

◆ **Assistive Hearing Devices** are available in the Sound Booth if you are interested.  
 ◆ **Child Care** is available for your small children. The Nursery is located downstairs.  
 Please prepare your heart and mind to come into the very presence of God. The use of cell phones is *strongly* encouraged: to share inspiration with others, to invite people to church, to give online, to view the weekly bulletin, and more (as long as it's on silent).

---

January 8<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am ~ Rev. David Petty will be preaching about the Baptism of Jesus!



Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>-Feb. 19<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am  
 We begin a new sermon series about being “Drawn into a Creative Life with God”.  
 Crafting and creativity will be all around.

January 26<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm ~ Join us for our Winter Community Event  
 We will have a free to the community dinner, crafts and more.

Please check out website [www.stpaulscs.org](http://www.stpaulscs.org) for more information about these and all of our other events!

\*indicates an invitation to stand, **Bold** indicates congregational participation

**Greeting**

Rev. David Petty

**Prelude**

Stephanie Shorden

**\*Call to Worship**

CLM Twinkle Gordon

**\*Gathering Song**

*We Three Kings*

**v. 1, 2, 5 UMH #254**

**Mystery Box**

**PRAYER**

**Invitation to Prayer**

Pastor Donnie Sturgill

Anyone wishing to come forward to the Communion Railing to pray or light a prayer candle may do so.

**Prayer Song**

*Into My Heart*

**v. 1 TFWS#2160**

**Pastoral Prayer, Silent Prayer & The Lord's Prayer**

Pastor Donnie Sturgill

**Prayer Response**

*Into My Heart*

**v. 2 TFWS#2160**

**GIVING BACK**

**Invitation to Offering**

CLM Twinkle Gordon

**Offertory**

*Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing* by Gordon Young

Sanctuary Choir

**Prayer of Thanks & Dedication**

Pastor Donnie Sturgill

**\*Doxology**

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**UMH #94**

**MESSAGE**

**Scripture Reading**

Matthew 2:11-12

CLM Twinkle Gordon

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Message**

*The Real Gifts of Christmas ~ By a Different Road*

Pastor Donnie Sturgill

**Communion Hymn**

***One Bread, One Body***

**UMH #620**

**Communion**

Pastor Donnie Sturgill

**SENDING FORTH**

**\*Sending Hymn**

***Good Christian Friends, Rejoice***

**UMH #224**

**Announcements**

**Benediction**

Pastor Donnie Sturgill

**Postlude**

Stephanie Shorden

**Acknowledgements:** All music used by permission. CCLI & CVLI #2706588

# January Anniversaries

Mark & Linda Patzke  
January 28, 1994  
29 Years



## January Birthdays!

2<sup>nd</sup>  
Marie Moran  
Jenifer Williams  
6<sup>th</sup>  
Lu Petersen  
8<sup>th</sup>  
Karen Staudte  
13<sup>th</sup>  
Katy Reese  
15<sup>th</sup>  
Irene Hiestand  
Jon Reimer  
16<sup>th</sup>  
Willie Horst

18<sup>th</sup>  
Debbie DeLaney  
Steve Wernli  
24<sup>th</sup>  
Michael Newberry  
25<sup>th</sup>  
Dixie Barnes  
Jackie Ewell  
John Fletcher  
Jeri Martin  
26<sup>th</sup>  
Barbara Newberry  
30<sup>th</sup>  
Bill Morr



## St. Paul's United Methodist Church

2111 Carlton Ave., Colorado Springs, CO 80909

office@stpaulscs.org (719) 634-7046

stpaulscs.org

Sunday, January 1, 2023 9:30 am Worship

9:45 am Children Sunday School

5:00 - 7:00 pm Youth Group



*The Real Gift of Christmas*

**By a Different Road**

Senior Pastor  
Rev. David Petty  
719-337-9421

[pastordavidpetty@gmail.com](mailto:pastordavidpetty@gmail.com)

Associate Pastor  
Pastor Donnie Sturgill  
719-896-0422

[pastordonnie@comcast.net](mailto:pastordonnie@comcast.net)

Certified Lay Minister  
Twinkle Gordon  
719-433-8081

[twinkandmargo@gmail.com](mailto:twinkandmargo@gmail.com)

"Like" us on Facebook- [St. Paul's United Methodist Church- Colorado Springs, CO](https://www.facebook.com/stpaulscs)