

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Sunday, April 7, 2024

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 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.

Communion Guidance: Holy Scripture teaches that the Lord's Supper is a precious gift in which Jesus Christ gives us His true body and blood, together with the bread and the wine, for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith. Because the Bible teaches that this Sacrament may be spiritually harmful if it is misused and that participation in the Lord's Supper is an act of confessing a shared faith, we seek to commune those who have been instructed and confess the Christian faith as it is taught in God's Word. For visitors who wish to commune at St. Paul's, we want you know that we value you and reach out to you in love. It is our desire to provide communion for not only members of our congregation, but also members of fellow Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (LCMS) congregations and congregations in fellowship with the LCMS. If you are not a member of such a congregation, it is godly and caring to carefully consider your attendance at the Sacrament in advance to see if there is need for further instruction or questions to be answered. Please refer to our summary of faith, which is available on our webpage and in printed form by the entrance or in the pews, to help ascertain if you share in our confession of faith or would like to receive instruction. We also invite you to speak with the pastor well before the service regarding the Sacrament of the Altar.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:

Please note: The names listed below will remain on our public prayer list for two weeks unless the church office is notified otherwise. Thank you.

We pray for...

Continuing Prayers... Lilly Baker (daughter-in-law of Chuck & Michelle Baker), Bob Denton, Angie Fossler, Geri Heist, Cheri McConnell, Mary Scheve, Kathleen Totten (sister of Michelle Baker), Cindy Weise, Larry Weishahn

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

Today's Radio Broadcast and Bulletin are sponsored by Joyce Neumann and Family in memory of Herman Neumann Birthday. Herman & Joyce's Anniversary would have been April 10.

In His Service

9:00 am Divine Service

- Preacher: Rev. Daryn Bahn
- Organist: Beverly Duensing
- Reader: David Doering
- Elder: Matt Helmke
- Acolytes: Anthony Long, La'Kaya Long
- Greeters: Bob & Lorelie Ankersen
- Ushers: Terry Brethouwer, Clair Duensing, Dale Rickers, Mike Duever, LaVerne Malchow, Roger Mohling

Stewardship Moment

John 20:19 – “Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, ‘Peace be with you.’” The peace we have in Jesus is what makes a life of good works possible. Since we know that it is Jesus who saved us, and not our works, we are now free to do good works not out of self-interest, but for the right reasons: out of thanksgiving toward God and love for our neighbors.

Gifts of Time and Treasure

Attendance & Contributions	
9:00 AM Service - Easter	210
Monday Evening Service	0
Weekly Offering	\$4,517
6:30am Easter Sunrise Service	51
Maundy Thursday	72
Maundy Thursday Offering	\$2,622.00
Good Friday	91
Good Friday Offering	\$1,793.00
Coins for Christ (Loose Coins)	\$4.40

Our Weekly Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Birthdays:

9	Crystal Henshaw		William Wehling
	Lawrence Johnsen	11	Kevin Rahe
	Tanna Kimmerling	13	Peggy Doering
	Max Rix		Lacey Jurgens
	Chelsey Fralin		

Anniversaries:

None

The Lord's Week

Today	8:00	Radio Broadcast on KWBE
	9:00	Divine Service
	10:15	Sunday School
		No Adult Bible Class
Monday		NO Monday Night Service
Wednesday	8:15	School Chapel
	2:45	Catechism Classes
Thursday	2:00	Lydia/Mary Circle
Saturday		Kelly's Day Off
Sunday	8:00	Radio Broadcast on KWBE
	9:00	Divine Service
	10:15	Adult Bible Class/Sunday School
	7:00pm	Sunday to 6pm Monday - Pastor Bahn's Sabbath

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS are 8:00am-5:00pm, Monday - Thursday, and Saturday. The office may be closed on occasion, so please call ahead. Pastor Bahn's office hours will typically include but are not limited to from 10am to 12pm Tues.-Fri. Whether working in his church office, at the study in the parsonage, or out in the community, Pastor Bahn is always available and looks forward to the blessing of your company! Please call or text him at 715-305-8667 any time to get together or just to talk!

BUSY BAGS for your child to use and return are available in the narthex of the church. If you need assistance, please ask an usher or greeter.

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS: St. Paul's has large print hymnals available for use during the services. The hymnals are in the back pew and on a table by the elevator. Feel free to take them to your pew.

MONDAY NIGHT SERVICES: There will be no Monday night service on April 8th, or April 15th.

St. Paul's Lutheran School Information

RUSS'S MARKET RECEIPTS & SCHOOL COLLECTIONS: Russ's Market cash register receipts update: Our current total \$388,480.85. Other items you can collect to support or school: Box Tops for Education (must be submitted electronically); Best Choice, Our Family Labels and Tyson A+ Labels. All these collections can be submitted to the school office or the box in the narthex, and we thank you for helping to support our school! Russ's Market receipt program is used towards the purchase of school supplies (ex. Paint or playground balls).

St. Paul's Lutheran Youth Group Information

CAR WASH TICKETS: The LYF are selling Super Wash car wash tokens - 5 for \$20!! They are available in the church office.

ST. PAUL'S YOUTH GROUP meets the 2nd and 4th Sunday of every month. Meetings are held at the school from 5-7pm. Youth plan now to join us at our next meeting for an activity, food, and a Bible Study. Watch the bulletin for more information. Questions, you may contact Amy Duever 785-614-3393 or Joanna Gellermann-Long 425-591-5318.

How to follow Pastor Bahn in the Boston Marathon:

On April 15, tens of thousands of athletes will descend on Boston and its neighboring communities for the 128th Boston Marathon. As the world's oldest annual marathon, the race attracts everyone from amateurs to the best runners in the world. While many will race, even more will be cheering for their friends, family, celebrities, and elite athletes in person or virtually. For those spectators, the ability to track athletes is crucial. If you're looking for real-time updates on marathon athletes, here's how fans can live track participants as they race toward the finish line.

Through the app

The official Boston Athletic Association Racing app is now available for download in the Apple app store and on Google Play. Once again, it will feature live tracking and updates based on 16 checkpoints along the course of the marathon.

Users can track as many athletes as they would like. It allows tracking not only for the marathon, but for all BAA races this spring. The app contains interactive course maps, athlete leaderboards, fundraising totals, and more information.

The app is very popular each year, usually rising to the top of sports app charts during April, a BAA spokesperson said. It was downloaded more than 300,000 times last year, and the BAA is expecting to match or surpass that number in 2024. The most-tracked athletes are usually pros or celebrities.

Online

Athletes can also be tracked using the BAA website. <https://www.baa.org/> The site will convert into a new format oriented around tracking racers on the morning of April 15. Searchable results, leaderboards, information on splits, and tracking will all be available.

The marathon [route](#) snakes through Hopkinton, Ashland, Framingham, Natick, Wellesley, Newton, Brookline, and Boston. The BAA offers a [town-by-town guide](#) to find the best places to

watch the race. Anyone can also access a full [full spectator guide](#) online

Watch live on TV or follow on social media

Coverage of the marathon will air from 4 a.m. to 8 p.m. on WCVB. Nationally, the race will air on ESPN2 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The first wave of athletes, the men’s wheelchair division, start their race at 9:02 a.m. The professional male runners begin at 9:37 a.m. and the professional women begin at 9:47 a.m.

Pastor Bahn’s information:

Daryn Bahn

Bib number: 7515

(That’s also my rank!)

I’ll be loading the bus for Hopkinton at 6:45 a.m.

I’m in the red wave, corral 8, and I’ll be starting the race at 10:00 a.m.! It’s almost here!



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Save
of the
Date



You are
invited

May Day Celebration Salad Supper

Wednesday May 1, 2024

6:30-8:30pm

in the fellowship hall

Theme: *Patterns for Living*

A pattern is an original or model of something created for the purpose of imitation. It is something designed to be copied or imitated. For example, in the western world clothing is created from patterns. A dress pattern is placed on material and the material cut according to the pattern. Many dresses can be created from the same pattern and they will all be identical because they came from the same pattern. A Biblical pattern is a spiritual model or example given in Scripture for purposes of imitation. For example, the life of Jesus Christ is given as a pattern or model which believers are to follow. Join us as we look at our daily patterns for life verses the patterns Jesus would want us to follow.

Everyone is invited to bring a salad to share and a small gift to be included in a May Day Basket to one of our shut-ins. Example of gifts: package of Kleenex, note pads, pens, candy, crackers, religious items, etc.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 26TH
DOORS: 6:30PM | EVENT: 7PM TO 10PM

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