

L: The Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew, the 13th Chapter.
C: (*spoken*) Glory to you, Christ, our Lord and God!
The Holy Gospel: Matthew 13:1-9,19-23 Pew Bible pg 1516
L: This is the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ.
C: (*spoken*) We praise you, Christ, our Lord and God!

Hymn of the Day: Make Me a Blessing PRAISE 389

Offertory Song and Prayer

The Lord's Prayer	
Benediction	
Sending Hymn: Praise God	LBW 565
Sending & Bell Tolling	
Postlude	

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14th Jeremy Breuer
16th Lonnie Egdorf
24th Margery Tiedeman
25th Sullivan Whistler

24th Jeff & Luella Techen

Musician: Clara Hoegh
Head Usher: David Tiedemann **Reader:** Brad Moe
Altar Duties: Sherry Tiedemann & Wanda Willemssen **Deacon:** Brent Hoegh

First Reading: Deuteronomy 7:6-9
Psalm: Psalm 125:1-5
Second Reading: Romans 8:28-39
Gospel: Matthew 13:44-52

Sunday	July 12	9:30am	Worship
Thursday	July 16	11:30am	SHARE Group
Sunday	July 19	10:00am	Community Worship @ Hesla Field in Hull
Sunday	July 26	9:30am	Worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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. Your offering may be placed back there as well.

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 stpaul Lutheran@hotmail.com. Thanks

Words cannot express our thankfulness for all the kindness shown to our family at the loss of our husband, son and brother. Your act of love, whether it was a kind word, a hug, or a prayer said. All meant a lot to us and will not be forgotten.

Friends in Christ - The family of Dallas Willemsen

If you'd like to receive Pastor Owen's "Preaching the Promise" newsletter, just let him know! The only thing required is an email address. You could subscribe yourself as well. Go to <https://preachingthepromise.substack.com/> and type your email in the box, and it's done! Once subscribed, you'll have access to a couple of posts each week: 1) Pastor Owen's weekly "How it's goin'" video, and 2) a short message/devotional based on a Scripture passage that will be read in worship that upcoming Sunday.

Thursday, July 16, the **SHARE Group** for widows and widowers will meet at 11:30am. They will meet at the Hull Pizza Ranch.

Sunday, July 19, the **Hull Summerfest Community Worship Service** will be held at 10:00am at Hesla Field. There is no service at St Paul Lutheran Church on that day.

Dave Kruse will serve as pulpit supply on July 26. This is when the Hoegh family are on vacation.

St. Paul Lutheran Church

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Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 12, 2026

Prelude (a **quiet**, contemplative time before worship begins)

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (*printed on the screen*)

Opening Hymn: What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine WOV 780

Confession and Forgiveness of Sin (*printed on the screen*)

Prayer of the Day

All: **Heavenly Father, scatter the seed of your word in our hearts. Grant that it may be received in joy, sprout and bear the fruits of your mercy as we grow in faith, hope, and love. Then send us into your world to scatter the seeds of your love; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

First Reading: Isaiah 55:10-13 Pew Bible pg 1149

Sermon: *The Power of the Will*

Responsive Reading: Psalm 65:1-13 Pew Bible pg 900

Children’s Chat

Second Reading: Romans 8:12-17 Pew Bible pg 1757

Sermon: *Going Deeper Under the Flesh*

Special Music: *Amazing Grace*