

Apostles’ Creed.....LBW pg 85  
Prayers of the People  
L: Lord, in your mercy....  
C: Hear our prayer.

The Great Thanksgiving and Words of Institution  
The Lord’s Prayer  
Communion Distribution  
*All who are baptized, have been instructed properly, and trust God’s Word are welcome to communion, where our Lord is truly present, offering his gifts of forgiveness and eternal life.*

Benediction  
Sending Hymn: How Firm a Foundation LBW 507  
Sending & Bell Tolling  
Postlude

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Know Your Neighbor Community Cookout**, Wednesday, August 20, from 5:00 - 7:30 pm in the First Reformed Church parking lot. You’re invited to this free event, which will include a variety of foods made by local cooks. In addition to great food and a fun atmosphere, representatives from local ministries will also be available to talk with you.

**Mission Opportunity: Join the Hope Haven Distribution Trip to Costa Rica!**  
We're inviting volunteers to be part of a life-changing mission trip with **Hope Haven**, happening **October 21–28, 2025**. This trip focuses on distributing wheelchairs and sharing the love of Christ with communities in need across Costa Rica.  
Whether you're passionate about serving others, building relationships, or experiencing global outreach firsthand, this is a beautiful opportunity to make a difference. **Deadline to sign up: September 1.** If you feel called to join or want more details, please contact Kelly TeSlaa at [kteslaa@hopehaven.org](mailto:kteslaa@hopehaven.org) or 605-332-8300. Let’s be the hands and feet of Jesus—one wheelchair at a time.

**LifeWise Academy Boyden and Hull** are gearing up for the 2025-26 school year! A posterboard of needs has been placed in the Narthex. If you would like to donate an item(s) from the list, please take the appropriate paper(s) and return to the box below the posterboard. Thank you for your willingness to be the hands and feet of Jesus in this way! -LifeWise Academy Boyden and Hull Board

**WELCOME FRIENDS IN CHRIST!** We are glad you are worshiping with us today! We pray that you are blessed even as your presence is a blessing to us. If you are visiting us, we want you to feel welcome and we invite you to fill out the blue visitor information card in the pew holder and drop it in the offering plate.

**CHURCH INFORMATION** Email address: stpaul Lutheran@hotmail.com  
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**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**  
17<sup>th</sup> Elisabeth Even  
18<sup>th</sup> Becky Duin

**Readings for Next Sunday**  
First Reading: Isaiah 66:18-23  
Psalm: Psalm 50:1-15  
Second Reading: Hebrews 12:4-29  
Gospel: Luke 13:22-30

**ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY**  
Musician: Deanna Tiedeman  
Head Usher: Cassidy Hinds Reader: Brad Moe  
Altar Duties: Marcella Suter & Karen Mosier Deacon: Ken Nielsen

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL LUTHERAN**

Sunday	August 17	9:30am	Worship w/Communion
Wednesday	August 20	6:00pm & 6:45pm	Hull Sand Volleyball
Thursday	August 21	11:30am	SHARE Group
Sunday	August 24	9:30am	Worship

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**Love & Learn** classes begin Tuesday, August 26, 2025, at 6:45 p.m. at Trinity CRC in Rock Valley. This session we are offering Faith & Finances, Boundaries, Grief Share, and Redemptive Compassion. For more information about the classes or to register please contact Love INC Sioux County at 712-476-5990 or email Danica at [ministries@loveincsiouxcounty.org](mailto:ministries@loveincsiouxcounty.org).

**Hull Coffee Break** will have their kick-off on Wednesday, September 10. They will meet at Hope Christian Reformed Church. They will be studying Revelations, chapters 1, 2, and 3. Please pick -up an informational registration sheet in the narthex.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please silence your cell phones during the worship service.  
If you have a prayer request, you may fill out that side of the blue information card that is located in the pew holder. You may hand it to the Pastor or to the usher in the back of the church.  
Our nursery is upstairs and ready to use if it becomes necessary. Thanks for coming with your children!

Do you have a **Church Life Highlight** that you’d like to share? Please send your news, upcoming event, note of thanks, or another item you’d like the congregation to be aware of to [stpaulhlutheran@hotmail.com](mailto:stpaulhlutheran@hotmail.com). Thanks

The **Hull Sand Volleyball** Wednesday night schedule for August 20 and August 27 is 6:00pm and 6:45pm. Please support the members of St Paul Lutheran that play on the sand volleyball league.

**SHARE Group** for widows and widowers will meet Thursday, August 21, 2025, at 11:30 am. They will meet in the south dining room at the Hull Pizza Ranch.

**Hull's Tombstone Tour 2025** will be Saturday, September 6 at 3:00pm at the St. Paul Lutheran Church. The presentation will be given in the fellowship hall of the church, with a self-guided walk in the cemetery after the event. Donations of \$10 will benefit the Hull Historical Society. Questions? Contact Chuck Brunsting at 712-441-4045.

- The Hull Ministerial Society will be holding a meeting at St. Paul Lutheran at 7pm on August 26<sup>th</sup>.

## LIFEWISE ACADEMY BOYDEN AND HULL-Elementary Volunteers Needed

We are thanking God that the schedule has allowed for our elementary classroom times to be extended!! With this change our classes will be held on 2 days which means we have a need for 1 or 2 more volunteers for our rotation! If you are available to volunteer every 4-5 weeks on Thursdays from 11:20-2:40 or if you have any questions about being a classroom volunteer please reach out to Tina Koerselman at 712-540-4117. Thank you!

**BH Praying Moms group** will be meeting at 8:30am on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month starting August 27th through May(excluding holidays and no school days) in the Fireside Room at American Reformed Church in Hull. All Moms of Boyden-Hull students are welcome! Join us for a time of prayer not only for our own children but each child at BH.

# St. Paul Lutheran Church

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## Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 17, 2025

Prelude (a quiet, contemplative time before worship begins)

Welcome and Announcements  
Call to Worship (*printed on the screen*)  
Opening Hymn: God Himself Is Present (verses 1,2,4) LBW 249  
Confession and Forgiveness of Sin (*printed on the screen*)  
Prayer of the Day  
All: Holy One, refine us by the fire of your love so that we find ourselves able to stand firm in the faith. By the death and resurrection of your Son, bring to that day when we shall stand with the great cloud of witnesses in your eternal presence; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. Amen.

Children’s Chat  
First Reading: Jeremiah 23:16-29 Pew Bible pg 1212  
Responsive Reading: Psalm 119:81-88 Pew Bible pg 961  
Second Reading: Hebrews 11:17-31; 12:1-3 Pew Bible pg 1875

The Gospel Announcement  
L: The Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke, the 12th Chapter.  
C: (*spoken*) **Glory to you, Christ, our Lord and God!**  
The Holy Gospel: Luke 12:49-56 Pew Bible pg 1619  
L: This is the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ.  
C: (*spoken*) **We praise you, Christ, our Lord and God!**

Sermon  
Hymn of the Day: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise LBW 526