



# ST. PAUL LUTHERAN

## MINISTRIES

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### Weekly News

*Altar Guild 11/6 & 11/7: J. Bork, J. & P. Tiedt*  
*Greeters Next Week: 8:00 – C. Woehler, B. Yandre*  
*10:30 – S. Boettcher, M. Fay*  
*6pm – W. & P. Volkman*

**Church Cleaners:** D. Uecker, A. Pfefferle, V. Sheldon

**Attendance Last Week: 320**

#### Weekly Calendar

##### **Sunday**

**October 30<sup>th</sup>**

8:00 a.m. Worship Service  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
9:20 a.m. Breakfast with the Bible  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
4:00 p.m. Reformation Service at FVL

##### **Monday**

**October 31<sup>st</sup>**

6:00 p.m. Worship Service

##### **Tuesday**

**November 1<sup>st</sup>**

6:15 p.m. Elders  
6:30 p.m. Choir  
7:00 p.m. Spiritual Growth

##### **Wednesday**

**November 2<sup>nd</sup>**

4:00 p.m. Confirmation Class  
6:30 p.m. Bible Class

##### **Thursday**

**November 3<sup>rd</sup>**

9:15 a.m. Bible Study

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<b>Monday</b>	<b>November 7<sup>th</sup></b>
6:00 p.m.	Worship Service

**Fall Festival – Thank You!** Women's Ministry wants to say a huge thank you to everyone who helped with our Fall Festival event. We are a small group of 17 and without all of our volunteers, Fall Festival wouldn't take place. So thank you to our kitchen helpers, dining room helpers, bakers and bake sale helpers, school staff and basket workers, silent auction donations and helpers, piano players, and the clean-up crew. We don't have all of our expense totals and net income calculated yet but will share that information when we have it. We can tell you that we served approximately 150 meals. Watch for more financial information in November or December.

**Birthdays at Rennes:** Before COVID, we at St. Paul helped Rennes residents celebrate their monthly birthdays. Women's Ministry has been asked to help restart the monthly party. The party includes a few songs plus a hymn, corsages for the birthday residents and Rennes supplies a birthday cake. You are invited to join the group whenever you can. It is always the second Tuesday of the month, starting at 2:30. Mark your calendar for November 8, bring your singing voice and have some fun.

**Veteran's Day Program:** Once again, St. Paul Lutheran Ministries will be hosting a Veteran's Day Program on Thursday, Nov. 10th, beginning at 10. All are invited to attend – especially our service men and women. The FVL band will be joining us, and all the students will be celebrating veterans and our country with song. Our guest speaker is Robert H. Buehler, U.S. Army (Retired), Logistics Corps. The Marches of the Armed Forces will be played at which time all veterans and current service members will be recognized. A light lunch will be served following the program for our veterans and their families. Please join us for this Christ-centered event!



**MLC Student Teachers:** St. Paul Lutheran School will be hosting 3 (2 female/1male) student teachers from Martin Luther College this school year in 2nd grade, 5th grade, and 8th grade. The student teachers will be with us January 16 through March 24. Our student teachers will need housing during their stay with us. If you are able to assist with housing a student teacher, please contact Principal Kelley at [jkelly@stpaulappletonwi.com](mailto:jkelly@stpaulappletonwi.com) or 920-733-9061.

**Additional Ushers Needed:** We are looking to add a few more ushers to our teams, beginning in 2023. Between retirees and transfers, there's quite a few spots available. If you're interested or would like to learn more, please contact Gary Fredericks ([gary.fredericks@att.net](mailto:gary.fredericks@att.net)). Thanks for considering!

**WELS United Joint Reformation Service:** Our Joint Reformation service will be held on **Sunday, October 30th**, at 4:00 PM in the Fox Valley Lutheran High School auditorium (5300 N. Meade Street, Appleton). Rev. Glenn Schwanke (Retired, former VP of the NWD) is the guest preacher and Rev. Mark Albrecht, St. Paul, Winneconne will serve as the liturgist. All Federation members are invited to celebrate our gospel heritage restored to us in the Reformation of the 1500's. We are saved by Grace alone, by Faith alone, and according to Scripture alone. Light refreshments and fellowship will follow the service.



**Appleton Christmas Parade:** All St. Paul School, Church, and ECC students are invited to participate in this year's Appleton Christmas Parade! Our school will once again be sponsoring a float. If you are new

to our school or haven't participated in the past, similar to previous years we will be a "live nativity", with younger students riding on the float dressed as stable animals and our older students walking before or after the float dressed as angels, wise men, and shepherds. Joseph and Mary will also be on the float under our stable. The parade will be on the evening of Tuesday November 22nd. All costumes will be provided. If your child/children would like to participate, please e-mail their name and grade to [stpaulchristmasparade@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulchristmasparade@gmail.com) no later than Monday, Nov. 14th. Costumes will be handed out after school on 11/18. If you have any questions, or would like to assist with costumes or float preparation, you

can call or text Theresa Holmes at 920-470-0714.

**Kids Only – Save the Date!** The “Kids Only” Shopping event will be held on Saturday, December 10 from 1:00- 3:30. All kids from St. Paul School, ECC, and church (Ages 4 years old - 8th grade) are invited to come do their Christmas shopping. Gifts can be purchased for just \$1 per item. Last year we sold just under 800 gifts and donated all proceeds to St. Paul School. “How can I help”, you ask? Any donations from the congregation are greatly appreciated. Along with the gifts to sell we use lots of gift bags and tissue paper. They can be dropped off in the church basement. We will also be needing lots of volunteers for the event. We will need people to help set up, wrap gifts, be cashiers or shoppers’ helpers, and take down. Watch for further info and sign-up sheets. If you have any questions, please contact Jackie Sievert (920-851-9436) or Sheryl Wert. (920-858-6553)

**Christmas Cards:** Box sets of Christmas cards will be for sale in early November for \$5/box. They are located in the church basement, near the card rack. Payment may be put into the wooden card box. Thank you to Elaine Parodo for coordinating this effort!

**A Note from Melanie Fintelmann, Activity Director of Rennes:** We are looking for volunteers to assist some of our residents with their menus. There is a tablet that we take around to the resident’s room and check off what they want for two days at a time. It is a really simple system to use and could be easily taught. Rennes would also provide a lunch for the volunteer that would be helping out with menus. Policies and procedures for volunteers would be followed (initial orientation, background checks, COVID procedures, etc.). Interested parties may contact Melanie Fintelmann: Phone: 920-731-7310 email: [melanf@rennesgroup.com](mailto:melanf@rennesgroup.com)

**WELS Apple Valley Pantry News:** The November 2022 collection for the pantry will be the weekend of November 12 & 13. The following is the list of items currently in need of at the pantry: Tomato/chicken soups, chunky soups, pasta sauces in cans/plastic jars, spaghetti noodles, egg noodles, cookies, crackers, pork n beans/baked beans, helper boxed meals and gluten free items. Thank you for your generous support of the pantry during these challenging times. Just a gentle reminder that we do not give our recipients expired food because many have health concerns.

**School Lunch Assistant Needed:** We continue to look for a hot lunch assistant. This is a part time position when school is in session. *A job share with two or more candidates could also be considered.* Interested individuals may contact Jason Kelley [jkelly@stpaulappletonwi.com](mailto:jkelly@stpaulappletonwi.com) or call the office 920-733-9061.

**WE HAVE OPENINGS AT THE ECC!** We'd love to have you join our team!

- Two-year-old Lead Teacher, full-time
- One-year-old Lead Teacher, full-time

If you or someone you know might be interested in any of these positions, please share your love of St. Paul! To learn more, contact Candy Schulz (920-733-9061 or [cschulz@stpaulappletonwi.com](mailto:cschulz@stpaulappletonwi.com)).

**Church Cleaners Needed:** Our Church Cleaning Committee is in dire need of new helpers due to the retirement of some members. This would involve about 2 hours every 11 weeks (or about 4-5 times per year). Please contact Glen or Linda Zimmerman at 920-788-6061 to volunteer or for more information.

## FVL NEWS

**Girls in grades 5-8 are invited** to register for a 11/5 Cheer and Stunt Clinic, in grades 4K-2 for a 11/25 Dance Camp, and boys in grades 7-8 for baseball. Go to [fvlhs.org/youth-sports](https://fvlhs.org/youth-sports) for details and to register. **8th Grade Scheduling Night** 11/3/22 or 2/21/23 - Parents enrolling 8th graders at FVL for 2023-24 — please complete the online enrollment application at [fvlhs.org/enroll](https://fvlhs.org/enroll). Upon completion, you will receive a link to set a scheduling appointment on the evening of 11/3/22, 2/21/23, or to request a different date that fits your schedule.

**FVL is accepting applications** for a full time Custodial Supervisor (includes benefits) and for a temporary maternity-leave sub. Go to [fvlhs.org/about/employment](https://fvlhs.org/about/employment) for details.

**The FVL Mission Advancement Office** is hosting a free informational seminar. Join us at FVL on Thurs., 11/3 to hear from a financial expert regarding tax advantage investments. Hear strategies to save for retirement and education. Event begins at 6 PM. Go to [fvlhs.org/seminar](https://fvlhs.org/seminar) to register and get information.

**FVL's Annual Veterans Day Breakfast & Service** is set for Fri. 11/11 from 8:30-10:30 AM. Veterans from the FVL Federation and their family members are invited. Information and registration is online at [fvlhs.org/veterans-day](https://fvlhs.org/veterans-day). Please register by 11/4 for planning purposes. After breakfast, a special worship service will be held in the Auditorium.

**Grandparents are invited** to spend the morning at FVL on 11/17 or 18. Begin at 8:00 with a continental breakfast, attend chapel with your grandchildren, get a personal tour of the school—given by your grandchildren, and get an update on the school from President Loberger and Principal Nolte. Registration deadline is 11/11. Details are available at [fvlhs.org/grandparents](https://fvlhs.org/grandparents) or by calling 920-739-4441.

**August 2022 Council Meeting Summary**  
**6:30 pm – October 18, 2022**

**Financial:** We fell a bit behind our year-to-date budget in September due to several reasons: ECC had classroom closures due to COVID, the office project delayed start of pre-K class, and offerings are slightly behind budget.

**Staffing:** The ECC still has several staffing needs despite some recent hirings, and the School is still seeking a part-time lunch assistant.

**North School Entrance Drop Off Area Expansion:** Concrete has been poured to expand this area, and the old garage driveway was removed. Back-filling area with dirt is next.

**Bell Project:** The down payment has been made. Look for information on the fund drive to help fund this project to get all three of our bells in the bell tower tolling again (currently only one works).

**Stock Donation:** St. Paul has received notification of an upcoming stock gift designated for Debt Retirement, with the donor requesting a matching challenge. Watch for details on this great opportunity to start reducing our bank loan principal.

# Welcome

**In an age of anxiety** we still believe that peace comes from Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

**In an age of confusion** we still believe that the Bible is the word of God, inerrant and infallible.

**In an age of doubt** we still believe that Jesus was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary.

**In an age of guilt** we still believe that Jesus died on the cross to pay for the sins of the world, bringing complete pardon and joy to all believers.

**In an age of reason** we still believe that God is at work in the sacraments of Holy Baptism and Holy Communion.

**In an age of change** we still believe in one unchanging God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Whether you are a first time visitor or returning guest, we are delighted to share our worship with you. Please come back and worship with us again.



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**Worship Broadcast at 8:00 on**  
**WNAM radio, 1280 AM**

**Videos of our service today can be**  
**found on our Facebook page or our**  
**website:**

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