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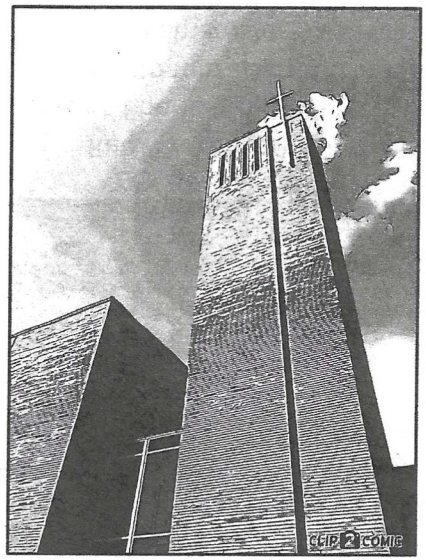

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June 8, 2025

+Order of Service+
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Feast of Pentecost
Divine Service Setting Three
LSB 184
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Opening Hymn **Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord** LSB 497
Confession and Absolution LSB 184
Introit, Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis LSB 186 ff.
Collect of the Day LSB 189
Old Testament Reading: Genesis 11:1-9
Second Reading: Acts 2:1-21
Holy Gospel John 14:23-31
Hymn of the Day: **Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid** LSB 500
Sermon
Offertory
Prayers of the Church
Communion Liturgy LSB 194
Distribution Hymns

Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior LSB 619
Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest LSB 498
Jesus Comes Today with Healing LSB 620

Concluding Liturgy LSB 199
Closing Hymn: **Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow** LSB 805

SERVING US TODAY IN GOD'S HOUSE

Musicians: Heidi Koeritz
Ushers: Kerry Krenz, Sawyer Krenz, Cade Ekstrom, Alex Weihe, Cade Hotzler

Elder of the Month: Randy Miller

Introit *Ps. 104:24, 27–28, 30; antiphon: Liturgical Text*

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the | faithful,*
and kindle in them the fire of Your love. Alle- | luia.

O LORD, how manifold are your works! In wisdom have you | made them all;*
the earth is full of your | creatures.

These all | look to you,*
to give them their food in due | season.

When you give it to them, they gath- | er it up;*
when you open your hand, they are filled with | good things.

When you send forth your Spirit, they are cre- | ated,*
and you renew the face | of the ground.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the | faithful,*
and kindle in them the fire of Your love. Alle- | luia.

Old Testament Reading **Genesis 11:1-9**

Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. (2) And as people migrated from the east, they found a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. (3) And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. (4) Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be dispersed over the face of the whole earth." (5) And the LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of man had built. (6) And the LORD said, "Behold, they are one people, and they have all one language, and this is only the beginning of what they will do. And nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. (7) Come, let us go down and there confuse their language, so that they may not understand one another's speech." (8) So the LORD dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. (9) Therefore its name was called Babel, because there the LORD confused the language of all the earth. And from there the LORD dispersed them over the face of all the earth.

Epistle **Acts 2:1-21**

When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. (2) And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. (3) And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. (4) And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. (5) Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. (6) And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. (7) And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? (8) And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? (9) Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, (10) Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, (11) both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." (12) And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" (13) But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine." (14) But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. (15) For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. (16) But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel: (17) "'And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams; (18) even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy. (19) And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; (20) the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. (21) And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

Gospel **John 14:23-31**

Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. (24) Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me. (25) "These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. (26) But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. (27) Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. (28) You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I will come to you.' If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. (29) And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place you may believe. (30) I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no claim on me, (31) but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us go from here.

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.

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church
June 8, 2025

Sunday Morning Bible Class & Sunday School: 10:15-11:15 a.m.
Tuesday Morning Women's Bible Study: 10-11 a.m.
Wednesday After-School Confirmation: 4:30-5:30 p.m.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

SUNDAY
Worship with Holy Communion.....9:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study.....10:15 a.m.
MONDAY (Pastor's Day Off)
Trustees.....7:00 p.m.
TUESDAY
Women's Bible Study.....10:00 a.m.
Board of Education.....7:00 p.m.
Elders.....7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
THURSDAY
FRIDAY
Office Closed
SATURDAY
Play It Again Golf Benefit.....1:00 p.m.
SUNDAY
Worship with Holy Communion.....9:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study.....10:15 a.m.

IN OUR PRAYERS

†Becky Oerman, Jan Firchau, Norman Wiederhoeft, Scott Maloney , Travis Meyer, Dennis Burmeister, Jim Sackett, Carl Vogt, Dan Espeland, Erika Lotheringen, Alice Raddatz, Tom Koeritz, Marsha Miller, Marilyn Vogt, Candace Doerfler, Mike Barfknecht, Cliff & Charlotte Dobie, Audrey Becker, Dick & Pat Eckmann, Pastor Fretham, Terry Bentele, Brandi Stohs, and Larye Anderson

† Our Shut-Ins: RoseMary Kasten, June Mausling, Kathy Meinert

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

OFFERINGS AND ATTENDANCE

Attendance Last Sunday: 75 Communion: 64
Offerings Given Last Sunday: $ 4,123.07
School Roof Fund: $ 40,888.27 (Total cost: $95,000.00)
PTL will be adding $ 13,033.50

CHURCH NEWS

*The flowers in front of church this morning are from the Arlen Bock family.

***VBS - June 23-26 (Monday - Thursday) from 6-8 p.m.**
"Epic Australian Adventure" Talk to Cindy Fitzner or call the church office if you would like to donate to snacks.

***Save the date: Salad Luncheon is Wednesday, July 16th.**

***Silent Auction Date Change – Mark Your Calendars!**
Sunday, September 7, 2025.

LUTHERAN HOUR

June 15 (Psalm 8:4)
"Nothing He'd Rather Be Doing"
Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
Jesus is a tireless Searcher with an affinity for finding lost people.

SCHOOL NEWS

Happy Summer! We have 55 enrolled in school for next year. Please spread the word!
I am pleased to announce that our new cook is Mrs. Danielle Hall. We thank Mrs. Kathy Bosshart for all her years of service as our cook.
First Day of School is Tuesday, August 26th. We will begin our year with Opening Chapel at 9 a.m.
First Day of Preschool is Tuesday, August 26th at 8:10 a.m. Spread the word about our wonderful school.

MLHS NEWS

*The Board of Directors invites everyone to the Pork Loin Benefit Dinner at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School in Northrop on Sunday, June 22nd from 11-1 p.m. Donations over-and-above $20 will help the school through the summer months.

*The June Delegate Meeting will be held at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School on Sunday, June 22 at 1:15 p.m. Election of officers will be held. All pastors, association delegates and interested parties are welcome to attend.

UPCOMING AREA EVENTS

*Dad's Belgium Waffles – Benefit for the Lewisville Ambulance on Saturday, June 14 serving from 8 – 10:30 a.m. at the American Legion, Lewisville. All you can eat: Waffles, Toppings, Sausages and Beverage. Tickets are $10.00 and can be purchased in advance from Ambulance members.

*St. John's Lutheran Church - Antrim will be celebrating 155 years on June 29, 2025. A worship service will be held at 10:00 a.m. with Guest Speaker Pastor Douglas Rutt. A meal will follow the service. RSVP to (507)236-7292.

*Salad Luncheon at Trinity Lutheran Church, Truman, will be on Wednesday, June 25,2025, from 11:00-12:30. Adults $ 10 and Kids $3. Carry outs are available.

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