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**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH-STRASBURG ILLINOIS**

**June 26, 2022**

**Third Sunday after Pentecost**

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**THIS WEEK WITH THE LORD**

SUN. 8:30 AM Communion Service  
9:30 AM **"Tree of Life Sunday School-pre-k-grade 1-8 and H.S.-ADULT"**

TUE. 9:00 AM Morning Bible Study

WED. 8:00 AM **Guide/Bulletin**  
8:30 AM Chair Yoga  
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

SUN. 8:30 AM Worship Service-Choir Sings "For Eternity"  
9:30 AM **"Tree of Life Sunday School-pre-k-grade 1-8 and H.S.-ADULT"**

**June 19 8:30: 136 Year Ago: 153 Sunday School: 43**

**Welcome** As we gather for worship, I welcome you — and please turn and welcome one another — in the name of Jesus Christ. *If you are a visitor, we invite you to worship with us again and to please sign our guestbook.*

**Family Life Center Baby Bottle** If anyone still has a baby bottle left to turn in for the Family Life Center, please put it in the church office or place it on the counter in the narthex. Thank you!!

**The Tree of Life Bible Study** Join us today in Sunday School (preschool-Adult) for The Tree of Life Bible Study which runs through August 14. The lesson each week will follow Pastor Whybrew's sermon. Today's lesson is "Slaying The Giant", 1 Samuel 17:4-18, 38-51. The Bible Verse is: Remember the Lord, who is great and awesome, Nehemiah 4:14. The goal is to understand that Jesus saves me from my worst enemies - sin, death, and Satan. The Bible Lesson for July 3 is "Delivered From The Lions", Daniel 6:1-23. The Bible Verse is: You are the God who works wonders. Psalm 77:14. The goal is to understand that Jesus faced the lionlike devil and came out of the tomb to rescue me.

**Social Hall Communion** Social Hall Communion will be Wednesday, July 13<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 p.m. in the social hall.

**FOR THE LORD'S WORK**

<u>CURRENT OFFERINGS</u>	<u>\$ TO MEET YEARLY BUDGET</u>	<u>\$ RECEIVED</u>	<u>\$ DIFFERENCE</u>
June 19	\$ 3,782.00	\$2,434.00	\$ -1,935.00
year-to-date	\$ 90,768.00	\$95,137.76	\$ 5,717.76
<b><u>Synod-Offerings</u></b>			
June 19	\$ 385.00	\$ 515.00	\$ 300.00
year-to-date	\$ 9,240.00	\$15,577.00	\$ 6,207.00
<b>TRINITY GOAL-\$10,000</b>		Total to Date	\$5,060.00
Building \$600 Trinity \$185 Bell Tower \$100 Rachel the Comfort Dog \$125			
	<b>June 19</b>		<b>\$3,959.00</b>

7/4 **Happy Fourth of July!**

7/5 8:30 AM Chair Yoga

6:30 PM Council Meeting

7/7 1:30 PM Ladies Aid-Hostess-Sharon Rincker

**Council Meeting** Mark your calendars for the upcoming Council meeting, July 5 at 6:30 p.m.

**60<sup>TH</sup> Birthday Celebration Don't Forget** to sign up for Pastor's 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration. The sheet is in the narthex. It is scheduled for **July 30, 2022, at St. Paul's Church, 12:00 noon.**

**Samaritan's Purse Shoe Box Project** Our church packed 88 boxes last November that were taken to Effingham. There they joined 11,163 boxes that were put in cartons and sent to a regional center. From there our boxes were sent to the following countries: Columbia, Malawi, and the Philippines. Our goal for this year is 100 boxes. If you would like to help with this worth while project put your items in the box in the narthex.

**ACH Debit** For all the St. Paul's members who have elected to have your offerings deducted from your bank account, the first debit should show up on your statement July 5<sup>th</sup> and the second one on July 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Voter's Meeting** The upcoming voter's meeting will be after church on Sunday, July 24<sup>th</sup>.



### **ANNIVERSARIES**

28- Mark\* & Janice Moomaw  
30- Louis\* & Carol Camilotto

### **BIRTHDAYS**

26- Kenna Wirth  
27- Dalton Storm; Richard Reel II;  
Logan Mathis; Samantha Hammack  
29- Luke Gilbert; Sheryl Duncan

### **HOUSEHOLDS OF THE WEEK**

Todd Daniels, Amanda Doehring, Brandon & Jessica Doehring, Darin Doehring, Don & Linda Doehring, Virginia Vogel, Allison & Bryan Vonderheide, Gina & Travis Vonderheide, Sheryl & Rick Vonderheide, Tanya Walker, Doug Walker

### **Recorded Services**

**Website:** [stpaul-strasburg.com](http://stpaul-strasburg.com)

**YouTube:** St. Paul's Lutheran Church  
Strasburg Illinois

**Facebook:** St. Paul's Lutheran Church

### **PRAYER**

Diane Paraiso	Melba Storm
Anna Schlechte	Ken Hagan
Frances York	Nick Hanfland
Mary Rincker	Carolyn Stremming
Wayne Wirth	Norma Huddleston
Dave Polk	

### **LIMITED MOBILITY**

Rose Schlechte- Villas of Hollybrook  
Robert Stremming-Heartland Senior Living  
Noma Huddleston - Lakeland Healthcare Center  
Imogene Lading – Villas of Holly Brook  
Bill Orr  
Rosemary Sporleder-Brookstone Mattoon  
Mildred Rincker – Heartland, Neoga  
Doris Stremming – Villas of Holly Brook

### **FRIENDS & FAMILY** **(non-members)**

Randy Doty  
Alberta Freeman (Cathy Stremming sister-cancer)  
Pat Williams(bypass surgery Wilma Spannagel's daughter)  
Lori Cannon (Chris Kramer cousin-cancer)  
Laikyn Bauer (Digeorge syndrome)  
Erica Stollard (cancer)  
Matt Durbin  
Ivan Crutcher (cancer, Karen Rentfro's uncle)  
Karl Zalman (cancer)  
Caralea (Moffett) Smith (cancer, undergoing treatments)

**Hymn of Invocation** Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus

LSB 685

- 1 Let us ever walk with Jesus, Follow His example pure,  
Through a world that would deceive us And to sin our spirits lure.  
Onward in His footsteps treading, Pilgrims here, our home above,  
Full of faith and hope and love, Let us do the Father's bidding.  
Faithful Lord, with me abide; I shall follow where You guide.
- 2 Let us suffer here with Jesus And with patience bear our cross.  
Joy will follow all our sadness; Where He is, there is no loss.  
Though today we sow no laughter, We shall reap celestial joy;  
All discomforts that annoy Shall give way to mirth hereafter.  
Jesus, here I share Your woe; Help me there Your joy to know.
- 3 Let us gladly die with Jesus. Since by death He conquered death,  
He will free us from destruction, Give to us immortal breath.  
Let us mortify all passion That would lead us into sin;  
And the grave that shuts us in Shall but prove the gate to heaven.  
Jesus, here with You I die, There to live with You on high.
- 4 Let us also live with Jesus. He has risen from the dead  
That to life we may awaken. Jesus, You are now our head.  
We are Your own living members; Where You live, there we shall be  
In Your presence constantly, Living there with You forever.  
Jesus, let me faithful be, Life eternal grant to me.

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*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

P Since we are gathered to hear God’s Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

### **Introit**

*Psalm 85:8–10, 13; antiphon: v. 7*

### **Kyrie**

*LSB 204*

C **Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.**

### **Gloria in Excelsis**

*LSB 204*

C **1 To God on high be glory And peace to all the earth;  
Goodwill from God in heaven Proclaimed at Jesus’ birth!  
We praise and bless You, Father; Your holy name, we sing—  
Our thanks for Your great glory, Lord God, our heav’nly King.**

**2 To You, O sole-begotten, The Father’s Son, we pray;  
O Lamb of God, our Savior, You take our sins away.  
Have mercy on us, Jesus; Receive our heartfelt cry,  
Where You in pow’r are seated At God’s right hand on high—**

**3 For You alone are holy; You only are the Lord.  
Forever and forever, Be worshiped and adored;  
You with the Holy Spirit Alone are Lord Most High,  
In God the Father’s glory. “Amen!” our glad reply.**

Text: Stephen P. Starke

## Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the love of Your name and nourish us with all goodness that we may love and serve our neighbor; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

## Old Testament Reading

*1 Kings 19:9b–21*

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## Epistle

*Galatians 5:1, 13–25*

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## Alleluia and Verse

C **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

C **These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.**

C **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

## Holy Gospel

*Luke 9:51–62*

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

## The Gospel is Read

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

## Nicene Creed

C **I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not**

**made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**Sermon Reading**      1 Samuel 17

**“Come, Follow Me,” the Savior Spake**

*LSB 688*

- 1    “Come, follow Me,” the Savior spake, “All in My way abiding;  
Deny yourselves, the world forsake, Obey My call and guiding.  
O bear the cross, whate’er betide, Take My example for your guide.
- 2    “I am the light, I light the way, A godly life displaying;  
I bid you walk as in the day; I keep your feet from straying.  
I am the way, and well I show How you must sojourn here below.
- 3    “My heart abounds in lowliness, My soul with love is glowing;  
And gracious words My lips express, With meekness overflowing.  
My heart, My mind, My strength, My all, To God I yield, on Him I call.
- 4    “I teach you how to shun and flee What harms your soul’s salvation,  
Your heart from ev’ry guile to free, From sin and its temptation.  
I am the refuge of the soul And lead you to your heav’nly goal.”
- 5    Then let us follow Christ, our Lord, And take the cross appointed  
And, firmly clinging to His Word, In suff’ring be undaunted.  
For those who bear the battle’s strain The crown of heav’nly life obtain.

Text: tr. Charles W. Schaeffer, 1813–96; (sts. 1–3, 5): Johann Scheffler, 1624–77; (st. 4): Geistliche Lieder und Lobgesänge, 1695  
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**Sermon**      "Slaying The Giant" 1 Samuel 17

**Prayer of the Church**

**Preface**

*LSB 208*

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

**Sanctus**

*LSB 208*

C **Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth adored;  
Heav'n and earth with full acclaim shout the glory of Your name.  
Sing hosanna in the highest, sing hosanna to the Lord;  
Truly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!**

Text: Stephen P. Starke

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

P Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.

We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross



and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

### **Lord's Prayer**

- C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

### **The Words of Our Lord**

#### **Pax Domini**

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C Amen.**

#### **Agnus Dei**

*LSB 210*

- C 1 O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God, You take the sin of the world away;  
O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God, Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.**

**2 O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God, You take the sin of the world away;  
Have mercy on us, Jesus Christ, And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.**

Text: Stephen P. Starke

#### **Distribution Hymns**

How Firm a Foundation

*LSB 728*

My Song Is Love Unknown

*LSB 430*

#### **Nunc Dimittis**

*LSB 211*

- C 1 O Lord, now let Your servant Depart in heav'nly peace, For I have seen the glory  
Of Your redeeming grace: A light to lead the Gentiles Unto Your holy hill, The glory  
of Your people, Your chosen Israel.**

**2 All glory to the Father, All glory to the Son, All glory to the Spirit, Forever Three  
in One; For as in the beginning, Is now, shall ever be, God's triune name  
resounding Through all eternity.**

## Post-Communion Collect

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

## Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and T give you peace.

C **Amen.**

## Recessional Hymn      Spread the Reign of God the Lord

LSB 830

- 1 Spread the reign of God the Lord, Spoken, written, mighty Word;  
Ev'rywhere His creatures call To His heav'nly banquet hall.
- 2 Tell how God the Father's will Made the world, upholds it still,  
How His own dear Son He gave Us from sin and death to save.
- 3 Tell of our Redeemer's grace, Who, to save our human race  
And to pay rebellion's price, Gave Himself as sacrifice.
- 4 Tell of God the Spirit giv'n Now to guide us on to heav'n,  
Strong and holy, just and true, Working both to will and do.
- 5 Enter, mighty Word, the field; Ripe the promise of its yield.  
But the reapers, oh, how few For the work there is to do!
- 6 Lord of harvest, great and kind, Rouse to action heart and mind;  
Let the gath'ring nations all See Your light and heed Your call.

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