b>	<b>\$22,106.70</b>
Sunday Offerings	\$2,525.00
Online Giving	\$865.00
Subtotal	\$25,496.70
Payments	(\$11,628.80)
<b>Ending Bal. January 22, 2024</b>	<b>\$13,867.90</b>
<b>Beginning Bal. January 29, 2024</b>	
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Sunday Offerings	\$4,227.00
TRF from TR-Music Ministry	\$148.00
Learning Place Monthly Contribution	\$1,500.00
Online Giving	\$690.00
Subtotal	\$20,432.90
Payments	(\$2,900.58)
<b>Ending Bal. January 29, 2024</b>	<b>\$17,532.32</b>
Unified/Temporary Restricted (Designated) Fund Offerings January 28, 2024	
Building/Renovation Fund	\$70.00
Fellowship Hall Use	\$150.00
Member Emergency Fund	\$52.00
Memorial Fund	\$275.00
Worship attendance for the January 28 <sup>th</sup> at 8:00AM-51 and 10:30AM-77 for a total of 128.	

## Contact INFORMATION

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**Brad Kaufman, Custodian**

February 4, 2024

**MISSION STATEMENT** "Glorify God, Share the Love of Jesus, Do Good works through Service"

**See below for Pastoral Care Coverage for Pastor Mark while he is off for knee replacement surgery and recovery.**

**February 4-10**

Pastor Rebecca West

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**February 11-17**

Pastor Doug Knupp

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**February 18-24**

Vicar Regina Holliday

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**February 25-March 2**

Pastor Nancy Hoover

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**March 3-9**

Vicar Christy Harford

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**Brett will be teaching the congregation the new liturgy for the Easter season (Chicago folk service). He will begin around 7:53am and 10:23am.**

**The practice liturgy part will be printed in the bulletin at the beginning of the service. Thank you!**

*In Our  
Thoughts  
and Prayers*



Our deepest sympathy is expressed to the family and friends of **Esther Mishler** who passed away on January 28, 2024. We commend her to our merciful Savior in the sure and certain hope of resurrection.



Mid-Week Lent Soup & Sandwich meals will be held on February 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>. **We are in need of volunteers to supply the soup & sandwiches each week. You can sign up on the sheets available in the narthex. \*\*** The evening begins with the meal served at 5:15PM followed by service at 6:15PM in the fellowship hall. We are also in need of 2 readers during the service, a signup sheet is available in the narthex.



Reminder the Annual Ministry Team Reports deadline is **TOMORROW** Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. Team leaders please have your reports emailed to **stdavids\_sec@atlanticbb.net**



Sonya Andrews \*Lauren Bungard  
Mike Grose\*Deb Harris\* Cathy Lilly  
Jill Mitchell\*Sue Risch \*Doug Shrader  
Ronna Marisa\* Angie McKool \* Bob Troxell

All donations will benefit a local food distribution organization!

**CHILDREN & YOUTH**

**MAC & CHEESE DRIVE**  
Please drop off donations in the Narthex.

**souper bowl sunday**

Children & Youth making Ham Pot Pie Saturday, Feb 10<sup>th</sup> @ 9am.  
Soup Sale Sunday, Feb 11<sup>th</sup> after services!  
If you would like to make and donate soup for variety, please contact Sonya, Erika, Elizabeth, Rachel, or Stormie.



### BOARD MEMBERS

Rachel Kimmel, Angie McKool, Jerrod Cannistraci, Linda Shrader, Joyce Gindlesperger and Cindy Liska. Please welcome new board members Patty Rullo & Cathy Lilly.

### Thrivent Financial Choice Dollars

Eligible members of Thrivent Financial who have been designating Choice Dollars have until March 31, 2024, to direct any remaining 2023 Choice Dollars. Thrivent Choice Dollars grant funds can help support organizations you care about. Don't let your designated Choice Dollars expire. Help support St. David's Lutheran Church ministries. Go to [Thrivent.com/thriventchoice](https://Thrivent.com/thriventchoice) or call 800-847-4836 and state "Thrivent Choice".



**2024 ALTAR FLOWER CHART** is located on the wall across from the bulletin board. The cost is \$40.00 per vase. Fill out what is to be printed in the announcement sheet on the chart. On Sundays following the 10:30 AM service you make take the Altar flowers. If there is anyone that has signed up for flowers in remembrance of a loved one and does not want the flowers, please mark **“Take to LVV”** on the chart by Sunday morning. Please return the white containers from the flower arrangements by Friday. **PREPAYMENT OF ALTAR FLOWERS IS REQUIRED.**



SIGN Up for St. David's Online Giving by going to the church website [www.stdavidslutheran.org](http://www.stdavidslutheran.org) click on *GIVE*, click on *SIGN IN*. You will need to register for a new account. Once you are registered you can give to the General Budget (unified); Capital Campaign or Endowment Fund using a credit card or bank account. You may also choose to make your gift recur.



Ash  
Wednesday  
Service

Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>  
Liturgy of Holy Communion with  
Imposition of Ashes

1:30 PM Vicar Regina Holliday &  
Bishop Emeritus Gregory Pile

7:00 PM Pastor Jamie Olson



The St. Davids Pastoral Call-Committee is working to call a new pastor to our Church. As part of this process, the committee is required to develop a Ministry Site Profile. This document will be posted to the “Current Openings” on the ELCA website and will give potential pastors a picture of our congregation, community, and region. We are seeking the help of our members to ensure our Ministry Site Profile is complete, encompassing, current, and attractive to potential candidates. Please take some time to complete the survey you should have received in the mail this past week, or you can go to the Facebook page and complete the form online. This helps us get a picture of the needs of our congregation. Please complete the survey by February 11. Thank you for your help in the call process.



The St. David's *Service Team* will be helping Somerset County Meals on Wheels with desserts. **They will be collected at the church on Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> in the narthex** between the hours of 8:00-11:00 AM. Questions contact Sue Risch 814-421-0285.

Desserts requested by Meals on Wheels include:

- Cakes – no icing, but chips and sprinkles are acceptable.
- Cookies – 2 dozen minimum
- Brownies – no icing
- Breads – (Banana, Zucchini, Blueberry)

**ALL DESSERTS MUST BE IN DISPOSABLE CONTAINERS.**



March 17<sup>th</sup> there will be a soup and sandwich fellowship after the 10:30 service. Sign-up sheet is available in the narthex.

\*Schedule of Upcoming Events\*

~ Please check the church website calendar for the most up to date events ~

Sunday 2/4:	8:00 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	9:15 AM	Children's Choir
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	12:00 PM	Confirmation Class (FH9)
 Office hours	The secretary's office hours for the week of February 5-9 will be Monday- Friday 9AM-3PM. <b>Any changes to hours will be noted on the church calendar on the website.</b> <a href="http://www.stdavidslutheran.org">www.stdavidslutheran.org</a>	
Monday 2/5:	9:00 AM	YOGA (FH9)
	4:15 PM	Girl Scouts (CR2)
	6:00 PM	Bible Study (21 A-C)
	7:00 PM	YOGA (FH9)
Wednesday 2/7:	6:00 PM	Fellowship Ministry Team (P)
	6:30 PM	Adult Choir
	7:30 PM	Bell Choir
Thursday 2/8:	6:30 PM	Worship & Music Ministry Team (P)
Sunday 2/11:	<b>Youth Soup Sale after services /Mac &amp; Cheese Drive</b>	
	8:00 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechis
	9:15 AM	Children's Choir
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service

\* February 4\* (Communion) \*

8:00 AM	10:30 AM
<b>Acolytes-</b> Lexi Byer	<b>Acolytes- Need Volunteers</b>
<b>Altar-</b> Deb Hart & Kathy Carnahan	<b>Altar-</b> Faye Buncich
<b>Cantor-</b> Wendy Figard	<b>Cantor-</b> Choir
<b>Communion Assts</b> Tom & Deb Harris	<b>Communion Assts</b> Mry Jane McCready & Buck Sleek
<b>Lector-</b> Deb Harris	<b>Lector-</b> Mary Jane McCready
<b>Ushers-</b> Tom & Deb Harris	<b>Ushers-</b> Buck & Pam Sleek
<b>Counters-</b> Dave & Cindy Liska, Jean Magdelinic	

**If you would like to commune but are unable for any reason to go forward to the altar, please let an usher know so communion can be brought to you.**

\* February 11\* (Intinction) \*

8:00 AM	10:30 AM
<b>Acolytes-</b> Molly Hunsberger	<b>Acolytes- Need Volunteers</b>
<b>Altar-</b> Kathy Naugle	<b>Altar-</b> Gail Berkebile
<b>Cantor-</b> Judy Brotz	<b>Cantor-</b> Choir
<b>Communion Assts</b> Nick & Beth Hunsberger	<b>Communion Assts</b> Bill Bergman & Patty Rullo
<b>Lector-</b> Anna Hunsberger	<b>Lector-</b> Bill Bergman
<b>Ushers-</b> Ed & Deb Hart	<b>Ushers-</b> Dave & Sis Barabas
<b>Counters-</b> Dennis Naugle, Joyce Gindlesperger, Jean Magdelinic	