

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

- 9:00 a.m. Worship
- 10:15 a.m. Special Congregational Mtg.**
- 10:15 a.m. Sunday School
- 3-4:00 p.m. High School Small Group
- 3:30 p.m. Community Choir Practice
- 4-5:30 p.m. 9th/10th Grade Confirmation
- 5:30-7 p.m. Pack #154 Cub Scouts Mtg.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21

- 5-6:30 p.m. Noah's Ark Family Night

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

- 12:30 p.m. Sack Lunch Bible Study
- 7:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Meeting

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

- 7:00 a.m. Early Risers - At Cook's Café
- 9:00-3 p.m. Do-Day (Potluck)
- 4:00 p.m. Communion-Sanford Sr. Care
- 5:00 p.m. Fall Festival - Fun For All
- 5-6:30 p.m. JAM/Jr./Sr. High - Fall Festival
(Meal And Activities)
- 5:00 p.m. Bell Choir

NO Bible Study Tonight

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24

- 12:00 p.m. Bulletin Deadline

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

- 12:00 p.m. Secretaries' Office Closes

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26

- 4-8 p.m. FH/Kitchen Reserved

Poinsettia Sales Deadline

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27

REFORMATION SUNDAY

- 9:00 a.m. Worship/HC
- 10:15 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Set Up For Spaghetti Supper
- 10:30 a.m. Noah's Ark Board Meeting
- 3-4:00 p.m. Sr. High Small Group
- 4-5:30 p.m. 9th/10th Grade Confirmation

Noah's Ark Basket Auction Ends

2020 BUDGET REQUEST DEADLINE

St. Paul Website:
www.stpaulsheldon.org
 Office: (712) 324-3049

GIFTS FOR THE LORD & HIS WORK:

Thank you for supporting St. Paul's ministries.
 Budget Money Needed Weekly: **\$ 5,867.15**

Wednesday Bible Study, October 9, 2019

Budget Offering Received \$ 10.00
 Attendance: 6

Sunday, October 13, 2019

Budget Offering Received \$5,394.00
 Special Offering Received \$ 50.00
 Carpet Money Received \$ 700.00
 Worship Attendance: 131
 Sunday School Attendance: 17 \$ 12.00

SEPTEMBER

Total Income \$ 17,279.88
 Total Expense \$ 15,277.30
 Income Less Expense \$ 2,002.58

Fiscal Year Income \$172,250.63
 Fiscal Year Expense \$ (168,878.52)
 Fiscal Year Income Less Expense \$ **3,372.11**

Carpet Remodel Balance 10/14/19 \$37,550.31
 Student Loan Matching
 Funds Needed To Meet Goal: **\$ 4,929.69**

BIRTHDAYS:



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| 10/20 Cassandra Blubaugh | 10/22 Tony Sneiderman |
| 10/20 Donna Hoadley | 10/23 Arajeane DeYoung |
| 10/20 Payten Lode | 10/25 Spencer Ogle |
| 10/20 Jaclyn Schmidt | 10/25 Daenton Ronellenfitch |
| 10/21 Chad Lang | 10/25 Morgan Sachen |
| 10/21 Brett Ogle | 10/26 Kathy Arnold |
| 10/22 Hunter Boone | 10/26 Marilyn Bowen |
| 10/22 Earl Meester | 10/27 Lon Holz |

St. Paul Lutheran Church LIVE Radio
 Broadcast on Sundays at 9:00 a.m.
 KIWA - FM 100.7 & AM 1550

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, NALC

October 20, 2019 ~ 9:00 A.M.

The Mission of St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church is to Share the Good News of Jesus Christ with All People.



ORDER OF WORSHIP: WOV: Word and Prayer (Season after Pentecost) (pp. 46-53)

(*Please stand if able for these portions of the worship service.)

Prelude

“Sanctuary”

Welcome and Announcements *(Please Sign the Welcome Folders in the Pews)*

*Gathering Song ~ WOV #752

“I, the Lord of Sea and Sky - Here I Am, Lord”

*Greeting (p. 46)

*Scripture Song (p. 47)

*Prayer of the Day (p. 47)

Children's Moment

First Reading: Genesis 32:22-31 (p. 53)

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5 (p. 1855)

*Gospel Acclamation (p. 48)

*Gospel Reading: Luke 18:1-8 (p. 1628)

Sermon ~ “I Think I Can, I Think I Can”

*Hymn of the Day ~ WOV #731

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

*Response to the Word (pp. 49-50)

Offering ~ Bell Choir

*Offertory (pp. 50-51)

*The Prayers (p. 52)

*Lord's Prayer (p. 52)

*Blessing (p. 53)

*Sending Song ~ WOV #721

“Go, My Children, with My Blessing”

*Dismissal (p. 53)

Our nursery is open to families during the worship service. It is located in the education wing, downstairs, second door on the left.

SERVING ST. PAUL TODAY: **Presiding Leader:** Mike Molettiere **Accompanist:** Mark Richards **Lector:** Lowell Appleton **Sound Tech:** Craig Vander Linden **PowerPoint:** Lesa Kruger **Acolyte:** Heather Honkomp, Sophie Meyer **Usher Captain:** Lyle Vanden Berg **Ushers:** Scott Lichty, Ed Stephens, Todd Kruger **Coffee Fellowship:** Kristi Hegenbarth, Janice Wielenga **Greeters:** Loren and Mary Ellen Reyelts, Gerry and Kathy Seivert **Receipt Recorders:** Gail Pike, Tami Roetman

SERVING ST. PAUL NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27: **Pastor:** Rev. Tim Nappe **Accompanist:** Mark Richards **Lector:** Brooklyn Grady **Sound Tech:** Larry Schnider **PowerPoint:** John Tracy **Acolyte:** Kayley Kreykes, Bella Michels **Usher Captain:** Lyle Vanden Berg **Ushers:** Kurt Lode, Larry Smit, Nick Stallmann **Coffee Fellowship:** Wanda Stratman, Jeanne Lichty **Greeters:** Dan and Kim Hohbach, Jayne Nestor **Communion Set-up:** Kathy Seivert, Deb Plum **Communion Servers:** Brian Honkomp, Rae Lynn Schnider, Darrell Sneiderman, Dan Klein **Receipt Recorders:** Brian Honkomp, Tami Roetman

PRAYER REQUESTS: **Margil Peters, Sharon Wills, Eric Rice** (*nephew of Laurel Zoet*), **Scott Stallmann, Braelynn Tracy, Arlyn Holtrop, Mandi Rodger, Carol Luepke, Myra Herbst** (*grandmother of Gabrielle Herbst*), **Jessica Willer** (*wife of Dane Willer*), **Jan Moore** (*daughter of Lillian Green*), **Chase Hansen** (*grandson of Mike and Dee Redinius*), **Tina Hall** (*daughter of Denise Hall*), and **Barb Vanden Berg** (*sister-in-law of Lyle Vanden Berg*). Iowa Mission Church (2019) - **Shepherd of the Prairie Lutheran Church, Huxley, IA.**

The Radio Broadcast for today's worship service is sponsored by LaVonne Hesebeck, thanking God for His many Blessings.

The Church Council of St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church of Sheldon, Iowa, has called for a Special Congregational Meeting on Sunday, October 20 at 10:15 a.m. in the church sanctuary. A vote will be held on whether or not to give the Church Council authority to obtain a loan up to \$100,000 to cover expenditures to update the church parsonage.

Thank you to the Bell Choir for their special music during today's worship service.

St. Paul Lutheran church family, we would like to express our deepest appreciation to all who planned, prepared, served, attended and donated to Scott's benefit. We were overwhelmed by the caring you showed Scott and our family. We have been blessed by the outpouring of love and support shown to us, both through the benefit, and through your prayers, hugs and words of concern and encouragement - God bless you all! -Scott, Nick, Dianna, and Kyla

We extend our Christian sympathy to Pastor Craig and Christen Nissen, Parker, Carter, Sam and Grayson, family and friends on the death of Craig's father, Richard (Dick) Nissen. He passed away on October 14. His funeral was held in Atlantic, IA at St. Paul Lutheran Church on Friday, October 18.

The WAM committee will be **selling poinsettias TODAY**, before and after Worship service.

The Sheldon Area Unity Meal will be held Monday, October 21 at Living Water Community Church - Sheldon Campus at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is always welcome! Come for good food and fellowship.

Everyone is invited to the Fall Festival on Wednesday, October 23. A meal for all served starting at 5:00 p.m. and activities begin at 5:30 p.m. We will have games and activities for all. This is a free event sponsored by the Fellowship Committee and the Youth and Children's Ministry. If weather is bad we will move the event inside.

There will be NO BIBLE STUDY on Wednesday, October 23.

2020 Budget Requests: DEADLINE is Sunday, October 27. Please turn in to the office or Scott Lichty's church mailbox.

The Annual **Spaghetti Supper** will be here at St. Paul on Monday, October 28 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Spaghetti with sauce and meatballs, salad, French bread, dessert and beverages served. Free Will offering with proceeds to help with Summer Camperships. Everyone is invited and bring your friends! The sign-up is in the narthex for items needed for the meal.

There will be a **Work Group Chairwomen Meeting** on Wednesday, October 30 at 7:00 p.m. in the Lounge.

If you were a part of the Pray For Me program last year and/or if you want to participate in Pray For Me this year for the children of our congregation, please contact Karen Appleton (momappleton@gmail.com). We will work to have prayer partners starting in late October.

ADDRESSES NEEDED: Help! Addresses are needed for any member of St. Paul currently in college. Email it to pleasant@nethtc.net, drop it off in the office, or office mailbox. We are looking for volunteers to help put Care Packages together for St. Paul college students, if you would like to help please contact the church office.

Looking for members willing to provide Friendly Fellowship time, visiting members of our congregational family. Please prayerfully consider this outreach, contact a Council member or the Church Office (324-3049).

If you would like an announcement on St. Paul Facebook page, please contact the office! We are asking for committees to be responsible for submitting written announcements to be posted by the office in a timely manner.

St. Paul has an ongoing mission started by our youth to support **Lensley Raymond from Simonette, Haiti**. This sponsorship will help with his school expenses each year. If you would like to make a donation towards Lensley's school tuition through your offering, there is a dedicated fund set up (Touch of Hope Haiti).

The Sheldon Ministerial Association and Bubbles are sponsoring **Coats for Kids Program**. Donations of children's coats, snow pants, hats, gloves, and scarves in good condition will be **accepted from now until October 24 at Bubbles**. Please do not drop off adult sized items or things not appropriate for winter. St. Paul has a box labeled for **Coats For Kids** if you wish to bring coats to the church. **Distribution of the Coats will be on November 2 from 9:00-10:00 a.m. at the Sheldon Community Building.**

Immanuel Christian Reformed Church in Sheldon is making their **Apple Pies (\$14. each) on November 1!** To place an order visit: <https://tinyurl.com/ybtmrkxu> or email bestapples@gmail.com.

UNITY MEAL CHRISTMAS: The Unity Meal Committee is looking for donations of small, gently used or new Nativity scenes for families and NEW coloring books and/or Christian story books for children (ages 2-12). Donations can be given to JoAnn Den Beste or delivered to Paulette Karolczak at St. Patrick's School (M-F: 8-3:30 p.m.). **Deadline: November 4.**

SOUP & PIE SUPPER: The Sheldon United Methodist Church's ELECTION DAY Supper on **Tuesday, November 5 from 4:30-7:00 p.m.** Homemade soups (chili, chicken noodle, vegetable beef) and pies. Freewill offering.

Sign-up charts for **2019 Open Dates** are located by the balcony staircase. Please contact the church office if you would like to sign up for a date.

Radio Broadcast: October 27; December 1, 8, 24 (4:30 p.m.). The cost to sponsor a radio broadcast is \$80.

Flowers on the Altar: October 27; November 10, 17; December 1, 8, 15, 22, 29.

Coffee Fellowship: December 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. Treats are optional, please check the kitchen for coffee/juice to serve.

The **2020 Sign-up charts** for the Radio Broadcast, Flowers On the Altar, and Coffee Fellowship are in the narthex if you choose to get an early start on those special dates!