



8:00 am Service

## St. Paul's Lutheran Church

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## THE ORDER OF DIVINE SERVICE

### Setting Four

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THE PRELUDE

THE WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN: "O Day of Rest and Gladness"      LSB 906 ▲

INVOCATION      LSB 203

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION      LSB 203

INTROIT      *Ps. 145:1-3, 6-7; antiphon: Ps. 145:5*

On the glorious splendor of your | majesty,\*  
**and on your wondrous works, I will | meditate.**

I will extol you, my | God and King,\*  
**and bless your name forever and | ever.**

Every day I will | bless you\*  
**and praise your name forever and | ever.**

Great is the LORD, and greatly | to be praised,\*  
**and his greatness is un- | searchable.**

They shall speak of the might of your | awesome deeds,\*  
**and I will declare your | greatness.**

They shall pour forth the fame of your abundant | goodness\*  
**and shall sing aloud of your | righteousness.**

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**

**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

On the glorious splendor of your | majesty,\*  
**and on your wondrous works, I will | meditate.**

KYRIE      LSB 204

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS      LSB 204

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY      LSB 205

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING:      Genesis 9:8-17

Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, "Behold, I establish my covenant with you and your offspring after you, and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the livestock, and every beast of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark; it is for every beast of the earth. I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of the flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth." And God said, "This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: I have set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be

a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh. And the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth." God said to Noah, "This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth."

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**THE EPISTLE FOR THE DAY:**

Ephesians 3:14-21

*(To Him be glory in the Church and in Christ for all generations.)*

For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

LSB 205

**THE HOLY GOSPEL:**

Mark 6:45-56

*(Jesus walks on water.)*

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the sixth chapter.

**People: Glory to You, O Lord.**

Immediately [Jesus] made his disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, to Bethsaida, while he dismissed the crowd. And after he had taken leave of them, he went up on the mountain to pray. And when evening came, the boat was out on the sea, and he was alone on the land. And he saw that they were making headway painfully, for the wind was against them. And about the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. He meant to pass by them, but when they saw him walking on the sea they thought it was a ghost, and cried out, for they all saw him and were terrified. But immediately he spoke to them and said, "Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid." And he got into the boat with them, and the wind ceased. And they were utterly astounded, for they did not understand about the loaves, but their hearts were hardened. When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored to the shore. And when they got out of the boat, the people immediately recognized him and ran about the whole region and began to bring the sick people on their beds to wherever they heard he was. And wherever he came, in villages, cities, or countryside, they laid the sick in the marketplaces and implored him that they might touch even the fringe of his garment. And as many as touched it were made well.

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

NICENE CREED LSB 206

HYMN OF THE DAY: “Be Still, My Soul” LSB 752

## THE SERMON

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH LSB 207

OFFERING LSB 207

## SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE LSB 208

SANCTUS LSB 208

LORD’S PRAYER *(spoken in unison)* LSB 209

WORDS OF INSTITUTION LSB 209

AGNUS DEI LSB 210

## DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN “Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord” LSB 637

DISTRIBUTION HYMN “Chief of Sinners Though I Be” LSB 611

NUNC DIMITTIS LSB 211

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT LSB 212

BENEDICAMUS and BENEDICTION LSB 212

CLOSING HYMN: “O God, Forsake Me Not” LSB 731

## POSTLUDE

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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:** In bread and wine of the Lord’s Supper, our Lord Jesus comes to us in His true Body & Blood. In this Holy Meal, one receives full forgiveness and perfect unity with each other. Scripture requires that each communicant first examine himself/herself regarding confession of sin, trust in Jesus for salvation, belief in the Real Presence, and the desire to grow in grace. We believe that Communion is a time when believers of like mind come close to the Lord and to one another. We do practice ‘close’ Communion, which means that all communicants believe as we do, and graciously receive this gift.



**Have you volunteered lately?** Please prayerfully consider serving on a committee or board in our church or school. We have many committees that are in need of volunteers. Volunteers are such an important part of St. Paul's. Contact the church office if you would like to serve on a committee or board.

# *St. Paul's Lutheran School*



Join us for a fun day of Golf and help us support  
Christ Centered Education!

**August 12, 2018**

\$325/Team Includes:  
Green Fees, Cart Rental, and Range Balls, and Dinner  
Dinner Only \$12/person

Prizes Include:  
Many Flag Prizes  
1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Prize packages, and...  
Hole in One Prizes

### Schedule of Events

12:15-12:45pm.....Registration  
1:00pm.....Shotgun Start  
5:00pm.....Dinner and Awards

### Benefits

All proceeds will be added to our scholarship fund to help aid families who want to provide a Christ centered education for their children.

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER AUGUST 6, 2018**

Registration forms are located on the table in the narthex or in the church and school office.

# Our Weekly Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Birthdays:

29	Tammy Brown	2	Neeley Duff
30	Cody Brown		Merle Kuhlmann
31	Reginald Kumm		Donna Lofing
	Verjean Noojin	3	Robert Frerking
1	Anthony Itzen		Benjamin Martin
	Dale Rickers	4	Brittanie Keating
			Carla Meyer
			Cheryl Wirth

Anniversaries:

None

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## *Gifts of Time and Treasure*

Attendance & Contributions Last Week		
8:00 AM Service	67	\$820.00
10:30 AM Service	72	\$3,277.00
Monday Night Service	11	\$3,005.00
Coins for Christ (Loose Coins)		Orphan Grain Train -- \$0.86

All loose coins in Sunday offerings during the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter were designated to Camp Luther. Total we gave to Camp Luther was \$46.40.

## *The Lord's Week*

Today	8:00	Divine Service
	9:15	Adult Bible Class
	10:30	Divine Service
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

**Church office hours** are

9:00am-12:00pm and 1:00pm-4:00pm, Monday thru Friday  
The office may be closed on occasion, so please call ahead.

Anyone needing / wishing to visit personally with Pastor Wiest, please contact the church office. Pastor Wiest can also be reached at

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