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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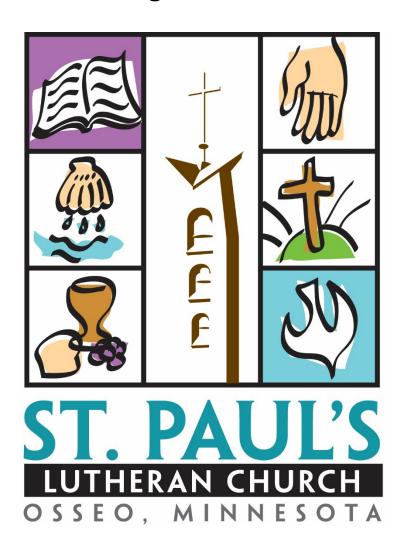
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# 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost August 3, 2025



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Pastor: Daniel Burns XXX.XXX.XXXX XXXXXX@stpaulsosseo.org Church Office: 763.425.2238 Website: www.stpaulsosseo.org 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.

Luke 12:15 – "And he said to them, 'Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions." Coveting is the opposite of being content with what God has given us. And the cure for coveting is twofold: thankfulness to God and generosity toward God's purposes. So be on guard against all covetousness. Acknowledge that your Father has given you all that you need, and therefore be free and confident in directing the mammon of this world toward godly purposes.

#### Faith in Christ Is Rich Toward God

To live for earthly things "is vanity and a striving after wind," and work that is driven by such vanity "is an unhappy business" (Eccl. 1:13–14). The man who lives like that has nothing to show for "all the toil and striving of heart with which he toils beneath the sun ... all his days are full of sorrow" (Eccl. 2:22–23). So, too, your "covetousness, which is idolatry" (Col. 3:5), makes a god out of that which cannot give you life or happiness. For "one's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions" (Luke 12:15). But "Christ who is your life" (Col. 3:4), in giving you Himself, gives you all the wealth of heaven. Instead of striving to lay up treasures for yourself, be "rich toward God" in Him (Luke 12:21).

### **Those serving August 3**

9:00a

Elder Jason Voss Usher Earl Slack

Media David Gamache

Elijah Slack Emma Burns

### **Those serving August 10**

<u>9:00a</u>

Elder Adam Schmidt Usher Erik Glauvitz Media David Gamache

> David Glauvitz Sherry Glauvitz

### **Attendance and Offering**

7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost (9:00a)	65
7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost	\$1,389.00
Online Giving week of (7/21/25-7/25/25)	\$196.01
General Offering Weekly Budget	\$5,000.00



Bruce Hecksel was called to his heavenly home on Monday, July 28, 2025. Please keep the Hecksel family in your prayers.

### **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Members who are sick and in need of healing and comfort: Virginia Hoppenrath, Nancy Burns (Mother of Pastor Burns), James Olson (friend of Bonnie Faue), Einar Finnvik, Mindy Jones, Nancy Kitzman, Dan Wolinski (friend of Jason Voss), Pauline Williamson & Toni Susiy (friends of Shirley Scheuble), Joanne Mendez (mother of Sherry Glauvitz) 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.

<u>Our homebound members</u>: Irma Schmid, Melissa Lee, Verdell Schleif, Penney Schneider, Elaine Simonson and Cheryl Wing

### All those serving in our Armed Forces

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

<u>For those serving in the mission field</u>: Lutheran Bible Translators and Rev. Dr. Daniel Jastram.



Offertory- "Canzona", Gordon Young Communion- "Oh, How I Love Jesus", Anthony Glamanco Postlude- "All People That on Earth Do Dwell" Robert Hughes



**Lutheran Night at Target Field** 

August 14, 2025. Game starts at 6:40p

### THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S

Sun. Aug. 3 8th Sunday after Pentecost

Worship Service with Holy Communion 9:00

Mite Box

CenterStage 3:30p-8:30p

Mon. Aug. 4 VBS 9:30a-11:30a

Staff Meeting 10:30a

**Tues. Aug. 5** VBS 9:30a-11:30a

**Wed. Aug. 6** VBS 9:30a-11:30a

**Thur. Aug. 7** VBS 9:30a-11:30a

Fri. Aug. 8 Office Closed

Sun. Aug. 10 9th Sunday after Pentecost

Worship Service 9:00

#### Maintenance Request Form Saint Paul's Lutheran Church Osseo, MN

Name:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	

Location

Problem:

If you see something needing attention on the church grounds or in the church, please complete the **Maintenance request form**. The form is on the rolling table in the Narthex. Then drop the form in the box on the office door.

***For Office Use***		
Date:		
Comment:		

Place Completed Form in Box on Office Door



We have a new app we are kicking off called myUCD (my universal church directory). If you do not want to add an app to your phone you can pull up the directory on your computer. With this app you can watch services, email the church, receive church announcements, view the church calendar, give online, Youversion Bible app is included and view the church directory. We got this app for free from Universal Church Directory by doing the directory and earning credits.

To get the app on your phone or computer you will need a unique identifier from the office. This is a special code unique to your household that can be sent to you via email. This code is sent through the myUCD system so it will come from appsupport@ucdir.com not the office email. The app start guide is sent in the email and it gives you Android and I phone options in the email.

To get your code email the office at office@stpaulsosseo.org and Sherry will send your unique identifier to get you started. This app is very easy to use and will help keep all of us in touch with each other.



## Maple Grove Days Parade 2025

Thanks everyone for helping, prepping, walking, waving, bubbling, candying, stickering, shouting and **stepping out in faith**. Great day. Great weather. **Great stewardship!** 

