

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT:

"Be faithfully obedient to the living Christ in making disciples of all people."

Christ Jesus, the Living Bread from Heaven, Feeds the Children of God

By the Gospel of *"the Christ, who is God over all, blessed forever"* (Rom. 9:5), we are *"the children of God"* (Rom. 9:8), *"not because of works but because of him who calls"* (Rom. 9:11). Therefore, *"listen diligently"* and *"hear, that your soul may live."* By His sacrificial death in His flesh and blood, He has made *"an everlasting covenant"* for us. Since He now calls us to Himself, we come to Him *"and eat what is good, and delight ... in rich food"* (Is. 55:2-3). He has come with divine compassion to save us from sin and death and to feed us with Himself. As our Lord Jesus once took bread, *"said a blessing,"* broke the loaves, *"and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds"* (Matt. 14:18-19), He also now takes bread, blesses it by His Word to be His very body, and distributes it to His Church by the hand of His called and ordained servants. Just as *"they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces,"* there is more than enough for His whole Church to eat and to be satisfied (Matt. 14:20).

Thanks to those who Served Today

Elder: Gary McCall
Ushers: Dave Seieroe, Mona Pithan, Bruce Mohr
Organist: Lynette Thies
Screen: Audrey Gust
Altar Care: Teresa Mordhorst
Finance: Lois Greder
Altar Flowers: Dar Mohr

Those Serving in September

Elder: Steve Gust
Ushers: Steve Gust, Andy Kuhlmann
Organist: Lynette Thies
Screen: Audrey Gust
Altar Care: Joan Neddermeyer
Finance: Becky Mordhorst, Denny Mordhorst
Altar Flowers: Teresa Mordhorst

ABOUT THE SERVICE

ABOUT THE LORD'S SUPPER: By celebrating the Lord's Supper we care for Christ's people, Christ's Supper, and Christ's teachings. What Jesus gives us in the Lord's Supper is His true body and blood under the bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins. God's Word also teaches that receiving the Lord's Supper together implies that we share the same beliefs. Therefore, we kindly ask that guests who desire to receive the Lord's Supper today speak to the Pastor prior to the beginning of the service.



STANDING: Although it is proper to sit and stand at certain times during the Divine Service, please feel free to sit when needed.

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Sun: 10:00 a.m. – Divine Service w/Holy Communion
 Tues: Pastor in Mapleton
 Wed: 11:00 a.m. – Adult Bible Class
 Fri: Pastor's Family Day
 Sun: 10:00 a.m. – Divine Service

Attendance: 55				
	2023	General Fund	Missions	Special Mission
	Projected for the Year	\$152,534.35	\$6,000.00	\$3,000.00
	As of 5/31/2023	\$45,860.73	\$1,695.00	\$665.00
	Still Needed	\$106,673.62	\$4,305.00	\$2,335.00

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(^ indicates worshippers stand)

Prelude
 Ringing of the Bell

Hymn..... #648
"Glorious Things of You are Spoken"
 Δ**Invocation..... p.184**
 Δ**Confession & Absolution.... p.184**
 Δ**Introit..... Sheet**
 Δ**Kyrie..... p.186**
 Δ**Gloria in Excelsis..... p.187**
 Δ**Salutation and Collect..... p.189**
Readings..... Sheet
Old: Isaiah 55:1-5
Epistle: Romans 9:1-13
Gospel: Matthew 14:13-21
Nicene Creed p.191
Hymn..... #602
"The Gifts Christ Freely Gives"
Sermon: "Come and Get it"
 Isaiah 55:1-5
Offertory..... p.192
Offering
 Δ**Prayer of the Church..... p.193**
 Δ**Preface..... p.194**
 Δ**Sanctus..... p.195**
 Δ**Lord's Prayer..... p.196**
 Δ**The Words of our Lord..... p.197**
Distribution
 Δ**Nunc Dimittis-..... p.199**
 Δ**Post Communion Collect..... p.200**
 Δ**Benediction..... p.202**
 Δ**Hymn..... #895**
"Now Thank We All Our God"

CURRENT BIBLE CLASSES:

- Wednesday Morning Bible Class (Meets in the LYF Room- 11am).

ST. PAUL'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMUNITY & OTHER INFORMATION

St Paul 125th Anniversary August 18 - 20, 2023

Friday, August 18 – 7:00 PM Open Time Capsule- Public Welcome! Free Ice Cream Social on lawn View St Paul's Historical Information & artifacts on display inside Church

Saturday, August 19 2:00 PM Float in Ute Fun Day's Parade- Replica of St Paul's Church in Parade!

Sunday, August 20 10:00 AM 125th Worship Service- IDW Pres. Rev Dr Steve Turner- Guest Speaker

Sunday, August 20 11:30 AM 125th Anniversary Dinner- Staley Chicken Dinner-**Free to Public!** – Ute Town & Country

125th COMMEMORATIVE

T-SHIRTS: Get your

125th commemorative T-shirt to celebrate our congregation's anniversary. Basic shirt is \$20.00 Order here:

<https://isntiticonic.com/collections/st-pauls-lutheran-church-125th-celebration>

Or use your cell-phone camera to scan the QR code.

If you do not have access and would like to have a shirt contact Bruce Mohr(712-269-8771)along with your sizes.



THANK OFFERING: A gift in response and remembrance of God's past blessings! St Paul's 125th Anniversary Thank Offering Recipients are Lutheran Family Service and St. Paul's Jeremiah Fund.

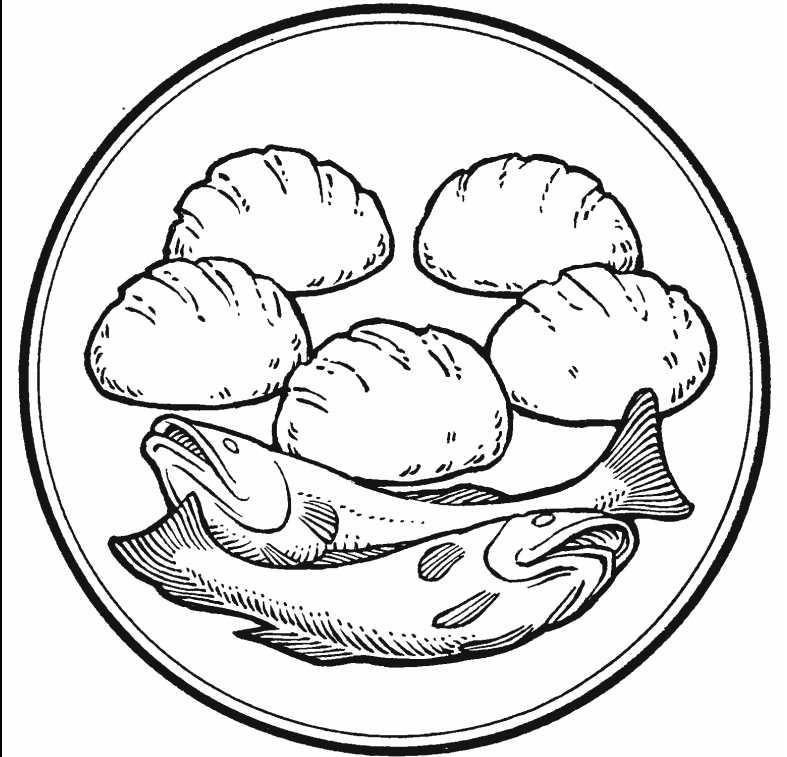
How do I give to St Paul's Thank Offering?

- Place your gift in the Penny Fund Jar at entrance of St. Paul's
- Mail your Thank Offering gift to:
St Paul's Lutheran Church, 303 E 4th Street, Ute, IA

SPECIAL MISSION PROJECT: This year our Special Mission Project is the same as the 125th Thank Offering which is Lutheran Family Service and St. Paul's Jeremiah Fund. Our goal is \$3,000 to go to the Special Mission Project. As of May 30, we have \$665.00 in donations. Let's work together the next 6 months to reach our goal.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Sunday School will start September 10, 2023 with a KICK OFF and end May 19, 2024 with a BLOW OUT. Sign up sheet is on the back table. Lesson plans and materials will be provided and are downloadable. One a month there will be a craft day. Sign Ups for that will be separate form teachers and helpers. Sign up as much as you want!

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost August 6, 2023



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