

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Twenty fifth Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME TO ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH. We wish you God's richest blessings during your time with us. **Both guests and members are asked to sign the Friendship Register which you find in the pew. Green prayer cards are also available, please give to an usher.**

OUR VISION STATEMENT *Our vision is to be a people transformed by the Gospel to live out and pass on the legacy of faith in Jesus Christ in our homes, community and world. We will empower and equip people to mentor following generations so that the legacy of faith continues.*

NURSERY or CRY ROOM: are available. Please ask an usher for directions.

LARGE PRINT SERVICE'S are available on the narrow table in the narthex.

AS WE GATHER AS WE GATHER In the second week of our emphasis “Embracing Great Commission Stewardship,” we focus on “Embracing a Commitment to God’s Word.” A great treasure as Christians that we possess is the Word of God. The Bible is the preserved account of God, His people, and the growth of His Kingdom. It tells us about the assurance of forgiveness for all sins and the eternal life we have through faith in Jesus Christ. The Bible, with the help of the Holy Spirit, helps us grow in our relationship with our Heavenly Father and in the knowledge of Him. For this growth to occur, we need to spend time reading and studying God’s Word. It is incumbent upon us to manage our time well so time is made available for us to meditate on His Word. Filled with His Word and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we share God’s life-saving message with others, as we go and make disciples.

“EMBRACING GREAT COMMISSION STEWARDSHIP” We begin our three-week focus on stewardship “Embracing Great Commission Stewardship” next week. Through Scripture readings, hymns, and the message each week, we hear how God’s call to “*Go therefore and make disciples of all nations*” (Matthew 28:19) is a call from our Heavenly Father to live a life of stewardship toward the gifts of time, talents, and treasures He richly gives. Living the life of a disciple who is always seeking to become more like Christ is, at the same, time, the life of a good steward, by God’s grace and His Spirit’s power. We celebrate this faith even by submitting a commitment pledge the weekend of November 18th which describes our commitment to the Lord through our church for the coming year.

THANKSGIVING EVE PIE SOCIAL SIGN UP SHEET on narrow table in Narthex for the Thanksgiving Eve Pie Social after the Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service

OUTSIDE NATIVITY SCENE, we are looking for help to put up the outside nativity scene we will need to do it before Saturday, December 1 - a sign up sheet is available on the Welcome Center, for you to sign up and indicate which day works for you

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November 10th & 11th 2018

OUR GUEST PREACHER this weekend is **Rev. Mark Gerken**, Assistant to the President for Missions, Human Care, and Stewardship for Iowa District West, LC-MS. He will also be leading the Sunday Adult Bible Class at 9:15. We thank him for his ministry among us this morning and for the ministry he does for our District.

VOTERS’ MEETING will be on **Sunday, November 18 at 9:15AM**, this meeting will be for approval of the 2019 Budget that will be presented. All boards are to submit a written summary to the church office by Thursday, Nov. 8th, copies will be made for the Voters Meeting, a proposed budget will be published in next weekend’s bulletin.

WE HAVE MADE CHANGES TO SUNDAY MORNING KIDS PROGRAM : The Board of Education has had to make changes to our “Get off the Pew: Sunday Service Project” Due to the lack of volunteers (an extra set of hands, taking kids from one activity to the next, etc.) **We are changing our Sunday Program of Preschool-7th grade (everyone) to once a month. The next one is Sunday, December 2 9:15-10:15AM.**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11 at the 10:30AM Sunday Worship Service the KIDS CHOIR will sing.

THRIVENT MEMBERS - we are looking for a member who is willing to apply for a \$250 Thrivent Action team card for the Board of Education to use to buy the ingredients for their Advent supper, to help with their fundraising for Education needs.

APPOINTMENTS FOR GOD’S PEOPLE THIS WEEK

Sunday	Worship Service	8:00AM
11/11/18	Adult Bible Class and LYF Bible Study	9:15AM
	Worship Service	10:30AM
	Jr LYF meal and games	6:30PM
Monday	Bells	6:30PM
Tuesday	Theology at the Hut (Bible study at Pizza Hut)	6:00PM
Wednesday	Early Morning Bible Study -at Jimmy’s	6:30AM
	Adult Bible Class	9:30AM
	Choir practice	6:00PM
	Cross Explorations for grades preschool-6th (7th & 8th Conf.)	5:15-7:00PM
	Adult Bible Study	5:15-7:00PM
	REFUGE - LYF	7:00PM
Thursday	Assemble monthly newsletter	1:30PM
Saturday	Worship Service w/Communion	6:00PM
Sunday	Worship Service w/Communion	8:00AM
11/18/18	VOTERS’ MEETING - 2019 Budget approval	9:15AM
	Worship Service w/Communion	10:30AM

Attendance: Offering this week \$7,622.00

6:00PM Saturday Evening.....51
 9:00AM Sunday.....84
 10:30AM Sunday.....137
 Total.....272

St. Paul Lutheran Church Voters' Meeting Agenda
November 18, 2018
9:15AM

Call Meeting to Order

Opening Devotion

Changes to and Approval of Agenda

Minutes of the April 14, 2018 Voters' Meeting

Treasurer's Report

Pastors Report

Board Reports

Elders

*Written Report

Trustees

*Written Report

Christian Education

*Written Report

Evangelism & Assimilation

*Written Report

Human Care

*Written Report

Missions & Stewardship

*Written Report

Youth & Family Life

*Written Report

Old Business

New Business

*2019 Budget

*Review Memorial Accounts

Next Voters' Meeting: April 2019

Closing Prayer

Our Thoughts & Prayers

Heather Sweeden - St. Lukes

Clarissa "Boots" Schumann, healing from broken ribs

Dorothy Ruser - healing/recovery from surgery

Gala Endrulat - sister of Ranea Rehse

Patty Hamann- sister of Peggy Fick

Rose Ann Ladwig -

Family and friends of Margaret Walker, who was given a Christian burial this Saturday, we keep her family in our prayers.

Family and friends of Clifford Wunschel, who was given a Christian burial this past Friday, we keep his family in our prayers.

Family and friends of John Holst, who was given a Christian burial this past Monday, we keep his family in our prayers.

Family and friends of Sheila Rohlk

Family and friends of Roger Steele

Deployment: Dustin Farley to South Korea (son of Beth(Kevin) Farley, grandson, of Shirley Ruser

Farmers and families during harvest

Those recovering from Hurricanes Florence and Michael

Continued prayers and/or healing for

Lodean Korner Roy Sievert Richard Hagemeyer

Phyllis Hagemeyer Steve Andresen Marguerite Schramm

Wayne Wessel Ross Feddersen Weston Burger

Maddison Arthur Jolene Peffer Shannon Korwes

David Riessen Autumn (Knop) Kline Reed Feddersen

Todd Clausen Daryl Hecht - son in law of Elaine Bubke

Makayla Bell Stella Turnbull (friend of Makayla Bell)

Christina Harmon - (friend of Tom & Kristi German - Lyme Disease)

Karen Ballard - ALS, mother of Jamey (Nicole) Ballard

BIBLE STUDIES

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE 9:15 AM Sundays in the Fellowship Hall.
Courageous Heroes of the Faith

HIGH SCHOOL BIBLE CLASS Every Sunday at 9:15AM this does include 8th grade

THEOLOGY AT THE HUT led by Pastor Neil. Bible Study will meet weekly on Tuesdays at 6pm at Pizza Hut. We still welcome you to come at any time to join us!

WEDNESDAY EARLY MORNING BIBLE STUDY - 6:30AM at Zimmy's,

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY - 9:30 AM in the lower level Conference Room *The Book of Job* Why do the just suffer? Where is God in the midst of loss, illness, ridicule and defeat? Those questions probe deeply into the heart of every person, and all too often demand ready answers in our uniquely human, and sometimes painful, experience. Job's true story of God's grace in the midst of his profound suffering will teach you:

- the purpose of adversity in the lives of the faithful;
- the role of Satan regarding our relationship with God;
- the hope and strength we have through the promise of our Redeemer.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY ON WEDNESDAY EVENING - it's for parents or anyone who would like to come and join in. It is tied in with our Cross Explorations theme and **we are starting with the Old Testament please join us for the opening at 5:45PM or Bible Study is from 6:00-7:00PM in the fellowship hall.**

VOLUNTEERS FOR SOUND, COMPUTER TECHS, AND VIDEO TAPING are all needed. If you are interested please contact the church office or Brad Zobel.

USHERS NEEDED FOR NOVEMBER *please prayerfully consider helping.* sign-up sheets are available on the Welcome Center - or there are pink cards in the friendship register (red book in your pew) that you can sign up and drop in the offering plate or leave at the church office **It would be great to sign up for the same Saturday or Sunday each month or you can pick which Service you would like to usher at during a month.**

FUNERAL USHERS if you would like to help ushers for funeral services please use the usher sign-up sheet, and put your name on the side and note *funeral* next to it

THOSE WHO SERVE

6:00 PM

Preacher
Liturgist
Organist
Lector
Acolyte
Sound

8:00 AM

Preacher
Liturgist
Organist
Lector
Acolyte
Sound
Computer

10:30 AM

Preacher
Liturgist
Song Leader
Lector
Acolyte
Sound
Computer

Rev. Mark Gerken
Rev. Richard Salcido
Geraldine Dankert
Cindy Hausman
Dylan Malone
Gary Mildenstein

Rev. Mark Gerken
Rev. Richard Salcido
Geraldine Dankert
Daisy Thayer
Trenton Gilbert
Brad Zobel
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Rev. Mark Gerken
Rev. Richard Salcido
Praise Team
Brent Harm
Kelton Ladwig
Rod Schneider
Jon Devitt

LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICE - Offers counseling here at St. Paul. Lynnette Aschinger, has over 22 years experience & expertise to those she serves and her Christian perspective offers a safe place to process those most difficult questions & to incorporate faith into the healing process. The counseling is available for anyone & LFS accepts most insurances and sliding scale is available. Areas of specialty include but not limited to: Children, Depression, Abuse/Trauma histories, Anxiety, Grief & Loss, Family & Couples. You are encouraged to contact Lutheran Family Service at 712-276-9000 to set up an appointment with Lynette.

COMMUNITY BASKET DONATIONS November are laundry soap, fabric softner, dryer sheets. All items are appreciated as well, as they can always use donations, The Community Basket is open on Thursdays, from 2:30-5:30PM.

LWML EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING on Monday, November 26 at 4:00PM in the conference room.

WORSHIP SERVICE
November 11, 2018 10:30 AM

SONG Take My Life and Let It Be BOB 206

INVOCATION / OPENING SENTENCES
STEWARDSHIP LITANY
CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION
PRAYER OF THE DAY

SONG Above All BOB 9

CHILDREN'S CHOIR ANTHEM

OLD TESTAMENT READING Isaiah 40:1-8
EPISTLE READING 2 Timothy 3:10-17
HOLY GOSPEL John 14:15-31

SONG Only By Grace BOB 178

SERMON Rev. Mark Gerken

APOSTLES CREED

OFFERING (*sung during the offering*)
God Will Make a Way BOB 76

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER
BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLOSING SONG In Christ Alone (video)

Worship Service for November 10th & 11th, 2018
Sat. 6:00PM & 8:00AM - Divine Service 1 p. 151

Hymn May We Thy Precepts, Lord, Fulfill LSB 698

Invocation p. 151
Psalm read responsively by whole verse 8:00am only
Kyrie p. 152

Gloria in Excelsis
Salutation and Collect of the Day

Hymn Great is Thy Faithfulness LSB 809

Chancel Chimers Anthem 8:00AM only

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 40:1-8

Gradual read in unison 8:00AM only
Epistle Reading 2 Timothy 3:10-17

Common Alleluia and Verse
Holy Gospel John 14:15-31

Hymn Thy Strong Word LSB 578

SERMON Rev. Mark Gerken

Apostles Creed p. 159

Prayer of the Church
Pastor: Lord, in Your mercy
Cong: hear our prayer

Offering/ Offertory p. 159

Lord's Prayer

Collect
Benediction

Announcements

Hymn O God, My Faithful God LSB 696 v. 1-4



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Save the Date – Upcoming Events

Wednesday Night Cross Explorations

5:45 – 7:00pm

Wed. Nov. 7th

Wed. Nov. 14th

Wed. Nov. 28th

SUNDAY, NOV. 4TH



PK-7TH Grade

(5 pt ticket)

9:15 – 10:15am

Monthly Service Project



Youth Handchime Choir

(5th-7th) will play

during the 10:30am
Church Service (2 pts)

**Kids Christmas
Worship Service:
SUNDAY, DEC. 9th
10:30am**



**NO CLASSES
WED. NOV. 21ST!
HAPPY
THANKSGIVING!**

SUNDAY, NOV. 11TH



5TH-7TH Grade

9:15 – 10:15am

HandChimes /Service Project

Kids Choir PK-5th will

SING during 10:30am

Church Service (2 pts)



**We will start practicing
during Wednesday night
classes mid-November.**

STORE OPEN



**Wed. Nov. 28th
during class hours!**

SUNDAY, NOV. 18TH

5TH-7TH Handchimes/Service Project

SUNDAY, NOV. 25TH

NO CLASS 5TH-7TH!

**SPECIAL PRACTICE TIMES:
Sunday, Dec. 2nd & Dec. 9th
9:15 – 10:15am**



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KIDS SUNDAY SERVICE PROJECT

SUNDAYS 9:15-10:15AM



WEEKLY SUNDAY PROGRAM

5TH-7TH GRADE



9:15-9:45:

**Youth HandChime
Choir**

9:45-10:15:

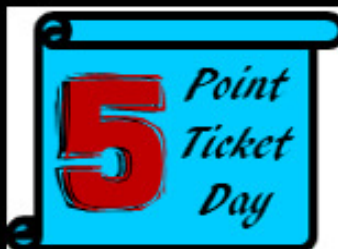
**Service Project,
Game or Activity**



MONTHLY SUNDAY PROGRAM

PK - 7TH GRADE

* FIRST SUNDAY of every month *



Sunday, NOV. 4th

Sunday, DEC. 2nd*

* **Kids Christmas Service Practice** *

9:15-9:25: Opening Music Sanctuary

9:25-9:50: PK-4th Service Project

5th-7th HandChime Choir

9:50-10:15: PK-4th Activity or Game

5th-7th Service Project

We need PK - 4TH GRADE HELPERS ONCE A MONTH! Sign up in Narthex!

**** Reminder notes before Monthly Sunday Projects will be sent home with the kids!! ****