

First St. Paul's 71st Annual

ICE CREAM Social

With Car & Motorcycle Show & Church Garage Sale

Date: Wednesday, August 3rd | Time: 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

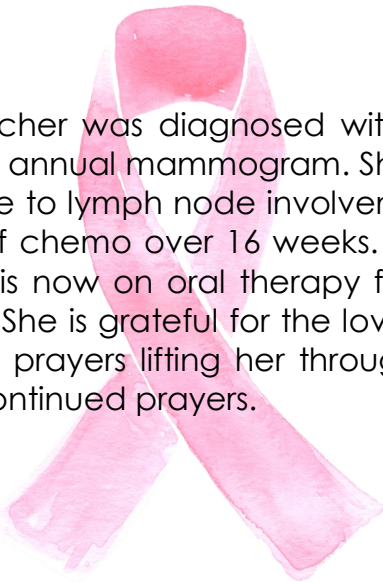
Location: First St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 501 N. Burlington Ave. Hastings, NE

First St. Paul's is honored to give funds gathered from this year's Ice Cream Social to Tara Stark, Carissa Uhrmacher and Krista Volzke. All donations will be split between the three honorees; unless you specify a particular honoree. Matching Funds will be provided through Thrivent Choice Dollars.

Tara Stark has been a member at First St. Paul's since the Spring of 2016. She has two kids, twins, James and Jessica Babcock. The twins recently graduated from Adams Central in 2022. Tara was first diagnosed with Stage II Breast cancer in 2015 at the age of 40. After chemotherapy and radiation she went into remission. Then in May of 2022, she was diagnosed with Stage IV Metastatic Breast cancer, which is now in her lymph nodes, liver and bones.



Carissa Uhrmacher was diagnosed with breast cancer on September 28, 2021, after her annual mammogram. She had a lumpectomy followed by a re-excision. Due to lymph node involvement and age, she was treated with eight rounds of chemo over 16 weeks. That was followed by 20 sessions of radiation. She is now on oral therapy for five years, with a low chance of reoccurrence. She is grateful for the love and support of family and friends. She could feel prayers lifting her through some of the toughest times and appreciates continued prayers.



Krista Volzke is a 2nd grade teacher at Adams Central Elementary. She has three children Quincy (5), Hayden (1), Hadley (1), and Husband Evan who serves on Church Council. She was diagnosed with Invasive Ductal Carcinoma in November of 2021. Krista began chemo the week after Thanksgiving and completed eight full treatments at the end of March 2022. She then underwent a double mastectomy and reconstruction surgery the last week of April followed by eight weeks of lifting restrictions and limitations in caring for her children. She is still undergoing infusion treatments to aid her immune system with regular checkups. Krista has officially been diagnosed as cancer free at this time and is working toward full recovery and regaining her strength and stamina. The Volzke's are looking forward to returning to a regular schedule and enjoying their family as they grow and develop. They are grateful and overwhelmed by the prayers and support they have received along their journey.

