



# St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran

Church • School • Preschool

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**Worship This Week: Saturdays at 6:30pm & Sundays at 7:45am & 10:15am Online services and materials can be found at [www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com](http://www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com).**

**May 1 & 2, 2021**

**Easter 5**

**Order of Service:**

Service Folder

**Sermon:**

**John 15:1-8**

*As the branch is to the vine ...*

I am His ... may my life show evidences of His grace.

And He is mine ... may I remain connected to His Means of Grace.

## Welcome to St. Paul's!

- **Seating:** Please sit in the designated pews, socially distancing between families for the comfort of all in attendance.
- **A t-coil hearing loop system** is active for those with hearing aids. Headsets are also available. Ushers can help if you have questions.
- **Service folders** are on stands near the sanctuary doors. These contain the entire service. *Please take it and the bulletin home with you.* Large print copies are available on the information center.
- Parents, please feel free to use the **child training room** to calm or feed small children.
- **Restrooms** are to the right as you exit the sanctuary.
- **Your offering** may be placed in baskets on stands near the door.

**Ushers** this weekend (May 1/2) teams 13 (T. Schwefel), 14 (D. Babler), and 15 (B. Tabbert) usher. Next weekend (May 8/9) teams 16 (B. Bruss), 1 (D. Schumacher), and 2 (L. Ziemer) will usher. Ushering schedules for 2021 are available in the narthex.

**God's Word this week: Easter 5**

Could the relationship of Christ and His Church be any closer? The intimate connection to our risen Lord, Jesus Christ, wrought by the Gospel in the Means of Grace, has rich consequences for our life with Him even now.

**Prayer Before Worship Speak, O Savior; I Am Listening (#283:4)**

As I pray, dear Jesus, hear me; Let your words in me take root.  
 May your Spirit e'er be near me That I bear abundant fruit.  
 May I daily sing your praise, From my heart glad anthems raise,  
 Till my highest praise is given In the endless joy of heaven.

**May 1 - May 9, 2021**

5/1	<b>Sat</b>	6:30pm	Worship with Lord's Supper
5/2	<b>Sun</b>	7:45am	Worship with Lord's Supper
5/2	<b>Sun</b>	9:00am	Bible Class: The Gospel of Luke
5/2	<b>Sun</b>	10:15am	Worship with Lord's Supper (1 <sup>st</sup> for confirmands)
5/3	<b>Mon</b>	8:30am	Area WELS Pastors Study
5/3	<b>Mon</b>	4:00pm	St. Paul's Soccer vs. Peace, Green Lake (Home)
5/3	<b>Mon</b>	6:10pm	Public School Confirmation Class
5/4	<b>Tues</b>	6:30pm	WInGS
5/5	<b>Wed</b>	8:45am	Bible Class: The Gospel of Luke
5/5	<b>Wed</b>	6:00pm	Board of Christian Education
5/6	<b>Thur</b>	4:00pm	St. Paul's Soccer vs. Faith (Home)
5/7-8	<b>Fri-Sat</b>	TBD	WALL Softball Tournament in Iron Ridge
5/8	<b>Sat</b>	6:30pm	Worship with WLA Traveling Choir
5/9	<b>Sun</b>	<b><i>ALL DAY Mother's Day</i></b>	
5/9	<b>Sun</b>	7:45am	Worship with WLA Traveling Choir
5/9	<b>Sun</b>	9:00am	Bible Class: The Gospel of Luke (Martin Luther Rm.)
5/9	<b>Sun</b>	10:15am	Worship with WLA Traveling Choir

## **Other worship opportunities**

Recorded services are available anytime or live stream at 10:15am on Sunday. Links are available at [www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com](http://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.

## **WLA Traveling Choir – May 8&9**

On Saturday, May 8 and Sunday, May 9 the Winnebago Lutheran Academy's Traveling Choir, directed by Mr. Dale Witte, and guest preacher Pastor Phil Janke, Coordinator of Recruitment and Communication will be leading us in worship. We thank these representatives of our Area Lutheran High School for being with us and for serving the young men and women of our association.

## **Breakfast for WLA**

We are trying to get a little breakfast put together between services for WLA as well. Should you be interested or willing to bring something for them to consume. Please contact Kathy Thurow at (920) 913-0744.

## **Ascension Worship May 13<sup>th</sup>**

*Ascension worship this year is May 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.* It will be a different service than those which we have on Saturday and Sunday (no communion at this service). We will focus on the celebration of our Lord's ascent into heaven, where He continues to rule over all things for the good the Church. We would love to have you join us for this often-forgotten festival of Christ.

## **Summer Schedule begins May 13<sup>th</sup>**

*Ascension also marks the beginning of our Summer schedule.* This is a departure from Memorial Day being the mark of our summer schedule. However, we figured with little time between our Ascension Thursday night service and the start of our summer Thursday night schedule we might as well use Ascension as the kickoff this year. So, May 15 at 6:30pm and May 16 at 9:00am will be Easter 6 and the official start of our summer schedule. Thereafter we will have a *Thursday & Saturday Services at 6:30pm and a Sunday service at 9:00am.*

## **Opportunities to Help Out**

Singing, playing an instrument (preservice or post service ... grade school band students?), assisting in the school, cleaning, mowing, picking/spraying weeds, chasing away the cobwebs under the entryways (a never-ending job), cleaning exterior windows (we have squeegees and poles), pounding down the metal edging around the building (a great way to work out frustration), there are always plenty of ways to help and use your talents around God's house. Don't be afraid to ask to use them. We are always better off when we do.

## **Call News**

Pastor Michael Kampman received a divine call on Sunday to serve God's people at Christ Lutheran in Marshall, Minnesota. Christ has 540 members, a school, and a preschool with around 70 enrolled. Pastor did discuss this call with the district president who said the call vacancy situation has gotten to a point where in good conscience they can no longer avoid pastors in associate ministries where one is vacant, but they are planning on changing the call form to better inform district presidents & calling bodies that such a situation exists.

Please keep the Kampman family, St. Paul's & Christ in your prayers.

## **Teacher Appreciation Week**

This week, May 3-7 is teacher appreciation week. This year has been an interesting one for all those in education. Decisions, adjustments, added responsibilities, all of which were constantly changed and updated as the year went on. We appreciate the work our faculty and so many others put into this year for our young people. If you see a teacher this week, a kind word just might make their day. Thank You Teachers!!

## **Forward in Christ subscription**

Sign up in the Narthex by May 14<sup>th</sup> if you would like to get our Synod's magazine. It is full of great articles to strengthen and encourage faith. The year's subscription fee of \$11.40 can be dropped off at the office.

## 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 "birdhouse" post near the office/school entrance.
- Use Vanco Automatic withdrawal from your checking account. Sign-up sheets are available at the information center, the table in front of the office, or at our website. Contact the office to set it up.
- Use "Giving Plus" found in your smart phone's app store. Please be sure to choose St. Paul's North Fond du Lac, WI. Also note that there are different accounts for the Church and School, the Church account for offerings & the School account for school payments.

### **Last Week's Offerings** *given in response to the blessings of our God*

Current Fund - \$13,534.75; Missions - \$417; Improvement Fund - \$115; Mortgage Fund - \$788; Girl's Pioneers - \$42.78; Extended Care - \$475; Audio Visual - \$2; Organ/Piano Fund - \$20; Gym Improvement Fund - \$25; (Electronic funds included in these gifts - \$2,624.75; all offerings totaled \$15,394.53; weekly budgeted target \$17,000); **Flowers** given in thanksgiving for the Christian Marriage of Adam Hinz & Caryne Roen from Lynn & Rhoda Hinz.

**Christian Education**  
*An Eternal Investment in Your Child's Future*

**Little Pioneers Preschool**  
*stpaulslutherannfdl.com/preschool*

*Registration is open.*

*A Christian Preschool program for children ages 3 - 5.*

The mission of Little Pioneers Preschool is to teach young children and their families about God's love and his plan for salvation, to guide them in applying faith to life and sharing that faith with others, and to provide them with spiritual and educational support.

**St. Paul's Lutheran School**  
*stpaulslutherannfdl.com/school*

*Next year's paperwork is now available.*

*Registration officially opens May 27 after school.*

*Christian Education for Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade.*

St. Paul's Lutheran School exists to assist parents in bringing the gospel to children so that the Holy Spirit may create and nurture faith in Jesus Christ as their Savior; to provide quality education with all subjects taught in the light of God's Word; and to help students use their God-given talents to serve others to God's glory.

**Winnebago Lutheran Academy**  
*wlavikings.org*

*Registration is open.*

*Our Area Lutheran Highschool*

Winnebago Lutheran Academy exists to glorify God by nurturing the growth of every student to live as Christ's child within their families, congregations, and communities.