

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL:

Sunday, September 2

Youth Sub Sales Before And After Church
 9:00 a.m. Worship/HC/Stephen Ministers
 10:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
Prayer Chain Deadline

Monday, September 3 - LABOR DAY

Offices **CLOSED**
 Socials' **Brat Stand** At City Park
 6:30 p.m. Back To School **Prayer Event**

Tuesday, September 4

12:30 p.m. Sack Lunch Bible Study
 1:30 p.m. Staff Meeting
 5-6 p.m. Noah's Ark Nursery School-
 Visit The Teacher/Open House
 6:15 p.m. WAM Committee Meeting
 7:00 p.m. Adult Worship Team (7-8)

Wednesday, September 5

First Day Noah's Ark Nursery School (Session 1)
 7:00 a.m. Early Risers Bible Study -
 At Cook's Café
 5:00 p.m. Bell Choir
 5:00 p.m. Jr. High Youth Group (5-6:30)
 6:30 p.m. Worship
 7:30 p.m. Youth/Parents/Pastor Night
 (7:30-8:30 p.m.)

Thursday, September 6

First Day Noah's Ark Nursery School (Session 2)
 12:00 p.m. Bulletin Deadline
 5:15 p.m. Prayer Group

Friday, September 7

12:00 p.m. Secretaries' Office Closes
 5:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday, September 8

5:00 p.m. Mosier/Jennings Wedding

Sunday, September 9 - SS RALLY SUNDAY

Youth Sub Sales (Before And After Church)
 9:00 a.m. Worship/HC/Installation Of
 Educational Personnel
 10:15 a.m. Sunday School (10:15-11:20)
 10:15 a.m. Assemble School/Health Kits
 10:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
 4:00 p.m. Youth Worship Team

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GIFTS FOR THE LORD & HIS WORK:

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

Wednesday, August 22, 2018

Budget Money Received \$ 350.00
 Worship Attendance: 21

Sunday, August 26, 2018

Budget Money Received \$ 4,133.00
 Special Money Received \$ 160.00
 Roof Repair Money Received \$ 100.00
 Worship Attendance: 137

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

JULY

Total Income \$ 21,695.34
 Total Expense \$ 13,564.04
 Income Less Expense \$ 8,131.30

Fiscal Year Income \$ 159,085.61
 Fiscal Year Expense \$ (171,648.75)
 Fiscal Year Income Less Expense \$ (12,563.14)

BIRTHDAYS:



9/2 Kathie Beenken	9/8 Susie Kleve
9/2 Rynlee Rohwer	9/9 Brady Engelkes
9/2 Keaton Sneiderman	9/9 Jason Engelkes
9/3 Trafton Beckman	9/9 Katie Hinds
9/3 Ryan Frankenstein	9/10 Kiley Parks
9/3 Jace Junge	9/11 Kayla Allen
9/3 Brady Miller	9/11 Harold Eichmann
9/3 Sharon Wills	9/11 Marilyn Karley
9/3 Kyler Wynja	9/11 Harm Oltmans
9/4 Aaron Mc Peek	9/11 Linda Warner
9/4 Bruce Stegemann	9/11 Brian Willer
9/6 Wilma Ransom	9/12 Chelsea Boone
9/6 Elroy Sybesma	9/13 Jolene Eichmann
9/6 Samantha Verschoor	9/14 Judy Dummett
9/7 Phil Grove	9/14 Sandy Junge
9/7 Dan Harris	9/14 Christen Nissen
9/7 Austin Staples	9/14 Ashley Woelber-Dighton
9/8 Lila Boerhave	9/15 Thomas Badberg
9/8 Deb Holz	

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, NALC

September 2, 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.

ORDER OF WORSHIP: Elevate

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

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

Greeting

*Kyrie

*Hymn of Praise

Announcement of Grace

*Prayer of the Day

Children's Moment

Lector Reading: 1 Peter 5:6-10 (p. 1892)

*Gospel Acclamation

*Gospel Reading: John 21:1-19 (pp. 1687-1688)

Sermon "Begin Again"

*Hymn of the Day

"My Jesus I Love Thee"

*Apostles' Creed

*Prayers

*Passing of the Peace

Offering/*Offertory Response

*Offertory Prayer

Communion

*Blessing

*Closing Song

"I Will Follow You"

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:** Worship Team **Lector:** Gabrielle Herbst **Acolyte:** Teagan Vos **Sound Tech:** Larry Schnider **PowerPoint Tech:** Rae Lynn Schnider **Usher Captain:** Lyle Vanden Berg **Ushers:** Dan Hohbach, Kim Hohback, Nick Stallmann **Greeters:** Marlin and Arlyce Oosterhuis **Coffee Fellowship:** Marlin and Arlyce Oosterhuis **Communion Set-up:** Deb Plum, Juanita Rodger **Communion Servers:** Rae Lynn Schnider, Susie Kleve, Deb Plum, Nick Stallmann **Receipt Recorders:** Tom Whorley, Tami Roetman

SERVING ST. PAUL NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9: **Pastor:** Rev. Craig Nissen **Accompanist:** Worship Team **Lector:** Brooklyn Grady **Acolyte:** Katelyn Grady **Sound Tech:** John Sachen **PowerPoint Tech:** Karen Appleton **Usher Captain:** Lyle Vanden Berg **Ushers:** Todd Kruger, Scott Lichty, Kurt Lode **Greeters:** Don and Donna Koepnick, Brian and Monica Honkomp **Coffee Fellowship:** Gerry and Kathy Seivert **Receipt Recorders:** Scott Lichty, Tami Roetman

PRAYER REQUESTS: **Connie Hansen** (*daughter of Mike and Dee Redinius*), **Chase Hansen** (*grandson of Mike and Dee Redinius*), **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 Kevin and Sue Roth in celebration of their 40th anniversary.

Flowers on the altar are from the funeral service of Milt Heyl in loving memory of Milt and Alvina Heyl.

We extend our Christian sympathy to family and friends on the death of Milton "Milt" Heyl. He passed away on August 27. His funeral service was held on August 30, here at St. Paul.

We extend our Christian sympathy to Jack and Evelyn McCarthy on the death of Jack's brother, David McCarthy. He passed away on August 27. His funeral service was held on August 31 in Sioux City, IA.

We extend our Christian sympathy to Dale and Laurel Zoet and Nathan, family and friends on the death of Dale's mother, Pearl Zoet. She passed away on August 28. Her funeral service was held on September 1.

Tasha Mosier and Jonathan Jennings **announce their intention to marry** on September 8, and request your prayers as they begin their new life together.

Congratulations to James and Megan Fitzgerald on the birth of their son, Reid Steinhauer Fitzgerald, on August 15.

Prayer Chains DEADLINE TODAY: Please let the office know if you wish to be **removed or added to the list.**

TODAY: Adult Sunday School begins! Attend any one of these first four classes; it's a series but each stands on it's own. Pastor Craig leading "That the World May Know" (vol 13) - Israel's Mission. These 4 sessions discuss 'becoming a kingdom of priests in a prodigal world.'

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 sheet for donations of condiments and drinks.

The Sheldon Community "**Back To School Prayer Event**" will be on Labor Day, September 3 at 6:30 p.m. at the SHS stadium.

JAM Coordinator NEEDED: Our Youth Ministry is looking for someone to fill the 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.

Pastor Craig is attending the **Iowa Mission Convocation on September 15** and will be taking items needed for the NALC Disaster Response - School Kits, Health Kits, Flood Buckets and Quilts. Donations are needed - see the Mission Board for a list of items needed. On **September 9, we will be assembling the School Kits and Health Kits following the worship service.**

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. This update is very important to our Bedding Ministry since this space is used to store bedding that will be used to go out to people needing help from Love INC. We need approximately \$1,600. A little from many and we can meet this goal! Please contact Tami in the church office if you wish to designate funds for the fellowship hall updates (324-3049).

The "Pray for Me" campaign: Preparations are being made for a season of adults praying for specific youth of our congregation. More information will be given in coming weeks.

Sunday School News: Our first Sunday, Rally Sunday, will be September 9. **We need some help!** 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.

If you donated supplies, monetary funds, and/or volunteered for the **Shop With A Cop Program** through Love INC of Greater O'Brien County, **you made a difference in the life of a child!** Through the unified effort of law enforcement agencies, churches, businesses, and individuals in the community, 72 children from the Sheldon, H-M-S, and South O'Brien school districts received new pack packs with the school supplies they will need for the school year and \$200 worth of brand new school clothing and shoes. We pray this ministry will make our communities a better place as children are equipped to be successful learners in school and a positive relationship is encouraged between our local youth and law enforcement!

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!

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.

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

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

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

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

Moms in Prayer: (www.MomsInPrayer.org) is an inter-denominational, local gathering of women who desire to pray together each week on behalf of our children, teachers, and schools. Contact Amy Scheaffer at 605-929-5791 for more information about connecting with a weekly Moms In Prayer group. Groups will begin meeting in October.

FREE Self-Defense Workshop on Wednesday, **October 10 at 7:00 p.m.** in the LLRC on NCC Campus. Pre-registration is not required but is appreciated. Call the LLRC at 712-324-2493 to register.