



## St. Paul's Lutheran Church Weekly Announcements

**Week of May 25 –June 1, 2025**

Today: Worship 8:15 & 10:45 a.m.  
 Disciple Training Hour 9:30 a.m.  
 Monday: Friends of Christ Memorial Day Breakfast 8:00 a.m.  
 Offices Closed—Memorial Day  
 Tuesday: Evangelism Comm. Meeting 4:30 p.m.  
 Thursday Morning Bible Study 9:00 a.m.  
 Saturday: Worship/Communion 6:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: Worship/Communion— Pastor Hsu 10:00 a.m.  
 Farewell Dinner Following Service

Reader Schedule	Sat. 6 pm	Sun. 8:15	Sun. 10:45 a.m.
May 24-25	Connie Brown	Dallas Schulz	Chaney Teut
June 1		10 am Doug Lehr	
Acolyte Schedule	Sun. 8:15		Sun. 10:45 a.m.
May 25	Emilee DeVries		Ryder Huff

### **FAMILY MATTERS**

**Last Week's Attendance:** May 17-18: 126

**Pray for Each Other** We ask your prayers on behalf of our friends in Christ who have been hospitalized or are sick and *also be with those dealing with ongoing sicknesses: Coleen Reich, Janice Hinrichsen, Patty Erickson, Joe Rose, Connie Spahn, Carolyn Stuhr, Ron & Karen Sherrill, Barb Davis, Pat Berger-Conlon, Patty Murphy, Ron & Dorothy Will, Deb and Julian Wolfe, Judy Seaman, Bernie Attema, Vickie Johnson, and Kim and Sharon Sparr.*



**Altar Flowers:** The flowers on the altar today are given by Jan Black, in memory of her husband Tim who passed away on May 22, 203.

**Memorial Day:** The Church and School offices will be closed **Monday, May 26** in observation of Memorial Day.

**Friends of Christ Memorial Day Breakfast:** Will meet on **Monday, May 26** at 8:00 a.m. for the annual Memorial Day Breakfast here at St. Paul's. Marlene and Wilma will provide breakfast and we will sing some patriotic songs.

**Council Meeting:** Hello everyone, sorry for the late notice, but I need to call for a church council meeting on **Wednesday May 28th** at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. If you are unable to attend the meeting please let me know as soon as possible. We will be going over the plans for the renovation of the church/school offices, selection of the call committee, and reports from each of the boards. > Blessings, Dallas Schulz

**Summer Schedule for Sunday Services:** We will be having some changes during the summer for our regular worship services. Beginning

# Financial Report 2025

## Love Offering/We Care Ministry Report

Last Week		Received To Date		Amount Distributed		Balance	
\$0		\$17,274.43		\$3,791.92		\$13,482.51	
Church Weekly Offerings Report			Church Yearly Budget \$382,329.00				
Received (05/18/25)	Weekly Budget	%	Up-To-Date Received	Up-To-Date Budget	%		
\$6,923.03	\$7,352.48	94%	\$143,993.11	\$147,049.60	98%		

**Sunday, June 8** our regular worship services will be at **7:30 a.m. (Traditional)** and **10:45 a.m. (Praise)** each Sunday during the summer. **We will not be having a Saturday 6:00 p.m. service** due the time constraints of our vacancy Pastor, Pastor James Travis. Enjoy your summer and we look forward to worshipping with you this summer.

**Summer Office Hours:** Pastor James Travis will have office hours on Wednesday mornings (8:00 a.m.—noon) beginning **June 4** with the exception for the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. when he will be leading worship at Northern Hills. If you have a spiritual need or questions, he will be available on Wednesdays to assist you. He will be the Vacancy Pastor for the summer. If there is an emergency he can be reached at 712-202-8516.

**Facebook Live Streaming :** We will be going back to live streaming on our **MAIN Facebook page** for our services at 7:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. beginning **June 8**. Just look for us just like you used to several months ago.

**Service PowerPoint and Live Stream Operator needed:** We are looking for a few more people to help out during both Sunday services running the PowerPoint and livestreaming. We will be working on a schedule so you should only have to do it 1 or 2 times a month. Computer knowledge would be helpful. Please contact Dana in the office if you can help in this area.

**Pastor Kenny's New Call:** As you know my family and I have been called on a new faith journey at Lutheran Church of Our Savior in Rosemount, MN. My last Sunday here at St. Paul's will be **June 1**. My family and I ask for your prayers as we pack and move to where God is leading us next. Pastor Kenny and Family.

**Farewell Dinner:** We are having a farewell dinner for Pastor after the 10:00 service on **Sunday, June 1st** please sign up in the back of the church or call the office so we can know how many to plan for.

**Teacher Appreciation Luncheon:** Join us as we celebrate our teachers and the wonderful school year we have had. On **Sunday, June 8** at Noon in the school gym the Board of Ed will be hosting a luncheon following the 10:45 a.m. service. Please sign up at the back of the church or call the office to let us know how many are coming.

**Regular Scheduled Meetings**  
**Disciple Training Hour-Sunday**  
**9:30 a.m.**

\* **Lesson of the Day with**  
**Frank Tenuta in the church**  
**office meeting room.**

**Beginning June 8.** Sunday Bible Study will be at 9:15 a.m. in the church basement taught by Frank Tenuta.

**Friends of Christ:** Will meet on **Monday, May 26** at 8:00 a.m. for the annual Memorial Day Breakfast here at St. Paul's. Marlene and Wilma will provide breakfast and we will sing some patriotic songs.

**Elders Meeting:** will be **Tuesday, June 3** at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Office Conference Room.

**Lamplighters:** Meets the first Wednesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. on **June 4** at Faith Lutheran Church.

**St. Paul's Women's League Meeting:** will be meeting in the church basement on **Thursday, June 5** at 1:00 p.m.

**Anna Circle/Sewing Group** normally meet twice a month on the second and fourth Mondays. We will meet on **June 9 & 23** at 9:00 a.m. in the church basement.

**Youth Board meeting** on **Wednesday, June 11** at 5:30 p.m. in the church basement.

**Mary Martha Circle:** will meet **Monday, June 16** at 6:00 p.m. at Perkins Eastside.

**Board of Education:** will be **Tues., July 8** at 7:00 p.m. in the church office conference room.

**Evangelism Committee Meeting:** Will meet on **Tuesdays** at 4:30 p.m. in Church Office Conference Room.

**Bible Study:** **Thursday** morning Bible Study will be meeting in the Church Office at 9:00 a.m.

**North Stars Boys Choir Concert:** Join us for a free concert featuring the North Stars Boys Choir from Maple Grove, MN on **Saturday, June 14th** at 6:00 p.m.

**Host families NEEDED!** We are looking for families to host the boys for the night. There are 14 boys whose age range from 8-14 and two adults. Please sign up or let Dana in the office know if you are available to host. Host families will have a dinner with the boys before the concert and then will take them home, feed them a good breakfast and return to the church by 8:45 a.m. so they can leave by 9:00 a.m.

**AUXILIARY ANNUAL QUILT AUCTION:** You are invited to come to Camp Okoboji on **Saturday, June 14** for a freewill lunch beginning at 11:00 AM, shop at the craft table, view and examine the quilts and enjoy the afternoon bidding on the quilts of your choice to support the Auxiliary as they raise funds to support Camp Okoboji. You can also view the quilts online at [www.campokoboji.org](http://www.campokoboji.org)

**TUITION ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR** for St Paul's Lutheran School (grades K-5). Members of St Paul's Lutheran Church may receive \$1,000 per student towards St Paul's Lutheran School tuition. This assistance is courtesy of a generous donation to the Redeemer Lutheran Church Endowment and

Legacy Fund. If interested, please call the St Paul's Lutheran church office {712-252-0338} to provide your contact information or pick up a form. Please return the form to Redeemer Lutheran Church or St Paul's Lutheran Church. Deadline to apply is **July 31st, 2025**. Please note completion of this form does not take the place of a school enrollment application.

**ESA Assistance:** Iowa ESAs and Financial Aid deadline to apply for the 2025-26 school year **Monday, June 30**. All Iowa families are eligible for ESA funding beginning in the 2025-26 school year. You will still need to submit an online application. Iowa families that were not eligible for an ESA this year or did not apply last year will be able to apply this year for the 2025-2026 school year. For more details or help applying contact the school office (712-258-6325).

### **Neighbor News and Events**

**Christian Cross Festival:** **Saturday, June 7** 2:00 –11:00 p.m. Skyview Lake, Norfolk, NE. Free concert event. More info can be found at [christiancrossfestival.org](http://christiancrossfestival.org).

**Singles Retreat:** **June 13-15** Camp Omega in Waterville, MN. Join us for a weekend of indoor and outdoor recreation, Bible studies, and worship. Open to ages 21-41. \$100 per person for two nights of lodging and four meals. Schedule and Registration: <https://www.lcmsheartlandsingles.com/>

**Rise Fest:** **Friday and Saturday, June 20 –21** 5:00 –10:30 p.m. and 11:00 a.m.—10:30 p.m. in Sheldon, IA Cost is \$65. To get tickets and more info go to [www.riseministries.com](http://www.riseministries.com).

**IDW Convention:** **June 8-10, 2025** District Convention, Camp Okoboji.

**LWML National Convention:** Will be **June 26-29** in Omaha, NE. To register online go to [www.lwml.org/convention](http://www.lwml.org/convention).

### **Save the Dates for Summer VBS:**

- Hope Lutheran , SSC, **June 9-13** “Epic Australian Adventure” 9:00-11:00 a.m.
- Holy Cross, Dakota Dunes **June 9-12** “Saddle Up Trail of Faith” 9:00 –11:30 a.m.
- Redeemer Lutheran, SC **July 6-10** “True North” 6:00 -8:00p.m.
- Shepherd of Peace, Sgt. Bluff—**July 7-10** “God’s Big Party”
- Calvary , Leeds—VBS **July 14-18** at 5:30 p.m.  
Day Camps—Art Camp—**June 24** 9am –3pm  
Woodworking—**July 8—9** 9 am - 3 pm  
Cooking—**Aug. 5** 9 am –3 pm

**Casey’s School Fundraising:** We are pleased to announce that St. Paul’s received \$22 from the Casey’s give back to schools program. To participate in this program go purchase gas or other items, enter your Casey’s rewards number and earn points in the Casey’s app. Cash in your rewards on their app for St. Paul’s. Learn more at [www.caseys.com](http://www.caseys.com).