

**'THE GUIDE +++
ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH-STRASBURG ILLINOIS**

June 27, 2021

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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THIS WEEK WITH THE LORD

SUN. 8:30 AM Communion Service
9:30 AM Sunday School, Alpha, W.L.S., College Plus, High School
10:15 AM Communion Service

TUE. 9:30 AM Morning Bible Study

WED. 8:30 AM **Guide/Bulletin** deadline
8:30 AM Chair Yoga

THURS. 1:30 PM Ladies Aid- Hostess- Karen Kull

SUN. 8:30 AM Worship Service
9:30 AM Sunday School, Alpha, W.L.S., College Plus, High School
10:15 AM Worship Service

June 20 8:30: 100 10:15: 53 Total 153- Year Ago: 144 Sunday School: 41

Welcome Members and guests, we're so glad you're here, for your presence expands and enlivens our worship. Let us praise God together! *If you are a visitor, we invite you to worship with us again and to please sign our guestbook.*

Thank You I would like to thank everyone for the prayers, phone calls, visits, goodies, cards, and texts these past 6 weeks. A special thank you to Pastor Cluver for his visit. My doctor is pleased with my healing process and I am able to put limited weight on my leg as tolerated! I am truly blessed! Dennis Wirth

Pause for Peace A pizza party to celebrate 40 years of the Pause-for-Peace ministry will be held on Sunday evening, July 11 at 6:00 p.m. in the social hall. The menu will be pizza, lettuce salad, ice cream and birthday cake. A program will follow the meal. All are invited to join in the fun. We especially encourage devotion presenters and listeners to attend. If you plan to attend please sign the sheet in the narthex by July 4th so enough food can be prepared. Pause-for-Peace completed 40 years of service on June 7. During these 40 years approximately 180 people have prepared and delivered devotions. The topics have ranged from everyday happenings to world events and national holidays. Just dial 217-644-3124 to get a one to two minute devotion.

FOR THE LORD'S WORK

<u>CURRENT OFFERINGS</u>	<u>\$ TO MEET YEARLY BUDGET</u>	<u>\$ RECEIVED</u>	<u>\$ DIFFERENCE</u>
June 20	\$ 3,436.00	\$3,641.00	\$ 205.00
year-to-date	\$ 88,096.00	\$ 94,965.08	\$ 6,869.08
<u>SYNOD OFFERINGS 6</u>			
June 20	\$ 423.00	\$ 250.00	\$ -173.00
year-to-date	\$10,998.00	\$12,907.00	\$ 1,909.00
<u>TRINITY GOAL-\$10,000</u>		Total to Date	\$5,250.00
Building \$110	Trinity \$95	Sunday School \$240	Seminary Student \$100
Institute for Deaf	\$25		

June 20 \$4,461.00

7/6 9:30 AM Morning Bible Study
 7/7 8:30 AM Chair Yoga
 7/8 8:30 AM Blanket making
 4:30 PM Thomas/Cabbage Wedding Rehearsal
 7/9 4:00 PM Thomas/Cabbage Wedding

Thank you To our donors, bidders, guests, volunteers, families, and anyone that supported and prayed for us during this event, the Trinity Lutheran School fundraising committee thanks you sincerely from the bottom of our hearts. To say that this year's dinner and live auction was a success, is an understatement, and our hearts are full because of each of you. We hope to see you again this fall for the hog roast lunch and silent auction. Please know that if you were a donor and didn't see your name on the live auction list, your donation has been kept for the silent auction this fall- which will be HUGE as well. Thank you again! And God's blessings to each of you!

Lutheran Witness The new issue of the June/July Lutheran Witness has arrived. There are a few copies in the kitchen and also in the magazine rack by the Sunday School.

Thank you We would like to thank everyone that sent cards and also told us in person for our 69th anniversary. We greatly appreciate them. Dwight & Melvina Lading

Baby Bottle A big Thank You to all who contributed to the Annual Baby Bottle Project for The Family Life Center. We collected \$509.33 so far and there are still 8 bottles not returned as of Sunday, June 20th. If you could return those to the church office in the door or give to Kay Dust by this Sunday, June 26th, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!



ANNIVERSARIES

- 28- Mark* & Janice Moomaw
- 30- Louis* & Carol Camilotto
- 3- Josh & Jenna Layton

BIRTHDAYS

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

HOUSEHOLDS OF THE WEEK

Lori & Kevin Mathis, Ferd & Arlene McCormick, Heath & Autumn McCormick, Nick & Kelly McCormick, Ellen (Dollarhide) & Matthew McCoy, Allison & Jacob McIlwain, Troy & Carol Salazar, Bob & Ronda Schlechte, Rosemary Schlechte, Gerry & Dawn Schlechte, Whitney Schlechte

HEALING

Brett Kull	Jackie Stodden
Diane Paraiso	Melba Storm
Anna Schlechte	Ken Hagan
Mary Rincker	Carolyn Stremming
Joe Oakley	Michelle Knop
Glenn Spannagel	Dennis Wirth
Cathy Stremming	

LIMITED MOBILITY

Noma Rose Huddleston - Lakeland NH
 Imogene Lading – Villas of Holly Brook
 Bill Orr
 Mildred Rincker – Heartland, Neoga
 Larry Storm – Heartland, Neoga
 Doris Stremming – Brookstone Suites
 Brett Kull- Shelbyville

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

Christie Dust (Howard & Kay Dust daughter in-law)
 Janet Bloemer(ovarian cancer, G/M Wirth neighbor)
 Laikyn Bauer (Digeorge syndrome)
 Gloria Fortkamp
 Lavonne Kramer (cancer-Kevin’s mother)
 Erica Stollard (cancer)
 Matt Durbin
 Melissa Wirth
 Family of Crewe Jones
 Rhiannon (Wallace) Klier (surgery)
 Colin Kinkelaar (car accident)
 Diana Vonderheide (Joe & Linda Oakley’ daughter)
 Madonna Nichols (liver cancer)
 Ivan Crutcher (cancer, Karen Rentfro’s uncle)
 Karl Zalman (cancer)
 Bryan Mowry (Laurie Wirth’s brother, health)
 Caralea (Moffett) Smith (cancer, undergoing treatments)
 Dave Polk (cancer, Virginia Vogel)
 Dennis Noffke (Stage IV bone cancer)
 Austin Miller, (leukemia, Dennis & Nitelle Lading’s gson.)

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost June 27, 2021
PRESERVICE MUSIC – RINGING OF THE BELLS – WELCOME

COMMUNION We practice close communion. We welcome communicant members of a congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod to the Lord's Table. If you aren't a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, please speak with the Pastor or an Elder before attending the sacrament. For anyone who does not wish to climb the steps to the altar please come forward to the first pew to receive communion before the regular distribution begins.

Opening Hymn Come unto Me, Ye Weary

LSB 684

- 1 "Come unto Me, ye weary, And I will give you rest."
 O blessèd voice of Jesus, Which comes to hearts oppressed!
 It tells of benediction, Of pardon, grace, and peace,
 Of joy that hath no ending, Of love that cannot cease.
- 3 "Come unto Me, ye fainting, And I will give you life."
 O cheering voice of Jesus, Which comes to aid our strife!
 The foe is stern and eager, The fight is fierce and long;
 But Thou hast made us mighty, And stronger than the strong.
- 4 "And whosoever cometh, I will not cast him out."
 O patient love of Jesus, Which drives away our doubt,
 Which, though we be unworthy, Of love so great and free,
 Invites us very sinners, To come, dear Lord, to Thee!

Please Stand

Confession and Absolution

LSB 184

- P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**
P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C **who made heaven and earth.**
P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**
P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

C ***Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.*** *LSB 186*

Salutation and Prayer of the Day

LSB 189

P The Lord be with you.

C ***And with thy spirit.***

P Heavenly Father, during His earthly ministry Your Son Jesus healed the sick and raised the dead. By the healing medicine of the Word and Sacraments pour into our hearts such love toward You that we may live eternally; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Please be Seated

Old Testament Reading

Lamentations 3:22–33

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Epistle

2 Corinthians 8:1–9, 13–15

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Please Stand

Alleluia

LSB 190

C ***Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.***

Holy Gospel

Mark 5:21–43

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the fifth chapter.

C *Glory be to Thee, O Lord.*

The Gospel is read.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C *Praise be to Thee, 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.

Please be Seated

Sermon Hymn I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus

LSB 729

- 1 I am trusting Thee, Lord Jesus, Trusting only Thee;
Trusting Thee for full salvation, Great and free.
- 2 I am trusting Thee for pardon; At Thy feet I bow,
For Thy grace and tender mercy, Trusting now.
- 3 I am trusting Thee for cleansing, In the crimson flood;
Trusting Thee to make me holy, By Thy blood.
- 4 I am trusting Thee to guide me; Thou alone shalt lead,
Ev'ry day and hour supplying, All my need.

5 I am trusting Thee for power; Thine can never fail.
Words which Thou Thyself shalt give me, Must prevail.

6 I am trusting Thee, Lord Jesus; Never let me fall.
I am trusting Thee forever, And for all.

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Sermon "Comfort in Jesus" Mark 5: 21-43

Please Stand

Offertory

LSB 192

C ***Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit.
Amen.***

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

LSB 194

P The Lord be with you.

C ***And with thy spirit.***

P Lift up your hearts.

C ***We lift them up unto the Lord.***

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

C ***It is meet and right so to do.***

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. 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 195

C ***Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.***

Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

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

LSB 197

Pax Domini

LSB 197

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **Amen.**

Agnus Dei

LSB 198

C ***O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.***

Please be Seated

Distribution

Hymn **Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness**

LSB 636

- 1 Soul, adorn yourself with gladness, Leave the gloomy haunts of sadness,
Come into the daylight's splendor, There with joy your praises render.
Bless the One whose grace unbounded, This amazing banquet founded;
He, though heav'nly, high, and holy, Deigns to dwell with you most lowly.

- 3 He who craves a precious treasure, Neither cost nor pain will measure;
But the priceless gifts of heaven, God to us has freely given.
Though the wealth of earth were proffered, None could buy the gifts here offered:
Christ's true body, for you riven, And His blood, for you once given.

- 4 Now in faith I humbly ponder, Over this surpassing wonder
That the bread of life is boundless, Though the souls it feeds are countless:
With the choicest wine of heaven, Christ's own blood to us is given.
Oh, most glorious consolation, Pledge and seal of my salvation!

- 5 Jesus, source of lasting pleasure, Truest friend, and dearest treasure,
Peace beyond all understanding, Joy into all life expanding:
Humbly now, I bow before You; Love incarnate, I adore You;
Worthily let me receive You, And, so favored, never leave You.
- 6 Jesus, sun of life, my splendor, Jesus, friend of friends, most tender,
Jesus, joy of my desiring, Fount of life, my soul inspiring:
At Your feet I cry, my maker, Let me be a fit partaker
Of this blessed food from heaven, For our good, Your glory, given.
- 7 Lord, by love and mercy driven, You once left Your throne in heaven
On the cross for me to languish, And to die in bitter anguish,
To forego all joy and gladness, And to shed Your blood in sadness.
By this blood redeemed and living, Lord, I praise You with thanksgiving.
- 8 Jesus, bread of life, I pray You, Let me gladly here obey You.
By Your love I am invited, Be Your love with love requited;
By this Supper let me measure, Lord, how vast and deep love's treasure.
Through the gift of grace You give me, As Your guest in heav'n receive me.

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Hymn My spirit on Thy care

TLH 435

- 1 My spirit on Thy care, Blest Savior, I recline;
Thou wilt not leave me to despair, For Thou art Love divine.
- 2 In Thee I place my trust, On Thee I calmly rest;
I know Thee good, I know Thee just, And count Thy choice the best.
- 3 Whate'er events be'tide, Thy will they all perform:
Safe in Thy breast my head I hide, Nor fear the coming storm.
- 4 Let good or ill befall, It must be good for me;
Secure of having Thee in all, Of having all in Thee.

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Stand

Nunc Dimittis

LSB 199

- C ***Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.***

Thanksgiving

LSB 200

A O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

C ***and His mercy endureth forever.***

A 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.***

Salutation and Benedicamus

LSB 202

P The Lord be with you.

C ***And with thy spirit.***

A Bless we the Lord.

C ***Thanks be to God.***

Benediction

LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and T give you peace.

C ***Amen, amen, amen.***

805 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

LSB 805

D 1 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen.

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