



Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 21/22, A.+D. 2022

Welcome to Saint Paul Lutheran Church.

As a member congregation of The Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod, we are committed to the Word and Sacraments of our Lord Jesus Christ.

If you are visiting with us this evening, please sign our Record of Fellowship in each pew.

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†About Communion at St. Paul: †

The Lord's Table is open to all members of The Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod. Oneness at Communion pre-supposes oneness in doctrine. However, if you would like to come forward to receive a blessing, please keep your hands folded and step up to the Pastor. Thank you for respecting our teachings. If you would like to learn more about communion at St. Paul, feel free to make an appointment with Pastor Hartman.

Members and Visitors, please sign the Record of Fellowship which is located at the end of the pew. If you would like to receive Christ's blood in the common cup, please put * next to your name. – Thank you.

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680 “*Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise*”

Opening Hymn

Invocation

Exhortation

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Confession of Sins

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Absolution

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✠ **Service of the Word** ✠

Introit

Psalm 55:4, 16–18; antiphon: v. 22

Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you;
he will never permit the righteous to be moved.

My heart is in anguish within me;
the terrors of death have fallen upon me.

But I call to God,
and the LORD will save me.

Evening and morning and at noon I utter my complaint and moan,
and he hears my voice.

He redeems my soul in safety from the battle that I wage,
for many are arrayed against me.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you;
he will never permit the righteous to be moved.

Kyrie

LSB 152

This Is the Feast

LSB 155

Salutation and Collect of the Day

First Reading

Acts 16:9–15

⁹A vision appeared to Paul in the night: a man of Macedonia was standing there, urging him and saying, “Come over to Macedonia and help us.” ¹⁰And when Paul had seen the vision, immediately we sought to go on into Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.

¹¹So, setting sail from Troas, we made a direct voyage to Samothrace, and the following day to Neapolis, ¹²and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city some days. ¹³And on the Sabbath day we went outside the gate to the riverside, where we supposed there was a place of prayer, and we sat down and spoke to the women who had come together. ¹⁴One who heard us was a woman named Lydia, from the city of Thyatira, a seller of purple goods, who was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to pay attention to what was said by Paul. ¹⁵And after she was baptized, and her household as well, she urged us, saying, “If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come to my house and stay.” And she prevailed upon us.

Epistle

Revelation 21:9–14, 21–27

⁹Then came one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls full of the seven last plagues and spoke to me, saying, “Come, I will show you the Bride, the wife of the Lamb.” ¹⁰And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great, high mountain, and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God, ¹¹having the glory of God, its radiance like a most rare jewel, like a jasper, clear as crystal. ¹²It had a great, high wall, with twelve gates, and at the gates twelve angels, and on the gates the names of the twelve tribes of the sons of Israel were inscribed— ¹³on the east three gates, on the north three gates, on the south three gates, and on the west three gates. ¹⁴And the wall of the city had twelve foundations, and on them were the twelve names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb. . . .

²¹And the twelve gates were twelve pearls, each of the gates made of a single pearl, and the street of the city was pure gold, transparent as glass.

²²And I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. ²³And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and its lamp is the Lamb. ²⁴By its light will the nations walk, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it, ²⁵and its gates will never be shut by day—and there will be no night there. ²⁶They will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. ²⁷But nothing unclean will ever enter it, nor anyone who does what is detestable or false, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life.

Alleluia and Verse

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Holy Gospel

John 16:23–33

²³[Jesus said:] “In that day you will ask nothing of me. Truly, truly, I say to you, whatever you ask of the Father in my name, he will give it to you. ²⁴Until now you have asked nothing in my name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.

²⁵“I have said these things to you in figures of speech. The hour is coming when I will no longer speak to you in figures of speech but will tell you plainly about the Father. ²⁶In that day you will ask in my name, and I do not say to you that I will ask the Father on your behalf; ²⁷for the Father himself loves you, because you have loved me and have believed that I came from God. ²⁸I came from the Father and have come into the world, and now I am leaving the world and going to the Father.”

²⁹His disciples said, “Ah, now you are speaking plainly and not using figurative speech! ³⁰Now we know that you know all things and do not need anyone to question you; this is why we believe that you came from God.” ³¹Jesus answered them, “Do you now believe? ³²Behold, the hour is coming, indeed it has come, when you will be scattered, each to his own home, and will leave me alone. Yet I am not alone, for the Father is with me.

³³I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.”

556 *“Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice”*

Hymn of the Day

Sermon

Apostles’ Creed

Prayer of the Church

Offering

805 *“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

Offertory Hymn

✠ Service of the Sacrament ✠

Preface

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Proper Preface

Sanctus

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Lord’s Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini

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Agnus Dei

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Distribution Hymns

822 *“Alleluia! Let Praises Ring”*

826 *“Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying”*

842 *“Son of God, Eternal Savior”*

The Dismissal

Thank the Lord

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Post-Communion Collect

Benediction

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662 *“Onward, Christian Soldiers”*

Closing Hymn

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **The Mission of the Month for May:** Direct support to the LCMS Ukraine Refugee Fund, VBS support offering. There is more information about the mission of the month in your May newsletter.
- ❖ **St. Paul delivers Meals on Wheels the week of May 30th,** please sign up on the counter in the Narthex. Thank you.
- ❖ **Vacation Bible School starts on Tuesday, May 24,** and continues on May 25, & 26. You may register with the QR Code here. Please contact Megan Hassler to volunteer to help! Thank you.
- ❖ **Church Picnic for the close of VBS** will be after worship service on Thursday, May 26th. Everything is being provided, all you have to do is come and enjoy.
- ❖ **Volunteers needed to help the flower committee.** This is only when we have donated flowers that need to be put in church on Sat. and put away after church on Sunday. If interested talk to Kim at church office or Lorna Hollman.

VBS SIGN-UP!



May 24, 25, 26.



Prayer Requests:

Noah Schultz; Lillian Heller; Carol Brahmer; Megan Springer - Houdek; Cathy Steinmeyer; Keith Rasmussen; Travis Feyerherm; People of Ukraine; residents of all nursing facilities; and for God to send rain upon the land.

Scripture Readings for the Seventh Sunday of Easter:

Acts 1:12-26; Revelation 22:1-20; John 17:20-26.

The Lord bless your reading of His Word.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE OUR LORD

Sunday, May 22, A.+D. 2022 – Sunday May 29, A.+D. 2022

05/22 Sun	9:15 AM	Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Divine Service
05/24 Tue	8:30-11:30 AM	VBS
05/25 Wed	8:30-11:30 AM	VBS
05/26 Thu	8:30-11:30 AM	VBS
	6:00 PM	Ascension Worship with VBS Closing
	Following service	VBS Closing Picnic
05/28 Sat	6:00 PM	Divine Service
05/29 Sun	9:15 AM	Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Divine Service

Usher and Elder List for Next Week:

Ushers:

Thursday, May 26th: Andrew Borgelt and Greg Rasmussen

Saturday, May 28th: Larry Luedke and Ted Harder

Sunday, May 29th: Michael Borgelt and Aric Butterfield

Elders:

Thursday, May 26th: Aaron Biermann

Saturday, May 28th: Mark Schweers

Sunday, May 29th: Gary McBride