



St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran

Church • School • Preschool

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Worship Schedule This Week:

Saturday at 6:30 PM and Sunday at 7:45 AM & 10:15 AM

Online services, materials and so much more can be found at

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April 20 & 21	Easter 4	Hymns
Order of Service:	The Service Setting Two page 172	555 / 554 552
Sermon:	1 John 4:1-6 A Test Worth Administering	623:1,3 661 & 441 804

Welcome to St. Paul's!

- **Parents, please feel free to use the child training room** to calm or feed small children. It's located across from the restrooms and is equipped with sound and light controls as well as one-way shades in the smaller section past the room divider.
- **A t-coil hearing loop system** is active for those with hearing aids. Headsets are also available. Ushers can help if you have questions.
- **Large print copies** of our service are available in the entryway.
- **Restrooms** with changing stations are to the right as you exit church.
- **Service Notes:** in place of the Gloria (p176) we'll sing CW#551.
in place of the Angus Dei (p186) we'll sing CW#938.
- **Offerings** are gathered during worship. *As the offering plates are brought forward, please stand and sing hymn 623:1,3.*

Ushers this week (20 & 21) teams are 2 (L. Ziemer), 3 (M. Peachy), & 4 (C. Hintz). Greeters are C. Kitchen, K&J Kovalaske, Kampmans. Next Week (27 & 28) teams will be 5 (B. Tabbert), 6 (M. Ewerdt), & 7 (D. Preissner). Greeters will be B. Oelke, B. Ewerdt, K & L Robinet. Our accompanist is Will Hinn. Thank you all for your service to our Savior and St. Paul's.

God's Word This Week:

Easter 4: Good Shepherd Sunday

RESURRECTION REALITY: THE RISEN SAVIOR PROVIDES GOOD SHEPHERDING

Scripture frequently pictures spiritual care in terms of a shepherd watching over sheep. Even folks unfamiliar with shepherding are able to grasp the meaning. Sheep are helpless animals—an easy meal for predators. For sheep to survive they needed a shepherd who not only leads them to sources of food, but who also is willing to tangle with a pack of wolves. Jesus is such a shepherd. He proved he is willing to lay down his life for his sheep. The word “pastor” comes from the Latin word for “shepherd.” Today, there are plenty of people—pastors, religious leaders, etc.—who claim they can provide healing for your soul. Yet, Scripture warns that “many” of these are “false prophets” (1 John 4:1) who “distort the truth” (Acts 20:30). Many! But the resurrection reality is that our Good Shepherd is faithful. He will raise up true sub-shepherds who know Christ and proclaim the truth of his gospel.

April 20 – April 28, 2024

4/20	Sat.	6:30 PM	WORSHIP with Lord's Supper [#2]
4/21	Sun.	7:45 AM	WORSHIP with Lord's Supper [#3]
		9:00 AM	Adult Bible Class & Sunday School
		10:15 AM	WORSHIP with Lord's Supper [#4] Pre & 3-4 sing
		11:15 AM	Baptism of Jamie Linzmeyer
		2:00 PM	CES Adult Bowling Event at Ledgeview Lanes
4/22	Mon.	6:15 PM	Public School Catechism Class
4/24	Wed.	8:45 AM	Bible Class: This We Believe
4/25	Thur.	8:35 AM	School Chapel (Pastor Kampman)
		6:00 PM	Examination of Confirmands
4/26	Fri.	ALL DAY	No School SPLS – Faculty Inservice
4/27	Sat.	8:30 AM	LWMS Spring Rally at Redeemer in FdL
		6:30 PM	WORSHIP [#5]
4/28	Sun.	7:45 AM	WORSHIP [#6]
		9:00 AM	Sunday School & Bible Class
		10:15 AM	WORSHIP [#7] with Confirmation (choir sings)

Baptism!!

We rejoice with Justin Linzmeyer & Laura Duggan at the baptism of their newborn Jamie Lynn Linzmeyer after our late service this weekend. What a joy to have another little one brought to the loving arms of their Savior.

Holy Communion

Today we have the privilege of receiving Christ's true body and blood in, with and under the bread and wine of Holy Communion. Through this sacrament, the Holy Spirit seals to us the forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation for the strengthening of our faith. Scriptures also teach that as we commune together, we are publicly testifying to a complete unity of faith based on a confession of all of God's Word. For this reason, we respectfully request that all of those who are not members please speak with one of our pastors before communing with us. Thank you.

Singing in Worship This Weekend

We are grateful that our students from St. Paul's in Preschool and third and fourth grade were able to sing during church this Sunday, April 21 at our 10:15 AM service. Thank you for using your talents in worship! Learn more about our School under the picture of Jesus in the Narthex by the Martin Luther Room.

Adult Bible Class: This We Believe

Our world is full of many voices telling us what to believe. It can be confusing, frustrating, even faith-destroying. What does God say? How can I be certain? Using *This We Believe*, a booklet published by our synod (WELS), we study the teachings of God's Holy Word. A free copy is available at stpaulslutherannfdl.com/thiswebelieve. *This Sunday and the following Wednesday, we will discuss **Church & State**.*

Principal Call Extended on March 21, 2021

Mr. Kevin Needham from St. Paul's in Saginaw, Michigan is holding our call to serve as principal and 7&8 grade teacher in the coming year here at St. Paul's. Mr. Needham is married to Janna Thiesfeldt (maiden name) and the two have been blessed with four children 20, 18, 16 and 11 years old. His contact information is 989-327-4792 and kneedham@stpls.org. May God bless their deliberations.

WLA Traveling Choir Here May 12 – Breakfast Help Requested

WLA will be here Sunday, May 12 to sing in our services. Congregations generally provide a breakfast for the kids between services. We will provide pancakes but are looking for items to fill out the menu that morning. There is a signup sheet in the entryway.

Divine Call Received

Sunday April 7, Pastor Michael Kampman received a divine call to serve at Eastside Lutheran Church & School in Madison, WI. Mrs. Kristin Kampman also received a call to teach second grade in their school. Eastside consists of around 500 members with 100 students in its school. Keep the Kampmans in your prayers as they consider where the Lord would have them be of service within His Church.

Bowling Event hosted by the Christian Education Society

A bowling outing at Ledgeview Lanes for our church and school parents/adults will take place on April 21, from 2:00-4:00 PM. We hope you'll be able to join in the fun and fellowship! Bowlers pay at the alley, so no prepayments are needed.

Area Ladies' Spring Fellowship Potluck

St. Peter's of Fond du Lac, 1600 South Main Street, invites the ladies of our congregation to the Annual Area Ladies' Spring Fellowship Potluck to be held on Wednesday, May 1. Fellowship and registration starts at 5:30 pm with a potluck meal to follow at 6 pm. Student singers from WLA will be providing entertainment after our meal. Please bring a dish to pass. Please sign up by the Martin Luther Room.

Camp Phillip is Fancy Schmancy on June 1, 2024

You're invited to the 4th Annual Fancy Schmancy Dinner on June 1, 2024, at Camp Phillip! Join us for an evening filled with generosity and giggles, all in support of a fantastic cause—raising funds for our beloved Camp Phillip. All proceeds will go toward installing a mini golf course. Call 920-787-3202 or use the QR Code to reserve your spot.

Before School Helpers Needed

Before school care runs from 7:00 until about 8:15 each morning. If you would like to assist either this year or next, please speak with Mr. Hartwig or Pastor Kampman for more information. Thank you.

Hot Lunch Server Needed for Next Year

Hot Lunch Service runs from 11:30 until 1:00 each day. Lunches come cooked and ready. Our server simply takes the food and portions it to those who take lunch that day. Contact Mr. Hartwig or Pastor Kampman for more information should you be interested.

A special Thank You to all who helped with forensics

We would like to thank all who volunteered to assist at our forensics meet this year. It was a wonderful opportunity for our kids to showcase their hard work and effort as they presented a variety of pieces. It wouldn't have been possible without all the help. Thank You!

WLA Call & Staffing News

WLA is pleased to announce that *Miss Moriah Hackbarth* from Nebraska Lutheran High School has accepted the call to teach in Advanced Math. *Mrs. Rachel Pierson* was called to be WLA's Technology Coordinator and Instructor. *Mr. Andy Mildebrandt* returned his call to serve at Cross of Glory in Peoria, AZ as a 5 & 6 grade teacher. We keep them all in our prayers as they transition, deliberate, and prepare for the end of this year, even as they prepare for the next.

WLA Summer Camps

Registration for WLA Summer Camps 2024 is open. Everything from sports, band, drama, even German is available. Schedules, descriptions, and registration information for each camp can be found at stpaulslutherannfdl.com/WLAsummercamps.

WLA's The Event is set for April 27 @ 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm

The Event is our annual dinner auction. *The Event* highlights the WLA Endowment and raises support for ongoing ministry. Learn more or register to attend at wlavikings.org/theevent.

WLA Trap Team - "Scrap For Trap" April 27

At "Second Impressions Thrift Store" from 9 AM - 3 PM, scrap metal donations will be accepted, please no appliances or electronics. You can also donate anytime throughout the year at Sadoff Iron & Metal Co., just let them know it's for the "WLA Trap Team". Pickup service is available contact Chris Kohnke at 920-517-8507. The team is also collecting canned goods, box meals, and personal hygiene items for the Fondy Food Pantry that day.

Upcoming Events at WLA. Mark Your Calendars!

April

22 PreACT (9 & 10)
Virtual Learning (11 & 12)
27 Scrap for Trap
The Event

May

17 Last Day for Class of 2024
Hall of Fame Presentations
19 Spring Concert
22-24 Final Exams
25 Graduation

School & Sunday School Mission Offering

The 2nd semester School & Sunday School Mission Offering, collected weekly, is being given to Martin Luther College, our synod's called worker training school. The current total is \$372.02.

Stewardship Moment Stewardship by Arno Wolfgramm NPH page 74 Most Congregations, in their Christian freedom, have chosen to gather an offering during worship. This is a fine custom. It gives God's people an opportunity to show their love for God and their appreciation for God's Word. From these offerings the congregation pays a salary to pastors and teachers. These offerings support work of missionaries who bring God's Word to people all around the world. They build beautiful churches to the glory of God. They pay the many other bills that make the preaching of the Word possible. We glorify God when we partake in that offering.

Offerings

We offer a variety of options to support the work of the Gospel:

- Place your gift in the offering baskets here at church in worship.
- Send your gift to St. Paul's at 1010 Adams Ave., NFDL, 54937.
- Place your gift in the birdhouse post near the office entrance.
- Scan the QR Code to go to our giving site or visit www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com/offerings.
- Use Automatic withdrawal from checking.
Sign-up sheets are available on our website or across from the office. Contact the office to set it up.
- Use "Vanco Mobile" found in your phone's app store. Search for "North Fond du Lac, WI" and choose St. Paul's. The Church account is for offerings. The School Account is for tuition.



Last Week's Offerings

We gave the following gifts - \$10,849.77 (\$196.01 plate); Missions - \$730.50; Improvement - \$130; Mortgage - \$2,488.75; Devotional Booklets - \$5; Preschool Tuition - \$631; Extended Care - \$440.50; Audio/Visual Fund - \$20 (Electronic funds included in these gifts - \$2,751.59; all offerings totaled \$15,378.10; Weekly Budgeted Target \$19,672.75). 269 souls attended Worship (142, 58, 69 [37 (27 & 10) views]).

A generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed.

Proverbs 11:25