



St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran

Church • School • Preschool

A member of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (www.wels.net)

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Worship Schedule: Thursday & Saturday at 6:30 PM and Sunday at 9:00 AM

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

www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com or follow us www.facebook.com/stpaulsnfdl

| August 12, 14, & 15, 2021 | Pentecost 12 | Hymns |
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| Order of Service: Service of the Word & Sacrament p26 Sermon: 1 Kings 19:9-18 <p style="text-align: center;">Whisper</p> | | 564 Ps. 34 pg. 80 352 358:1-2 361 & 542 436 |

Welcome to St. Paul's!

- **A t-coil hearing loop system** is active for those with hearing aids. Headsets are also available. Ushers can help if you have questions.
- 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.
- **Large print copies** of our service are available on the information center in the entryway.
- **Restrooms** are to the right as you exit the sanctuary. Both male & female facilities are equipped with baby changing stations.
- **Your offering** may be placed in baskets on stands near the door.

Ushers this weekend (Aug.14/Aug.15) 15 (B. Tabbert) and 14 (D. Babler) usher. Next weekend (Aug.21/Aug.22) 1 (D. Schumacher) and 16 (B. Bruss) will usher. Ushering schedules for 2021 are available in the narthex.

God's Word this week: Pentecost 12

Why is it so important that we respond to God's generosity in giving temporal blessings with gratitude to him for his spiritual blessings? Because we are plagued within and without by temptations to worship the temporal and to despise the eternal.

Holy Communion Announcement

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 grants the forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation. Scriptures also teach that as we commune together, we are publicly testifying to complete unity of faith, based on all of God's Word. For this reason, we respectfully request that only confirmed members of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod or our sister synod, the Evangelical Lutheran Synod commune with us today. Our pastors would love to talk more about membership here at St. Paul's.

Prayer Before Worship To Your Temple I Draw Near (#226)

To your temple I draw near; Lord, I love to worship here.

Here are sacrament and Word; Here believers meet their Lord.

August 12-22, 2021

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| 8/12 | Thur. | 6:00pm | Worship with Holy Communion |
| 8/14 | Sat. | 9:00am | School Cleaning Day & Playground Woodchips Work Day |
| 8/14 | Sat. | 6:30pm | Worship with Holy Communion |
| 8/15 | Sun. | 9:00am | Worship with Holy Communion |
| 8/18 | Wed. | 6:30pm | Church Council Meeting |
| 8/19 | Thur. | 6:00pm | Worship |
| 8/21 | Sat. | 6:30pm | Worship |
| 8/22 | Sun. | 9:00am | Worship |
| 8/22 | Sun. | 10:00am | Congregational Picnic Games for all (10-11am) Orientation for parents (10-11am) Congregational Picnic (11am-12pm) Games and socializing (12pm-1pm ish) |

Other worship opportunities

Recorded services and live stream are available. Links are available at www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com. WELS Sunday radio: AM1450 (FDL) and AM1280 (Appleton) at 8:00am. WELS Sunday TV: *Time of Grace* on Green Bay NBC-26 at 6:30am and Milwaukee CBS-58 at 10:30am.

WE NEED YOU

So much of what we do requires the support and efforts of our members here at St. Paul's. We are looking for help in a number of areas especially as we continue to strive to get back to where we were.

Greeters: A smile and a hello. That's really all it takes to make someone feel welcome when they walk through the doors at church. A sign-up sheet is in the narthex. We hope to begin again in September.

Congregational Calling Committee: We want to check in on all of our members here at St. Paul's, let them know we are thinking about them and invite them back to church (Our picnic is a great opportunity for that August 22). If you would be willing to call a few people, a sign up is in the Narthex.

Sunday School Teachers: It is our sincere hope to begin Sunday School after Labor Day on Sept. 12. We are looking for a Preschool Teacher or teaching team and at least one if not more Sunday School teachers interested in joining a teaching team in other grades. Talk with one of the Pastors if you're interested.

Changes coming to Worship at the Cross

The ARC has asked that we consolidate all of our worship and Bible Study offerings down to one night each month due to staffing shortages and transportation costs. As a result, Worship at the Cross will now be offered on a rotating basis between St. Paul's and Faith. If you would like to help out every other month with snacks greeting or sitting with a worshipper, please talk to Pastor Kampman or Kathy Thurow.

Giving Plus App is being retired Vanco Mobile is taking its place

The "Giving Plus App" is being retired at the end of September. In its place, Vanco is offering "Vanco Mobile". It should be available in your phone's app store. You may need to search for "North Fond du Lac" or "Fond du Lac" to find the church or the school accounts. To make sure that the apps don't double dip during the transition, please cancel payment in Giving+ as you transition to Vanco Mobile and restart your offerings/tuition in the new app. Remember, the Church account is for Offerings and the School account is for Tuition.

Church Picnic & School Orientation Day August 22

Mark your Calendars! We are having a church picnic and school orientation day this year. Sunday, August 22, we will gather for church at 9:00am after which we will have games and an hour of social time while our school families have orientation. At 11:00am hotdogs and all the wonderful dishes brought to pass should be ready. Afterwards, fellowship and games will still be available. We look forward to seeing you.

St. Paul's Lutheran School & Preschool begins August 25

At St. Paul's every subject is taught in the light of God's Word. Our teachers are dedicated to the success of each student and smaller class sizes allow more personalized instruction. Reserve a place for your child(ren) at www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com/reg or call the office.

Christian Funeral for Torres Peterson

Torres Peterson passed away on August 10. He had faithfully coached and served on boards within our congregation over the years. We keep Erin, Ethan, and Addy in our prayers during this difficult time. The Petersons had transferred to St. Paul's in Mt. Calvary this summer. The funeral is scheduled for 3pm at WLA & visitation from 1 until service.

Stewardship Thought from the Supplemental Epistle (Heb. 5:11-6:3)

We teach our children to sing, "Jesus loves me, this I know," and well we should, but being good stewards of God's Word means we want "baby faith" to mature. Such growth happens when we dig into God's Word so that we can get off the milk and on to the meat. When a child of God does this, fruits of faith also mature and spill over into their lives of giving and serving.

Stewardship by the Lectionary - WELS Ministry on Christian Giving

Offerings

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

- Drop it in the offering baskets here at church before or after worship.
- Drop it off in the "birdhouse" post near the office/school entrance.
- Send it to St. Paul's Lutheran, 1010 Adams Ave., NFDL, 54937.
- Vanco now offers us an online portal (available on our website) as well as "Vanco Mobile" app to receive offerings from a checking account, debit card, or even a credit card. Paper sign-ups are also available at the information center, the table in front of the office, or on our website. Contact the office if you require any assistance.

Last Week's Offerings

God's people joyfully brought the following gifts: Current - \$13,222.87; Missions - \$2,695; Improvement - \$213; Mortgage - \$3451.86; Facility Usage - \$200; Worship at the Cross - \$40; Audio/Visual Ministry - \$50; St. Paul's Student Aid - \$75; Organ/Piano - \$10 (Electronic funds included in these gifts - \$4815.87; all offerings totaled \$19,156.87; weekly budgeted target \$17,000). 289 people attended worship in-person (61,49,179). Our live-stream/video had 33 views. **A Memorial** was given in memory of Quinn Boehning to St. Paul's Student Aid. **The Flowers on the altar** were given in thanksgiving for the 23rd Wedding Anniversary of Corey and Cyndi Hintz on August 15.