

**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**October 8/9, 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.

### **Serving this Week at St. Paul Lutheran Church:**

**Acolyte** – Bria Hassler

**Pastor** – Rev. Jared Hartman

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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.**

✠ **Divine Service Setting Four** – page 203 ✠

**790** “*Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*”

*Opening Hymn*

**Invocation**

**Exhortation**

*LSB 203*

**Confession of Sins**

*LSB 203*

**Absolution**

*LSB 203*

✠ **Service of the Word** ✠

**Introit**

*Psalm 34:2–4, 17; antiphon: Psalm 48:1a*

Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised  
in the city of our God!

My soul makes its boast in the LORD;  
let the humble hear and be glad.

Oh, magnify the LORD with me,  
and let us exalt his name together!

I sought the LORD, and he answered me  
and delivered me from all my fears.

When the righteous cry for help, the LORD hears  
and delivers them out of all their troubles.

**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.**

Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised  
in the city of our God!

**Kyrie**

*LSB 204*

**Gloria in Excelsis**

*LSB 204*

## Salutation and Collect of the Day

Almighty God, You show mercy to Your people in all their troubles. Grant us always to recognize Your goodness, give thanks for Your compassion, and praise Your holy name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## Old Testament Reading

*Ruth 1:1–19a*

<sup>1</sup>In the days when the judges ruled there was a famine in the land, and a man of Bethlehem in Judah went to sojourn in the country of Moab, he and his wife and his two sons. <sup>2</sup>The name of the man was Elimelech and the name of his wife Naomi, and the names of his two sons were Mahlon and Chilion. They were Ephrathites from Bethlehem in Judah. They went into the country of Moab and remained there. <sup>3</sup>But Elimelech, the husband of Naomi, died, and she was left with her two sons. <sup>4</sup>These took Moabite wives; the name of the one was Orpah and the name of the other Ruth. They lived there about ten years, <sup>5</sup>and both Mahlon and Chilion died, so that the woman was left without her two sons and her husband.

<sup>6</sup>Then she arose with her daughters-in-law to return from the country of Moab, for she had heard in the fields of Moab that the LORD had visited his people and given them food. <sup>7</sup>So she set out from the place where she was with her two daughters-in-law, and they went on the way to return to the land of Judah. <sup>8</sup>But Naomi said to her two daughters-in-law, “Go, return each of you to her mother’s house. May the LORD deal kindly with you, as you have dealt with the dead and with me. <sup>9</sup>The LORD grant that you may find rest, each of you in the house of her husband!” Then she kissed them, and they lifted up their voices and wept. <sup>10</sup>And they said to her, “No, we will return with you to your people.” <sup>11</sup>But Naomi said, “Turn back, my daughters; why will you go with me? Have I yet sons in my womb that they may become your husbands? <sup>12</sup>Turn back, my daughters; go your way, for I am too old to have a husband. If I should say I have hope, even if I should have a husband this night and should bear sons,

<sup>13</sup>would you therefore wait till they were grown? Would you therefore refrain from marrying? No, my daughters, for it is exceedingly bitter to me for your sake that the hand of the LORD has gone out against me.” <sup>14</sup>Then they lifted up their voices and wept again. And Orpah kissed her mother-in-law, but Ruth clung to her.

<sup>15</sup>And she said, “See, your sister-in-law has gone back to her people and to her gods; return after your sister-in-law.” <sup>16</sup>But Ruth said, “Do not urge me to leave you or to return from following you. For where you go I will go, and where you lodge I will lodge. Your people shall be my people, and your God my God. <sup>17</sup>Where you die I will die, and there will I be buried. May the LORD do so to me and more also if anything but death parts me from you.” <sup>18</sup>And when Naomi saw that she was determined to go with her, she said no more.

<sup>19</sup>So the two of them went on until they came to Bethlehem.

## **Epistle**

*2 Timothy 2:1–13*

<sup>1</sup>You then, my child, be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus, <sup>2</sup>and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men who will be able to teach others also. <sup>3</sup>Share in suffering as a good soldier of Christ Jesus. <sup>4</sup>No soldier gets entangled in civilian pursuits, since his aim is to please the one who enlisted him. <sup>5</sup>An athlete is not crowned unless he competes according to the rules. <sup>6</sup>It is the hard-working farmer who ought to have the first share of the crops. <sup>7</sup>Think over what I say, for the Lord will give you understanding in everything.

<sup>8</sup>Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, the offspring of David, as preached in my gospel, <sup>9</sup>for which I am suffering, bound with chains as a criminal. But the word of God is not bound!

<sup>10</sup>Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they also may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus with eternal glory.

<sup>11</sup>The saying is trustworthy, for:  
If we have died with him, we will also live with him;  
<sup>12</sup>if we endure, we will also reign with him;  
if we deny him, he also will deny us;  
<sup>13</sup>if we are faithless, he remains faithful—  
for he cannot deny himself.

## Alleluia and Verse

LSB 205

## Holy Gospel

Luke 17:11–19

<sup>11</sup>On the way to Jerusalem [Jesus] was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. <sup>12</sup>And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance <sup>13</sup>and lifted up their voices, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us.” <sup>14</sup>When he saw them he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went they were cleansed. <sup>15</sup>Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; <sup>16</sup>and he fell on his face at Jesus’ feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. <sup>17</sup>Then Jesus answered, “Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? <sup>18</sup>Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?” <sup>19</sup>And he said to him, “Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well.”

## Apostles’ Creed

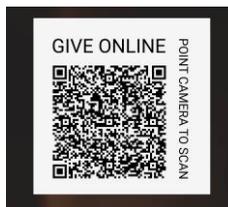
**846** “*Your Hand, O Lord, in Days of Old*”

*Hymn of the Day*

**Sermon** – “*Mr. Clean*” – Luke 17:11-19

## Prayer of the Church

**Offering** – The offering plate is available at the church entrance and near the altar, or electronically with the Q.R. code. Thank you.



# ✠ Service of the Sacrament ✠

<b>Preface</b>	<i>LSB 208</i>
<b>Sanctus</b>	<i>LSB 208</i>
<b>Lord's Prayer</b>	
<b>The Words of Our Lord</b>	
<b>Pax Domini</b>	
<b>Agnus Dei</b>	<i>LSB 210</i>
<b>Distribution Hymns</b>	
<b>770</b> <i>“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”</i>	
<b>435</b> <i>“Come to Calvary’s Holy Mountain”</i>	
<b>398</b> <i>“Hail to the Lord’s Anointed”</i>	
<b>The Dismissal</b>	
<b>Nunc Dimittis</b>	<i>LSB 211</i>
<b>Post-Communion Collect</b>	
<b>Benedicamus</b>	<i>LSB 212</i>
<b>Benediction</b>	
<b>924</b> <i>“Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”</i>	<i>Closing Hymn</i>

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **The Mission of the Month for October:** Direct support for Christmas Gifts to Concordia Theological Seminary Students at both Ft. Wayne and St. Louis. There is more information about the mission of the month in your October newsletter.
- ❖ **Please remember Commodities for Christ.** This could be anything: livestock, rental income, grain, commission, bonuses, any type of income can be used to give an offering to the church.
- ❖ **Board of Social Ministry** would like to thank everyone who helped deliver Meals on Wheels this past week. Thank you.
- ❖ **We are in need of candy donations** for midweek and trunk or treat, monetary donations also welcome. Thank you.
- ❖ **West Point Circuit Bible Institute.** Why do we worship? Why do we use the Divine Service in worship? Come Listen to Pastor Dan Feusse on Sunday, October 30th at St. Paul, Wisner beginning at 2:00 p.m. His topic is: “Crushing Satan: The Powerful Work of God in the Divine Service and our Participation in it.” Come and find out who the devil is and what he does. How Jesus defeated Him. How his defeat of the devil continues to work itself out in the Divine Service. How we as the people of God participate in this continual “crushing” of Satan and eternal victory in Christ. See the Poster for more information.
- ❖ **Pastor Hartman** will be at Pastors’ Conference October 9<sup>th</sup> – October 10<sup>th</sup> and October 17<sup>th</sup> – October 22<sup>nd</sup> for ...
- ❖ **Junior Class is selling Poinsettias and Greenery again this year.** If you would like to order please contact one of the Junior Classman, Stephanie Rasmussen, or Megan Hassler. If you would like it to stay at church, please contact Kim Cornett in the church office or call 402-380-3168. Thank you.

# OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE OUR LORD

Sunday, October 9, A.+D. 2022 – Sunday October 16, A.+D. 2022

<b>10/09 Sun</b>	9:15 AM	Education Hour
	10:30 AM	Divine Service
	<b>11:30 AM</b>	<b>Board of Youth Meeting</b>
<b>10/10-10/11</b>		<b>Pastor at Conference</b>
<b>10/10 Mon</b>	<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>Busy Fingers Quilting Club</b>
<b>10/12 Wed</b>	10:00 AM	Book of James Bible Class
	4:00 PM	Midweek
<b>10/14 Fri</b>	<b>2:00-4:00 PM</b>	<b>OGT Workday</b>
<b>10/15 Sat</b>	6:00 PM	Divine Service
<b>10/16 Sun</b>	9:15 AM	Education Hour
	10:30 AM	Divine Service
	<b>11:30 AM</b>	<b>Board of Parish Education Meeting</b>



## **Usher and Elder List for Next Week:**

### **Acolyte:**

**Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup>:** Dylann Ott

### **Ushers:**

**Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup>:** Roger Brand and Rick Heller

**Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup>:** Steve Heermann and Jason Schweers

### **Elders:**

**Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup>:** Layne Matthes

**Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup>:** Mark Schweers

## **Prayer Requests:**

*Noah Schultz; Carol Brahmer; Megan Springer - Houdek; Curt Liermann;  
Rose Kindschuh; Linda Mellick, Michelle Moeller's mom; People of  
Ukraine, residents of all nursing facilities; and for God to send rain upon  
the land.*

## **Scripture Readings for the 19th Sunday after Pentecost:**

Genesis 32:22-30; 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5; Luke 18:1-8.

The Lord bless your reading of His Word.

# West Point Circuit Bible Institute

Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup>

St. Paul Lutheran Church, Wisner  
\$5.00 donation registration fee for this  
fun and informative event.

**Presenter** - Rev. Dan Feusse

**Topic** - Lutheran liturgy and worship, Scripture and heaven / eschatology.

## Schedule

1:30 - 2:00 p.m. - Registration / Hymn Sing

2:00 - 2:30 p.m. - Circuit pastor panel (aka, "Stump the Pastors")

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. - Presentation 1

3:30 - 3:45 p.m. - Break

3:45 - 4:45 p.m. - Presentation 2

4:45 - 5:00 p.m. - Q & A with presenter

5:00 - 6:00 p.m. - Supper (provided by St. Paul, free will offering)

6:00 p.m. - Circuit Reformation Divine Service

(offering to Jesus Our Savior Lutheran School, Winnebago)



# October

Sermon Series:



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# "Taught by our Lord..."