

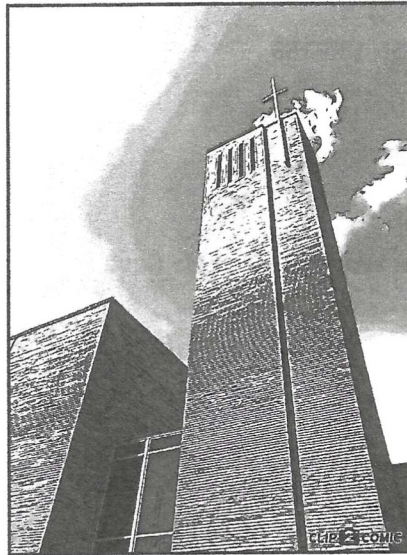
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May 26, 2024

**+Order of Service+**  
May 26, 2024  
**Trinity Sunday**  
Divine Service Setting Three  
LSB 184  
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Opening Hymn: **Holy Holy, Holy** LSB 507  
Confession and Absolution LSB 184  
Introit, Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis LSB 186-189  
Collect of the Day LSB 189  
**Old Testament:** Isaiah 6:1-8  
**Second Reading** Acts 2:14a, 22-36  
**Holy Gospel** John 3:1-17  
Athanasian Creed LSB 319  
Hymn of the Day: **God Loved the World So That He Gave**  
LSB 571

Sermon  
Offertory  
Prayers of the Church  
Communion Liturgy LSB 194  
Distribution Hymns  
    **O Blessed, Holy Trinity** LSB 876  
    **Alleluia! Sing to Jesus** LSB 821  
    **Holy God, We Praise Thy Name** LSB 940

Nunc Dimittis and Concluding Liturgy   LSB 199  
Announcements  
Closing Hymn: **Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow**  
LSB 805

**SERVING US TODAY IN GOD'S HOUSE**

**Musicians:** Juleen Breitbarth  
**Ushers:** Larry Hintz, Jeff Hoppe, Lowell Boesch, Ken Urban  
**Elder of the Month:** Ken Urban



**Introit** *Ps. 16:8–11; antiphon: Liturgical Text*

P: Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided | Unity.

**C: Let us give glory to him because he has shown his me-| rcy to us.**

P: I have set the Lord always be-| fore me;

**C: because he is at my right hand, I shall not be | shaken.**

P: Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being re-| joices;

**C: my flesh also | dwells secure.**

P: For you will not abandon my soul | to Sheol,

**C: or let your holy one see cor-| ruption.**

P: You make known to me the | path of life;

**C: in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures for-| evermore.**

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## **Old Testament**

**Isaiah 6:1-8**

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. (2) Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. (3) And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!" (4) And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. (5) And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!" (6) Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. (7) And he touched my mouth and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for." (8) And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Then I said, "Here I am! Send me."

## Epistle


Acts 2:14a, 22-36

But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: "Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know— (23) this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. (24) God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it. (25) For David says concerning him, "I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand that I may not be shaken; (26) therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; my flesh also will dwell in hope. (27) For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One see corruption. (28) You have made known to me the paths of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.' (29) "Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. (30) Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants on his throne, (31) he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. (32) This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses. (33) Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing. (34) For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says, "The Lord said to my Lord, "Sit at my right hand, (35) until I make your enemies your footstool.'" (36) Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified."

## Gospel

John 3:1-17

Now there was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews. (2) This man came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher come from God, for no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with him." (3) Jesus answered him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God." (4) Nicodemus said to him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?" (5) Jesus answered, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. (6) That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. (7) Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born again.' (8) The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." (9) Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" (10) Jesus answered him, "Are you the teacher of Israel and yet you do not understand these things? (11) Truly, truly, I say to you, we speak of what we know, and bear witness to what we have seen, but you do not receive our testimony. (12) If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you heavenly things? (13) No one has ascended into heaven except he who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. (14) And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, (15) that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. (16) "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. (17) For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

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**S** **U** **P** **P** **E**  
Scripture declares that in the Sacrament of the Altar each communicant receives the body and blood of Christ to eat and to drink with the mouth of their bodies. Communicants who believe this receive forgiveness of sins, those who don't eat and drink judgement unto themselves. Communion also is a confession of oneness of the Faith we are baptized into, is preached in our pulpit, and summarized in the Small Catechism. Sadly, since these clear doctrines of The Holy Bible are not accepted by all Christian denominations, we continue the historic Christian practice of Closed Communion. **We request that anyone who is not a communicant member of the LC-MS please speak with our Pastor or an elder before the service and join our congregation in singing hymns during the distribution. Membership classes are offered.**

Online giving is an easy and reliable method to contribute to St. Paul's Lutheran. You can make a one-time donation or schedule recurring contributions. This option is available through the church's website; [spltruman.com](http://spltruman.com) or by simply scanning the following QR code.





# ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

May 25, 2024

**Worship: Sundays @ 9am - Chapel: Wednesdays @ 10am**  
**Midweek Services during Advent & Lent: Wednesdays @ 10am & 7pm**

## BIBLE CLASSES

**Sunday Morning Bible Class: 10:15-11:15am**  
**Sunday School: 10:15-11:15am**  
**Tuesday Morning Women's Bible Study: 10-11am**  
**Wednesday After-School Confirmation: 4:30-5:30pm**

## OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE

Attendance Last Sunday: 207  
Communion: 105  
Offerings Given Last Sunday: \$ 3,384.50

## IN OUR PRAYERS

† John & Joyce Jans, Cindi Riewe's parents, Carl Vogt, Marty Miller, Fred Rennpfred, Dave Rennpfred, Marilyn Vogt, Ronald Schultz, Candace Doerfler, Mike Barfknecht, Charlotte Dobie, Matthew Sieg, Audrey Becker, Duane Danner, Lois Camelin, DeLaine Krenz, Dick Eckmann, Alania Jans, Pastor Fretham, Terry Bentele, Brandi Stohs, Cliff Dobie, Marsha Miller, and Larye Anderson

† Our Shut-Ins: RoseMary Kasten, Carol Ritz, June Mausling, Mary Breitbarth

† Our Servicemen: Mike Hintz, Lance Halverson, Josh Rusert, Duane Cox, Andrew Reed, Cade Hotzler

## May 26 LUTHERAN HOUR (Acts 10:1-2)

"Penultimate Sacrifice"

**Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler**  
**Memorial Day honors those who made "the ultimate sacrifice" in service to country, but there was one Sacrifice infinitely greater.**

## CHURCH NEWS

\***IT'S LUTHERAN WITNESS** sign up time again. The cost for the year is \$ 24.97. Please let the office know if you would like to order a subscription by Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup>. Payment is due when you order.

\*A few Large Print Hymnals are now available for use during the service. Please see an Elder if you would like to try one.

\*Parables of Jesus will be the Bible Study every Tuesday 10-11 in the Fellowship room. Women from many churches come together to study God's Word. Bring a friend.

\* **Save the date:** The Salad Luncheon will be Wednesday, July 17 from 11 AM - 12:30 PM

\*St. Paul's is starting a new project. The School roof needs to be replaced within the next three years. Cost will be around \$ 95,400.00. Any donations can be marked "School Roof" and dropped in the offering plate or dropped off at the church office.

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

### SUNDAY

Worship with Holy Communion..... 9:00 a.m.  
Martin Luther High School Graduation.....2:00 p.m.

**MONDAY** (Pastor's Day Off)

Office closed

### TUESDAY

Women's Bible Study.....10:00 a.m..

### WEDNESDAY

Bulletin Announcements Due.....3:00 p.m.

### THURSDAY

### FRIDAY

Office closed

### SATURDAY

### SUNDAY

Worship with Holy Communion.....9:00 a.m.  
Adult Bible Study.....10:15 a.m.

## UPCOMING AREA EVENTS

## MLHS NEWS

\* Friends and family are cordially invited to the Thirty-ninth Baccalaureate & Commencement Service for the Class of 2024 at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School, Northrop **TODAY** at 2:00 p.m. in the Lutheran Activity Center.

\*Everyone is invited to a Farewell Open House for Principal Paul Steinhaus and Guidance Director, Lisa Kube, and their families **TODAY** from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School in Northrop. The Steinhaus family is moving back to Wisconsin. Lisa Kube has taken a Call to Trinity Lutheran School in St. Francis, MN. We thank them for their faithful service to the MLHS Ministry and pray God's blessings be with them in the future. Refreshments will be provided.

\* The Play It Again Golf Benefit for the Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School Music Department will be held on Saturday, June 15th at Interlaken Golf Course in Fairmont with a 1:00 p.m. shotgun start. Registration can be at [www.martinlutherhs.com](http://www.martinlutherhs.com).

## Amazing Grace

For by grace, you have been saved  
through faith.

**SPL School's Mission Statement:**

To work together with families and area congregations  
to provide a quality education in a Christian  
environment, leading students to lives of service.

**Our Goals:** Nurture faith, Celebrate learning,  
Pursue excellence.

We would like to say a big THANK YOU to the members of  
St. Paul's Lutheran Church & School and to the members in  
the community for helping us collect caps for our art  
project! We have made our murals and they will be  
displayed around the area churches throughout the  
summer months. We still have plenty of caps so we will  
not need you to collect caps any more! Again thank you so  
much for your generosity and support.

~Mrs. Geistfeld & the 5th & 6th grade class



**The Staff at St. Paul's Lutheran  
School would like to say God's  
blessings on your fun and safe  
summer.**

*See you in August!*

**Events to remember:**

Report cards will be sent out **May 30th**

Truman Parade **Saturday, July 27th**

Registration packets will be sent out the first part of August

Registration night **Wednesday, August 21st**

First day of school **Monday, August 26th**

First day of Preschool: **Tuesday, August 27th**

No Busing all week

No School **Friday, August 30th**

*Kerrie Bennett*

*Cindi Rewe*

*Christina K. Geistfeld*  
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*Michelle Hohs*

*Kathy Bosshart*

*Mary Joema*

*Cindy Fitzgibbon*

*Hildi Johnson*  
*Rev. [Signature]*

*Sue West*