



St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran

Church • School • Preschool

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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

July 28, 30, 31, 2022 8th Commandment	Hymns
Order of Service Setting Two (no communion) page 172	590 Psalm 4
Sermon Deuteronomy 5:20	634: 1,12, 3 754:6
The Truth Hurts	768 695

- 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 & light controls. There is a one-way privacy shade in the smaller section past the room divider as well should you need it.
- **Large print copies** of our service are available in the entryway.
- **Restrooms** with changing stations are to the right as you exit church.
- **Offerings** are gathered during worship. We pass offering plates. *As the offering is brought forward, please stand and sing **hymn 754:6**.*

Ushers this week (July 30 & 31) due to a calendar error we will be looking for volunteers. Greeters are J. White and Kampmans. Next week (Aug. 6 & 7) will be teams 7 (M. Ewerdt) and 8 (J. Laudolff). Greeters will be B. Ewerdt and R. Eggers. Organist: Pam Zuberbier. Thanks for your service to our Savior and St. Paul's!

God's Word This Week

8th Commandment

Liar, liar, pants of fire! So the old-school yard chant goes. But in truth lies are far hard to see and tell. Our world today makes a mint on half-truths and outright lies designed to do everything from deceiving us to making us crave something. The more things change the more they stay the same. Satan has been using lies since the garden to convince God's people to hate one another and to reject the creator of all who loves us and always seeks what is best for us. So God protects the truth with the eighth commandment and tells His people to be truthful with our neighbors. Again, thankfully our Savior, the Word, the Truth made flesh has kept this one for us too that sinners can be called saints in the eyes of our heavenly Father.

Read in unison in place of the verse of the day.

The Eighth Commandment & Explanation

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

What does this mean?

We should fear and love God that we do not tell lies about our neighbor, betray him, or give him a bad name, but defend him, speak well of him, and take his words and actions in the kindest possible way.

Complete copies of Luther's Small Catechism are available in the tract rack in the Narthex.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

July 28 – August 7, 2022

7/28	Thur.	6:30 PM	Worship – no communion (5 th week)
7/29	Fri.	10:30 PM	Lutheran Home Service [Pastor Ehlert]
7/30	Sat.	6:30 PM	Worship – no communion (5 th week)
7/31	Sun.	9:00 AM	Worship – no communion (5 th week)
8/1-5	<i>9:00 –</i>	<i>11:30 AM</i>	<i>Vacation Bible School</i>
8/1	Mon.	5:30 PM	Board of Christian Education
8/2	Tues.	Afternoon	Circuit Picnic in Kiel, WI for pastors
8/4	Thur.	6:30 PM	Worship with Lord's Supper
8/5	Fri.	6:30 PM	St. Paul's Movie Night (Ferdinand)
8/6	Sat.	6:30 PM	Worship with Lord's Supper (team #7)
8/7	Sun.	9:00 AM	Worship with Lord's Supper (team #8)
	Sun.	10:00 AM	New Member Information Class

Back to School Night: Aug. 9 from 6-8 PM

School Orientation & Church Picnic (for all): Aug. 21 after church

700 Flyers Delivered Last Week

700 flyers that told people about our church, school, & preschool along with our VBS next week were delivered last weekend. A few more are available on the VBS Table under the picture of Jesus should you want to see what they had on them or if you want to hand one off to invite people to our church or school.

Join us in the Fellowship Hall for a Movie Night

After all the fun of VBS, we will relax by watching the movie Ferdinand in the fellowship hall. All are invited to join in the fellowship and fun. Bring your own snacks and lounging equipment.

Save the Date for Summer Fun at Vacation Bible School

St. Paul's will offer its annual Vacation Bible School from August 1-5 (9:00 AM - 11:30 AM). This year's theme is "The Tree of Life: God's Promise of Salvation." Be sure to join us for fun lessons, music, crafts, snacks, and activities to learn how Jesus' cross became the tree of life forgiving our sin and giving us everlasting life! Still want to register? Visit stpaulslutherannfdl.com/vbs or call the office.

VBS Donations

We would love to have all donations in for VBS no later than this weekend. If we are missing any items it gives us a chance to purchase them before they are needed each day. Contact Pastor Ehlert with any questions.

St. Paul's Lutheran School

Preschool through 8th Grade

Smaller class sizes ... more individualized attention ... a supportive family. Sounds good, right? We think so and it all happens as we teach more than the subjects and skills our children will need for life, but also hold out the strength to endure a world plagued by sin and overcome by hatred, disaster, and death. The Bible is the foundation for everything we do and we think that makes for a pretty special place. Contact Mr. Aaron Hartwig to learn more about all St. Paul's Lutheran School can do for you and your family. Registration is open and space is available!

August 13: School Cleaning and Church Facility Work Day

The Board of Properties is compiling a list of items to address on a church-wide workday which will be scheduled in conjunction with the school cleaning day. Rockwork around the building and turning over the wood chips in the playgrounds are two of the larger outdoor projects on the agenda for that day should you not wish to be inside cleaning. We plan on dedicating the morning to sprucing things up. Mark your calendars. The work is always more fun when more people pitch in.

A Prayer Before Worship

I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

Martin Luther's Morning Prayer, Small Catechism

Stewardship Thought

The very fact that, though a sinner, God maintains you are close to His heart, is an unfathomable reality. What other possible response can you and I have than to join with all creation in hurling our praises to Him. In formal worship? Certainly. In our jobs and schooling too. In our relationships and personal time too. In our recreation and our finances too. What aspect of our lives has not been graciously blessed by Him and so deserves to be joyfully harnessed for Him? The simple answer? There is none. Let our grateful hearts pour forth our praise every day in every way. (Thoughts based on Psalm 148)

From Stewardship by the Lectionary (a WELS resource)

Offerings

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

- Drop it in the offering baskets here at church when you worship.
- Send it to St. Paul's Lutheran, 1010 Adams Ave., NFDL, 54937.
- Drop it off in the "birdhouse" post near the office/school entrance.
- Use Vanco Automatic withdrawal from your checking account. Sign-up sheets are available at the information center, on the table in front of the office, or our website. Contact the office to set it up.
- Use "Vanco Mobile" found in your smartphone's app store. Please be sure to search for "North Fond du Lac, WI", and choose St. Paul's. Please note that there are different accounts for the Church and School. The Church account is for offerings and the School account is for school payments.

Last Week's Offerings:

Giving thanks for abundant love and grace, we presented the following gifts: Current – \$11,399.25; Missions – \$985; Improvement – \$400; Mortgage – \$2,763.75; St. Paul's Student Aid – \$145; Organ/Piano Fund – \$125 (Electronic funds included in these gifts – \$2,487.75; all offerings totaled \$15,818; Weekly target \$17,063). 175 souls attended our services (40, 18 (storms), 117 [livestream – 35]).