**Join us for Holy Week and Easter services in the way that is most prayerful for you!**

At St. Paul Lutheran, Anamosa, we are pleased to share our plans to offer prayerful services for Palm Sunday, Holy Week, and Easter so you can join us in a meaningful way.

Because we cannot rely on comfortable weather or dry ground in the first week of April, services will be held mostly in-person and in-doors while being live-streamed and posted on our YouTube Channel, and hopefully Facebook, on the following days and times:

***Palm Sunday, March 28*** **8:30 a.m.** Traditional Service, St. Paul Church

 **10:30 am.** Contemporary Service, St. Paul Church

Palms will be sent home with WD4 families and made available inside the office building doors the week before for worship in your domestic churches. We will bless them together at the beginning of our service.

***Wed. March 31***  **6:00 p.m.** The Way of the Cross with Mary, the Mother of Jesus. St. Paul Church

Reflections on 14 moments in the final passion (suffering) of Jesus from the perspective of his mother, shared by women of the community.

***Maundy Thursday***, ***April 1*** **6:00 p.m.** St. Paul Church

***Good Friday, April 2*** **6:00 p.m.** St.Paul Church

***Easter Sunday April 4*** **6:40 a.m.** Outdoor Sunrise Service with communion

 Rotary Pavilion, Wapsi State Park (no reservation required). Bring a folding chair.

**8:30 a.m.** Traditional Service, St. Paul Church

**10:30 a.m.** Contemporary Service, St. Paul Church

In order to provide a safe environment in our moderately sized sanctuary, we are following the Pandemic Guidelines from the Ecumenical Consultation on Protocols for Worship and Sacraments issued Feb. 2021.

● Wear a mask fully covering your mouth and nose at all times.

● Maintain a distance of at least 6 feet from all persons not living in your household.

● To guarantee safe social distancing in our sanctuary, we are allowed a maximum of 45 participants in 15 pews. You are encouraged to contact the office ahead of time (462-4841, stpaulanamosa@gmail.com) to reserve seats for you and your household. You are welcome to present yourself at a worship service without a reservation, but if all seating is reserved or occupied, know that you might be asked to return at another time.

As we have been emphasizing over the last year, if you are not able to join us in person, please set aside time for you and your household to worship with us via live-stream or recorded service. We encourage you to be the church God desires you to be wherever you are. We look forward to warmer weather and upcoming opportunities when we can more fully gather as a faith community. In the meantime, keep praying for each other!