

News and Notes of Interest

NEWSLETTER – Information to be included in the July newsletter needs to be submitted to the church office by Tuesday, June 20th.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS: Join us on June 25th and during the month of July as we take an in-depth focus on the book of Philippians. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

“Father’s Day in the Park” Community Event, June 18th. Worship at 10:30 under the Chautauqua Tabernacle; 11:30 potluck (St. Paul’s members are asked to bring extra so community members in attendance may stay); 1-3 p.m. Games for all ages and Watermelon Feed! Bring your lawn chair, horseshoes or favorite card/board games and enjoy a fun day with your church family and community members. Table service and drinks provided. (The 8:00am Divine Worship Service will be held at church.)

SAVE THE DATE: St. Paul’s Lutheran Church and School Vacation Bible School will be July 17-21, 8:30am – 11:15am. The theme is Mighty Fortress. VBS is for preschool to 5th grade children. Any questions please call 402-249-4353. Registration papers for students and volunteers are available in the narthex

DORCAS BOUTIQUE: The Boutique has occasional cards and Bibles. Stop on by to see their selections. The Boutique is open between services on Sundays.

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

HOME MEETING SIGN-UP: Signup sheets are located on the bulletin board in the narthex. Dates and times are listed on the sheets. The goal is to have every member of the congregation attend one of these meetings. Please PRINT your name on the meeting you plan to attend. You are also asked to consider asking someone who hasn’t been in a while to come with you. More dates and times will be posted as they are available.

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.

The LYF is asking you to share the love-and your used backpack from this past school year. The NE District 2017 Youth Gathering will be in Omaha from Nov. 17-19. At that Gathering one of the servant events that is planned is to assemble backpacks with school supplies to be shipped to needy students near and far. They are seeking new and used backpacks to use for this event. Many students get a new backpack each year, even though theirs is not worn out? Would you consider donating your backpack from this year to a needy student? You can also purchase a new one and donate it if you choose. There will be a collection box for them. Thank you so much for sharing!!

Reformation Quote from Martin Luther - Luke 16:19–31 “No one can mortify the flesh, bear the cross, and follow the example of Christ before he is a Christian and has Christ through faith in his heart as an eternal treasure. You don’t put the old nature to death, as these prophets do, through works, but through the hearing of the gospel. Before all other works and acts you hear the Word of God, through which the Spirit convinces the world of its sin (John 16 [:8]). When we acknowledge our sin, we hear of the grace of Christ.” Luther’s Works 40:149

Teacher Aide Position Available: St. Paul’s Lutheran School is seeking a Teacher Aide to begin working this Fall. This will be a part-time, paid position, and will include working with young children and leading small group classroom learning activities, assisting the teacher with preparation of classroom materials, and supervising children at recess and indoor play times. If interested, please contact the school office on Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to noon, or email aduever@stpaulbeatrice.org to receive an application.



First Sunday after Trinity
June 18, 2017

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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 the church office.

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 or an elder before coming to the altar to receive the Lord's Supper. If you do not have opportunity to visit with our pastor or an elder prior to the service, they are more than willing to visit with you during the week.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH: We pray for ...

- In the wisdom of Almighty God Tiffany (Vivier-Boyer) Barton was delivered from this veil of tears to the nearer presence of the Lord, Jesus Christ. Tiffany's funeral was Thursday in Oklahoma.
- In the wisdom of Almighty God Fred Gakle (father/grandfather of Suzanne and Laura Munn) was delivered from this veil of tears to the nearer presence of the Lord, Jesus Christ.
- We rejoice with Dave & Lisa Oltmans at the birth of their daughter, Liberty Ann Oltmans.
- Continuing prayers: Lodeen Clausen, Dawn Crosier, Leonard Esch, Elaine Girl (sister of Jane Oeltjen), June Martin, Pete Oestreich, and Ann Kelley.
Please call 402-228-1540 by Thursday if you have a petition to be included in the prayers.

In His Service

Preacher: Rev. Dr. J. Dirk Reek (Home: 402-476-2828)

Organist: Beverly Duensing

8:00am Service

Acolytes: Noah Hagemeyer, Ellie Whitfield, Kiera Whitfield

Elders: David Doering, Ken Loemker

Greeters: Dorothy Daubendiek, Wilferd Deke

Ushers: Dale Hagemeyer, Cliff Kumm, Brad Long, Steve Schmidt

10:30am Service

Acolytes: Logan Glynn, Olivia Aden, Dawson Loomis

Elders: Bob Frerking, Rod Aden

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

Today's radio broadcast is sponsored in memory of Dale Riekenberg, whose Birthday would have been June 20th and their Anniversary would have been June 21st, by Elda Riekenberg and Family.

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Gifts of Time and Treasure

| Attendance & Contributions Last Week | | |
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| 8:00 AM Service | 113 | \$2,622.00 |
| 10:30 AM Service | 68 | \$3,010.00 |
| Monday Night Service | 13 | \$280.00 |

COINS FOR CHRIST: All loose coins in Sunday offerings during the 2nd quarter are designated to the Orphan Grain Train. Total amount collected so far \$57.20.

The Lord's Week

- Today 8:00 Divine Service
- 10:30 Service in the Park
- 11:30 Church Potluck & Activities at the Park
- Monday 7:00 Weekday Service of Holy Communion
- Tuesday 12:00 Ladies Quilting
- Thursday 12:00 Ladies Quilting
- Sunday 8:00 Divine Service
- 9:15 Adult Bible Class
- 10:30 Divine Service
- 1:00 Home Meeting
- 3:30 Home Meeting

Church office hours are 8:30am-1:30pm, Monday thru Friday.

The Church office will be closed June 27th and June 28th.

Pastor Reek will be in the church office on Monday's from 2:30pm until after service and Wednesday's from 9:30-1:00pm. Anyone needing / wishing to visit personally with pastor, please contact the church office.

Pastor Reek can also be reached at 402-476-2828 or at

Dirk.Reek@cune.edu.

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▲ Please rise for last stanza and sing Amen