

News and Notes of Interest

Please notify the church office if you have a loved one who departed this life in the past year and would like them remembered on All Saints Day.

TRUNK OR TREAT: St. Paul's Lutheran Church will be hosting a trunk or treat event on Thursday, October 27th in the church parking lot from 6:00-7:30 PM. If you would like to donate a bag of candy or small prizes, there is a donation box by the front door at the school. If you are willing to decorate your trunk and bring your car to the church parking lot, please let Mrs. Long know by emailing jogellermannlong@gmail.com. Please mark your calendar and bring your kids for some fun trunk or treating!

Quilts: The quilters are looking for quilts to quilt. If you have a quilt you would like completed, contact Loretta Mohling (402-223-5059) or Wilma Moon (402-223-5880).

Beatrice Community Blood Drive will be held at the Holiday Inn Express on Wednesday, October 26th 12:00pm-6:00pm and Thursday, October 27th 7:00am-1:00pm. To schedule an appointment, call Joann at 402-228-0260 or go online www.redcrossblood.org.

Come One! Come All! Church potluck dinner on Sunday, November 6 at noon in the church basement. No meeting, no reason, just socializing with your fellow St. Paul members! Bob and Vicki Frerking will provide drinks and table service. Hope to see everyone there!

POINSETTIAS: If you would like to furnish a Poinsettia for our chancel at Christmas, call Kelly in the church office at 228-1540. Cost per poinsettia is \$15.

STEWARDSHIP: Philippians 1:5 "I always thank God... because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now." God doesn't need anything we have. Yet He invites us to give so that we can indeed become "partners in the Gospel." This is a gift of His grace: inviting us to do significant work in the Kingdom of God

DORCAS BOUTIQUE: The Boutique has cards for all occasions. Birthday cards are 60 cents each with no tax. The Boutique is open between services on Sundays.

Pastor Irmer would like to greet each person as you leave. Please wait for him as he greets those using the

elevator and then allow him to reach the door before departing. **Please exit by general dismissal** and greet your neighbors as you leave.

KIDS BULLETINS & BUSY BAGS for your child to use and return are available in the Narthex (entryway) of the church. If you need assistance, please ask an usher or greeter.

Hearing assistance devices are available from the ushers to assist the hearing impaired.

CHURCH WEBSITE: Make sure you visit the church website from time to time at www.stpaulbeatrice.org to see what is new.

DID YOU KNOW ... that Individual (Private) Confession and Absolution is available upon request here at St. Paul's? If you have questions about this practice, read LSB 326 and look at the Rite in the hymnal (LSB 292). If you have questions, and/or desire Private Confession and Absolution, contact Pastor Irmer.

Our October Finances	
Current checkbook balance as of 10/20/16	\$4,285.57
Expected expenses by 10/21/16	(\$33,400.00)
Scheduled contributions &	
Tuition Income on 11/1/16	<u>\$4,091.00</u>
Balance needed in contributions to	
Pay end of October expenses	\$25,023.43



Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity October 23, 2016

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WELCOME TO St. Paul's Lutheran Church: We are glad that you are here as we gather around the Word and Sacraments of our Lord Jesus Christ. If you have not already done so, we ask that you would sign the guest book at the entrance to the church. If you do not have a church home and are interested in the teachings of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod, or if you are interested in becoming a member here at St. Paul's, please contact Pastor Irmer, 402-228-1540.

The Sacrament of the Altar is the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in, with and under the bread and wine for us Christians to eat and drink, instituted by Christ Himself. As we receive the Lord's Supper together, witness is also given that we are united in the faith we confess (one in doctrine). Therefore, in faithfulness to our Lord, and in love for you, St. Paul's follows the Biblical and historic practice of closed communion.

ALL GUESTS must visit with our pastor before coming to the altar to receive the Lord's Supper. If you do not have opportunity to visit with our pastor prior to the service, he is more than willing to visit with you during the week.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH: We pray for ...

- Dottie Jurgens, June Martin, Geraldine (Geri) Smith, Marvin Wiegand
- Continuing prayers: Lodeen Clausen, Dawn Crosier, Loren Daubendiek, Leonard Esch, Mel Girl (brother-in-law of Jane Oeltjen), and Ann Kelley.

Please call 402-228-1540 by Thursday if you have a petition to be included in the prayers.

In His Service

Pastor: Rev. Douglas D. Irmer (Cell 402-239-0283)

Organist: Lester Miller

8:00am Service

Acolytes: Adam Riekenberg, Olivia Aden, Alex Holle

Elders: Rod Aden, Nobert Meyer

Greeters: Eldean & Sharon Adam

Ushers: Ron Buss, Duane Delozier, Wayne Schulz, Lawrence Workman

10:30am Service

Acolytes: Logan Glynn, Zander Glynn, Sydney Southwick

Elders: Wilferd Deke, Mike Southwick

Greeters: Bernice Pfingsten

Ushers: Rod Aden, Eric Jobman, Robert Pfingsten, Gary Swanson

Today's radio broadcast is sponsored in memory of Alvin Sohl's Birthday, which would have been November 13, by Frieda Sohl.

Today's bulletin is sponsored in memory of Michael, Rowena, and Michelle Thomas, by Virginia Thomas and family.

Gifts Of Time And Treasure

Attendance & Contributions Last Week		
8:00 AM Service	55	\$1,332.00
10:30 AM Service	82	\$1,622.50
Monday Night Service	21	\$150.00

COINS FOR CHRIST: All loose coins in Sunday offerings during the 4th quarter are designated to the Community Food Pantry. Total amount collected so far \$14.32.

The Lord's Week

Today	8:00	Divine Service
	9:15	Sunday School/Youth/Adult Bible Class
	10:30	Divine Service
Monday		CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
	7:00	Weekday Service of Holy Communion
Tuesday	12:00	Ladies Quilting/Tying
	6:30	Social Club
Wednesday		CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
		No Catechism Class
Thursday	12:00	Ladies Quilting
Sunday	8:00	Divine Service
	9:15	Sunday School/Youth/Adult Bible Class
	10:30	Divine Service

Church office hours are 8:30am-1:30pm, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.

While Pastor will be around, the office may be closed on occasion, so please call ahead. For pastoral emergencies contact Pastor Irmer on his cell phone at 402-239-0283.

Pastor Irmer will be out of the office Friday, October 21st thru Monday, October 31st. For pastoral emergencies contact Pastor Wagner on his cell phone at 402-520-1818.

✂ ORDER OF SERVICE ✂

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▲ Please sing Amen after last stanza