

## OUR MISSION:

Walking in Faith – Sowing Christ’s Love

The mission of St. Paul Lutheran Church is derived from our core values - the essence of our purpose for existence and the criteria we should use to guide our congregational decisions and actions.

### Our Core Values:

1. **Spirituality** – to worship and to grow and develop spiritually as Christians.
2. **Outreach** – To spread the message of God’s love and grace by word and by action.
3. **Service** to Others – To live Christ’s message to Love one another.

You can support the mission of our church by coming to worship, engaging in study, sharing the word, bringing a friend to church, joining a Care Team, volunteering at church or in the community and loving one another.

We invite you to join us in this journey.

### Our Response to God’s Love

<b>We Worshipped:</b>	August 22, 2010— 8:00 am service—117	10:15 am service-83
	August 23, 2010— 15	
<b>Total Offerings:</b>	Spending Plan Giving- \$3,385.78	New Church- \$1,363.00
	Other Giving- \$420.00	

*{The weekly amount needed to cover expenses in the 2010 Spending Plan is \$5,235.00}*

### Prayers for Our Homebound Members

Helen Harding, Betty Hoene, Norma Mellenbruch.

### Continued Prayers

Andy Runge, Hayden States, Melissa Corya, Peggy Meahl, Ron Mertz, Thelma Crider, Melanie Schroer, Buck Meek, Dewayne Greathouse, Mike Starr, Kate Madigan, Jerry Mellencamp, Geneva Hoene, Pastor David Yoder, Earl Otte, Dorothy Rotert, Alvin Caffee (Zachary & Tyson Lawles’s Grandfather), Linda Dawson, Greg Lucas, Norman Otte, Mike Shuler.

### Prayers for those in Military Service

Mike Albert, Donovan Shuler, Stephen Toppe, Andrew Toppe, Chad Brigdon, Evan Marshall, Randy Hooker II.

### Readings for September 5<sup>th</sup>:

Fifteenth Sunday of Pentecost  
Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Psalm 1

Philemon 1:1-21

Luke 14:25-33

Lectors: Lou Ann Hoevener (8:00);

Laberta Otte (10:15)

### Those assisting with worship September 5<sup>th</sup>:

Communion Assistant: John Pierecall

Altar Care: Florence Otte

Flowers: Charlena Warfield

Acolytes: Karen Dringenburg (8:00);

Kyle Claycamp (10:15)

Projectors: Jamie Baker (8:00);

John Pierecall (10:15)

Welcome Center: Amy Pierecall (10:15)

# Welcome!

We gather today as God’s beloved children to worship our Heavenly Father. We praise his holy name, we listen eagerly for his words of comfort, hope, and challenge to us, and we offer ourselves to him in dedicated service. May you be blessed as you worship here today.

August 29, 2010

### Leading and Assisting in Worship

**Leader:** Pastor Stephen Wood

**Organist:** Olga Otte

**Deacons:** Chris Otte; Milton Otte

**Greeters:** Dan & Lou Ann Hoevener (8:00);

Larry & Linda Guinn (10:15)

**Flowers:** Olga Otte

**Lectors:** Jamie Baker (8:00)

Leon Seitz (10:15)

**Acolytes:** Cam Mansfield (8:00);

Zack Lawles (10:15)

**Projectors:** Erin Engelau (8:00)

**St. Paul Lutheran Church** is a congregation of The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (E.L.C.A.). It is referred to as “Borchers” since Rev. Henry Borchers, who served our congregation from 1857-1881, advised and influenced a small group of pioneer settlers that wanted to establish a congregation in the area. This year we celebrate 158 years of life and ministry in this beautiful country setting in Southern Indiana. We look forward to many more years of growth and change as we seek continually to be faithful to God’s call to mission.

**The Sacrament of Holy Communion** is offered at the 8:00 a.m. services on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays and at the 10:15 a.m. service on the 1<sup>st</sup> and the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month. Christians who believe in the true presence of Christ in the bread and wine for our forgiveness and salvation are invited to receive Holy Communion.

**Sunday School** classes are held each Sunday for all ages at 9:10 a.m. Visitors are welcome to attend.

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### Staff

The Reverend Stephen Wood.....Pastor

Carolyn Jones.....Director of Youth & Family

Ministries

Wendy Rotert .....Secretary

Jeanette Kruse.....Borchers Preschool

Director

Trish Tangman.....Care Team Director

Amy Pierecall and

Mandy Otte.....Custodians

Jamie Baker.... Worship Technology Advisor

and Web Master

**HEARING ASSISTANCE:** We have head phones available for those in need of assistance with hearing. They are in a basket at the entrance of the sanctuary.

**LARGER PRINT BULLETINS**—There are a handful of large print bulletins available. They are located at the welcome center.

CALENDAR	
This week:	August 29 <sup>th</sup> —September 4 <sup>th</sup>
Today-	11:15 am Tweeners until 1:30 pm 5:00 pm WINGS Scoop of Faith 6:30 pm Confirmation 7:00 pm Luther League Bible Study
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> -	1:30 pm Clothing Center 7:00 pm Worship
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> -	9:00 am Card Makers & Scrapbookers Meeting 9:00 am Library Workday 6:00 pm Kid's Bells (3rd grade & up) 6:30 pm Kid's Praise Group 6:30 pm Adult Bells 7:15 pm Adult Praise Group
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> -	9:00 am Borchers Breakfast Club 7:00 am Prayer Shawl Meeting 7:30 pm Ruth Circle
Next week:	September 5 <sup>th</sup> —11 <sup>th</sup>
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> -	9:10 am Beginning of New Sunday School Year After 5pm Olga's Labor Day/End of Summer Party (1's & 2's meeting for September) 7:00 pm Luther League Bible Study 7:00 pm Worship
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> -	9:00 am First Day of Preschool
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> -	4:00 pm First TREATS for the year 6:00 pm Meal for entire family 6:30 pm Confirmation 6:45 pm Kid's Praise Group 7:15 pm Adult Praise Group
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> -	9:00 am Borchers Breakfast Club 7:00 pm Prayer Shawl Meeting
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> -	9:00 am Preschool
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> -	11:00 am Bishop's Installation

## Announcements

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL:** The youth will meet in the Fellowship Hall for a fun new way of learning about the Bible. Volunteers for today are Linda Guinn, Lois & Chloe Bryden, Tiffany & Cam & Courtney Mansfield.

**JR. HIGH YOUTH** will be weather proofing the Ark today at 3:00 pm today. Please do not let children play on it for a few days.

**THE MISSION FESTIVAL** today will focus upon Outdoor Ministry. We welcome Pastor Mark Radloff, Director of Outdoor Ministry for Indiana and Kentucky with us to share the story of the camps here in Indiana, what is happening at the camps these days and how this ministry shapes the lives of youth and young adults. The Mission Festival will be a little different this year: instead of having a meal after the 10:15 Service, we will be having a Continental Breakfast during the Sunday School hour while Mark shares more information about the camps. Also, for additional fellowship on the Sunday of the Mission Festival, come and be a part of the Scoop of Faith that will begin at 5 PM at the Picnic Grove. There will be a basket for people to make a donation towards the Outdoor Ministries of Indiana and Kentucky Sunday morning. Any questions, talk with Pastor Steve.

**SCOOP OF FAITH** tonight in the Picnic Grove. Bring your favorite home-made ice cream and let the voting begin! Everything begins with a meal served by WINGS at 5:00 pm (free will donations), and at 5:30 pm Ice cream voting begins— Sample all the ice cream entries and then vote for your favorites (50 cents per vote, vote as many times as you like), The “Scoop of Faith” Trophy will be awarded at 6:30 pm.

**TWEENERS** (grades 3—5) will meet today after the 10:15 service. The kid's will need to bring a sack lunch to eat at the church. The kids will need to be picked up at 1:30 pm. The Tweeners **will not** meet in September.

**CONFIRMATION MINISTRY** will begin tonight at 6:30 pm. If you have not received information about confirmation and have a youth that is older than 8<sup>th</sup> grade but is not confirmed talk to Pastor Steve or come to the class tonight.

**LUTHER LEAGUE** will have Sunday School tonight at 7:00 pm. Plans are to read from James and watch Happy Gilmore and discuss how the movie relates to the passages in James.

**COLLEGE ADDRESSES AND E-MAILS**— We are in need of the addresses and e-mails of our current college students and those beginning college this fall. Please leave them in the office. Thank you.

**BELLS GROUPS** will begin meeting September 1<sup>st</sup>. Kid's Bells (3<sup>th</sup> grade and up) will be from 6-6:30 pm. Adult Bells will be 6:30-7:15 pm. If you would like to join any of these groups you can sign up at the Welcome Center. If you have questions contact Carolyn.

**PRAISE GROUPS** will begin meeting September 1<sup>st</sup>. Kid's Praise Group will be 6:30-7:00 pm. Adult Praise Group will meet 7:15-8 pm.

**COMPUTER DESK:** Pastor Steve has a computer desk available for anyone that wants it. Please see him if you are interested in the desk.

**LABOR DAY/ END-OF SUMMER PARTY** Welcome to the Otte Farm, 8575 N. Base Rd. Seymour, IN, For a Labor Day/End-of Summer Party on Sunday, September 5, 2010. We will eat at about 5:30 pm— come anytime after 5:00 pm. Please bring food to share; grilled meats, drinks, and table service will be furnished. You'll need lawn chairs, and if you have a lawn game, you could bring that, too. Park in the field at the top of the lane. Please call Olga at 812-497-2253 by August 30<sup>th</sup> to RSVP.

**CARD MAKERS/SCRAP BOOKERS** will meet on the first Wednesday of each month beginning on September 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:00 am. For the first meeting please bring a project along to work on. Everyone is welcome.

**RUTH CIRCLE** will meet on Thursday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30 pm. Hostess is Linda Newkirk and Bible Study Leader is Judy Wanning.

**TREATS** will begin on September 8<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm. The schedule for that evening:

- 4-4:45 pm Homework time, snack time, recess, centers
- 4:45–5 pm Opening songs, Bible skit, and Journal time
- 5-5:20pm Crafts
- 5:20-5:40 pm Surprise Time
- 5:40-6 pm Games
- 6-6:45 pm Meal (**we ask that parents come at this time to join in a family style free-will offering meal**)

**TREATS**—If you are interested in donating desserts for this year's TREATS, please contact Patty Herkamp or Carolyn. TREATS will be on the second Wednesday of each month beginning in September. Borchers Preschool has an opening for an Assistant Teacher.

**LIBRARY WORK DAYS**—September library workdays are on 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> from 9—11 am. No experience necessary to help just be there at 9:00 am.

**ADULT CHOIR** will practice on the 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm.

**THE PRE-SCHOOL** meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 AM until 11:30 AM. Anyone interested in the position is asked to submit a cover letter along with a resume with references by September 13th. These applications should be given to Pastor Steve. Any questions, talk with Pastor Steve. A job description is available in the church office.