

## News and Notes of Interest

**BAPTISM:** Liberty Ann Oltmans, daughter of Dave & Lisa Oltmans will be baptized in our 10:30am service today. Her sponsors are Lonnie & Beverly Duensing and witnesses are Will & Nancy Oltmans.

**THANK YOU** to the children from this year's Vacation Bible School for singing "Victory is Won" and "I Will Sing of the Mercies" during the 10:30am service this morning.

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

**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.

**QUILTS:** The ladies quilting group is looking for quilts to quilt. If you would like to have them do the quilting on a quilt for you, you may contact Loretta Mohling or Doretta Wiegand. Or feel free to stop by any Tuesday or Thursday from 12-2pm in the church basement.

**CAR FOR SALE:** We are selling the church's car that was used for visitations. It is a green 2001 Plymouth Neon/LX 4 door Sedan, with 108,000 miles. We are selling it by sealed bids for no less than \$750. If you would like to bid on it, write the amount of your bid along with your name and phone number on a piece of

paper and put it in an envelope. Turn it in to the church office by 7/31. Call Mike Johnson (402) 239-6320 if you have any questions.

**LWML LADIES:** Gary Thies of Mission Central, Mapleton, Iowa will celebrate his 75<sup>th</sup> Birthday on August 28<sup>th</sup>. It would be a blessing to shower Gary with cards and well wishes on his special day. Gary has touched the lives of so many in his many visits to congregations, schools, conventions and in-home visits through many, many years. If you want to join in the card shower for this "NOT NORMAL MISSIONARY", Gary's address is: Gary Thies, 40718 Highway E-16, Mapleton, IA 51034-7105.

**ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN** 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Convention will be Friday and Saturday, September 15 and 16 at the DeVent Center in Norfolk, Nebraska. The 2-day event will include a special recognition of Pastor Ray Wilke and the late Clayton Andrews for OGT's 25 years of serving those in need. The keynote speaker will be Dr. Dale Meyer; President of Concordia Seminary in St. Louis. Also listen to speakers from around the world, domestic relief update, and enjoy great food and entertainment. For more information and to register by August 1 for the discounted rate of \$50, go to [www.ogt.org](http://www.ogt.org) or call Orphan Grain Train's home office 402-371-7393. Prior to convention, on Thursday, September 14 Orphan Grain Train will be hosting a special recognition of Orphan Grain Train's 25 years at the International Office, 601 W Phillip Avenue in Norfolk. The public is invited to the Recognition at 10 a.m. with an open house to follow until 1 p.m. OGT would like to invite you to see what they have been doing the past 25 years. For more information please call their home office at 402-371-7393.



Sixth Sunday after Trinity  
July 23, 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 ...

- We rejoice with Dave & Lisa Oltmans at the baptism of their daughter Liberty Ann Oltmans.
  - Christina Findies (friend of Sharilyn Anderson), Ryan Loseman, Mark Seckel
  - 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: Arvid Wiest

### **8:00am Service**

Acolytes: Adam Riekenberg, Olivia Aden, Kamree Weishahn

Elders: Rod Aden, Ken Loemker

Greeters: Tanya Maklchow, Vickie Frerking

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

### **10:30am Service**

Acolytes: Noah Hagemeyer, Samuel Wallman, Mackenzie Holthus

Elders: Craig Wallman, Cliff Kumm

Greeters: Bob & Lorelie Ankersen

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

**Today's radio broadcast** is sponsored in memory of Boyd & Arlene Smith 67<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary, which would have been July 28<sup>th</sup>, by Arlene Smith.

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## *Gifts of Time and Treasure*

<b>Attendance &amp; Contributions Last Week</b>		
8:00 AM Service	83	\$1,346.00
10:30 AM Service	65	\$1,831.00
Monday Night Service	7	\$155.00

**COINS FOR CHRIST:** All loose coins in Sunday offerings during the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter are designated to Lutheran Family Services. Total amount collected so far \$11.61.

## *The Lord's Week*

Today	8:00	Divine Service
	9:15	Adult Bible Class
	10:30	Divine Service
	3:30	Home Meeting
Monday	7:00	Weekday Service of Holy Communion
Tuesday	12:00	Ladies Quilting/Tying
Thursday	12:00	Ladies Quilting
Sunday	8:00	Divine Service
	9:15	Adult Bible Class
	10:30	Divine Service

**Church office hours** are 8:30am-1:30pm, Monday thru Friday. 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](mailto:Dirk.Reek@cune.edu).

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