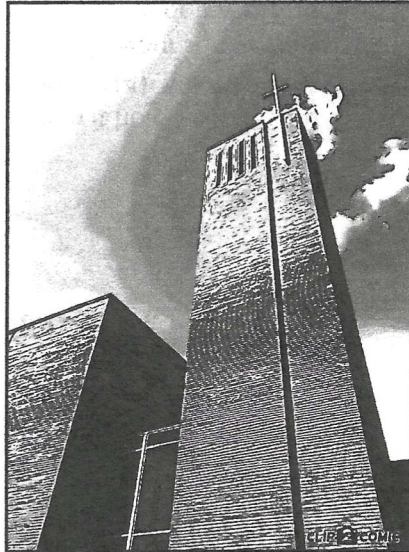


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+Order of Service+
October 6, 2024
20th Sunday after Pentecost
125th Anniversary Service for St. Paul's Lutheran School
Divine Service Setting Three
LSB 184

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Processional Hymn: **Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation** LSB 909

School Kids Sing

Confession and Absolution LSB 184

Introit, Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis LSB 186-189

Collect of the Day LSB 189

Old Testament: Genesis 2:18-25

School Kids Ring

Epistle Hebrews 2:1-13

Holy Gospel Mark 10:2-16

Creed

Hymn of the Day: **God's Own Child I Gladly Say It** LSB 594

Sermon – Rev. Stefan Wismar

Offertory

Prayers of the Church

Communion Liturgy LSB 194

Distribution Hymns

Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won LSB 490

Christ Be My Leader LSB 861

Crown Him with Many Crowns LSB 525

Nunc Dimittis and Concluding Liturgy LSB 199

Announcements

Closing Hymn: **Go, My Children, with My Blessing** LSB 922

SERVING US TODAY IN GOD'S HOUSE

Musicians: Olivia Wedel

Ushers: Scott Halverson, Randy Miller, John Matasovsky, Skip Henton, Wade Krenz, Ken Urban

Elder of the Month: Skip Henton



Introit *Ps. 127:3–5; antiphon: Ps. 127:1a*

P: Unless the LORD | builds the house,*

C: those who build it la- | bor in vain.

P: Behold, children are a heritage | from the LORD,*

C: the fruit of the womb | a reward.

P: Like arrows in the hand of a | warrior*

C: are the children | of one's youth.

P: Blessed is the man who fills his quiver | with them!*

C: He shall not be put to shame when he speaks with his enemies | in the gate.

P: Unless the LORD | builds the house,*

C: those who build it la- | bor in vain.

Old Testament

Genesis 2:18-25

Then the LORD God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him." (19) Now out of the ground the LORD God had formed every beast of the field and every bird of the heavens and brought them to the man to see what he would call them. And whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. (20) The man gave names to all livestock and to the birds of the heavens and to every beast of the field. But for Adam there was not found a helper fit for him. (21) So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and while he slept took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. (22) And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. (23) Then the man said, "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man." (24) Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh. (25) And the man and his wife were both naked and were not ashamed.

Epistle

Hebrews 2:1-13

Therefore we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. (2) For since the message declared by angels proved to be reliable, and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, (3) how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard, (4) while God also bore witness by signs and wonders and various miracles and by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will. (5) For it was not to angels that God subjected the world to come, of which we are speaking. (6) It has been testified somewhere, "What is man, that you are mindful of him, or the son of man, that you care for him? (7) You made him for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned him with glory and honor, (8) putting everything in subjection under his

feet.” Now in putting everything in subjection to him, he left nothing outside his control. At present, we do not yet see everything in subjection to him. (9) But we see him who for a little while was made lower than the angels, namely Jesus, crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. (10) For it was fitting that he, for whom and by whom all things exist, in bringing many sons to glory, should make the founder of their salvation perfect through suffering. (11) For he who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one source. That is why he is not ashamed to call them brothers, (12) saying, “I will tell of your name to my brothers; in the midst of the congregation I will sing your praise.” (13) And again, “I will put my trust in him.” And again, “Behold, I and the children God has given me.”

Gospel

Mark 10:2-16

And Pharisees came up and in order to test him asked, “Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?” (3) He answered them, “What did Moses command you?” (4) They said, “Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of divorce and to send her away.” (5) And Jesus said to them, “Because of your hardness of heart he wrote you this commandment. (6) But from the beginning of creation, ‘God made them male and female.’ (7) ‘Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, (8) and the two shall become one flesh.’ So they are no longer two but one flesh. (9) What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate.” (10) And in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. (11) And he said to them, “Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her, (12) and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery.” (13) And they were bringing children to him that he might touch them, and the disciples rebuked them. (14) But when Jesus saw it, he was indignant and said to them, “Let the children come to me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. (15) Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.” (16) And he took them in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands on them.

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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 or by simply scanning the following QR code.



In October, The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) observes Church Worker Appreciation Month. It's an opportunity for all of us throughout the Synod to recognize, in an intentional and unified way, those who serve us through their faithfulness, dedication and skill. These dear workers bless us in a multitude of ways as they preach, teach and care for God's people in body and soul. But while October is the LCMS' designated month for showing appreciation to our workers, there are too many blessings to celebrate in only one month. For that reason, the LCMS has planned a year's worth of observances to highlight the many workers who serve in the LCMS and to give thanks for the indispensable and sacrificial work they do. This is the schedule:

October 13th Pastors
April 28th Directors of Parish Music
May 5th-9th Teachers
June 26th Directors of Christian Education

With next Sunday designated as Pastor Appreciation, please give prayerful consideration as to what you can do over and above for Pastor Chase and his family who, for over four years have been a welcome blessing to our church and school.

125 Years of Faithful Teachers

Pastor H. Heinemann	1900-12
Cordelia Ferber	1912-13
Minnie Reinking	1913-14
Paul Westerkamp	1914-15
Fred Wiedman	1915-16
Richard Cloeter	1916-18
Frieda Niemann	1918-22
Carl Marquardt	1922-44*P
Edward Krause	1944-53 P
Clara Robinson	1945-83
Norma Pera	1949-52
Ronald Pautz	1952-56
C.B. Brose	1953-57 P
Sylvia Kuske	1956-58
Alvin Roth	1957-60 P
Donald Wohlfeil	1959-65 P
James Borcharding	1960-61
Mrs. Paul Bremer	1959-60
Marcella Traver	1960-82 #
Mrs. Jerome Kaelberer	1962-64
David Moch	1962-63
Karen Schroeder	1964-65
Ila Winn	1965-67

Ivan Raddatz	1966-70 P
Mrs. Peter Bauer	1967-68
Dean Clausing	1960-76
William Krueger	1970-85 P
David Kroft	1971-75
Martin Roedel	1976-84
Beth Appold	1976-79
Mary Koschinske	1979-84
Cynthia Fitzner	1983-Present
Karen Wessel	1984
Curtis Snow	1985-89 P
Angela Bollman	1985-86
Sylvia Burmeister	1985-2010
Steven Sonksen	1987-90
John Britton	1986-88
Karl Schultz	1988
Denise Schroeder	1989-90
Richard Gottschalk	1989-94
Kevin Kuske	1989-94
Lisa Wagner	1990-91
Marlene Roebke	1991-92
Christine Meyer	1992-2002
Sarah Garcia	1996-97
Phyllis Ellis	1996-97, 2003-2004

Ray Diepenbrock	1997-2003 P
Ina Diepenbrock	2001-2003
Jill Otte	2002-2004
Barbara Dahl	2003-2005
Jessica Theobald	2003-2004
Susan Zellmer	2005-2016
Bill Wachholz	2004-2011 P
Judy Wachholz	2004-2011
Christine Geistfeld	2013-Present
Heidi Johnson	1996-Present
Kerrie Bennett	2011-Present
Marty Miller	2011-Present
Michelle Flohrs	2022-Present

P – Principal

* - first called teacher

- first full-time kindergarten teacher

Mrs. Ed Krause, Luella Wessel and Clara Robinson taught kindergarten the months of April and May in 1948-50. Miss Robinson then taught kindergarten for the last 2 months or so with her 1st and 2nd graders until 1965 when the first full-time kindergarten began.

Mrs. Richard Wilkening taught ½ days 1958-59.

**Thank you to all the teachers for your years of faithful service in
teaching the little lambs of Jesus!!**



ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

October 6, 2024

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

BIBLE CLASSES

Sunday Morning Bible Class & 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: 103
Communion: 80
Offerings Given Last Sunday: \$ 2,860.00
School Roof Fund: \$ 3,870.00 Total cost: \$95,000.00
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, Dick Eckmann, Pastor Fretham, Terry Bentele, Brandi Stohs, and Larye Anderson

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

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

LUTHERAN HOUR

October 6 – (Genesis 30:8)
"Fit to Be Tied" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler A strong knot in the right place holds everything together. God made Jesus to be the "Master Point" to bind all people to Himself through faith.
(Genesis 30:8)

CHURCH NEWS

LWML's Fall Mission Rally is **TODAY** at the Lutheran Church of Our Savior, Winnebago. Registration begins at 1:00 p.m. and the program starts at 1:30 p.m. Fellowship & refreshments to follow.

Softener Salt Sale- St. Paul's Youth Group will be holding their annual softener salt sale on Saturday, October 26, 2024. Price of the salt will be \$ 10.00/bag picked up and \$ 11.00/bag delivered. Pick up will be at Scott Halverson's shed on E 5th St. N from 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 26th. Delivery is only within a 5 mile radius of Truman. To order salt or if you have any questions, please contact the church office 507-776-2801 or sign up at the narthex desk by October 13th.

There will be a Reformation Festival sponsored by the Youth Group on Sunday, October 27th after the Divine Service. Watch for more details.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

SUNDAY

Worship with Holy Communion.....9:00 a.m.
School Children Sing
Goodies in the Gym
Open House

MONDAY (Pastor's Day Off)

TUESDAY

Women's Bible Study.....10:00 a.m..
5/6 Eager Readers at Heartland
Volleyball at Lakefield

WEDNESDAY

Chapel with Pastor Chase.....10:00 a.m.
Bulletin Announcements Due.....3:00 p.m.

THURSDAY

Grades 3-4 CIC Event at McGowan's Farm
Volleyball at Immanuel, Mankato

FRIDAY

Fire Assembly.....10:30 a.m.
Fall Party at Lake Crystal Rec Center

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

LWML Sunday

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

UPCOMING AREA EVENTS

You are invited to join us at St James Lutheran School for a Pancake Breakfast sponsored by the Board of Christian Education **TODAY**, 10am-Noon. Gluten Free option also available.

MLHS NEWS

The Fall Rummage and Bake Sale will be held at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School, Northrop on Thursday, October 17 from 4-8 p.m.; Friday, October 18, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturday, October 19, 8 a.m. to noon. Donations of fall and winter clothing and shoes, household items, furniture, garden produce, and baked goods can be brought beginning Saturday, October 12. Volunteer workers are asked to please sign up at [www.martinlutherhs.com/Special Events/Rummage Sale](http://www.martinlutherhs.com/Special%20Events/Rummage%20Sale). Donations will be accepted until Wednesday noon (or until we are full). Those times are listed on the website.

The Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School Freshman Class is selling Watkins products until October 21st. Contact a student or the school to order.

The Association Delegate Meeting will be held at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School on Sunday, October 20 at 1:00 p.m. All interested parties are invited to attend.

All 7th & 8th grade students are invited to visit Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School on October 25 from 9:15 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Students will host visitors for a day of mini class activities and Olympic games. Free pizza will be served. Please RSVP at 507-436-5249 by October 16.

Faith, Hope, Love

And now abide Faith, Hope, and Love,
these three; but the greatest of these is Love.

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.

IMPORTANT SPL DATES

October 4 – Marathon at St. John Vianney-Fairmont
October 6 – Sing at St. Paul's-Truman
October 11 – Fall Party at Lake Crystal Rec Center

THIS WEEK'S LUNCH MENU

October 7 – October 11

Monday: Meat loaf, Tater tots, Carrots, Fruit cocktail,
Cookie

Tuesday: Italian pasta bake, Peas, Rosy applesauce, Bread
stick

Wednesday: Tacos, French fries, Corn, Rosy applesauce,
Peaches, Vanilla ice cream

Thursday: Max stick, Dipping sauce, Tri taters, Green
beans, Tropical fruit

Friday: Hot dog, Corn chips, Baked beans, Peaches

School Reminders:

"His Kids Choir" - We sing and ring in church on Sunday,
October 6th at St. Paul's. We will wear our black "His Kids"
choir shirts. The handbell choir should be in the balcony
ready to practice at 8:30am sharp! The choir will warm up
in the fireside room at 8:40a.m.

Sunday we celebrate the 125th anniversary of the
school. It will be a wonderful day. Enjoy the entire service,
enjoy the goodies in the gym, and check out the Open
House at school. If you have friends that are not happy at
the school they are at, bring them along on Sunday.

In the PTL Handbook, my phone number is wrong. It should be
714-588-1909 with an email address of
mmillersports5@gmail.com. Again, I do not keep my phone with
me during the day, but I do check it. If you need me for any
reason, call and leave a message. I will get back to you.

A couple of items for the Fall Party. Goggles can be worn along
with nose plugs.

Please remember Chapel Thank Offerings for Lutheran Heritage
and the Bible Story Books. Presently we are at app. 40
books. Let's try for 60 books.

Have you thanked your child's teacher or coach lately?

Please remember: No School on October 17 and 18 for MEA. **No
Busing on October 21**

FROM OUR CLASSROOMS

Preschool: This week we worked on the letter D, learned
about dolphins. We our shape this week was a square. We
also learned about seeds and opened up a cattail to see the
seeds. Kid quote of the week kid 1 "you want to destroy
Mother's day?" kid 2 "No it's the BEST day!"

Kindergarten: In Jesus Time God tested Abraham to see
who he loved more his son Isaac or God. Then jump ahead
a few years, Isaac gets a wife & then twin sons & then
jump ahead many years one of his sons tricks him.☺

Learning this week included: letter of focus li, rhyming
word family -it (sit, fit), Purple is our color word. We have
started our Orange words; it is most helpful if you take a
few minutes each night & practice sight words, hang them
on your fridge or bathroom mirror for easy access to
practice. Marathon Friday-4th, Fire Station Tuesday-8th,
Swimming Friday-11th.

1st & 2nd: What an absolutely fantastic class! Memory and
Spelling: Check your child's Homework Folder for the lists.
Spelling: Gr. 1: not, hot, pot, got, box, fox, ox, jog. Gr. 2:
wink. sing, sink, king, long, ring, hang, bank, wing, drink,
swing, think, blink, finger. Thank you for participating in
filling in the food charts for Health. It raised awareness of
healthy eating habits! We worked on our Fire Safety posters
this week - the winners will be announced at a program here
at St. Paul's, Friday October 11th at 10:30 a.m. Marathon:
Today, October 4: We are taking a bus to Fairmont at noon
and arriving back at school for the afternoon bus. Sing at St.
Paul's: This Sunday, October 6: check elsewhere in this
Saintinel for details. Fire Station visit: October 7. Fall Party:
Swimming at the Lake Crystal Rec. Center : October 11: We
will take a bus to Lake Crystal (retuning back at school for
the afternoon bus): We swim from 12:30 - 2:00. Happy
Birthday Elliot and Christopher!

3rd & 4th: On Thursday, October 10th, we will be going to
McGowan's Farm. Remember to dress for the weather and
wear tennis shoes. Students will need to pack a lunch and
drink. They may bring money to spend if you would like
them too. Permission slips went out this week. Remember
there are **two** papers to sign. Fall Party happens on Friday,
Oct. 11th, in the afternoon and we will get to go
swimming. Make sure your child is reading for their 10 AR
points. There is not a lot of time left to get points in. We
will start reading Shiloh this next week and will take a break
from our normal books.

5th & 6th: Wow, it's hard to believe this is the 6th week of
school already. Time sure is flying by fast. Keep working on
AR goals and getting 30 minutes of IXL every week. On
Friday afternoon we are off to the Marathon at St. John's
Vianney in Fairmont. Sunday we sing in church here at St.
Paul's. Our Eager Readers visit to Heartland Senior Living
may or may not happen on Tuesday. I will keep you posted
when I hear if they are healthy enough to have visitors. Next
Friday we are off to Lake Crystal Rec Center to swim for our
Fall Party. There's a lot going on. Parents, I need your help.
When your child writes a sentence (no matter which subject
it is) please make sure that they capitalize the first word of
a sentence and use the proper punctuation at the end of the
sentence. Also make sure it is a complete thought.
Sentences not written properly are marked wrong. Also
when copying words out of the text book they need to be
spelled correctly. As always, we continue to stress that we
don't use capital letters in the middle of words.
CONGRATULATIONS to Chloe Carlson on winning a prize for
the "Back To School" coloring contest for the Truman
Tribune. Great Job!!

7th & 8th: We survived our first Book Talk. We are starting
our first research project. Ask your child what national park
they are researching. We are in the middle of an English
test. We have conquered the Amendments. We are on the
home stretch of Spirit Bear. You can tell that the quarter is
about to end as we are wrapping different items up. Eight
more school days in the First Quarter. Where is the time
going? You can tell that it has been a great quarter. Finish
the quarter strong.