

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, NALC

August 19, 2018 ~ 9:00 A.M.



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

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL:

Sunday, August 19
 9:00 a.m. Worship
 11:30 a.m. Noah's Ark Board Meeting

Monday, August 20
 12:30 p.m. Staff Meeting

Tuesday, August 21
 9-10:30 a.m. Lounge Reserved
 12:30 p.m. Sack Lunch Bible Study
 6:30 p.m. Council Meeting

Wednesday, August 22
 7:00 a.m. Early Risers Bible Study -
 At Cook's Café
 9:00 a.m. Volunteers Needed-To String
 School Bags For LWR
 11:00 a.m. Communion-Sanford Sr.
 Care Center
 6:30 p.m. Worship/HC - At Fieldcrest

Thursday, August 23
 Sheldon's First Day Of School
 8:30 a.m. Assemble Newsletter
 12:00 p.m. Bulletin Deadline
 5:15 p.m. Prayer Group

Friday, August 24
 12:00 p.m. Church Offices Close

Saturday, August 25

Sunday, August 26
 9:00 a.m. Worship/HC/Backpack
 Blessing
 10:15 a.m. Sunday School/JAM
 Registration/Parent Mtg.
 10:30 a.m. Parish Ed. Committee Mtg.

GIFTS FOR THE LORD & HIS WORK:

Thank you for supporting St. Paul's ministries.
 Budget Money Needed Weekly **\$ 6,049.60**

Wednesday, August 8, 2018
 NO Wednesday Worship Service

Sunday, August 12, 2018
 Budget Money Received \$ 3,859.00
 Special Money Received \$ 50.00
 MRP Money Received \$ 49.00
 Roof Repair Money Received \$ 1,100.00
 Worship Attendance: 158

Operating Loan:
 Balance on Loan as of 8/13/18 \$ 7,000.00

Roof Repair Loan:
 Balance on Loan as of 7/13/18 \$ 9,291.68

E. 9th Street Property Loan:
 Balance on Loan as of 8/14/18 \$ 51,046.07

JUNE
 Total Income \$ 17,544.02
 Total Expense \$ (21,549.92)
 Income Less Expense \$ (4,005.90)

Fiscal Year Income \$ 131,196.27
 Fiscal Year Expense \$ (141,569.25)
 Fiscal Year Income Less Expense \$ (10,372.98)

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BIRTHDAYS:



8/19 Jo Baumgart	8/22 Conrad Guetzlaff	8/28 Jack McCarthy
8/19 Jan Rolston	8/23 Karen Appleton	8/28 Arlene Noack
8/20 Jace Maris	8/23 Kayla Holtrop	8/28 Lisa Smith
8/20 Mallory McQueen	8/24 Arlene Klemme	8/29 Kingsley Kreykes
8/21 Larry Harms	8/25 Sara Lang	8/29 Jerry Meyer
8/21 Judy Kruse	8/26 Frank Luepke	8/30 Dillan Willer
8/21 Carol Nielsen	8/26 Jeana Wollmuth	8/31 Dan Hall
8/21 Paige Whorley	8/27 Pam Schwebach	8/31 Sophia Hinds
8/22 Dennis Boone	8/28 Don Koepnick	

ORDER OF WORSHIP: LBW Setting 2 (pages 77-97)

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

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

*Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

*Opening Hymn (LBW #293) ***“My Hope is Built on Nothing Less”***

*Kyrie

*Hymn of Praise

*Prayer of the Day

Children's Moment

First Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-17 (p.1855)

Sermon Reading: John 8:2-11 (pp. 1661-1662)

Sermon “Know Your Bible”

*Hymn of the Day (LBW #423) ***“Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service”***

*Apostles' Creed (p. 85)

Offering (p. 96)

*Offertory Response

*Prayers

*Blessing

*Closing Hymn (LBW #415) ***“God of Grace and God of Glory”***

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: **Pastor:** Rev. Craig Nissen **Accompanist:** Mark Richards **Lector:** Gail Pike **Acolyte:** Hannah Honkomp **Sound Tech:** Doug Rodger **PowerPoint Tech:** Juanita Rodger **Usher Captain:** Mike Vander Berg **Ushers:** Lorn Wills, Dan Matus, Larry Schnider **Greeters:** Tim and Sheila Hatting, Mike and Lisa Vander Berg **Coffee Fellowship:** Mike and Lisa Vander Berg **Receipt Recorders:** Deb Plum, Tami Roetman

SERVING ST. PAUL NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 26: **Pastor:** Rev. Craig Nissen **Accompanist:** Mark Richards **Lector:** Joe Tokheim **Acolyte:** Grant Richards **Sound Tech:** John Tracy **PowerPoint Tech:** Lesa Kruger **Usher Captain:** Mike Vander Berg **Ushers:** Lorn Wills, Dennis Kruger, Koby Klatt **Greeters:** Bruce and Jo Stegemann, Paul and Lori Richards **Coffee Fellowship:** Doug and Juanita Rodger **Communion Set-up:** Lisa Fischer, Gail Pike **Communion Servers:** Dan Klein, Suisie Kleve, Gail Pike, _____ **Receipt Recorders:** Dan Klein, Tami Roetman

PRAYER REQUESTS: **Bob Kruse, Don Koepnick, Kristi Hegenbarth, Melissa Noack, Ron Kruger, Lavonne Perrott, Jerry Meyer, Mandi Rodger, Arlyn Holtrop, Carol Luepke, Brad Manual** (*brother of Robert Shirbroun*), **Paul Rohwer** (*grandson of Dorothy Rohwer*), **Emmett Carter** (*son of Meredith and Adam Carter*), **Barb Vanden Berg** (*sister-in-law of Lyle Vanden Berg*), **Tina Hall** (*daughter of Denise Hall*), **Aidan Birks** (*great grandson of Frank and Carol Luepke*), **Alice Crayton** (*sister of Nick Stallmann*), and **Jan Moore** (*daughter of Lillian Green*). Iowa Mission Church (2018) - **Shepherd of the Prairie Lutheran Church, Huxley, IA.**

The Radio Broadcast for today's service is sponsored by Elmer Behrens Family in memory of Pauline Behrens.

Congratulations to Kyle and Karen Van Beek on the birth of their daughter, Mavis Kay, on August 14, 2018.

Baptized on August 18, was Paislee Dae Babb, daughter of Daniel and Megan Babb. Paislee was born on May 26, 2018. We offer our congratulations and pray for God's richest blessings upon Paislee, the newest member of our St. Paul Lutheran family. Her sponsors are Kristine Miller, Amanda Boone, Austin Bainbridge, and Dustin Coates.

We need your help to raise funds to update the storage area on the north end of the fellowship hall. We will be replacing the velvet curtains with wood sliding doors. Please contact Tami in the church office if you wish to designate funds for the fellowship hall updates.

On Wednesday, August 22 at 9:00 a.m., **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED** to help string the school bags for LWR. Contact JoAnn at 324-3659 or just come and help out!

Parents of school age kids: **blessing of backpacks** will happen in worship on **Sunday, August 26**. We would like to have all students bring their backpacks to the service.

The Fellowship Committee will be holding it's **Purple Cow Ice Cream Social** on August 29 beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the church parking lot. Everyone is invited to come join in the FUN!

PRAYER CHAINS: It is time to update the Prayer Chains. If you would like to be **removed or added to the Prayer Chains**, please contact the church office by **September 2**.

Socials are sponsoring the **Lutheran Brat Stand at the Sheldon Celebration Days** on Labor Day, Monday, September 3, at the City Park. We will need your help again this year. **Volunteers are needed** to work one-hour shifts. The volunteer sign-up sheet is in the narthex plus the sign-up sheets for donations of condiments and drinks.

Sunday School News: Our first Sunday, Rally Sunday, will be September 9. There will be a brief Parent/Registration meeting on August 26, following worship, so watch for an email coming to you with the necessary forms for registering your child to attend. **We need some help!** We need a couple of people to serve as classroom Shepherds for the year. There is no prep time or presentation expected in this role. Rotation Sunday School is all about **building relationships** with the kiddos, check out the calendar for the Rotation leader sign-up - we need your participation there too. Contact Lori Brown if you have any questions.

Everyone is invited to Tuesday Sack Lunch bible study with Pastor Craig, every Tuesday at 12:30 p.m. There is no homework, we open the Bible, read together and discuss what we've heard. Feel free to join us even if you are only occasionally able!

Musicians Wanted! The Music Ministry is always looking for singers and instrumentalists for the worship team, accompanists, special music and the traditional vocal ensemble. If you are interested, see Worship Coordinator Mark Richards.

Book readers!!! There have been a LOT of additions to our library recently. All the books on the narthex cart and all the books on top of the shelves are new to the library. Come check them out! Get some reading done before the school schedule starts up again!

Help us fill 50 School Bags for Lutheran World Relief. Containers in fellowship hall. **Items Needed for each bag:** 4 - 70 page spiral notebooks (wide or college ruled); 5 - #2 pencils unsharpened; 5 - pens (black or blue); 1 - pencil sharpener; 1 - box crayons (16 or 24 count); 1 - blunt tip scissors; 1 - eraser (2 1/2 inches); 1 - ruler.

A **suggestion box** is located in the back of the sanctuary for suggestions and ideas for the Church Council.

Pastor's OFFICE Hours - Pastor Craig's schedule varies from day-to-day, but every Tuesday afternoon he will be in the office from 1:00-5:00 p.m. for drop-in visits.

Our Youth Ministry is looking for someone to fill the JAM Coordinator position! JAM (Jesus And Me) meets every Wednesday starting on September 12, for youth 1st grade-5th grade. JAM time is from 5:00-6:30 p.m. (with a meal served from 6:00-6:30 p.m.) If you are interested, please contact Mark or Pastor Craig.

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 Area Unity Meal on Monday, August 20 at Living Water Community Church. Serving at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome for this free meal and fellowship. Thank you to Maintainer Corporation of Iowa, Inc. and WIDA for providing the meal and volunteers.

Please join us for the **Memory Loss Support Group Meeting, August 30 at 7:00 p.m.** at the Sanford Sr. Care Center. The program will be on "Sharing".

Would you like to make a difference for other adults in your community? If you are 55 or better, the **Senior Companion Program** would love to help you get started! Senior Companion volunteers work with adults one-on-one to help them maintain their independence in their own homes through visiting and assistance. For more information, contact the Senior Companion office at 712-476-2628, or www.rvrseniorvolunteerprograms.org.

NISO Auditions: Auditions for membership in the NW Iowa Symphony Orchestra on September 7 (Winds and Percussion) and September 8 (Strings). Anyone wishing to play in the orchestra for the first time must audition, and all student members need to re-audition each year. Information/to schedule an audition, contact NISO office at niso@dordt.edu or 712-722-6230.

The following volunteer sign-up sheets for **2018 Open Dates**, located on the balcony staircase bulletin board.

Radio Broadcast: September 16; November 4, 25; December 9, 16, 30. The Radio Broadcast fee is \$80.

Flowers On The Altar: August 26; September 2, 16, 23, 30; October 7, 14, 21, 28; November 4, 11, 18, 25; December 9, 16, 23, 30.

Coffee Fellowship: October 7, 14, 21, 28; November 4, 11, 18, 25; December 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. Coffee and juice served (check kitchen for supplies). Cookies/bars are optional.