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Weekly Announcements

June 8, 2025



St. Paul's

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Worship Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:30 am

Special services during Advent, Lent & Summer

210 E. Pleasant St., Oconomowoc, WI 53066 | 262-567-5001 | www.splco.org

Holy Baptism

During the 5pm Worship Service, we welcome **Hayes Alan** into St. Paul's church family. He is the son of Casey & Katherine (Stache) **Dodge**. His sponsors are Darrin Dodge, Bethany Adams and Benjamin Stache. We will keep Hayes in our prayers.

Flash photography is not allowed during a baptism which takes place during the worship service. The pastor may reenact the baptism after the service for picture-taking opportunities.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Coinciding with the Citywide 150th Anniversary of Oconomowoc; St. Paul's will be opening its doors to the community by hosting an Open House where people can tour our sanctuary and ask questions about St. Paul's, after all we have been around longer than the City of Oconomowoc.

At 1:50pm St. Paul's, along with other churches in town will ring their bells to commemorate 150 years for the City of Oconomowoc. At 2:00pm, St. Paul's will host a special Service of the Word in Thanksgiving to God for 150 years of blessings to the City of Oconomowoc, and 160 years of blessing to St. Paul's. So, if you are celebrating downtown that day, please join us!

The regular 5pm Divine Service will not take place that evening. But you can still attend 8:00am and 10:30am, on Sunday, July 6th, or the Lakeside Worship at 6:30pm on Wednesday, July 9th.

Summer office hours

Our summer office hours are 8am to 2pm, Monday through Friday, through August 19th. Please make a note of it.

Summer lakeside worship services

Our Lakeside Summer worship services will run on Wednesdays through August 27th, at 6:30pm in our backyard by Fowler Lake. Please bring a chair! The sermon will be that of the weekend prior. If there is inclement weather, the worship service will be moved to the church nave.

Lutheran Witness

The Lutheran Witness magazine is available again this year. If you are currently on the list and receiving the magazine, please call the church office at 567-5001 to let us know if you would like to continue your subscription or cancel it. If you would like to start receiving *The Lutheran Witness*, please call the church office so we can get you on the subscription list. The cost for the magazine is \$20.65 for 11 issues (the June/July issue is combined). The deadline for renewal or new subscriptions is July 6th.

Adventures in 7th Grade

We have had an exciting year in 7th grade! This year was filled with fundraising for our 8th grade trip to South Dakota in the fall, planning and hosting the 8th grade Recognition Banquet, starting preparation for the Rite of Confirmation, and diving deeper into our academic studies. Students had a wide variety of classes this year including: language arts, science, history, and math, confirmation, faith development, nutrition, culinary arts, world religions, music, Latin, buddy STEM, astronomy, woodworking and fishing. Students have grown in their faith, leadership skills, and relationships with each other.

Our focus in science class this year was on life science: classification of living things, cells, ecosystems, national parks, genetics and microorganisms. We completed many projects reviewing our knowledge of each topic. Some of these projects included: National Parks, Monster Families, Pet Paramecium, and a research project on bacteria.



Our most recent adventure was our trip to Camp Luther in Three Lakes. The 7th graders enjoyed being the leaders of their Warrior teams and teaching, guiding and building relationships with the 5th and 6th graders throughout their time at camp. Students kayaked, played disc golf and zombie ball, archery, played in the lake,

practiced their tree identification skills and dove deeper into their faith through devotions and morning Bible study.

The 7th graders have worked very hard this school year and are excited to share their leadership skills as 8th graders in the fall.



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New this summer!

We are having summer Sunday School, for Kindergarten through 5th grade, between the worship services from 9:15-10:15am this summer (through August 2nd). The children will meet in the gym and then all move to Room 219 for the Sunday School hour. Please join us!



Women of Joy continues to meet during the summer months on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month. **HOWEVER, we will not be meeting on Saturday, July 5th**, as the city is planning a 150th anniversary celebration and Wisconsin Ave will be closed for most of the day.

We are currently reading through the book titled ***Wherever Love May Lead: Your Place in God's Plan***, and women of confirmed age and older are welcome to join us anytime.

We meet at Whelan's Coffee Shop, 163 E. Wisconsin Ave., Oconomowoc (in the upper room) from 8:00 – 9:00 AM.



Acts 2:1 – “When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place.” Notice that Pentecost was actually an Old Testament festival. It happened around the time when the wheat and oats were ready to be brought in. In the New Testament,

Pentecost foreshadowed the great harvest of humankind that God will bring in through the preaching of His Word. God gives the seed, and God brings about the harvest through the work of His church.



**LUTHERANS
FOR LIFE**

Life Thoughts in the Church Year

Words about the worth and purpose invested in every human being belong not to us alone but to Almighty God Himself (John 14:24). Our Savior graciously endows the Words of Life with the

Holy Spirit's power (John 14:26). So we must not dilute or suppress what He has made unquestionably clear, and we may entrust the public effects of the message to His wisdom.

Congregation at Prayer

A Guide for Daily Meditation and Prayer
The Day of Pentecost: *Keeping Promises in View*
June 8–15, 2025

Keeping Promises in View

Following the flood, Noah’s descendants failed to spread out and fill the earth as God had spoken. Rather, they exalted themselves; with *“one language and the same words”* (Gen. 11:1), they spoke proudly and arrogantly. The Lord humbled them by confusing *“the language of all the earth,”* dividing and dispersing the people (Gen. 11:9). That dispersal was reversed on Pentecost Day (the 50th day of Easter), when God caused the one Gospel of the One Lord Jesus Christ to be preached in a multitude of languages. *“At this sound the multitude came together”* (Acts 2:6), for the preaching of Christ is the primary work of the Holy Spirit, whereby He gathers people from all nations into one Church. Jesus promises the Holy Spirit teaches and brings to our remembrance the words of Jesus, which are the words of the Father who sent Him. These words bestow forgiveness and peace to those who keep His words in view and hold on to them in love for Jesus. Today we consider five promises the real Jesus leaves us regarding the Work of the Holy Spirit.

Order of Meditation and Prayer

Pray and confess out loud as much from the order of meditation and prayer as you are able, or as your family size and ages dictate. Learn by heart the verse, catechism, and hymn of the week.

Invocation

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Apostles’ Creed

Christ-Centered Theme: The Holy Spirit’s work is keeping us in the Word of Christ.

Verse: John 15:26 Jesus said, “When the Helper comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, He will testify of Me.”

Psalm: Psalm 68 and/or the appointed daily psalms for General Psalms in Psalm Schedule **LSB**, p. 304

Catechism: *The Creed—Third Article and Explanation*

<i>The Third Article</i> I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen	Preschool +
<i>What does this mean?</i> I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith.	1 st Grade +
<i>What does this mean? (continued)</i> In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith.	2 nd Grade +

The Day of Pentecost: *Keeping Promises in View*

Day	Bible Stories for Families with Young Children	Readings for Adults & Older Children	
Sun.	The Passion of Christ: Matthew 27	Psalm 103, 117, 139	John 17.20-26
Mon.	Jesus Dies and Lives Again: Luke 23-24	Psalm 5, 84, 29	2 Ch 1:1-2:18
Tue.	The Resurrection of Jesus: John 20	Psalm 42, 102, 133	2 Ch 3:1-5:14
Wed.	Jesus Appears on the Emmaus Road: Luke 24	Psalm 89:1-18, 1, 33	2 Ch 6:1-7:22
Thur.	Jesus Appears to Thomas: John 20	Psalm 97, 16, 62	2 Ch 8:1-9:31
Fri.	Jesus Appears in Galilee: John 21	Psalm 51, 142, 65	2 Ch 10:1-11:23
Sat.	Sunday’s Gospel Reading: John 8.48-59	Psalm 104, 118, 222	2 Ch 12:1-16

Prayers: Collects for the Week, Daily Themes for Prayer, In Our Prayers at St. Paul’s

O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

Daily Themes for Prayer

- Sunday:** *Pray for the joy of the resurrection among us; for the fruit of faith nourished by the Word and Sacraments.*
- Monday:** *Pray for faith to live in the promises of Holy Baptism; for one's calling and daily work; for the unemployed; for the salvation and well-being of our neighbors; for schools, colleges, and seminaries; for good government and for peace.*
- Tuesday:** *Pray for deliverance against temptation and evil; for the addicted and despairing, the tortured and oppressed; for those struggling with besetting sins.*
- Wednesday:** *Pray for marriage and family, that husbands and wives, parents and children live in ordered harmony according to the Word of God; for parents who must raise children alone; for our communities and neighborhoods.*
- Thursday:** *Pray for the Church and her pastors; for teachers, deacons, deaconesses, and other church workers; for missionaries and for all who serve the Church; for fruitful and salutary use of the blessed sacrament of Christ's body and blood.*
- Friday:** *Pray for the preaching of the holy cross of our Lord Jesus Christ and for the spread of His knowledge throughout the whole world; for the persecuted and oppressed; for the sick and dying.*
- Saturday:** *Pray for faithfulness to the end; for the renewal of those who are withering in the faith or have fallen away; for receptive hearts and minds to God's Word on the Lord's Day; for pastors and people as they prepare to administer and receive Christ's holy gifts.*

In Our Prayers this Week

Those sick or hospitalized: MEMBERS – Ralph Andrus—in-home hospice ; Lynn Pelnar—shoulder surgery; Catherine Weidler-Loney—cancer; George Urban; Tammy Frazier—cancer; Tim Krause; Pauline Bemis; Bob Bratz; Vernon Schilling; Ian McMillan; Joanne Kullman; Carol Fellin—cancer care; Jim Braatz; Bruce Bojko—cancer; Ruth Polcha; Bill Anderson; John Lindemann; Gary Flanagan; Virginia Meintz; Belle Romback; Nancy Wolter; Don Meyer—cancer; Ann Duggan; Jim Duggan; Marilyn Marohn; Sally Eubanks; Dick Allen; Truman Seifert—acute myeloid leukemia; Carolyn Nagel—lung cancer; Don Schmitt; Karen Meyer—cancer; George Menden—prostate cancer; Diane Gartzke—post traumatic stress disorder; Stan Kuehl; Marian Faltersack; Michael Stollenwerk; Marilyn Runyard; Marcus Pankow—in-home hospice; Linda Leidel; Lucille Campbell—cancer treatment

FAMILY & FRIENDS OF MEMBERS – Those with cancer: Lauri; Steve Latino (Bruce & Mary Bojko's son-in-law)—pancreatic cancer; Dana—recent cancer diagnosis; Daniel (Bill Merten's brother); Curt Duchow (Dorothy's son)—mantle cell lymphoma; Rhonda—breast cancer; Hailey—13 year-old w/ brain tumor; JoyAnn; Dan Faltersack—COPD; Jeff—stage four colon cancer; Dick Watt; Betty Dow (Linda Uttech's cousin)—Leukemia; Jeff—non-Hodgkin's lymphoma; Jayne Roberts' husband—lymphoma; Cheech Counsell (Dona Thurow's son-in-law); Tyler; Christopher—cancer; Tanner—2 year-old with cancer; Missy (Sheila Ram's niece)—breast cancer; Dawn—lung cancer; Jim (Jackie Meyer's dad); Jim (Laura Grubba's brother-in-law); Phyllis; Mike; Elizabeth—breast cancer; Kayla—thyroid cancer; Erin (Mileager)—Rayborn—Hodgkins Lymphoma; Mary Sprague—breast cancer; Debra Thurow (Dona's daughter); Kathy Berkbigler (Pat Borgman's cousin)—breast cancer; Ron Rafalski—throat cancer; Nancy—breast cancer

Other: Jim Krueger (Lynn Pelnar’s brother)—pneumonia Irish Spring—eye tumor; Jenn—pregnant mother with health problems; Brett Jaeger; Tom (Jamie Stache’s boyfriend)—stroke; Dorothy—Alzheimer’s; Trish Lederer—vision issues; Patricia Eberhardt (Chad’s mom); Brent (Barb Allwardt’s brother)—Alzheimer’s; Cindy Counsell (Dona Thurow’s daughter)—massive stroke; Paul; Bob; George; Paul; Liz Peronto (Barb Allwardt’s sister); Doug—CCL; Scott Kleist (Jim & Ann Duggan’s son)—MS; Paul Fellin

Those serving in the military-deployed: Trevor Thiel—Alaska (Fort JBER); Joe; Sam Duggan; Justin Michener; Zach Howard; Theresa; Phil Preston; Casey, Phil, Andy & Steve Koth; Luke; Jacob; Brian; Randy; Kyle; Jake; Jeff; Matt; Brad; Ben; Mike & Rob

Those serving God as missionaries: Rev. Shauen & Krista Trump & family; Dennis Denow (Thailand), Bob & Chris Prouty (Australia), Pastor Reinke (Deaf Ministry), Rev. Bud Palmer; Rev. Ted Krey, Deaconess, Tirzah Krey in the Dominican Republic; all seminary students in the Dominican Republic, and all other pastors and missionaries in Latin America

Those in need: Our Shut-Ins; Sam—a young man struggling to make good choices; those struggling with addiction; Jennifer; Brian; David

Anniversary: Grant & Sherie Hopkins—34th—June 8th

Baptism: Hayes Alan Dodge—June 7th

Lord’s Prayer and Morning or Evening Prayer from the Catechism
Hymn of the Week: Hail Thee, Festival Day

LSB 489

Looking forward to the Holy Trinity
Hymns: 507, 947 (506, 498, 876) 940

June 15, 2025

Who Do You Make Yourself Out to Be? (Pastor Matthew Thompson)

Who Jesus makes Himself out to be has a profound effect on who we make ourselves out to be. Every created thing came into existence through Him. He became flesh and dwelt among us. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, crucified, died, and was buried and rose on the third day and ascended into heaven so that He could create us anew, from above, in the Name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit fills John’s entire Gospel with who Jesus is and what it means for you. "These are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name." (20:31) Who do you make yourself out to be? Look to Jesus. Who He is, gives meaning to who you are in His Name.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPONSOR A RADIO BROADCAST?

Our radio broadcast over WTKM is a very important outreach for our congregation. Below are the dates open for 2025. Please prayerfully consider sponsoring one of these Sundays. The cost is **\$125.00** (*please note the nominal price increase*). We praise God for this valuable community outreach.

Sep. 21

Nov. 27

Dec. 28

Nov. 2

Nov. 30

If you are interested in sponsoring a broadcast please fill out the bottom portion of this page and hand it into the church office or place it in the offering plate. Thank you. Any questions please call Heather in the church office 567-5001.

NAME_____ DATE- 1ST CHOICE_____ 2ND CHOICE_____

Please dedicate to (i.e. in memory of, wedding anniversary, to the Glory of God, in honor of...etc.)_____



To commemorate our 160th anniversary, we will be creating a new pictorial directory which will also include a history of the congregation, making this a wonderful keepsake. The dates have been set for photo sessions with Mortensen Photography as follows:

- Monday, August 11th from 4:00 – 8:00 pm
- Tuesday, August 12th from 4:00 – 8:00 pm
- Sunday, September 14th from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm
- Monday, September 15th from 4:00 – 8:00 pm
- Tuesday, September from 4:00 – 8:00 pm

These will all be held at St. Paul’s in Room 202.

To get your preferred time slot, book now by registering through this link:
<http://mortensenphotocart.com/booking-calendar/st-pauls-church-directory-2664/>

If you cannot register online, please contact Cheryl Tesch at 920-285-3628 to assist with scheduling.

The directory will be a full-color 8x10 (roughly), and we will also have the directory available to view on St. Paul’s website.

Packages of your family pictures will be available for purchase, but you are under no obligation to buy, and there will not be any pressure to do so during your photo session.

To help offset the cost of printing, if you are a business owner and would like to place an ad in the directory, the following ad sizes are available:

- Full Page - \$400 8x10"
- ½ Page - \$250 8x5"
- ¼ Page - \$175 4x5"
- 1/8 Page - \$125 4x2.5"

Files submitted must be in a high-resolution format:
pdf, jpeg, png, or tiff.

You may also contribute in memory of a loved one, which will be listed on a page in the directory.

Please return this form to Cheryl Tesch by August 31, 2025 along with your payment to St. Paul’s Pictorial Directory.

Company/Business Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Ad Size: _____

Memorial in memory of: _____ Amount: \$ _____

If you have any questions, please direct them to Cheryl.tesch@splco.org, or by texting or calling 920-285-3628.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

MONDAY June 9	Lord's Lambs Giveaway	Fellowship Hall	6:00 pm
TUESDAY June 10	Board of Operations Meeting Board of Elders Meeting	Room 201 Room 202	5:30 pm 6:00 pm
WEDNESDAY June 11	Caring Through Sharing Summer Lakeside Worship Lutheran Basics Bible Study	Room 219 Backyard Room 219	11:00 am 6:30 pm 7:30 pm
THURSDAY June 12	Praise Team Rehearsal	Church	6:30 pm
SATURDAY June 14	Journeyman Divine Worship AA Meeting	Maxim's Church Fellowship Hall	7:30 am 5:00 pm 8:30 pm
SUNDAY June 15	Divine Worship Coffee Fellowship Hour Life Application Bible Study Summer Sunday School Divine Worship	Church Lobby/Outside Fellowship Hall Meet in Gym Church	8:00 am 9:15 am 9:15 am 9:15 am 10:30 am

BIBLE STUDIES

Life Application Bible Study

Sunday: 9:15 am - Fellowship Hall
262-567-5001

Lutheran Basics

Wednesday: 6:30 pm – Room 219
262-567-5001

Sunday School

Sunday: 9:15 am – Meet in Gym
June 8, 2025

A Centurion Converts

Bible Truth: God's love in Jesus is for everyone.
Acts 10

Women of Joy

Saturday (1st & 3rd) - 8:00 am
Whelan's

Journeyman

Saturday (2nd & 4th) - 7:30 am
Maxim's

NEXT WEEKEND

	5:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
Readings	Psalm 8	Acts 2:14a, 22-36	John 8:48-59
Altar Guild	Jackie Meyer	Cindy Fredrickson	Karen Dentice
Elders	Dave Meyer	Ryan Schneider	Jerad Luedtke
Greeters	Mark & Sue Baganz	Duane & Sharon Peterson Bruce & Mary Bojko	Tom Miller
Live-Stream	N/A	Scheuer	N/A
Radio	N/A	Cheryl Tesch	N/A
Ushering Team	Dan Friedrich	Rick Zastrow	Mike Neff

JUNE 15, 2025

HOLY TRINITY

Pastor: Matthew Thompson

Theme: *Who Do You Make Yourself Out to Be?*

5pm & 8am Worship

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10:30am Worship

Special Order

ST. PAUL'S STAFF

Rev. Lance Armstrong O'Donnell, Senior Pastor
Allison Mackie, Director of Parish Music
Jill George, Principal

Rev. Jason Schockman, Associate Pastor
Christine Flores, ECC Director

Summer Office Hours: 8:00 am – 2:00 pm (Monday-Friday)

The Day of Pentecost

Old Testament: Genesis 11:1–9

Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. And as people migrated from the east, they found a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be dispersed over the face of the whole earth." And the Lord came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of man had built. And the Lord said, "Behold, they are one people, and they have all one language, and this is only the beginning of what they will do. And nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. Come, let us go down and there confuse their language, so that they may not understand one another's speech." So the Lord dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. Therefore its name was called Babel, because there the Lord confused the language of all the earth. And from there the Lord dispersed them over the face of all the earth.

Epistle: Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. For these men are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel:

"And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams; even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy. And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Holy Gospel: John 14:23–31

Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me.

"These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I will come to you.' If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place you may believe. I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no claim on me, but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us go from here."

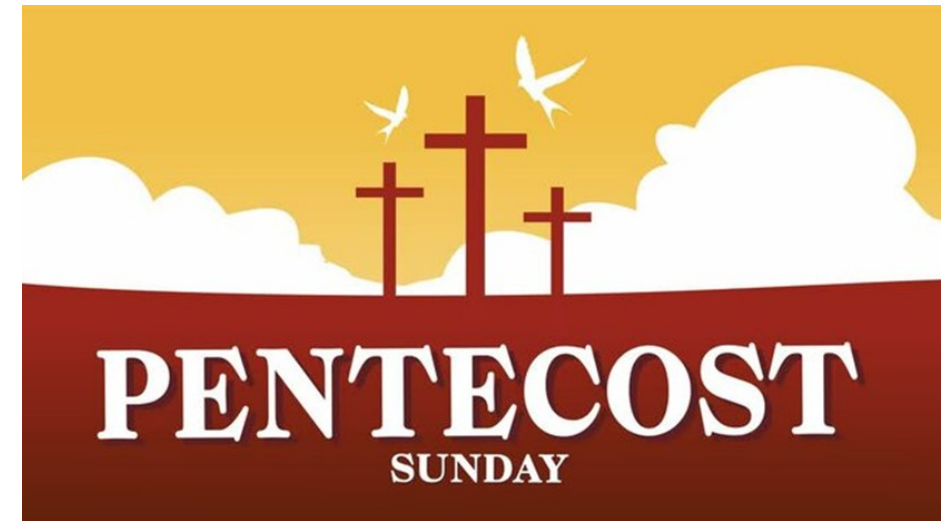
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Welcome to St. Paul’s Lutheran Church,
School, & Early Childhood Center

- + Please fill out an attendance card and place it in the offering plate.
- + As the prelude begins, worshipers are encouraged to conclude conversation and quietly prepare for worship.

GUEST INFORMATION

Welcome! We’re delighted that you’ve joined us for worship.

If you have questions, or would like more information about St. Paul’s, a greeter, elder, or pastor will be happy to help you.

Please fill out an attendance card, located on the pew in front of you, and place it in the offering plate.

We welcome young children to the service. Try sitting closer to the front by a side aisle. There are activity bags located behind the back pews, and a simulcast downstairs if necessary.

HOLY COMMUNION

The Lord’s Supper is not a private meal, but a body-and-soul communion with Christ and His body, the Church. In keeping with the Lord’s instruction (cf. 1 Corinthians 11.17-34) and with the common historical practice of the church, St. Paul’s welcomes only those who are in full confessional agreement to receive the Body and Blood of Christ. If you hold a confession differing from The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod or are not yet confirmed in our confession of faith, we welcome you to come forward for a blessing (Please indicate by folding your hands over your heart.). If you are physically unable to come forward, please let an usher know and the pastor will come to you and give you communion. Those communing should mark this on the attendance card. If you have questions, our pastors will be pleased to speak with you.

Distribution and Communion Wine

Please place open hands out to receive the Body of Christ and also to indicate whether you are receiving the Blood of Christ from the common cup or the individual cup. The wine glasses in the center of each tray contain **one drop** of communion wine. The glasses that contain more wine are dark in color.

LAST WEEK’S ATTENDANCE

5:00 pm – 66

8:00 am – 144

10:30 am – 146

Wed: 38

Total: 394

Scan the QR code and give electronically. This is a safe and easy way to offer your gifts to God.



THOSE SERVING THIS WEEKEND

	5pm	8am	10:30am
Liturgist	Ps. Thompson	Ps. Thompson	Ps. Thompson
Preacher	Ps. Schockman	Ps. Schockman	Ps. Schockman
Musicians	Allison Mackie	Allison Mackie	Praise Team
Anthem	Kantor	Church Choir	N/A
Altar Guild	Jamie Stache	Pam Kroupa	Barb Star
Elders	Jim Juneau	Rick Zastrow	Erik Benes
Greeters	Roxie Gerlach	Chris & Pam Kroupa Judy Braatz	Anne Fait
Live Stream	N/A	Edwards	N/A
Radio	N/A	Chuck Muecke	N/A
Ushering Team	Mark Baganz	Joel Tesch	Erik Benes

Radio Broadcast: Grant & Sherie Hopkins in praise to God for their 34th wedding anniversary on June 8th

ST. PAUL’S MEDIA

- + Radio: *LIVE* Sunday at 8am on WTKM (104.9 FM)
- + YouTube: *LIVE* Sundays at 8am (stpaulsev.lutheranchurch7279)
- + Web: Anytime at www.splco.org or YouTube

DIVINE SERVICE

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Setting 3, pg. 184

Greeting

5pm: Holy Baptism 268

+ Hayes Alan Dodge

Hymn of Invocation 913

Confession & Absolution 184

+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +

8am: Kyrie 186

8am: Hymn of Praise 187

Salutation & Collect 189

Readings

Genesis 11:1-9

8am: Anthem

+ O Splendor of God’s Glory Bright (insert)

Acts 2:1-21

John 14:23-31

8am: Nicene Creed 191

Hymn of the Day 489

+ Sing Pentecost stanzas

Sermon

Offering

5pm: Offertory

8am: Offering Anthem

+ Come Down, O Love Divine (insert)

8am: Recognition of Years of Service

+ Margie Hertneky (40 years)

+ Sarah Havey (5 years)

Prayer of the Church

+ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

Distribution Hymns

+ 497, 503, 500

Nunc Dimittis 199

Post-Communion Collect 201

Benediction 202

Closing Hymn 834

Announcements

8am Church Choir Anthem:
O Splendor of God's Glory Bright

Text attributed to St. Ambrose

Music by David Bridges

O Splendor of God's glory bright,
Who bringest forth the light from Light;
O Light of light, light's Fountain-spring;
O Day, our days enlightening:

Come, very Sun of truth and love,
Come in Thy radiance from above
And shed the Holy Spirit's ray
On all we think or do today.

All praise to God the Father be,
All praise, eternal Son, to Thee,
Whom with the Spirit we adore
Forever and forevermore.

Amen

Keeping Promises in View

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Gen 11.1-9; Acts 2.1-21; Jn 14.23-31

Why do some who call themselves Christians only love an imaginary Jesus?

How do we Lutherans sometimes fall into the same trap?

What are two ways to "keep His Word"?

_____ our sins. _____ His promises.

There are five promises that the real Jesus makes in our Gospel reading:

1) The _____ US.

2) The _____ dwells with us.

3) Christ gives _____ that lets our
_____ not be _____.

a. How should we NOT use/evaluate this
promise?

b. His _____ is more than what we feel.

4) Christ demonstrated the love of God by.....?

5) Sending the Comforter to "teach you _____
things" AND.....

a. We are to be _____ to the Word
and _____

b. the most direct application of this
statement is ...

c. in a secondary way, how is this promise
fulfilled?

Sam Church Choir Offering Anthem:

Come Down, O Love Divine

Text by Bianca de Siena, translated by Richard Littleton

Music by Sheldon Curry

Come down, O Love divine,
Seek Thou this soul of mine,
And visit it with Thine own ardour glowing:
O Comforter, draw near,
Within my heart appear,
And kindle it, Thy holy flame bestowing.

O let it freely burn,
Till earthly passions turn
To dust and ashes in its heat consuming.
And let Thy glorious light
Shine ever on my sight,
And clothe me round, the while my path illuming.

Let holy charity
Mine outward vesture be,
And lowliness become mine inner clothing;
True lowliness of heart,
Which takes the humbler part,
And o'er its own shortcomings weeps with loathing.

And so the yearning strong,
With which the soul will long,
Shall far outpass the pow'r of human telling.
For we cannot guess His grace
Till we become the place
Wherein the Holy Spirit makes His dwelling.

Come down, O love divine!