

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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WELCOME TO ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH. We wish you God's richest blessings during your time with us. **Green prayer cards are available on the Welcome Center or in the pews if you have prayer requests. Please give to an usher to give to pastor.**

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.*

OUR MISSION STATEMENT *Our mission is to grow in our faith in Jesus Christ in order to share that faith with others.*

JR HIGH AND SR HIGH YOUTH PANCAKE & SAUSAGE BREAKFAST, will be serving pancakes and sausage on the first Sunday of each month starting **October 6**, this will be ongoing monthly fundraising for JR & SR High Youth Activities.

Our youth leaders would like youth & parents of grades 6th – 12th, help in serving & cleaning up. Your help would be greatly appreciated. We encourage the Congregation to support our youth as these funds, will help with monthly activities, local youth gatherings, typically in Des Moines and of course will help as well with those going to the National Youth Gathering in 2025 to New Orleans.

WESTMINISTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, IDA GROVE, OMELETTE BRUNCH, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 FROM 11:00-1:00PM. Come and build your own omelette & grab some toast and a beverage. Free will donation

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday 9/29/24	WORSHIP SERVICE – Live Streamed Fellowship Bible Class, Sunday School & High School Youth WORSHIP SERVICE	9:00AM 10:15AM 10:15-11:15AM 5:00PM
Tuesday	LWML Exec. Board Meeting	4:30PM
Wednesday	Bible Study at Jimmy’s Bible Study Life Serve Blood Drive Cross Explorations – grades 3rd – 5th Catechism (Confirmation) grades 6th – 8th Praise Band Practice The HighWay Youth (grades 9th -12th)	7:00AM 9:30AM 11:30-4:30PM 1:30-2:30PM 1:30-2:45PM 5:30PM 7:00PM
Sunday 10/6/24	WORSHIP SERVICE w/Communion – Live Streamed Fellowship Bible Class, Sunday School, High School Youth WORSHIP SERVICE w/Communion	9:00AM 10:15AM 10:15-11:15AM 5:00PM

Offering this week:\$ Attendance Sunday Morning: Sunday Evening:

OUR WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP 9:00AM **SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP 5:00PM**
USHERS: Rob Uhl family **USHERS: Ron & Zanet Thies**
ACOLYTE: Sun 9 AM: Brianna & Preston **ACOLYTE: Sunday 5 PM: Myles**

ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN Iowa West Branch of Orphan Grain Train will be loading a container on **Tuesday, October 1st starting around 9:00 a.m.** This shipment is headed to the Republic of Georgia. Any volunteer help is greatly appreciated. Sharon Ann Irwin, Branch Manager, jerryirwin2@gmail.com 712-660-1380

REMINDER OF SCHOOL EARLY OUT THIS WEDNESDAY, Cross Explorations (Midweek) (3rd -5th grades) will be from 1:30-2:30PM and Catechism (6th -8th Grades) will be from 1:30-2:45PM

CROSS EXPLORATIONS (MIDWEEK) / CATECHISM has begun for grades 3rd – 8th, kids can walk up after school and we will have supervision / games / activity available until snack time. A snack will be available at 4:00 with class from 4:00-5:00PM, for grades 3rd – 5th and 4:00-5:15PM for grades 6th -8th. If you have kids in the 6th – 8th that don’t get dismissed til 5:15. They can stay at the church so you can pick up all kids at once.

MIDWEEK SNACKS NEEDED – we are looking for some prepackaged snacks for the kids to have before class. Also would like string cheese, celery, apples or cutie oranges. Ice Cream was a big hit the first day if you would like to donate buckets of vanilla ice cream (usually takes 2 buckets), or caramel & chocolate syrups. A sign up sheet is available if you would like to provide homemade snacks on a particular week, or special for a birthday.

LYF DISPLAY OF ENVELOPES IN THE NARTHEX is a one of the fundraising opportunities for our LYF group – the envelopes have numbers wrote on the outside of the envelope and that is the amount of cash or check that you would put inside the envelope, there are also some optional or blank envelopes as well for you to put whatever you would like from a \$1 and above in and then place envelope in brown offering boxes on the Welcome Center, or leave with Pastor or the church office.

IDA GROVE KIWANIS GRAND SLAM HOT DOG FUNDRAISER on Friday, October 4 from 11:00AM-1:00PM at Ida Grove Food Pride. Serving ¼ lb. hot dogs, chips and water for \$7.00. See poster in narthex.

LIFE SERVE BLOOD DRIVE on Wednesday, October 2 from 11:30AM-4:30PM in the fellowship hall of the church. Schedule your appointment by calling 1-800-287-4903 or going online at www.lifeservebloodcenter.org

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Daniel 10:10–14; 12:1–3

¹⁰And behold, a hand touched me and set me trembling on my hands and knees. ¹¹And he said to me, “O Daniel, man greatly loved, understand the words that I speak to you, and stand upright, for now I have been sent to you.” And when he had spoken this word to me, I stood up trembling. ¹²Then he said to me, “Fear not, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your heart to understand and humbled yourself before your God, your words have been heard, and I have come because of your words. ¹³The prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me twenty-one days, but Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, for I was left there with the kings of Persia, ¹⁴and came to make you understand what is to happen to your people in the latter days. For the vision is for days yet to come. . . .” ¹“At that time shall arise Michael, the great prince who has charge of your people. And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book. ²And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. ³And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.”

EPISTLE

Revelation 12:7–12

⁷Now war arose in heaven, Michael and his angels fighting against the dragon. And the dragon and his angels fought back, ⁸but he was defeated and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. ⁹And the great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. ¹⁰And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, “Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. ¹¹And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death. ¹²Therefore, rejoice, O heavens and you who dwell in them! But woe to you, O earth and sea, for the devil has come down to you in great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!”

HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 10:17–20

¹⁷The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, “Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!” ¹⁸And he said to them, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. ¹⁹Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you. ²⁰Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.”



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In Our Thoughts Prayers

Roger Frank prayers for healing from surgery

Terri Engelking prayers for healing after a fall & surgery

Rod Ludwig prayers for healing after surgery

Farmers during harvest

Continued prayers and/or healing for:

Erin Nielsen Jeff Nollen Lois Jensen George Weir Victor Zobel
Shirley Havener Jo Palmer Jolene Ladwig Makayla Bell Stella Turnbull
Austin Mollhoff Ron Kraphl Jeff Pierce Rose Schuldt Jim Wilcox
Seth Hamann Mark Queen Dan Grell Kenton Petersen Erin DeBoer
Diane Olsen Sue Bubba Kayla Baker Tiffany Lindberg Greg Lewiston
Ashley Collins Trisha McCormick

September & October Birthdays this week:

Sept. 25 Justin Frank Erin Marth Marge Senhen
Sept. 26 Carter Montgomery
Sept. 27 **Betty Hanson** Lyle Schumann
Sept. 28 Deb Clausen Kendra Corbin Roger Frank
Sept. 29 Evan Hoffman Larry Paulsen
Oct. 1 Jasmine Smith
Oct. 2 **Clara Bennigsdorf Melvin Nielsen**
Oct. 3 Scarlet Arbegast John Brinkman Brent Harm Tim Streck
Oct. 4 Rylee Krayenhagen
Oct. 6 Logan Carnine

September & October Anniversaries this week:

Sept. 24 Cordell & Barb Knudsen
Pat & Kriss Phillips
Dean & Julie Rath
Oct. 4 Christopher & Christin DeVine
Oct. 5 Adrian & Dusty (Krager) Lozano

HOSPITALIZATION REMINDER : if you are admitted to ANY hospital, please let us know or have a family member or a friend let Pastor Neil or the church office know, so we know you are there to visit, or would just want prayers from Pastor

COMMUNITY BASKET DONATIONS for OCTOBER, pastas: macaroni, spaghetti, and any other related pastas, also Mac & Cheese, etc., place your donation in the shopping cart in the Narthex or hallway. All items are appreciated as well, as they can always use donations. The Community Basket is open on Thursdays (except 3rd Thursday), from 2:30-5:30PM. **The mobile food pantry will be on October 17, at the Shed in Kiron, from 4:30-5:30PM.**

HYMN SING SUNDAYS, has started and it will be on "Every second Sunday of the month, we will sing some of your favorite hymns. **Put your choices for hymns to sing in white the box in the Narthex,** and they will be used as part of the worship services during the second Sunday of the month."

ASK THE PASTOR - LAST SUNDAYS OF THE MONTH

"Have questions to ask Pastor Wehmas? He will attempt answer a few questions as part of the services, **during the last Sunday of the month. Submit your questions in the white box in the Narthex.**"

FROM THE QUILTERS we always appreciate the generosity of those who donate material, sheets and other bedding to us to use for our quilting.

ALSO if you would like a lap robe for someone or for yourself please let us know or stop by to pick out one. They make great blankets as well for the end of your bed, to cover up cold feet or legs during the night! We also have x small comfort quilts that include a stuffed animal for a child - if you know of an organization that might want some of these on hand please let us know. If you want to donate small stuffed toys they are usually beanie babies or the size of beanies.

Worship Service for Sun., September 29, 2024
Divine Service 1 p. 151

Hymn Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones LSB 670

Invocation p. 151

Introit – responsively read *Psalm 103:20–22; antiphon: v. 1*

Bless the LORD, | O my soul,*

and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

Bless the LORD, O you his | angels,*

you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice | of his word!

Bless the LORD, | all his hosts,*

his ministers, who | do his will!

Bless the LORD, all his works, in all places of his do- | minion.*

Bless the LORD, | O my soul!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

Bless the LORD, | O my soul,*

and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

Hymn

We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God LSB 941

Salutation and Collect of the Day

Old Testament Reading Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3

Gradual – responsively read *Psalm 91:11; 103:1*

He will command his angels con- | cerning you*

to guard you in | all your ways.

Bless the LORD, | O my soul,*

and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!

Epistle Reading Revelation 12:7-12

Verse of the Day *Revelation 12:11*

Alleluia. They have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel Luke 10:17-20

Apostles' Creed

Children Sing

Hymn Lord, God, To Thee We Give All Praise LSB 522 v. 1-4

Sermon

Offering (Hymn During Offering)

Hymn Lord God, To Thee We Give All Praise LSB 522 v. 5-8

Prayer of the Church

Pastor: Lord, in Your mercy

Cong: hear our prayer

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Announcements

Hymn

Christ, The Lord of Hosts, Unshaken LSB 521 v. 1-3, 6



Cross Explorations & Catechism Classes

3rd – 5th Grades

Class Time is 4:00-5:00PM

They can walk up after right after school

There will be snack time

If they need to stay til 5:15PM to wait for a sibling,
an adult will be present with them

6th, 7th & 8th Grades

Class Time is 4:00-5:15PM



10:15AM-11:15AM

4yr old Preschool – 2nd Grade in Nursery upstairs

3rd & 4th Grade in same classroom as last year on lower level

5th & 6th Grade in same classroom as last year on lower level

7th & 8th Grades are to attend Bible Class in the Fellowship
Hall

9th -12th Grades in Youth Room

JR High and SR High Youth Pancake and Sausage Breakfast



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SERVICE**

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