



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

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

May 4 & 5, 2024	Easter 6	Hymns
Order of Service:	The Service Setting One Page 154	523 Psalm 89c (insert) 728
Sermon: What's Love got to do with it?	John 15:9-17	754:1,6 660:1-4 & 557 697

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:** our 10:15 am Service will use a service folder for confirmation.
- **Service Notes:** Hymn 673 will replace the Kyrie and Gloria (pages 174-177) in our services. Our confirmands will communion at 10:15am.
- **Offerings** are gathered during worship. *As the offering plates are brought forward, please stand and sing hymn 754:1,6.*

Ushers this week (4 & 5) teams will be 8 (C. Williams), 9 (J. White), & 10 (T. Schwefel). Greeters will be K. Fischer, V. White, & J&L Jerman. Next Week (11 & 12) teams will be 11 (D. Babler), 1 (D. Schumacher), & 2 (L. Ziemer). Greeters will be D. White, K. Thurow, K. Sebestyen. Our accompanist is Becky Miller. Thank you all for your service to our Savior and St. Paul's.

God's Word This Week:

Easter 6

RESURRECTION REALITY: JESUS' BUSINESS IS LOVE; THEREFORE, SO IS OURS.

The entirety of God's Word can be summed up in one word: love. God's Law is all about love. "Love the Lord your God with all your heart..." and "Love your neighbor as yourself" (Matthew 22:37,39). The gospel is all about love: "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son..." (John 3:16). From his compassion for the sick and broken, to his sacrificial death on the cross, to the peace he provided after his resurrection, Jesus was the perfect embodiment of love. Love is his business.

Therefore, love is our business too. The resurrection reality is that with the same supernatural power by which God raised Jesus from the dead, God now enables us to live a new life—one marked by radically selfless love. The motivation and ability to do this comes from seeing the endless love Christ has for us. We love only because he first loved us.

May 4 – May 12, 2024

5/4	Sat.	6:30 PM	WORSHIP with Lord's Supper [#8]
5/5	Sun.	7:45 AM	WORSHIP with Lord's Supper [#9]
		9:00 AM	Adult Bible Class & Sunday School
		10:15 AM	WORSHIP with Lord's Supper [#10]
		11:45 AM	Mary Nell Piano Recital
		2:00 PM	5-8 Spring Festival
5/6	Mon.	8:30 AM	Pastors Study Club at St. Peter's in Eldorado
		6:15 PM	Public School Catechism Class
5/7	Tues.	6:15 PM	WInGS (last meeting for summer)
5/8	Wed.	ALL DAY	5-8 Track Meet at WLA
		8:45 AM	Bible Class: This We Believe (End Times)
5/9	Thurs.	6:30 PM	ASCENSION SERVICE (1-2 & 5-6 sing)
5/10	Fri.	ALL DAY	K-4 Track Meet at Redeemer in FdL, WI
			½ Day Preschool & 5-8
		8:35 AM	School Chapel (Pastor Ehlert)
5/11	Sat.	6:30 PM	WORSHIP [#11]
5/12	Sun.		MOTHER'S DAY (flowers at church)
		7:45 AM	WORSHIP WITH WLA TRAVELING CHOIR [#1]
		9:00 AM	Sunday School & Bible Class
		10:15 AM	WORSHIP WITH WLA TRAVELING CHOIR [#2]

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. *We are currently discussing **End Times**.*

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.

Calling Continues (Phase 2)

Mr. Kevin Needham from St. Paul's in Saginaw, Michigan returned the call to serve here at St. Paul's last weekend. We now transition into phase two of our call plan. We have submitted our call to MLC for a 1-year teacher capable of filling 3-4 or 7-8. Mrs. Kampman is comfortable teaching in either room. We are also looking around our area to be able to call available individuals should MLC not provide a candidate.

Thank You for Mr. Hartwig's Service

Mr. Hartwig is departing at the end of June. We are thankful for the 15 years of service rendered here at St. Paul's. After speaking with Mr. Hartwig, we will show our thanks by gifting gas cards as he will be commuting from North Fond du Lac to Neenah for the foreseeable future. You may place cards in the box in the narthex of the church by the Martin Luther Room under the picture of Jesus. The cards will be distributed after the graduation service on Thursday, May 23.

Before School Helpers Needed

Before school care runs from 7:00 am until about 8:15 am each morning. You can sign up for 1 day or several. Pay is \$15 per hour. If you would like to assist either this year or next, please speak with Pastor Kampman for more information. Thank you.

Join us for Ascension Thursday at 6:30PM

Thursday at 6:30PM we will celebrate the Ascension of our Lord. Grades 1-2 & 5-6 will start our worship to our Ascended Savior.

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 servers simply take the food and portion it to those who take lunch that day. You can volunteer for one day or many each week. Contact Pastor Kampman for more information should you be interested.

WLA Traveling Choir here – May 12 (Next Week!)

WLA's Traveling Choir will be here on Mother's Day for our Sunday services. We will be serving breakfast between services for the students that day. *A sign-up sheet is available in the Entryway* should you want to bring an item or help out with service.

Because it's Mother's Day as well, *flowers will be available for free for children of any age to show appreciation to their mother* that day. We hope to show appreciation to the faithful mothers who do so much for us as we grow in the training and instruction of the Lord.

Finally, one of our St. Paul's Alumni, member, and WLA senior, Adelyn Kemnitz, plans to attend Martin Luther College to prepare for the teaching ministry. *MLC offers a matching funds opportunity for congregations to support their students up to \$1,450.* We hope to gather at least that amount in special offerings over the weekend to help Adelyn as she heads off to school in the 24-25 school year.

WLA Call & Staffing News

Mrs. Rachel Pierson was called to be WLA's Technology Coordinator and Instructor. We keep her in our prayers as she deliberates and prepares for the end of this year.

WLA is also seeking a Special Ed Paraprofessional and a Part-Time Band Instructor. More information is available on their website.

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.

Upcoming May Events at WLA. Mark Your Calendars!

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

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 \$431.79.

Stewardship Moment Stewardship by Arno Wolfgramm NPH pages 123-124 Christians do not give because they hope to earn a reward. But when a gracious God showers rewards on His faithful Christian stewards here on earth, we need not be surprised. The greatest rewards, however, will become ours on judgment day. On that day, we who wished only to serve God with talents and the mina (money) He entrusted to us will be served by our Lord. We will stand at the Savior's right hand. Then the Savior will publicly announce our faithfulness and will say to us, "Enter into my heavenly kingdom." We will sit down at the heavenly banquet table. What a thrill that will be.

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 - \$11,361.99 (\$2,266 plate); Missions - \$639.50; Improvement - \$112; Mortgage - \$958.75; Easter Envelopes - \$10; Preschool Tuition - \$108.25; Extended Care - \$912.50; Altar Fund - \$20; Audio/Visual Fund - \$25 (Electronic funds included in these gifts - \$1,920.51; all offerings totaled \$14,147.99; Weekly Budgeted Target \$19,672.75). 335 souls attended Worship (44, 56, 235 [32 views]). Memorials were given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Jeannine Paul who opened her eyes to the glories of heaven on April 3, 2024 and Don Lane (Father of Nathan Lane) who went home to Jesus on March 14, 2019.