

Greetings St. Paul Lutheran Church!

If you were at worship on Sunday, you may have received inspiration from Welcome to Flight #2025! Thanks Marty and Pr. Don for sharing it with those in-person last Sunday. Just in case you didn't get it or aren't able to be in-person, I wanted to share it here.

Hello All! Welcome to Flight #2025! ✈️

We are prepared to take off into a **brand-new year**.

Please make sure your **Attitude** and **Blessings** are secured and locked in an upright position.

All self-destructive devices should be **turned off** at this time.

All negativity, hurt and discouragement should be put away.

Should you lose Altitude under pressure, during the flight, reach up and pull down a **Prayer**.

Prayers will automatically be activated by **Faith**.

Once your Faith is activated you can **assist** other passengers.

There will be **NO BAGGAGE** allowed on this flight.

The **Captain (GOD)** has cleared us for takeoff. Destination GREATNESS!!

As I have been mentioning for a while now, St. Paul turns 70 this year. There are special worship services on Sundays, January 19-February 23. Each week will be a different decade recognition. Special Coffee Hour after worship too. Bring in your favorite decade food. Wear your favorite decade clothing. Bring in a decade item to decorate the tree in the Fellowship Hall. Invite a friend to help us celebrate.

January 19 – 1950s Homecoming Sunday – from the 1918 Common Service Book

January 26 – 1960s Pack the Church Sunday – from the Service Book and Hymnal

February 2 – 1970s – Welcoming the Son (Sun) Sunday – from the SBH

February 9 – 1980s – Fishers of Men Sunday – from the Lutheran Book of Worship

February 16 – 1990s – Blessing of the Crowd Sunday – from the LBW

February 23 – 2000-current – Peaceful Gathering Sunday – from the ELW hymnal

Plan to be at the church on January 26th for not only worship, but then the re-dedication of the Education Building at 11am, lunch, and then Rev. Ed Kilbourne's concert at 1p.

Rev. Ed Kilbourne's God's Word Made Fresh event on Monday-Wednesday January 27-29th 9:30-12 with breakfast and lunch provided. Please sign up at with this link

<https://forms.gle/CDNETtx5CsMHR79K6>, on our website, fill out a registration form at church, or call the office. We need to have at least 30 registered to have the event. Flyers and brochures are available to give to friends, neighbors, or someone you've been wanting to invite to our church but haven't yet. You don't have to attend all of the sessions to enjoy it.

Take care and God bless

-PrAshley