

Upcoming Messages

July Series Theme: Learning from the Parables

July 12th/13th "Hearing and Heeding the Word" Matthew 13:1-9
July 19th & 20th "When Wheat and Weeds Grow Together" Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43
July 26th & 27th "The Kingdom Worth Everything" Matthew 13:44-52



Sunday, July 12

9 am Divine Service
10:15 am Adult Bible Study - Fellowship Hall
Youth Share Presentation

Monday, July 13

Count Team 2: L. Schmidt; T. Search; T. Dinkelman;
4 pm Adult Information Class
6:30 pm Divine Service

Tuesday, July 14

7:15 am Men's Bible Study
9 am Quilters
5:30 pm Eve's Restoration St. Paul Com Mtg
6:30 pm Board of Elders

Wednesday, July 15

7:30 am Rotary Business Mtg in Fellowship Hall
1:30—3 pm Food Pantry Open

Thursday, July 16

4 pm Adult Information Class

Friday, July 17

2 pm Bria Nursing Home Worship
3:30 pm Garden Place Worship

Saturday, July 18

LCMS Convention In Phoenix (7/18-23)

Sunday, July 19

9 am Divine Service
10:15 am Adult Bible Study - Fellowship Hall

Church Office Hours this week:

Dianne Miller, our church secretary, will be on vacation thru Thursday, July 18th. Special Thank you to the ladies who will be covering the church office during the morning hours.

Thank You! To our volunteers...

Sunday, July 12 9 am

Organist: Jeanine Consolino
Elder: Charlie Consolino & Mark Eischer
Greeter: Ezra Douglas
Acolyte: Elijah Douglas
Screens: Leah Douglas
Video: Ava Douglas

Monday, July 13 6:30 pm

Organist: Jeanine Consolino
Elder: Glenn Grebing
Greeter/Usher: Sue Champion

Sunday, July 19 9 am

Organist: Jeanine Consolino
Elder: Levi Ottwell and Scott Moeslien
Greeter/Usher: Mitzi Ottwell & Doug Tolbird
Acolyte: Lennon Ottwell
Screens: Josh Colyer
Video: Aiden Colyer

Monday, July 20 6:30 pm

Organist: Jeanine Consolino
Elder: Bob Thoma

Sunday, July 26 9 am

Organist: Jeanine Consolino
Elder: C. Consolino & M. Eischer
Greeter/Usher: S. Newbill & B. Quevreaux
Acolyte: Paloma Niehaus
Screens:
Video:

Monday, July 27 6:30 pm

Organist: Jeanine Consolino
Elder: Glenn Grebing
Greeter/Usher: Sue Champion

Welcome both members and visitors to worship. If you are a visitor and do not have a church home, we invite you to consider this congregation as a place for you to grow through God's Word in the grace and knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ. Contact Pastor Krenz (618-363-0121) with any questions on this congregation, the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, and/or the process of church membership. If you are a visitor, feel free to leave us your address in the attendance folder. It is also in that folder you can see our belief and practice concerning the Lord's Supper.

Pre-Service Music, Ringing of the Bells, Announcements, Sharing the Peace

Opening Hymn "Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty" LSB 901 vs 1-5

Invocation, Confession, Absolution

Introit, Kyrie, Hymn of Praise: This Is the Feast

Salutation & Collect, Old Testament Isaiah 55:10-13

Epistle Reading Romans 8:12-17, Alleluia,

Holy Gospel Matthew 13:1—9, 18-23, Apostles' Creed

Children's Message

Hymn of the Day "Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast" LSB 577, vs 1-4

Sermon Matthew 13:1-9 "Hearing and Heeding the Word"

Presentation of Offerings, Prayer of the Church

Communion Preparation Helps

Service of the Sacrament, Sanctus, Prayer of Thanksgiving,

The Words of Our Lord, Proclamation of Christ,

Lord's Prayer, Pax Domini, Agnus Dei

Distribution Hymns

"Draw Near and Take The Body of The Lord" LSB 637 vs 1-3

"My Soul, Now Praise Your Maker" LSB 820 vs 1-4

"Thee We Adore, O Hidden Savior" LSB 640 vs 1-5 (alt melody)

Post-Communion Canticle, Post-Communion Collect, Benediction

Closing Hymn "On What Has Now Been Sown" LSB 921 vs 1-3

The Order of Service
Based on DS I LSB 151
Seventh Sunday After Pentecost
July 12^h 9 am & July 13^h 6:30 pm



Sundays

9 am Divine Worship Service

10:15 am Adult Bible Study

Mondays

6:30 pm Divine Worship Service

Children's Sunday School will start again August 16th.

Sunday Bible Class:

We will continue our look at various denominations and how that compares to the Lutheran Church. This week we will see how we are similar and different than the United Church of Christ (UCC), and the Methodist Church. To start the class a presentation from the Youth group on their summer servant event at Heit's Point, Missouri will take place.



The Youth Group will be giving a presentation on their recent Youth service event at the beginning of today's Bible Class hour.



EVE'S RESTORATION MINISTRIES
SUMMER BAZAAR IN PARTNERSHIP
W/ ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Saturday, July 25, 2026 9 am to 3 pm

Bounce House * Games * Sno Cones *

Face Painting * Food Concessions *

Vendors: Baked Goods * Jewelry *

Wreaths * Handcrafted Wood Items,

Crocheted Items, Quilted Items, Acrylic &

Diamond Art and more! Please stop by the

church and support the Summer Bazaar!

Contact Amanda Douglas

at 314-221-6700 for more information.

DCE Call Committee Update

The DCE Call Committee has been addressing additional questions from one of the candidates interviewed last week. In addition, the committee will be interviewing another candidate within the next week or so.

The members of the DCE Call Committee are Scott Peery (Chair), Patrick Grandt, Mitch Essert, Becky Stevens, Carleigh Ottwell, and Pastor Krenz.

Summer Giving:

Typically, during the summer, the congregational offerings tend to decrease. This is due to a variety of factors, including less people at the weekly services and additional summer expenses for congregational members. Please prayerfully consider maintaining your regular giving pattern even through the summer. Consistent giving is especially important as we plan to call within the next couple of months a Director of Christian Education. While we do not yet have online giving, the bill pay option is available at most banks. -The Stewardship Committee.

New Portals of Prayers

Feel free to pick up the July-September Portals of Prayers in the church entryway. We have extras, so feel free to give them to friends and neighbors.

Summer Bible Reading Plan

**Pick up a copy in the Church entryway
WEEK 6 — 1 Corinthians**

☐ 1 Corinthians 1

☐ 1 Corinthians 2

☐ 1 Corinthians 3

☐ 1 Corinthians 4

☐ 1 Corinthians 5

☐ 1 Corinthians 6

☐ 1 Corinthians 7

Voter's Meeting

Just a reminder that the annual Summer Voter's meeting is set for Tuesday, July 28th at 6:30pm.

**Got a St. Paul's T-Shirt? Wear it!
Want one? Need another One?
Pick one up in the narthex today
and make a \$10 donation
to defer the cost if you can!**

Trinity Lutheran School still has openings for Pre-K through 8th Grade. There will be an Open Registration for all grades, Pre-K through 8th Grade, on Thursday, July 16, from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. For an appointment, you may contact Dr. Robin Booth at (618) 792-0647 or call the school office at (618) 282-2881. We look forward to seeing you!

Thank you...
from Alex & Kaitlyn (Koenigstein) Blum!
We'd like to thank all the members of St. Paul's that were able to attend our wedding ceremony on May 30. We especially want to thank Mitzi & Steve Ottwell and all the other wonderful folks that helped paint, clean and prepare the church in any way. We really appreciate each of you!
Alex & Kaitlyn Blum
"Our new address is 500 Roseville Parkway,
Apt 1325, Roseville CA 95747."



Please get August newsletter info, articles, calendar dates & pictures to the church office by Monday, July 20th. Thank you for your help!

Special Prayers

- † **Daniel Lococa**, Brother-in-law to Bob Thoma, who is recovering from heart surgery
- † **Harper Graves**, Great Niece of Scott & Jamie Moeslein, who is hospitalized due to complications from a brain tumor
- † **Shirley Wehrenberg**, friend of Roediger family, Recovering from hip surgery
- † **Mark Vanderleest**, friend of Sandy Roessler, Leukemia diagnosis
- † **Rose Anne Bense**, recovering at Oak Hill, Waterloo
- † **Dale Ritter, Jr**, recovering after surgery
- † **Larry Sifford**, friend of Sandy Roessler, health issues
- † **Deanna Roessler**, daughter-in-law of Sandy Roessler, health issues
- † **Chris Schoenhoff**, friend of Mike Arras, health issues

For Those Living With Cancer / Undergoing Cancer Treatments...

Tom Crouch, brother of Diane Bierman
Patti French, friend of congregation
Jeffrey Gruber, son of Don & Pat Gruber
Nancy Puhi, sister of Mike Arras
Robert Ebner, friend of Bob Thoma
Tara Menard, granddaughter of Don & Pat Gruber
Gwen Shreeman, niece of Janet Kenney
Sandy Cates, friend of Susan S. & Mona N.
Katie Pernoud, co-worker of Beth Niehaus
David Jestus

Additional Prayers

- † **Family of Benjamin Donald Twillman, (Parents Sydnie & Stephen Twillmann)** who was born on July 5th, was baptized, and entered his eternal rest on July 5th.
- † **Blessings on the LCMS Convention in Phoenix, AZ which starts next Saturday**

Church Building Repair Update:

Due to a leak from the air handler/air conditioning unit above the church entryway and near the balcony/choir loft, repair work will be taking place in that area over the next two to three weeks. The leak occurred on **Wednesday, July 1**, when the air conditioner and its drain line froze, causing a significant amount of water to seep into the floors, walls, and drywall. As a result, extensive repairs are needed. An insurance claim has been filed; however, because of the **\$10,000 deductible** and additional expenses not covered by insurance, it is estimated that the congregation's share of the repair costs will exceed **\$20,000**. These costs include replacing damaged drywall and the air handler unit. If you would like to help offset these expenses, donations are greatly appreciated. Please make your check payable to **St. Paul's Lutheran** and write "**Building Repair Fund**" in the memo line.



Our Response To His Love With Attendance

7.5.26 Sunday 9 am 82
7.6 Monday 6:30 pm 20 = 102
7.5 SS /Adult Bible Study 17
7.8 Men's Bible Study 5

**Our Response To His Love W/ Our Finances
General Fund**

Weekly Budgeted Amount Needed \$ 8,400
Received 7/5/26 \$ 4,416

Building Repair Fund
Received 7/5/26 \$ 322

Next Pantry:
July 15th 1:30—3 pm
Pantry Needs:
Crackers, Pudding, Hamburger Helper
7/1 Served:
24 Families = 54 Adults + 15 Children

