

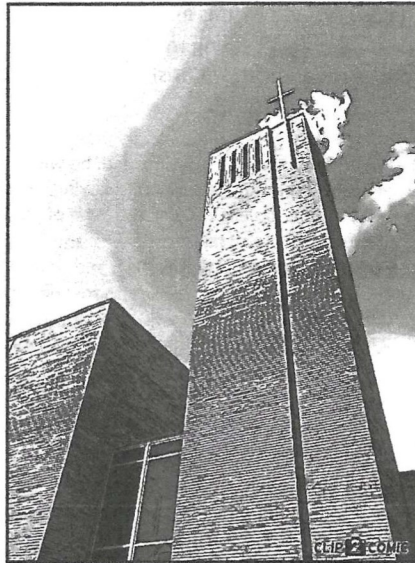
# **St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church & School**

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August 25, 2024

**+Order of Service+**  
August 25, 2024  
**14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
Divine Service Setting Three  
LSB 184

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Opening Hymn: **To Thee, Omniscient Lord of All** LSB 613

Confession and Absolution LSB 184

Introit, Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis LSB 186-189

Collect of the Day LSB 189

**Old Testament:** Isaiah 29:11-19

**Epistle** Ephesians 5:22-33

**Holy Gospel** Mark 7:1-13

Creed

Hymn of the Day: **Lord, Help Us Ever to Retain** LSB 865

Sermon

Offertory

Prayers of the Church

Communion Liturgy LSB 194

Distribution Hymns

**O Lord, We Praise Thee** LSB 617

**Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus** LSB 685

**Sent Forth by God's Blessing** LSB 643

Nunc Dimittis and Concluding Liturgy LSB 199

Closing Hymn: **God's Word Is Our Great Heritage** LSB 582

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

**Musicians:** Sylvia Burmeister

**Ushers:** Larry Hintz, Jeff Hoppe, Lowell Boesch, Ken Urban

**Elder of the Month:** Randy Miller



**Introit** Ps. 26:1-2, 6-7; *antiphon:* Ps. 26:8

P: O LORD, I love the habitation | of your house\*

**C: and the place where your | glory dwells.**

P: Vindicate me, O LORD, for I have walked in my in- | tegrity,\*

**C: and I have trusted in the LORD without | wavering.**

P: Prove me, O LORD, and | try me;\*

**C: test my heart | and my mind.**

P: I wash my hands in innocence and go around your altar, | O LORD,\*

**C: proclaiming thanksgiving aloud, and telling all your | wondrous deeds.**

P: O LORD, I love the habitation | of your house\*

**C: and the place where your | glory dwells.**

### **Old Testament**

**Isaiah 29:11-19**

And the vision of all this has become to you like the words of a book that is sealed. When men give it to one who can read, saying, "Read this," he says, "I cannot, for it is sealed." (12) And when they give the book to one who cannot read, saying, "Read this," he says, "I cannot read." (13) And the Lord said: "Because this people draw near with their mouth and honor me with their lips, while their hearts are far from me, and their fear of me is a commandment taught by men, (14) therefore, behold, I will again do wonderful things with this people, with wonder upon wonder; and the wisdom of their wise men shall perish, and the discernment of their discerning men shall be hidden." (15) Ah, you who hide deep from the LORD your counsel, whose deeds are in the dark, and who say, "Who sees us? Who knows us?" (16) You turn things upside down! Shall the potter be regarded as the clay, that the thing made should say of its maker, "He did not make me"; or the thing formed say of him who formed it, "He has no understanding"? (17) Is it not yet a very little while until Lebanon shall be turned into a fruitful field, and the fruitful field shall be regarded as a forest? (18) In that day the deaf shall hear the words of a book, and out of their gloom and darkness the eyes of the blind shall see. (19) The meek shall obtain fresh joy in the LORD, and the poor among mankind shall exult in the Holy One of Israel.

### **Epistle**

**Ephesians 5:22-33**

Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. (23) For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. (24) Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands. (25) Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, (26) that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, (27) so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish. (28) In the same way husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. (29) For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as



Christ does the church, (30) because we are members of his body. (31) “Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.” (32) This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church. (33) However, let each one of you love his wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.

## Gospel

Mark 7:1-13

Now when the Pharisees gathered to him, with some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem, (2) they saw that some of his disciples ate with hands that were defiled, that is, unwashed. (3) (For the Pharisees and all the Jews do not eat unless they wash their hands properly, holding to the tradition of the elders, (4) and when they come from the marketplace, they do not eat unless they wash. And there are many other traditions that they observe, such as the washing of cups and pots and copper vessels and dining couches.) (5) And the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, “Why do your disciples not walk according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?” (6) And he said to them, “Well did Isaiah prophesy of you hypocrites, as it is written, “‘This people honors me with their lips, but their heart is far from me; (7) in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines the commandments of men.’ (8) You leave the commandment of God and hold to the tradition of men.” (9) And he said to them, “You have a fine way of rejecting the commandment of God in order to establish your tradition! (10) For Moses said, ‘Honor your father and your mother’; and, ‘Whoever reviles father or mother must surely die.’ (11) But you say, ‘If a man tells his father or his mother, “Whatever you would have gained from me is Corban”’ (that is, given to God)— (12) then you no longer permit him to do anything for his father or mother, (13) thus making void the word of God by your tradition that you have handed down. And many such things you do.”



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**

**August 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: 96  
Communion: 71  
Offerings Given Last Sunday: \$ 3,721.00  
School Roof Fund: \$ 1,420.00 Total cost: \$ 95,00.00  
Grant added to this amount \$ 3,384.02

**IN OUR PRAYERS**

† Tom Koeritz,, Marty & Marsha Miller, Marilyn Vogt,  
Ronald Schultz, Candace Doerfler, Mike Barfknecht, Cliff &  
Charlotte Dobie, Audrey Becker, Duane Danner,  
DeLaine Krenz, Dick Eckmann, Pastor Fretham, Terry  
Bentele, Brandi Stohs, and Larye Anderson

† **Our Shut-Ins:** RoseMary Kasten, Carol Ritz, June  
Mausling, Ronald Schultz, Marilyn Vogt

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

**THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR**

**SUNDY**

Worship with Holy Communion.....9:00 a.m.  
Adult Bible Study.....10:15 a.m.  
MLHS Back to School Picnic.....5:00 p.m.

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

School Begins  
Chapel.....9:00 a.m.

**TUESDAY**

Women's Bible Study.....10:00 a.m.  
MLHS begins classes

**WEDNSDAY**

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

**THURSDAY**

**FRIDAY**

No School \_ Office closed

**SATURDAY**

**SUNDAY**

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

**The School's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Service will  
be on October 6, 2024. More details to  
follow.**



### LUTHERAN HOUR

**August 25** (Job 40:15-41:34)

"When the Monsters Come"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer

Archives August: We can never be too vigilant against the devil's attacks but in Christ we can always be confident that the victory is ours.

(Job 40:15-41:34)

### CHURCH NEWS

Cindi will be on vacation from August 29 – September 9. Contact Pastor during this time for bulletin needs. Allison will do the bulletin for September 8.

LWML is having an ingathering for Options Pregnancy Center. Please help us collect these items in August & September.

#### **Baby Needs:**

Baby Wash/Shampoo/Lotion (gentle like Alveno Baby)

Baby Clothing – complete outfits, onies/sleepers

(sizes NB & 0-3 months)

Toddler Clothing – boy or girl

(sizes 12-18 months and 2T)

Baby bottles & Bottle brushes (no Dr .Brown's, please)

Hooded Bath towels for baby

Crib sheets

### UPCOMING AREA EVENTS

**MISSION CENTRAL** - Guest Speaker: Ashley Lehr, LCMS Missionary to Puerto Rico, will be at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Fairmont on Wednesday, September 4th, at 7:00pm. The Women of Immanuel invite you to join them as Ashley shares with us how she is serving the Lord by sharing the Good News of Jesus in word and deed with His people in Puerto Rico. Dessert and fellowship will follow. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Lewisville Area Volunteer Fire Fighting Company is hosting their Annual Burger Bash! Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM at the Lewisville Fire Hall. Menu: Burgers, Potato Salad, Chips, and Cookies. Free will donation. To do orders available. Proceeds go for purchasing equipment.

### MLHS NEWS

Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School, Northrop will begin its 42nd academic year on Tuesday, August 27th. The 2024-2025 theme is "Be Transformed" based on Romans 12:1-3. Please keep your Lutheran high school in your prayers as we seek to carry out our mission of "preparing students for discipleship until Christ's return."