

The Mission and Ministry Statement for St. Paul's: We, the members of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, in gratitude to The Triune God for His love for us in Jesus Christ, dedicate ourselves as individuals and as a congregation to learning, teaching and sharing God's Word, caring for others, and living in God's grace through Word and Sacrament.

To our visitors: In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, we welcome you to our church with God's richest blessings. Please sign our guest register in the narthex today. We invite you to make St. Paul's your new church home. If you are interested in church membership, or have questions, please contact Pastor Burns.

Friendship Pads: Please take a moment to fill in the Friendship Pad, listing **each family member separately**. Please indicate on the Friendship Pad if you are receiving Holy Communion. Children that are receiving the blessing should not be marked as such or as receiving Holy Communion. **Visitors** please complete the form in its entirety.

Children and the Divine Service: Thank you for bringing your children with you to church. The Scriptures tenderly tell of Jesus' love for little children. Jesus wants your children in His Company, to hear His Word and receive His gifts given to all in the Divine Liturgy. If you feel your child would benefit by leaving the worship service for a short period of time, you are welcome to use the Narthex. There is a speaker and chairs so you may continue to hear and participate in the worship service. If you need any assistance, please let us know how we can help.

The Holy Communion: The Lord's Supper reflects our unity of faith and doctrine. Therefore, we assume that all those attending Holy Communion with us are members of a congregation of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. In love and concern, we ask that all others speak with the pastor before communing.

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3rd Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, June 10, 2018
Monday, June 11, 2018



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As We Gather: Please be respectful of those who are in the pews preparing their hearts and minds for worship.

As you prepare for worship, you may pray the following prayer: O Lord, my creator, redeemer, and comforter; as I come to worship You in spirit and in truth, I humbly pray that You would open my heart to the preaching of Your Word so that I may repent of my sins, believe in Jesus Christ as my only Savior, and grow in grace and holiness. Hear me for the sake of His name. Amen.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Jesus Has Defeated the Devil and Released Us from the Bondage of Sin and Death

The devil deceived us, enticing us to disregard and disobey the Word of God and driving us to hide “*from the presence of the LORD God.*” But the Lord, in His mercy, promised a Savior, who would set Himself against the devil on our behalf (Gen. 3:8–15). The Son of Man came, the incarnate Son of God, conceived and born of the woman. He “*first binds the strong man,*” Satan, by atoning for the sins of the world, thereby removing the condemnation of the Law and the fear of death (Mark 3:27). Now He plunders the devil’s house by calling all men to repent. Though He appears to be “*out of his mind*” (Mark 3:21), He fulfills the will of God and makes of us His own brothers and sisters. Therefore, “*we do not lose heart,*” despite the suffering, sin and death that we experience in this fallen world. “*He who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus.*” By His grace, we are “*being renewed day by day.*” For the Gospel is daily bringing us into His presence, not for punishment, but for “*an eternal weight of glory*” (2 Cor. 4:14–17).

Mark 3:35 – “Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother.” Doing the will of God starts with trusting in His Son Jesus Christ. Once we have faith in Him and have been reborn as new creatures through Holy Baptism, we strive to grow in this faith and in a life that agrees with our faith. Growing in generosity, in kindness, and in love across our callings in the home, in church, and in society is growing into the family of God: for all who do His will are his brothers, and sisters, and mothers

Special Prayers today:

We are praying for the following:

Carol Emmans, recovering at home,

Judy Erickson, awaiting surgery,

Janie Hall, sister of Clarice O'Gary and Aunt of Esther Burns, health problems,

Bev Trafton, recovering from hip surgery,

Rose LaValle, pancreatic cancer,

Lawrence Mendez, father of Sherry Glauvitz, cancer treatment,

Alice Rooney, recovering from surgery,

Jason Voss, recovering from a heart attack,

Melanie Appelquist, for God's protection during her pregnancy,

Rose Ebert, at home, recovering from stroke,

Terry Benson, recovering at home,

Ken & Val Craven, health issues,

Barney Olson, Jeff Olson's father, cancer treatment,

Blake Iverson, undergoing treatment for a brain tumor,

Doris Krause, recovering from illness,

Duane Opsal, undergoing treatment, palliative care,

Melissa Lee, living with MS,

Marian Bothe, health issues,

Beautiful Savior Lutheran, Plymouth, **Pastor Tom Stoebig** and **Pastor Joe Behnke**,

Our Armed Forces, at home and abroad,

Missions and Christians worldwide,

For our Congregation, as *we observe 150 years* of Word and Sacrament Ministry in the City of Osseo.

Always take your *Bulletin* home with you so you have the week's calendar handy. Thank you.

THOSE WHO SERVE IN JUNE

Elders	Ushers/Greeters	Acolytes
Bruce Thompson	TBD	June 10 Kyle Glauvitz June 17 Breanna Hanson June 24 Austin Kolden
Steve Gamache	TBD	TBD

Summer Office hours will be Monday through Thursday 9:00-1:00 PM.

VBS Meeting June 19th 7:00 PM- We are looking for helpers! Please come to our June meeting and join in the fun of our VBS theme Shipwrecked.



We are trying something new: We need Ushers for the summer! If you are available please sign up for weekends that work for you. The sign up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Narthex. If you have any questions Tim Gamrath's contact info is 612-590-9209 or email gamrathtim@gmail.com

Former St. Paul's member **Maureen Busacker** was called to her heavenly home on June 2. Her funeral will be on Monday June 11 at St. Francis Catholic Church in Brainerd. Visitation will be at Brenny Funeral Chapel in Baxter today 3:00-5:00pm. If you would like to send a card: Alan Busacker 13886 Grand Oaks Ct. Baxter, Mn. 56425. Please keep Alan, Christopher and Bridget in your prayers.

ATTENDANCE AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Sunday June 3 9:00 AM	Monday June 4 7:00 PM	Morning Prayer May 29
93	7	13
\$5579.00	\$650	

**Does not include electronic giving.* Weekly Budget \$5000.00

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

June 10 Sunday	Worship Service	9:00 AM
June 11	Elders Meeting	6:00 PM
	Communion Service	7:00 PM
June 12	Bible Study	9:15 AM
	Morning Prayer	10:30 AM
	All Other Boards Meet	7:00 PM
	Council Meeting	7:45 PM
June 13		
June 14	Flag Day	
June 15	Family Day for Pastor	
	Newsletter Deadline	
June 16		
June 17 Sunday	Communion Service	9:00 AM
	Father's Day	

Lutheran Humor - You might be a Lutheran if... a line item in the church budget is "coffee maker maintenance."

Available dates for flowers are:
June 17 and July 1 & 8.



Basket for Silent Auction for Mites

“Road Trip” Basket from St. Paul’s

Theme: Mark 16:15

**“Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation.”
Always be prepared whenever and wherever you go to boldly spread the
gospel.**

**Contents: Anything for a road trip such as maps, gas gift cards, travel games,
travel snacks,
devotional books, story books, etc.**

Place in container located in the narthex

Deadline: Sunday, June 17 and Monday, June 18

**The basket will be taken to the LWML District Convention in Mankato for
the auction.**

S.P.Y. NEWS

Youth and Family Board Chair: Sherry Glauvitz 763-234-0015 mncpca@yahoo.com

Ethan Burns, David and Sam Glauvitz, Kim and Kyle Glauvitz, Mindy Jones and Kenzie Rick-Moores, Elijah and Sandy Slack, Leah and Mo Pitts, Leah Pickett and Grace Voss.

S.P.Y. Meeting Tuesday June 12th 6:30 PM meet in Youth room.

Please join us if you can. If you have ideas or suggestions for summer we welcome you to come and share!

Movies in the Park- June 26

This will be our first night of movies in the park this year. We will need Youth there to serve popcorn, pop, water and candy bars. The movie is Jumaji and we usually arrive about 7:30 PM. You can meet us at Boerboom park in Osseo.

Scrip card Sundays will continue through the summer. Gift cards will be available the last Sunday of the month.



Evans Nordby Funeral Home is offering a **free pre-planning seminar on Tuesday, June 19th** at 10:00AM and 6:00 PM. A short presentation by Susan Peterson, Estate Planning/Elder Law attorney and Doug Stolt, pre-planning specialist/Funeral Director. Please call them at 763-424-4000 or email doug@evansnordby.com to reserve your spot.



TO ALL
GENERATIONS
Minnesota South District

Friends in Christ,

Just as it was not long after the first Easter, the risen Christ still sends His church to “make disciples of all nations” (Matthew 28:19). Having conquered sin, death, and the devil, He sends us now to baptize and to teach. The mission of the risen Christ is a teaching mission, a disciple-making mission to all generations!

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, from its very beginning, has always been a teaching church. Christian schools, Sunday schools, confirmation classes, youth and adult Bible studies, universities and seminaries are in our DNA.

Now is the time to reaffirm and strengthen our collective commitment to continue teaching God’s truths to all generations! That’s why we started the To All Generations appeal, seeking more boldly to share the Gospel together through vibrant Christian education ministries.

If you have a heart for making disciples, please take time to pray and consider a generous gift to support To All Generations.

Thank you for your prayers for our Christian education ministries and for your participation at any level in the To All Generations appeal. We look forward to the district convention June 21-23 at Concordia University, St. Paul when we will announce the results of the appeal and thank all who have participated.

Rev. Dr. Dean Nadasdy
President, Minnesota South District

“One generation shall commend your works to another,
and shall declare your mighty acts.” Psalm 145:4

What is To All Generations?

Our Initiatives:

1. Strengthen education ministries through grants allocated in the following areas:
 - Enhance the quality of Lutheran schools and education ministries (birth -high school)
 - Encourage opportunities in parish education
 - Plant new schools & early childhood centers
 - Support educational leadership and continuing education
2. Develop unified marketing strategies
3. Increase efforts toward parental choice in education

Grant Awards:

Three grants have been awarded from To All Generations funds, and more will be granted until funds are expended:

- Family of Christ, Ham Lake—marketing a new early childhood center
- Hope Lutheran High School, Winona—marketing three Lutheran schools collaboratively
- Shepherd of the Grove, Maple Grove—conducting a feasibility study for a new Lutheran high school in the NW metro

“We pray that the Gospel of Jesus Christ will be shared boldly and that our schools and congregations will be allowed to share Jesus with more souls.”

—Rocky Sandcork
Principal, Hope Lutheran HS

Make a gift to support To All Generations online at mnsdistrict.org/tag or by mailing your gift to the Minnesota South District!

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