



St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran

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

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

November 12 & 13, 2022		Last Judgment	Hymns
Order of Service	The Service of the Word		485 (3-6 at 10:15)
	Service Booklet Page 14		Psalm 98
Sermon	2 Thessalonians 1:5-10		488
	Looking Forward to Judgement Day!		491:3-4
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- **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 491:3-4.*

Ushers this week (Nov. 12 & 13) teams are 9 (D. Preissner), 10 (C. Williams), and 11 (J. White). Greeters will be C. Kitchen, K. Fischer, and V. White. Next week (19 & 20) will be teams 12 (T. Schwefel), 13 (D. Babler), and 1 (D. Schumacher). Greeters will be E & B Davies, T. Babler, and Kampmans. Our Organist this week is Dawn Hinn. Thank you for your service to our Savior and St. Paul's!

JUDGMENT PRODUCES PERSEVERANCE FOR THE SUFFERING.

While we wait and watch for Jesus' return, the better future He has promised us fills us with the hope we need. Not many would be inclined to picture judgment as an integral part of that better future. In fact, it is common to assume the opposite, that a better future for mankind would be one absent of all judgment. That kind of future, however, is a luxury many cannot afford. Our world is full of victims of abuse, violence, and oppression. In many cases, this evil goes unnoticed and unpunished. A future without hope of judgment would drive these victims either into total despair or to be consumed by the desire for revenge. A future that includes judgment, however, is a future that includes justice. It gives those who suffer at the hands of others the confidence that every wrong will eventually be righted. While Christians wait, we are by no means the only ones who suffer at the hands of others. We are, however, often among them. When we suffer, what are our options? Do we take matters into our own hands? Do we throw up our hands in despair? The better future that awaits offers a better option. We can patiently wait for God's perfect judgment, confident of where we stand with God through faith in our righteous Judge.

WEEKLY CALENDAR: November 12 - 20, 2022

11/12	Sat.		A Team Tip-Off Tournament in West Bend
		6:30 PM	Worship (team #9)
11/13	Sun.		A Team Tip-Off Tournament in West Bend
		7:45 AM	Worship (team #10)
		9:00 AM	Bible Study & Sunday School
		10:15 AM	Worship 3-6 sings (team #11)
11/14	Mon.	6:00 PM	Public School Confirmation Class
		6:30 PM	Choir Practice
		7:30 PM	Chimes Practice
11/15	Tues.	6:30 PM	Worship at the Cross at Faith in FdL
11/16	Wed.	8:45 AM	Bible Class: the Book of Colossians
		6:30 PM	<i>Hunters Service with Communion (7&8 grades sing)</i>
11/17	Thurs.	6:30 PM	Church Council Meeting
11/18	Fri.	8:35 AM	Weekly Chapel Service (All Invited)
		2:00 PM	WLA Ladies Auxiliary Meeting (WLA Commons)
11/19	Sat.	6:30 PM	Worship with Lord's Supper (team #12)
11/20	Sun.	7:45 AM	Worship with Lord's Supper (team #13)
		9:00 AM	Bible Study & Sunday School
		10:15 AM	Worship with Lord's Supper (team #1)

New Bible study begins this week: Colossians

We continue to work our way through the book of Colossians attempting to walk the narrow Lutheran road between Mysticism and Phariseeism. Come join us! Adult Bible Classes meet Wednesdays at 8:45 AM and Sundays at 9:00 AM in the fellowship hall.

LUTHERAN MILITARY SUPPORT GROUP (LMSG) Ammo Can Offering November 12 & 13, we will participate in our Synod's annual "Ammo Can Collection" used to support the work of LMSG which supports our active duty service members, veterans, and their families. Donations can be dropped into the ammo can at all services for the weekend of Nov. 13th.

Thanks to our 3-6 for singing at the 10:15 AM service!

Grades 3-6 will be singing Now Thank We All our God (597 in your hymnal) at the beginning of our 10:15 AM service. They would like to invite the congregation to sing the 2nd verse of this classic hymn with them. Feel free to keep your hymnal out for the whole song as well to follow along (silently for the other verses 😊) with the words.

Singing in worship is one of the ways our school children show appreciation to God for all He does for them and to you, the congregation, for supporting Christian education here at St. Paul's with your offerings, prayers, and in so many other ways. 3-4 grade is taught by Mrs. Kristin Kampman and 5-6 grade is taught by Mr. Joel Mathwig. Thank you, teachers, parents, and students, for using your time and talents in worship! *Contact Principal Aaron Hartwig to talk about the benefits of a Christian Education for your family.*

Affirmation of the Baptism Eden Elizabeth Marshall at 10:15 AM!

We rejoice with Scott and Jessica Marshall as we publically affirm the baptism of their newest blessing from the Lord. Eden Elizabeth Marshall was born on October 14 of this year and was baptized the next day. What a blessing to be able to recall the many blessings God gives in baptism for Eden and for us all.

Ushering List Update

It's hard to believe but it's almost time to update the Ushering Schedule. Please let Pastor Kampman know if phone numbers, names, etc. need changing in your group. Want to help us keep worship orderly each week? Let a pastor know to have your name placed on the ushering list.

History Buff?

We are looking for some volunteers to man the history section across from the restrooms in the Narthex. If anyone is interested please contact Pastor Michael Kampman for more information.

OWLS – Organization of WELS Lutheran Seniors

The November meeting of Flyway OWLS will be Tuesday, November 15 at 1:00 pm at the Lomira Community Center (425 Water Street). The speaker will be Caleb King who is in his final year of classroom instruction at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary. He will share his experiences over his Vicar year in Colorado and the training that future WELS pastors go through before being assigned to a church.

Grief Care Group being considered

A 4 week Grief Share Group is being considered during the holiday season here at St. Paul's. If you would be interested in attending these four meetings please let Pastor Kampman know what works in your schedule so we can try to pick a time that will work best for most.

Volunteer Opportunities

Does your job encourage you to put in volunteer hours for charity? We can help! Whether it is cleaning, mowing, snow blowing, picking up leaves, helping out in a classroom, or at WLA, we can certainly put you to work. Sign-ups are available in the Narthex or call the office.

Advent by Candlelight

The ladies of WinGS are once again preparing for Advent by Candlelight, a program of narration, reading, music, and prayer, all designed to focus on Christ, our Savior. The event is Tuesday, December 6 starting with fellowship and treats at 6:00 pm, with the presentation beginning at 6:30. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex. Guests are welcome and encouraged! (You can come even if you didn't sign up.) We're also having a food drive, which will go to the Fond du Lac Food Pantry. Food items can be placed in the boxes provided. We hope to see you there!

Poinsettias for Christmas

Oh, I know, how can it possibly be time for all that already? Well, it's getting close to Advent and with shortages of just about everything these days, a little sooner gets us in on the larger orders. Envelopes are available as usual in the Narthex. This year a 6-inch plant is \$13 and a 8-inch pot (2 plants in a pot) is \$30.

Christmas Decorating

We are looking for volunteers to help beautify our church for the Advent and Christmas seasons. With Advent right on the tail of Thanksgiving this year, we are decorating on Saturday morning, November 26. The fun usually runs from 8 AM until 11 AM. We would love to see you even if you can only give us an hour. Many hands make light work.

Let's Celebrate

WLA will no longer be hosting Let's Celebrate. This event has been a blessing for nearly 30 years! The Mission Advancement Office and the Fine Arts Department began discussing this change last year. The goal is to offer more opportunities for educational experiences in the fine arts for association schools. In addition, the Mission Advancement office will host some new events that will be fellowship opportunities for our Association. This spring, WLA will introduce a Fine Arts Fair to showcase the talents of WLA Grade School students involved in our Fine Arts programs! It will feature performances by the WLA band/grade school bands, WLA Choirs, soloists, small ensembles, and contributions from various art classes. Information has been shared with our WLA Grade Schools. Look for more details to come soon. Our Mission Advancement office will also be sharing information soon about some fellowship events that will give our WLA Family a chance to gather together and celebrate the blessings of the Academy over the years. These events will also share ministry news for our high school and bring people together to support Christian education. Please look for more information soon about these events. Please direct any questions to Kevin Ehlke, Director of Mission Advancement at WLA. kehlke@wlavikings.org - 920-921-4930 ext. 422

WLA Theater Presents The Music Man

WLA's theater program will be offering showings of the Music Man on November 10, 11, & 12 at 7:00 PM, with a matinee showing at 2:00 PM on November 13. Tickets for the public go on sale on October 21 and will be available online at hometowntickets.com or in the school office. Handicap-accessible tickets can be purchased at WLA's office.

WLA Kitchen Volunteers Needed

Thank You to all who signed up to help in WLA's kitchen. We are staffed for Nov. 15-18. We do have 2 more available weeks coming up! Sign up in the entryway or at stpaulslutherannfdl.com/WLAKitchen.

WLA Ladies Auxiliary

The WLA Ladies Auxiliary will meet at 2:00 pm on Friday, November 18th in the WLA Commons. The WLA Ladies Auxiliary provides an excellent opportunity for ladies to support WLA and enjoy some fellowship in the process. Stop in to see all they do.

WLA Open Enrollment for Freshman

Enrollment for the class of 2027 has begun! Enroll now to save \$100 on tuition. Financial assistance packages are also available. Contact WLA for more information.

Calendars for 2023!

Calendars for the coming year (less than 2 months away!!) are available under the picture of Jesus by the Martin Luther Room for \$5 a piece.

Christmas Gift Cards for Seminary Couples

To encourage the young men studying for the ministry, the Fond du Lac area WELS Churches are once again gifting our married seminarians with \$100 gift cards. Envelopes are in the Narthex on the rotating tract rack. Anything given will allow us to give as many cards as we can. *Please have donations in by Monday morning, November 14.*

Stewardship Thought based on Malachi 4:1-6

Making our possessions the source of our ultimate joy is a waste of time since in the end they will all be stubble, along with those who put their trust in them. Possessing Christ and his righteousness will allow us to leap for joy for eternity. That knowledge moves us to use God's blessings to share his healing with others.

Stewardship by the Lectionary by WELS Ministry of Christian Giving

Offerings

We offer a variety of options as you support the Gospel ministry:

- Place 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. Search for "North Fond du Lac, WI", and choose St. Paul's. The Church account is for offerings. The School account is for tuition payments.

Last Week's Offerings:

We presented these gifts: Current – \$12,149.82; Missions – \$883; Improvement – \$85; Mortgage – \$2,149; WLA Building Fund – \$100; Preschool Tuition – \$1,691; Extended Care – \$507.50; Seminary Gift Cards – \$275; Audio/Visual Ministry – \$10; St. Paul's Student Aid – \$45; (Electronic funds included in these gifts – \$4,311.82; all offerings totaled \$17,895.57; Weekly target \$17,063). 281 souls attended worship (60, 78, 143 [livestream – 34]). A **Memorial** was given to the Current Fund in loving memory of David Solid who opened his eyes to the joys of heaven on July 17, 2022.