

St. Paul Lutheran Church - (Missouri Synod)

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Church Office Hours (Mon-Fri): 9am-1pm Email: stpaulwa@hickorytech.net

Mission Statement

"Empowered by God's Word, we joyfully share the Love of Jesus with all people."

Vision Statement

"We will be a vibrant, welcoming church serving the needs of our members, community,

and missions by partnering with other churches and organizations while preaching and

teaching the inspired Word of God and our Savior Jesus Christ."

SUNDAY MORNINGS (SEPTEMBER - MAY)

⊕ Divine Service w/Holy Communion:

o 9:00 a.m. (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)

⊕ Sunday School: 10:15 am and Adult Bible Study: 10:30 a.m.

Pastor: Rev. Rich Carter (Vacancy Pastor)

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ANNOUNCEMENT'S

- WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE! If you are a visitor, we look forward to visiting with you today and in the near future. Please write your name, address, and phone number in our visitor's book located at the back of church at the visitor's desk. We invite you to fellowship, coffee & treats following the worship service. Adult Bible Study begins at 10:30 a.m. with Sunday School at 10:15 a.m.
- Individual or Family Pastoral Care: Please remember that Private devotion and Holy Communion are available for individuals or couples that are homebound, at greater risk for COVID, or in times of emergency. Call the church office at 507-835-2647 to schedule an appointment when needed.
- Live Streaming on Facebook: The 9:00 worship service will continue to be live-streamed on Facebook.
- The Church office will be CLOSED Friday April 15th, 2022 in observation of Good Friday.



To Hannah LaCroix who is sharing her musical talents with us today as our flautist.

- CONGRATULATIONS to our three-8th graders who now can join us for Communion.
- Derek Hammer, Isaiah 43:1
- o Wyatt Schroeder, Isaiah 41:10
- o Joseph Schumacher IV, John 15:13
- Evangeline Debra Hope Mueller, daughter of Immanuel and Victoria Mueller, was Baptized Saturday April 9th, 2022 here at St Paul Lutheran Church. Sponsors/Witnesses: Micah Korb, Samantha Rowse.
- Secret Sisters: Please remember to send your new Secret Brother or Sister a card this month and continue to pray for him/her.
- We are looking for volunteers to assist some of our members by driving to appointments in
 Waseca but especially out of town such as Rochester and the Cities. This could also include
 running small errands for the member. IF you feel this is a way you can give back to our Lord for all
 blessings, He has given you personally, please contact the church office to find out more details.
 Thank you. The Board of Stewardship
- TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS: A sincere thank you goes out to each and every one of you. Volunteering is a gift one person gives to another. Whether you gave of yourself once or many times over, your time, talents and energy have and continue to make a difference. Thank you again for sharing your gifts. The Board of Stewardship.
- A huge THANK YOU for everyone who participated in the door offering for Ukraine last Sunday. We raised \$900.00 and will be sending it to Lutheran World Relief who will double our donation.
- The Quilters would like to remind everyone that any of the quilts on display in the sanctuary are for sale and if you are interested in purchasing, please contact Donna Hildebrandt or Judie Waters.

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- Preparing for Holy Communion: To assist in a time of preparation, prayers are located in the front cover and on pages 329-330 of your hymnal. For anyone with alcohol concerns, diluted cups are located in the center of the tray. Gluten free communion wafers are available upon request.
- Facebook Live-stream and Radio Broadcasts: Our worship service is live-streamed on Facebook each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. (in Facebook search for: @stpaulwaseca to locate our Facebook page.) Our worship service is also Radio Broadcast each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. on Radio 1170 AM or 106.3 FM, and www.newstalk1170.com
- Lutheran Hour: "The Lutheran Hour" can be heard on the following radio stations: WCCO, 830 AM radio, Minneapolis, Sunday, 6:05 AM; KDHL, 920 AM radio, Faribault, Sunday, 6:00 PM; KJLY, 93.5 FM, Owatonna, Sunday, 6:00 PM; and KJLY, 104.5 FM, Blue Earth, Sunday, 6:00 PM.
- Prayer Chain: If you would like to add someone or something to the prayer chain, please call the church office at 835-2647.
- Sunday School: Join us for Sunday School at 10:15-11:15, for ages 3 through grade 8.

The Lord's Supper

- We believe, teach, and confess in accordance with Holy Scripture that the Lord's Supper is a precious gift from God, in which Christ gives us His true body and blood, in, with, and under the bread and wine, for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith.
- The Bible teaches that this sacrament may also be spiritually harmful when misused, (For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes. Therefore, whoever eats this bread or drinks this cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord. But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For he who eats and drinks in an unworthy manner eats and drinks judgment to himself, not discerning the Lord's body. For this reason, many are weak and sick among you, and many sleep. 1 Corinthians 11:26-30)
- The Lord's Supper is a testimony of the unity in faith. We ask that only those who have been instructed and who are in fellowship with the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod come with a contrite and joyful heart to the Lord's Table. (Acts 2:42 And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers)
- Any guest wishing to receive communion here at St. Paul Lutheran Church, please speak with the Pastor or the Elder on duty, prior to the church service.

Maundy Thursday April 14th, 2022

OPENING HYMN: "Chief of Sinners Though I Be"

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SERVICE OF THE WORD

Psalm 116:12-19 (Read Responsively)

P: What shall I render to the LORD for all his benefits to me?

C: I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the LORD,

P: I will pay my vows to the LORD in the presence of all his people.

C: Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints.

P: O LORD, I am your servant; I am your servant, the son of your maidservant.

C: You have loosed my bonds.

P: I will offer to you the sacrifice of thanksgiving and call on the name of the LORD

C: I will pay my vows to the LORD in the presence of all his people,

P: in the courts of the house of the LORD, in your midst, O Jerusalem.

C: Praise the LORD!

ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.

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GLORIA IN EXCELSIS: (omitted during Lent)

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FIRST READING: Jeramiah 31:31-34

³¹ "Behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah, ³² not like the covenant that I made with their fathers on the day when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt, my covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, declares the Lord. ³³ For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴ And no longer shall each one teach his neighbor and each his brother, saying, 'Know the Lord,' for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, declares the Lord. For I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more."

P: This is the Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING: Hebrews 10: 15-25

will make with them after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts and write them on their minds,"¹⁷ then he adds, "I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more."¹⁸ Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.¹⁹ Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰ by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, ²¹ and since we have a great priest over the house of God, ²² let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. ²³ Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. ²⁴ And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, ²⁵ not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

P: This is the Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC: "In Remembrance"

Senior Choir & Hannah LaCroix on Flute

ALLELUIA and VERSE: (omitted during Lent)

P: The Holy Gospel According to St. Luke, the 22nd Chapter.

C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

GOSPEL READING: Luke 22:7-20

⁷Then came the day of Unleavened Bread, on which the Passover lamb had to be sacrificed. ⁸ So Jesus sent Peter and John, saying, "Go and prepare the Passover for us, that we may eat it." ⁹ They said to him, "Where will you have us prepare it?" ¹⁰ He said to them, "Behold, when you have entered the city, a man carrying a jar of water will meet you. Follow him into the house that he enters ¹¹ and tell the master of the house, 'The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?' ¹² And he will show you a large upper room furnished; prepare it there." ¹³ And they went and found it just as he had told them, and they prepared the Passover. ¹⁴ And when the hour came, he reclined at table, and the apostles with him. ¹⁵ And he said to them, "I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer. ¹⁶ For I tell you I will not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God." ¹⁷ And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he said, "Take this, and divide it among yourselves. ¹⁸ For I tell you that

from now on I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes." ¹⁹ And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." ²⁰ And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

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SERMON HYMN: "I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table" #618

SERMON: For You

OFFERTORY: (OFFERING: offering plates are located at each entrance)

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DISTRIBUTION HYMNS:

"Just as I Am"	#5 70
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CLOSING HYMN: "The Lamb" #547

- Cotta Guild is hosting a Collection for Paper Goods for 2 area food shelves until April 27th AND also YARN for the Waseca Federal Prison Recreation Department until April 30th. You can find boxes at both the North Entrance and by the elevator. Thanks for your help.
- Mark your calendars for Easter Sunday. We will have Sunrise service at 6:30 am with No Holy Communion, DINE IN EASTER BREAKFAST hosted by Board of Ed from 7:30 to 8:45am and Service at 9am WITH Holy Communion.
- Mother Daughter Luncheon May 7th, 2022. Tickets go on sale April 1st thru April 24th at the Front and Back of church. \$10 per ticket. Social hour at 11:30am, lunch at noon, entertainment provided by "Trinity's Own Church Ladies" will follow lunch.
- **Bible Readings by Members:** Most often the Gospel reading for a service is the text for the sermon; for centuries it has been common, then, that the pastor reads the third, the Gospel lesson, in a service. Other readings can be read by members of the congregation; as with other parts of services marked L (Leader) or A (Assisting Minister). We thank those members of St. Paul, including Elders and new confirmands, who have agreed to serve in this way, reading the first and second lessons during services in the Easter season.

IN OUR PRAYERS:

- Called Home: Shirley Tetzloff
- Hospitalized: Anita Risto, Mother of Barb Denn and Debbie Roemhildt
- Illness: Pastor Zimmer, Inez Meyer
- Recovery and testing:
- **Up Coming medical procedures:** Susan Swenson had hip surgery on April 8th, Jacob Lemmen for upcoming surgery
- Thanksgiving & Continued Recovery: Millie Gerlach, Margaret Schwarz and Gordy Nelson
- Treatment: Tim Andree (friend of Matt Klinger)
- For those with Covid-19
- Those who are sick and/or in need and wish to remain unnamed.
- All the service men & women who are serving in the military: Noah Berg, Matthew Gilmore, Jordan Labiack, Jacob Lemmen, Aaron & Sarah Lenz, Jason Paschall, David Reinsbach, John Thompson
- Waseca Circuit Missionaries: Rev. Edward Naumann & Rev. Dr. Stephen Oliver (Taiwan) & John Wolff (Kenya)
- Our Confirmands
- Ukraine



APRIL 24TH AT 10:30AM WITH LUNCH FOLLOWING THE MEETING TO WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS



Special Thank You to Hannah LaCroix who is sharing her musical talents with us today

as our flautist.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE: April 10th - April 17th, 2022

Sunday (10th):

9:00 a.m. Divine Service and Confirmation w/No Communion (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3FM)

10:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study

Monday (11th):

10:00 am Prayer team

Tuesday (12th):

1:00 pm Quilters

Wednesday (13th):

3:30 pm- 5:00pm NO CONFIRMATION TODAY

7:00 pm Senior Choir followed by Contemporary Ensemble practice

Thursday (14th):

6:00 am Bible Breakfast at Jonnie Beans

6:00 pm Maundy Thursday Service w/ Communion and First Communion for Confirmands

Acolyte: Wyatt Schroeder

Friday (15th): OFFICE CLOSED

6:00 pm Good Friday Service Acolyte: Alex Welander

Sunday (17th):

6:30 am Easter Sunrise Service (w/no Communion)

7:30am to 8:45 am DINE IN Easter Breakfast

9:00 am Divine Service w/Holy Communion (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)

SERVING THE LORD IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICE:

THIS WEEK: April 10th:

ORGANIST: Cindy Wood
ACOLYTE: Blake Schroeder

ELDER/DEACON: Dick Arnold/ Kraig Deling

RADIO MONITOR: Ron Wood FACEBOOK LIVE: Kathy Flogstad

NEXT WEEK: April 17th @ 9am

ORGANIST: Cindy Wood
ACOLYTE: Derek Hammer

ELDER/DEACON: Dick Arnold/ Kraig Deling

RADIO MONITOR: Ben Hill FACEBOOK: Geri Kuschel

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS:

Worship Attendance on March 30th: 68 April 3rd: 131 Bible Study: 49 Sunday School: 8 General Fund (in person & Direct Deposit): Mar. 30th, 2022: \$443.00 April 3rd: \$4353.00

Dedicated Funds: Mar. 30th: \$00.00 April 3rd: \$27.10