

NEWS YOU CAN USE

Service Project Opportunity **RAKE THE TOWN**

Rake the Town is an annual rake-a-thon event coordinated by the Workers on Wheels program at Active Generations in Sioux Falls. This event will engage over 1,000 volunteers to rake the yards of 360 elderly and disabled homeowners. Rake the Town serves individuals within Sioux Falls city limits over the age of 60 who do not have family available in the area to help with their yard work and are not financially or physically able to do the work themselves.

St. Paul Lutheran will be sending a group to Sioux Falls to take part in this event on **Saturday, October 27th**. We will leave the church at 8:30am and return no later than 4:00pm that afternoon. We will enjoy lunch and fellowship together. A sign-up sheet can be found in the narthex until Thursday, October 11th.

Adult Forum **LUTHERAN WORSHIP**

What do Lutherans believe is happening in worship? What makes Lutheran worship distinct? For Martin Luther, what was at the core of worship? Find answers to these questions and more at an Adult Forum series beginning this month. Classes will be held in the fellowship hall on Thursdays October 25th, November 1st and November 8th. Classes will be offered at 10:00am and repeated again at 6:30pm.



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OCTOBER 2018 CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 10:00am: Quilters Group	2	3 2:30pm: Confirmation 6:00pm: Adult Bible Study 7:00pm: Church Council	4	5 6:30am: Men's Breakfast Bible Study	6
7 9:30am: Worship 10:30am: Sunday School	8	9	10 6:00pm: Adult Bible Study 7:00pm: Women of the Word	11 2:00pm: Helping Hands Women's Circle	12	13
National LCMC Gathering—Des Moines, Iowa						
14 9:30am: Worship 10:30am: Sunday School and Congregational Meeting 2:30pm: Jr. Lutherans	15	16	17 2:30pm: Confirmation 6:00pm: Adult Bible Study	18	19 6:30am: Men's Breakfast Bible Study	20
21 9:30am: Worship 10:30am: Sunday School	22	23	24 2:30pm: Confirmation 6:00pm: Adult Bible Study	25 10:00am or 6:30pm: Adult Forum	26	27 8:30am: Rake The Town Service Project
28 9:30am: Worship 10:30am: Sunday School	29	30	31 2:30pm: Confirmation 6:00pm: Adult Bible Study			

October Birthdays:

- 2nd — Judy Breuer
- 4th — Phyllis Tiedeman
- 4th — Loren Reyelts
- 19th — Tyler Techen
- 22nd — Jerris Rensink
- 23rd — Ronald Tiedeman
- 25th — Katelyn Egdorf
- 28th — Nicholas Mosier

October Anniversaries:

- 9th — Travis and Nichole Techen
- 27th — Curtis and Iva Behrens

THE ST. PAUL LUTHERAN MESSENGER

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Connection Point

Things happening this month

Monday, October 1

Quilting To Begin

The St. Paul Lutheran Church quilters are set to begin their monthly gatherings again this month. They will meet on Monday, October 1st from 10:00am to 3:30pm in the church fellowship hall. Lunch will be provided. Lutheran World Relief and Veterans Hospital quilts will be worked on.

Wednesday, October 3

Church Council Meeting

The St. Paul Lutheran Church leadership will gather in the fellowship hall at 7:00pm.

Sunday, October 7

National LCMC Gathering Begins

The Annual Gathering of LCMC will be held from Sunday, October 7 to Wednesday, October 10 at HyVee Hall in Des Moines, Iowa. Pastor Aaron, Marcella Suter, and Ethel Fick will represent our congregation.

Sunday, October 14

October Congregational Meeting

Active and voting members of St. Paul Lutheran Church will gather after worship on Sunday, October 14th for a quarterly congregational meeting, during which we will elect the church officers for 2019. Make plans to attend!

Sunday, October 14

Jr. Lutherans

The St. Paul Jr. Lutherans will meet at the church at 2:30pm. Pastor Aaron is planning a service project and games. Pick up time will be 5:00pm. Invite a friend!

Women's News

Helping Hands Circle

Helping Hands Circle will be meeting on Thursday, October 11 at 2:00pm at Aspen Heights in Hull. We will be studying Step 8 (Smile: Share with Joy) lessons Day 4 (Mouth Mission), and Day 5 (Grace Glasses). Our hostess will be Ann Tiedemann. The cost of our new books (which will be available then) is \$10.00 each.

Women of the Word

Women of the Word will meet on Wednesday, October 10th at 7:00pm in the fellowship hall. Erica McAlpine will be the hostess and Bible study leader.

Worship Notes

Holy Communion

The Sacrament of the Altar will be celebrated this month on Sunday, October 14th.

October Worship Assistants

Deacon: Ken Nielsen

Head Usher: Sherry Tiedemann

Usher: Owen DeJong, Drew Mosier, Harold Tiedeman, and Dallas Willemssen.

Women's Duties: Dottie Tiedemann and LeAnn Rensink

Sunday School Corner

The Sunday School Board is diligently looking for a board member for a 2 year term. Board members assist with the selection of curriculum, help plan the Christmas program, and oversee the youth events of our congregation. See Dana Fick, Marcella Suter, or Pastor Aaron for more information