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LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES SUNDAY: February 5, 2012

All around you, you can see the results of a seismic shift in our culture. Last year only half of all Christian churches saw even one person come to faith in Jesus.

This year 4,000 churches will close. Every year, 8 out of 10 college students who grew up Christian give up going to church.

We no longer live in a "Christ-following" culture.

At Lutheran Hour Ministries, we know that some things haven't changed. As human beings we are still sinful creatures, who cannot free ourselves from sin or its consequences. Salvation is still found in the Name of Jesus alone. God's Word is still Truth. God still calls believers to the work of reaching out to those who don't know Him.

Now is the time for rescue—for restoration—for renewal. Partner with us in responding to God's call.

Why? For one thing, we've worked hard to earn your trust. For more than 80 years, Lutheran Hour Ministries has reached out with the Gospel every week through The Lutheran Hour® radio program. For another, Lutheran Hour Ministries can help energize a congregation with programs and resources designed to enhance your witness and outreach:

- MISSION U, a workshop- and webinar-based witness-training system
- International Ministry Partnerships, in-depth collaboration with LHM overseas outreach efforts including short-term mission trips
- Five14, outreach-focused events for teens
- Men's NetWork, a program designed to help men re-connect with the life of the church
- Operation Barnabas, a program to reach out to members of the U.S. Armed Forces
- Spanish-language resources, children's resources and more

In appreciation for your support of LHM Sunday, we will provide incentives that will assist your congregation's efforts. Every congregation that raises more than \$1,000 for Lutheran Hour Ministries Sunday will receive two tabletop Project Connect Junior booklet displays stocked with booklets. Congregations that raise more than \$2,000 can also host a MISSION U course in 2012 for HALF PRICE!

MATCHING FUNDS: Again this year, matching funds of \$10 for every \$50 gift and \$20 for every \$100 gift from members of this congregation will be given by Vic & Doris Krahn.

Please consider making a donation in the special envelopes to be provided on Sunday, February 5, 2012 at both worship services.

We live in a time where there's a seismic shift from Christian to post-Christian culture—join us in calling our communities and country back to God.

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Church Name: St. Paul's Lutheran Church

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Service Times: 7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

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