

The words which  
I have spoken to  
you are spirit  
and are life.

JOHN 6:63

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## ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH - (MISSOURI SYNOD)

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### 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."*


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### SUNDAY MORNINGS (JUNE-JULY-AUG):

- ✝ Divine Service w/Holy Communion:
  - 9:00 a.m. (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)
- ✝ Adult Bible Study: 10:30 a.m.

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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. & Sunday School will resume September 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:15am.



- **Radio Broadcast:** Today's broadcast (KOWZ 1170 AM or 106.3 FM) is dedicated to the glory of God and is in loving memory of Clinton Bluhm sponsored by Shirley Bluhm and family.
- **Individual or Family Pastoral Care:** *Please remember that Pastor Lauer is here to deliver the Word and Sacraments to those who are not able to attend worship due to their health or circumstances. 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 Pastor Lauer at (507) 304-2402 to schedule an appointment when needed.*
- **Live Streaming on Facebook:** The 9:00 worship service will continue to be live-streamed on Facebook at least through the end of August as we look at long-term alternatives.
- **Are you interested in participating in a Contemporary Ensemble** of voices and instruments this Summer? We will be holding rehearsals after church on Sunday August 22<sup>nd</sup> and August 29<sup>th</sup>. Let's see what the Lord has in store for us by seeing who answers the call. No experience or special skills required. Contact Pastor Lauer or Kaleb Schmidt for more information.
- **Looking for Sunday School teachers for 2021-2022:** If you love working with young people and want to teach our kids more about the love and forgiveness of Jesus Christ, this is for you! Volunteer to be a Sunday School teacher. Sunday School begins September 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:15am following church services. For more information or to get involved in this rewarding ministry, please contact Aimee Hill 651-380-0207 or Jen LaCroix 507-384-1079 Co-Sunday School Superintendents.
- Golf tournament to benefit Camp Omega Campers Saturday August 21, 2021. Please register by August 16<sup>th</sup>. Contact Dale Rudolph at 507-835-1821 or Curt at 507-330-5627 for more information.
- Donations Needed for A/C units: **THANK YOU** to all who have so generously donated to this important project!

## Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

August 15, 2021

### Greeting and Announcements

#### Hymn of Invocation: "Shine Jesus Shine"

Order of Service: Divine Service, Setting 3

LSB 184

Introit (spoken responsively by half verse) Ps. 111:1–5, 9; Ps. 111:10

- P** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom;  
all those who practice it have a good understanding.
- C** **His praise endures forever!**
- P** Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart,  
**C** **in the company of the upright, in the congregation.**
- P** Great are the works of the LORD,  
**C** **studied by all who delight in them.**
- P** Full of splendor and majesty is his work,  
**C** **and his righteousness endures forever.**
- P** He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered;  
**C** **the LORD is gracious and merciful.**
- P** He provides food for those who fear him;  
**C** **he remembers his covenant forever.**
- P** He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his  
covenant forever.
- C** **Holy and awesome is his name!**
- P** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
**C** **as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**
- P** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom;  
all those who practice it have a good understanding.
- C** **His praise endures forever!**

Kyrie

LSB 186

Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 187

Salutation and Collect of the Day

unless it is granted him by the Father.”<sup>66</sup>After this many of his disciples turned back and no longer walked with him.<sup>67</sup>So Jesus said to the Twelve, “Do you want to go away as well?”<sup>68</sup>Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life,<sup>69</sup>and we have believed, and have come to know, that you are the Holy One of God.”

## **Apostles' Creed**

**Hymn of the Day: “Seek Ye First”** *LSB 712*

**Sermon**

**Offertory** *LSB 192*

**Prayer of the Church**

**Preface** *LSB 194*

**Sanctus** *LSB 195*

**Lord's Prayer**

**The Words of Our Lord** *LSB 197*

**Pax Domini** *LSB 197*

**Agnus Dei** *LSB 198*

**Distribution Hymns**

**“O Living Bread from Heaven”** *LSB 642*

**“Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness”** *LSB 849*

**“Distribution Hymn: O God, My Faithful God”** *LSB 696*

**Dismissal**

**Nunc Dimittis** *LSB 199*

**Thanksgiving** *LSB 200*

**Benediction** *LSB 202*

**Closing Hymn: I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light** *LSB 411*

- **29er's** will be meeting August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 11:30am at the Tasty House.
- The St Paul Mission Trip Team would like to say **THANK YOU** to everyone who generously continues to support us every year. The Mission Trip Team will be hosting a Slide Show Presentation and meal on August 29<sup>th</sup> at 10:15am. We hope you attend our presentation as we share all of our experiences and memories from Pigeon Forge, Tennessee.

### IN OUR PRAYERS:

**Hospice:** Denise Cole (son of the late Bud Cole)

**Hospitalized:** Glen Shultz

**Illness:** Peggy Zimmer

**Thanksgiving & Continued Recovery:** Tim Andree (friend of Anita Nelson) & Jess Klinger

**Treatment:** *Katie Stalough (daughter of Jeanette Williams)*

**Called Home:** *Gloria Grote (aunt of Aimee Hill)*

**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, Ryan Berg, Jacob Claybaugh, Jordan Labiack, Jacob Lemmen, Aaron & Sarah Lenz, Jason Paschall, David Reinsbach, John Thompson

**Waseca Circuit Missionaries:** Rev. Edward Naumann (Sri Lanka) & Rev. Dr. Stephen Oliver (Taiwan) & Jenn Wolff (Kenya)

### Upcoming Events:

- August 20<sup>th</sup>: 5p-7p: Hot Beef Commercial & Pie Drive hosted by the Mission Trip Team
- August 22<sup>nd</sup>: Contemporary Ensemble rehearsal after church
- August 25: 11:30am **29er's** at Tasty House
- August 29<sup>th</sup>: Mission Trip 2021 Slide show presentation
- September 8<sup>th</sup>: Parent Confirmation Meeting @ 6pm
- September 8<sup>th</sup>: Senior Choir 7pm
- September 12<sup>th</sup>: Rally Sunday/ Sunday School Begins
- September 15<sup>th</sup>: Confirmation begins

## **THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE: August 15-August 22, 2021**

### **Sunday:**

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

10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study

### **Monday:**

6:00 p.m. NSC Board

### **Tuesday:**

10:00 a.m. Prayer Team (sanctuary)

### **Wednesday:**

3:15p.m. Communion @ Colony Court

### **Thursday:**

6:00 a.m. Bible Breakfast @ Jonnie Beans

### **Friday:**

5:00 p.m. – 7pm Drive Thru Hot Beef Commercials & Pie for Youth Mission Trip

### **Sunday:**

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

10:15 a.m. Contemporary Ensemble Rehearsal

10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study

## **SERVING THE LORD IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICE:**

### **THIS WEEK:**

**ORGANIST:** Kaleb Schmidt

**ACOLYTE:** Blake Schroeder

**ELDER/DEACON:** Bob Lau/ Jim Wyffels

**RADIO MONITOR:** Cindy Wood

**FACEBOOK LIVE:** Mike Lauer

### **NEXT WEEK:**

**ORGANIST:** Cindy Wood

**ACOLYTE:** Wyatt Schroeder

**ELDER/DEACON:** Bob Lau/ Jim Wyffels

**RADIO MONITOR:** Ron Wood

**FACEBOOK LIVE:** Maddison Olsem

### **LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS:**

**August 8, 2021:**

**Worship attendance** (in person): 109

**Bible Study:** 18

**Sunday School:** Not available

**General Fund**(in person & Direct Deposit) : \$3509.00

**Dedicated Funds:** \$144.10