

Boys and Girls Pioneers at St. Paul's, Onalaska

St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Onalaska invites your grade school aged children to join our Boy and Girl Pioneer programs. Tim Vix and Deb Tooley are leading these groups and are excited to show your children the way to become a happy, confident and useful member of his/her church, school, home, and community. Any boy or girl in grades K-8 in our congregation is invited to come and attend meetings for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Tim by sending a text to him at (507)458-0410 or contact Deb by email at dtooley@gmail.com. Also, we will be holding a Registration Day on August 14, 2021 in the St. Paul's Church parking lot. Tim and Deb will be available to answer any questions at that time, as well.

Recovery in Christ

Recovery in Christ meets on Sundays, 6:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Onalaska. Recovery in Christ will meet, 1:00 p.m. at Coulee Recovery Center (933 Ferry Street, La Crosse). Call/text 608-567-3038 to confirm dates/times.

GRIEF SUPPORT:

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, August 3 at 7:00 p.m. at St. John's in Barre Mills. Our topic for discussion will be "The Journey of Grief." If you, or someone you know is grieving, please come for comfort from God's word and encouragement from fellow Christians.

Worship of the Good Shepherd July 25th/26th, 2021

Offering

Our congregation has joined together to share Jesus and his love in this community and around the world. This offering is a joyful response of our faith. If you are a visitor with us, please do not feel obligated to give an offering unless you desire to do so.

Offerings plates are found in the back of church as you exit/enter the sanctuary.

Electronic Offering Options

- ◆ **Give Plus** church app on Apple or Android device
- ◆ **Online** giving at www.gsholmen.org
Credit card transactions have 3% processing fee deducted from offering.

Serving in Worship Today

Preacher: Pastor Jonathan Kruschel

Pianist/Organist: Nikky Kruschel

Soloists/Instrumentalists: Stacey Klein

Worship Attendance July 18/19, 2021

In-person

8:00 am 78

10:30 am 32

6:30 pm 34

Online Views

YouTube 19

Facebook 49

Ushers & Greeters

Today 8:00 am Aaron & Sarah Larson

Today 10:30 am Mark & Joan Christie

Interested in serving as an usher or greeter?

Contact the church office!

Next Week 8:00 am Dan & Julie Peterson

Next Week 10:30 am Alan & Odetta Ross

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Good Shepherd's **Weekly Voice** July 25th/26th, 2021

Weekly Calendar

Sunday: Worship 8am & 10:30am

Church Council Meeting 11:20am

Monday: Worship 6:30pm

Wednesday: Video Bible Study 7:00am

Sunday: Communion Worship 8am & 10:30am

Monday: Communion Worship 6:30pm

Christian Education Ministry Meeting 7:15pm

Livestream Worship YouTube—Sunday 8:00 am

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A King-in-the-Making – King David's Early Years

August Sermon Series

King David is one of the most famous figures of the Old Testament, even used by God at times to foreshadow the promised Messiah Jesus. While the Bible often gives us brief snapshots of people's lives, the Bible shows David's life leading up to him becoming king as well as during his reign. What can we learn from this king-in-the-making and the people around him? Let's see how God teaches us about patience, courage, faithfulness, wisdom and humility through the various accounts of David's early years.

Vacation Bible School – Rocky Railway – Jesus' Power Pulls Us Through!

All kids ages 3 through 5th grade are invited to join us on August 3,4,5 from 6:30-8:00 pm as we see how Jesus' has the power to pull us through anything! Each evening will kick off with singing and Bible thought followed by group crafts, activities, interactive Bible lesson and snacks. . Bring your friends, neighbors and relatives, and let's have a good time together with God's Word! [Sign up online today](#) or call the church office at 608-526-4829.

TV in Back of Church

You may have noticed the TV in the back of church that has scrolling announcements on it. This will have much of the information, posters and flyers that were on the bulletins boards. It will also include some general information about Good Shepherd. The location was selected for two audiences: 1) those coming in and out of church on Sunday/Monday, and 2) for the 40+ families that pick up their children from preschool throughout the school year and normally wait in the back of church. This also helps us to cut down on printing and easily remove information in a timely fashion. We are also receiving more and more announcements in digital projection format (slides). If you haven't found the member picture board, it's just around the corner. Need to update your picture? Send it to the church office office@gsholmen.org.

Technology, Audio, Video Update Suggestions

We've made many upgrades and additions to the technology used throughout our ministry. The Technology Ministry Team would be interested in your suggestions as to future projects such as improvements in speakers, congregational microphones for recordings, additional cameras, lighting, etc. Suggestions can be sent to Scott Sloan at scottslloan@gmail.com.

St. Paul's, Onalaska, Seeking Educational Assistant, Morning Surround Care Worker, and Lunch Worker

Do you love working with children? St. Paul's Lutheran School, Onalaska, is looking for active WELS members who will serve as great role models for our students. These part-time positions coincide with our school year calendar. We have need of an upper grade Educational Assistant for all day (about 7:45 am-3:00 pm), a worker for morning Surround Care (6:00-7:30 am), and a lunch worker (11:00 am -1:00 pm). If you or someone you know has a love for children and serving their Savior, please contact Mr. Benjamin Bain (bbain@stpaulsonalaska.org) or our school office (783-4822) for more information. Applications are available from our office and are due by August 2, 2021.

Thanks!

Deidre and Desmond Wehrs thank you for all the prayers, the cards and words of encouragement that have come through Desmond's hospitalization and recovery at home. Good news is that he is healing and is progressing towards a full recovery