



St. Paul's Lutheran Church Weekly Announcements

Week of Aug 3—10, 2025

Today: Worship/Communion 7:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Disciple Training Hour 9:15 a.m.
Woodbury County Fair School Fundraiser All Day

Tuesday: Evangelism Committee Meeting 4:30 p.m.
Board of Education Meeting—Library 7:00 p.m.
Elders Meeting—Church basement 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Lamplighters—Redeemer Lutheran 9:30 a.m.

Thursday: Bible Study—School Library 9:00 a.m.
Women's League Morning Meeting 9:30 a.m.

Sunday: Worship 7:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Disciple Training Hour 9:15 a.m.

Reader Schedule	Sun. 7:30 a.m.	Sun. 10:45 a.m.
Aug 3	Dallas Schulz	Ralph Schroeder
Aug. 10	Doug Lehr	Jami Langholdt

FAMILY MATTERS

Last Week's Attendance: July 27: 114

Pray for Each Other We ask your prayers on behalf of our friends in



Christ who have been hospitalized and sick: Coleen Reich,
Leroy Zeising, Michael Lyons, Marvin Hilden, Natalie Powell,
*Connie Spahn, Janice Hinrichsen, Carolyn Stuhr, Ron & Karen
Sherrill, Bernie Attema, Pat Berger-Conlon, Patty Murphy,
Dorothy and Ron Will, Deb and Julian Wolfe, Judy Seaman,
Vickie Johnson, and Kim and Sharon Sparr.*

Flowers on the Altar: The flowers on the Altar are in loving memory of Wilbur and Martha Grohs from their family in honor of their birthday.

Woodbury County Fair Fundraiser: Please consider stopping at the Woodbury County Fair at the Redeemer Lutheran's food Co-op in the Bleil Building. St. Paul's Day will be **Sunday, August 3**. The Food booth will be open from 7 am to 7 pm.

Kitchen Appliances Available: If a member of the congregation has need of a dishwasher, stainless steel sink, electric stove, refrigerator or microwave, please contact Dudley Joines at 712-564-7335

Join the Inner Circle! Update your email address: We need everyone to update your emails on the connection/attendance card or email Dana at siouxcitystpauls@gmail.com. The Call Committee is beginning the process to call a pastor for our church. They will be sending out an email survey in August or September and we need to have accurate emails to make sure you are included in this process.

Church Office Hours and Location The office remodel has begun, so if you need to come to the office please use **Door #4** which is located on

Financial Report 2025

Love Offering/We Care Ministry Report

Last Week		Received To Date		Amount Distributed		Balance	
\$0		\$18,259.43		\$5,896.68		\$12,362.75	
Church Weekly Offerings Report			Church Yearly Budget \$382,329.00				
Received (07/27/25)	Weekly Budget	%	Up-To-Date Received	Up-To-Date Budget	%		
\$3,749.83	\$7,352.48	51%	\$197,602.01	\$220,574.40	90%		

the front of the gym building through the grass. Please knock on the door and someone will open the door and let you in. Please do not use the front entrance area as it will be blocked off for construction. The summer office hour schedule will be 8:30 am to 4:30 pm now until the week before school restarts (Monday, August 18).

Summer Schedule for Sunday Services: Our regular worship services will be at **7:30 a.m. (Traditional)** and **10:45 a.m. (Praise)** each Sunday during the summer.

Pastor Travis Office Hours: Pastor James Travis office hours Wednesday mornings (8:00 a.m.—noon). If you have a spiritual need or questions, he will be available on Wednesdays to assist you. For an emergency he can be reached at 712-202-8516.

Facebook Live Streaming: We will be live streaming on our **MAIN Facebook page** for our services at 7:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

ANNUAL Golf Outing Steak Sales continue!: Summer grilling time is here and we have the perfect steaks for your grill out! 10oz NY strips are 2 for \$15 or a box of 16 for \$120. Pick your steaks up after both Sunday Services or during regular church office hours.

Get your Team!!! Our Annual Golf Outing School Fundraiser is coming up on **Sunday, August 17th!** Tee time is 1:00 p.m. at Sun Valley Golf Course. Dinner and Silent Auction begins at 4:00 p.m. at the St. Paul's school gym. Teams of 4 are \$80 per player and includes dinner. Dinner only is \$20 per adult and \$6 per child under 10. Get your team registered early to reserve your spot.

Donate Pie Fillings for the Golf Outing—All flavors of pie fillings are needed especially Apple, Peach, Cherry, Strawberry and Blueberry to make the pies for the bake sale, the dinner. Walmart GreatValue and Aldi's brands are the best. Please bring to the church office **now to Aug. 6.**

LWML Zone Board Meeting: There will be LWML Zone Board meeting on **Tuesday, Aug. 26** at 6:30 p.m. in the Church basement here at St. Paul's.

LWML Zone Fall Rally: The LWML Fall Zone Rally will be at St. Paul's on **Saturday, September 13.** The guest speaker will be Dr. Steve Schulz from Mission Central and will be sharing about the "Mission to any and all the world". All women are invited to attend.

LWML Fall Retreat: The Iowa District West LWML Fall retreat will be

Regular Scheduled Meetings

Sunday Disciple Training Hour-

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

Board of Education: will be **Tuesday, August 5** at 7:00 p.m. in the school library room.

Elders Meeting: will be **Tuesday, August 5** at 7:00 p.m. in the Church basement.

Lamplighters: Meets the first Wednesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. on **August 6** at Redeemer Lutheran Church.

St. Paul's Women's League

Meeting: will be Thursday, **August 7** at 9:30 a.m. in the Church basement. This is our morning meeting!

Anna Circle/Sewing Group

normally meet twice a month on the second and fourth Mondays. We will meet on **Aug. 11 and 25** at 9:00 a.m. in the church basement.

Evangelism Committee Meeting:

Will meet at 4:30 p.m. on the **second and fourth Tuesdays, Aug 11 & 25** in Church basement until the office remodel is complete

Youth Board meeting on **Wednesday, August 13** at 5:30 p.m. in the church basement.

Mary Martha Circle: will meet **Monday, Aug. 18** at 6:00 p.m. at Perkins Eastside.

Bible Study: **Every Thursday** at 9:00 a.m. Bible Study will be meeting in the School Library this week because of Women's Leagues morning meeting.

Saturday, September 20 at Mission Central in Mapleton. Make plans to join us.

New Thrivent Choice Dollars for the 2nd quarter of 2025 are available for Thrivent Members who have Choice Dollars. Please direct them as soon as possible at www.thrivent.com or call 800-847-4836.

Neighbor News and Events

Young Adult Bible Study: Young adults are invited to come to a Bible Study on **Thursday nights** at 7:30 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church.

Save the Dates for Summer VBS:

- Calvary Day Camps—Free. Sign up at calvaryleeds.com for the Cooking Camp—**Aug. 5** 9 am –3 pm

The Best of Ireland Trip Pastor Michael Awe in cooperation with Nawas International Travel would like to invite you to join him to experience St. Patrick's Day in Ireland for an exciting 11 day tour of Ireland on **March 16-26, 2026!** We will enjoy sites of Ireland including a trip to Dublin. The price is \$4599 and includes most meals, first-class accommodations, transportation, and roundtrip airfare from Omaha. If you are interested in joining him for this memorable experience, please contact Pastor Michael Awe at 531.218.5793 or e-mail him at the1revma@gmail.com. Space is limited. **FYI:** He will also be offering a tour of the Holy Land in **December 2026.**

Redeemer Food Shelf: The Redeemer Food Shelf is open every Friday from 9 to Noon. If you have extra produce from your garden,

please consider bringing it to Redeemer anytime on Thursday on Friday before 9 am.

Siouxland Hispanic Ministry Meeting on Tuesday, Aug. 5 at Hope Lutheran in South Sioux City.

School Fundraising:

RaiseRight Gift Cards: Stop in the office and pick up gift cards or place an order on www.raiseright.com by just scanning this code. With the app, you can download and pay directly at the stores. To set up your account contact Rachel Chapple at 712-898-2178.



IOWA LUTHERAN SCHOOL TUITION ORGANIZATION (ILSTO)

Please help ILSTO be fully funded for 2025! For the 2025 tax year, the legislature has again allocated \$20,000,000 for Tuition Tax Credits for the STO program across the state of Iowa. ILSTO will have over \$1,000,000 in tax credits to distribute to donors. For more information about the Iowa Lutheran School Tuition Organization, contact Dewey Torkelson at 712-260-2991.

Thrivent Members: can help by: 1. Designate Choice Dollars - go to www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice or call 800-THRIVENT (800-847-4836). You have more choice dollars to direct after each quarter. (March 31, June 30, Sept. 30 and Dec. 31).

2 - \$250 Thrivent members can continue to apply for two Action Team cards up to \$250 annually. If you are willing and able please contact Pam at the school or just apply at www.Thrivent.com.

Scan your BOX TOPS: after shopping, just scan your receipts on the Box Tops App and earn more money for the school. It is easy to participate. Download the Box Tops app, shop as you normally would, then use the app to scan your store receipt **within 14 days** of purchase. The app will identify Box Tops products on your receipt and automatically credit your school's earnings online.

Casey's App: Pick up a gift card in the office for Casey's, go purchase gas or other items, enter your Casey's rewards number and earn points. Cash in your rewards on their app for St. Paul's. Help St. Paul's make the most of this program and learn more at www.caseys.com.

Building Healthy Families:

Parents and grandparents, looking for something to do with your children or grandchildren during these waning days of summer? Take them to the cemetery with you on a mission to find your ancestors' grave sites. Bring along old family photos to match and give a face to the names on the tombstones. This could be a fun adventure for them and you, as well as a unique

opportunity for you to share your faith and stories of the faith of your family in previous generations. *You shall teach [God's commandments] diligently to your children and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. Deuteronomy 6:7* www.LutheranFamilyService.org. 4301 Sergeant Road, Ste. 203, Sioux City, Iowa 51106