

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

PASTORAL STAFF

Our pastors are dedicated to sharing the Love of God by supporting each other, our ministries and ministry leaders, our church and school staff, a group of members, elected by the congregation, our community and Jesus Christ, our Lord. Please take a moment and meet our Pastoral staff.

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Rev. Dr. George E. Black, Senior Pastor

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The Rev. Dr. George E. Black is the Senior Pastor here at St. Paul's. He was installed in June, 2006. Pastor George did his pre-seminary studies at the University of Colorado, majoring in African History. He moved on to seminary in Springfield, Illinois. During his vicarage year the seminary moved to Fort Wayne, Indiana where he graduated in 1977 with a Masters of Divinity degree. He also did his post-graduate studies there and in 1995 received his Doctor of Ministry degree.



Pastor George was ordained as a Lutheran pastor on December 10, 1977 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Greeley, Colorado. Prior to coming to St. Paul's he served the LORD as Senior Pastor at Trinity Lutheran Church in Casper, Wyoming; Concordia Lutheran Church in Fort Wayne, Indiana; Trinity Lutheran Church in Utica, Michigan and Pinnacle Lutheran Church in Rochester, New York.

In 1999, Pastor George helped start a mission congregation on Grand Cayman Island. He served on their board and has occasionally provided pulpit assistance.

In 2000, Pastor George was elected to the LCMS Foundation Board of Trustees. For the past four years he has served as Board Chairman.

Throughout his career he has served on various District boards and committees, including one term as a circuit counselor. Pastor George is also a member of the Lutheran Association of Larger Churches.

In his spare time he enjoys playing golf. He has been married to his lovely wife, Julie, for 39 years and they have 3 grown children and 2 grandchildren.

Rev. Dr. John B. Warther, Associate Pastor

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Pastor John serves as Associate Pastor at St. Paul's. After receiving his undergraduate degree in business, he worked six years at Washington, D.C. as an accountant and Systems Administer for a local company. While serving in various church offices at Pilgrim Lutheran Church, he felt that God was calling him to become a pastor.



After four years of seminary study at Concordia Seminary, Pastor John was ordained as pastor within the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, and his first call was to St. Luke's Lutheran Church of Elizabeth, N.J, where he served for ten years. During this time, he received a Doctor of Ministry

Degree at Drew University at Madison, N.J. and served in several New Jersey District positions for the church-at-large.

When St. Paul's called Pastor John as Associate Pastor in the spring of 1998, he accepted the call and moved with his family ready to take on new challenges and build up God's people at Glen Burnie and the surrounding communities.

Pastor John and his wife of almost 20 years, Edie, have two children, one in High School and one in college at the University of Maryland in College Park.

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