

***Attention Worshipers:*** Our services are live-streamed. This includes both video and ambient audio prior to and during the service.

***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. 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.

***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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Office Hours: 9:00a-1:00p Mon.-Thur.

**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**July 9, 2023**



**ST. PAUL'S**  
**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
OSSEO, MINNESOTA

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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.

**Matthew 11:28** – **“Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.”** Jesus has come to do the work so that we might have rest from burdens and labors we are not capable of bearing. He frees us from sin, death and the demands of the Law. In that peace and rest of Jesus we find a new purpose — His light yoke is not a burden to bear, but a joy!

***Jesus Christ, Our Savior, Is Our True Peace and Sabbath Rest***

Though we have died with Christ in Holy Baptism, and we are raised to new life in Him, we find *“another law waging war”* in our body and life, that is, between our old Adam and the new man (Rom. 7:23). By the Spirit of Christ, we *“desire to do what is right,”* but we are not able to do so because *“nothing good”* dwells in our sinful flesh (Rom. 7:18). *“Thanks be to God,”* therefore, *“through Jesus Christ our Lord,”* who delivers us from *“this body of death”* (Rom. 7:24–25). We rejoice in Him, our gentle King, who comes *“righteous and having salvation”* (Zech. 9:9). He speaks peace to our embattled hearts, and by His blood of the New Testament He sets us *“free from the waterless pit,”* and He returns us to the stronghold of our Baptism (Zech. 9:10–12). Though we *“labor and are heavy laden,”* He calls us to Himself and gives rest to our souls through His free and full forgiveness (Matt. 11:28), not because we are *“wise and understanding,”* but by the *“gracious will”* of God the Father, whom *“the Son chooses to reveal”* in love (Matt. 11:25–27).

### **Those serving July 9, 9:00a**

<b>Elder</b>	Adam Schmidt
<b>Usher</b>	Darren & Elijah Slack
<b>Media</b>	David Gamache
	David Glauvitz
	Sherry Glauvitz

### **Those serving July 16, 9:00a**

<b>Elder</b>	Adam Schmidt
<b>Usher</b>	Darren & Elijah Slack
<b>Media</b>	David Glauvitz
	Sherry Glauvitz
	Ethan Burns

### **Attendance and Offering**

5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost	62
General Offering	\$9,049.00
General Offering Weekly Budget	\$5,000.00
Online Contributions for June 2023	\$1,970.91



**Registration has opened** for our STELLAR Vacation Bible School! We hope that you will come and join us for a week full of fun and adventure, Monday, August 7-Thursday, August 10 from 9:30-11:30AM.

To register:

Please visit our church website for the registration link. We hope you can join us for this epic space adventure!

## **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**Members who are sick and in need of healing and comfort-** Barb Gamache, Clarice O'Gary, Bruce Hecksel, Chad Hanson, Dan Wolinski (friend of Jason Voss), Pauline Williamson (friend of Shirley Scheuble), Lawrence & Joanne Mendez (father & mother of Sherry Glauvitz), Jim Feuerstein (brother of Judy Opsal), Ada Fields (sister-in-law of Shirley Scheuble), and Melissa Lee. Our Lord Jesus, who reached out to heal and comfort the sick and dying, continues to reach out with His healing Word through us. Cards, phone calls and prayers are always appreciated. If you know of someone who is sick or hospitalized, please inform Pastor Burns.

**Our homebound members** are Irma Schmid, Alice Leitzke, Clarice O'Gary, Gladys Goerke, Jean Henderson, Rose Ebert, Melissa Lee and Bertha Hannu (mother of Barb Gamache).

### **All those serving in our Armed Forces**

**This Week:** The Congregations in our circuit are praying for Shepherd of the Grove Lutheran & Childcare Center, Maple Grove. Pastor Chou Vang.

**For those serving in the mission field:** Lutheran Bible Translators, Johanna Heidorn and Rev. Dr. Daniel Jastram.

### **Looking for volunteers!**

Here is St. Paul's list of volunteer needs: Vice President, Trustee board, Youth Board, VBS Volunteers, Sunday morning offering counters, Lawn care team, coffee fellowship, live-streaming.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

- Sun. July 9**      **6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
Worship Service 9:00a  
Coffee Fellowship 10:00a
- Mon. July 10**      Staff Meeting 10:30a
- Fri. July 14**      **Office Closed**
- Sun. July 16**      **7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
Communion Service 9:00a  
Coffee Fellowship 10:00a

### Trinity First School

in the Phillips neighborhood is in need of the following:  
(Hint: school supplies go on sale after July 4th)

#### School supplies:

- Plain white construction paper
- Glue sticks
- Crayola markers
- Unruled 3 x 5 index cards (plain white with no lines)



#### Gift cards:

- Target or Walmart (write amount on the cards)
- Gasoline station cards (Speedway or Holiday – NOT Kwik Trip!)

*Dedication of donated items will be August 6, 2023*