

Greetings St. Paul Lutheran Church!

We had a great celebration of our new members last Sunday! You'll see the official picture (all of them with the cake) in the newsletter in May but I wanted to share some other pictures of everyone during the coffee hour with you today. These pictures represent some of the best of St. Paul – people gathering and eating together – just like Jesus did when he was resurrected and showed himself to the disciples as alive.



Next Saturday (not tomorrow), the 27th, the Arlington Park Neighborhood Association is hosting a potluck lunch at Arlington Park from 12-3. It's a bring a dish to share event to get to know our neighbors. I hope many of St. Paul members and friends can attend to show we care about our neighbors and want to get to know them. Our council is reading a book called, "Leading Faithful Innovation: Following God into a Hopeful Future" and one of the key ideas is to get into the neighborhood of the church and just be curious and listen to who is there and ask the question, "What is Jesus already doing and where can we join him?" This would be a great opportunity to do that. The gathering is at the picnic tables near the playground. If you have questions on location, please let me know.

Take care and God bless

-PrAshley