

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT:

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

The Lord Is Rich in His Grace and Mercy

Because God, our Savior, "desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth" (1 Tim. 2:4), He urges "that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people" (1 Tim. 2:1). Christians should so pray "without anger or quarreling," but "adorn themselves in respectable apparel, with modesty and self-control" (1 Tim. 2:8, 9). For the Lord does not forget "the poor of the land" (Amos 8:4). He remembers them according to the foolishness of the cross. "For what is exalted among men is an abomination in the sight of God" (Luke 16:15). Though we try to justify ourselves "before men," God knows our sinful hearts and calls us to repentance (Luke 16:15). Though we are "not strong enough to dig," and we are "ashamed to beg" (Luke 16:3), He justifies us by His grace and welcomes us into His "eternal dwellings" (Luke 16:9). More shrewd than even "the sons of this world" (Luke 16:8), He requires His stewards of the Gospel to bestow forgiveness freely.

Thanks to those who Served Today

Elder: Steve Gust

Ushers: Steve Gust, Andy Kuhlman, Russ Rosburg, Cody Rosburg, Jeremy Creese, Caleb Creese

Screen: Audrey Gust

Organist: Lynette Thies

Altar Care: Joan Neddermeyer

Altar Flowers: Teresa Mordhorst

Finance: Dave Seieroe, Linda Seieroe

Acolytes: Landon Kiepe, Josiah Peitsch

Next Sunday – Acolytes: Grace Schaffer, Raylyn Kelm

Those Serving in October

Elder: John Thies

Ushers: Bruce Mohr, Matt Kelm

Organist: Lynette Thies

Screen: Audrey Gust

Altar Care: Linda Seieroe

Altar Flowers: Sharon Gosch

Finance: Elaine Vogt, Linda Riddle

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: 9:00 a.m. – Sunday School
 10:00 a.m. – Divine Service with Holy Communion
 Mon: 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. – Drive up Communion
 Tues: Pastor in Mapleton
 Wed: 11:00 a.m. – Bible Class
 4:30 p.m. – 5th & 6th Grade Catechism
 5:30 p.m. – Memory Work/Meal
 6:00 p.m. - 7th & 8th Grade Catechism
 Fri: Pastors Family Day
 Sun: 9:00 a.m. – Sunday School
 10:00 a.m. – Divine Service

Sunday Worship: 85			
2022	General Fund	Missions	Special Mission
Projected for the Year	\$146,108.03	\$8,000.00	\$3,000.00
As of 8/31/2022	\$91,316.37	\$2,020.00	\$620.00
Still Needed	\$54,791.66	\$5,980.00	\$2,280.00

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(^ indicates worshippers stand)

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Hymn..... #825

"Rise, Shine, You People"

^Confession & Absolution.... p.203

^Introit..... Sheet

^Kyrie..... p.204

^Gloria in Excelsis..... p.204

^Salutation and Collect..... p.205

Readings..... Sheet

Old: Amos 8:4-7

Epistle: 1 Timothy 2:1-15

^Gospel: Luke 16:1-15

Children's Message

^Nicene Creed p.206

Hymn..... #730

"What Is the World to Me"

Sermon "Back to Business"

Amos 8:4-7

^Prayer of the Church..... p.207

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^Agnus Dei..... p.210

Distribution

^Nunc Dimittis..... p.211

^Post Communion Collect..... p.212

^Benediction p.212

^Hymn..... #793

"Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven"

CURRENT BIBLE CLASSES:

- Sunday Adult Bible Class (Meets in the fellowship hall- 9am).
- Wednesday Morning Bible Class (Meets in the LYF Room- 11am).

ST. PAUL'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMUNITY & OTHER INFORMATION

125th ANNIVERSARY PLANNING COMMITTEE: 125th Anniversary planning meeting will be on Saturday, October 15th at 7:15 p.m.

SUPPORT OUR CATECHISM FAMILIES: We need volunteers to provide a simple meal every Wednesday for our 14 Catechism students from 5:30-6:00 pm. Sign-up sheet is on the back table.

THANK YOU: Thank you to everyone that helped with Rally Sunday.

SPECIAL MISSIONS: Our goal this year for Camp Okoboji is \$3,000. As of September 11, we have \$2,350.00 in donations.

ALTAR FLOWERS: The altar flowers this month was donated by Tammy and Lyle Bramley, who celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary on September 3rd. Happy Anniversary!

DRIVE UP COMMUNION: On Monday, September 19th there will be drive-up communion from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GATHERING: The 6th – 8th grade Junior Youth Gathering will take place October 22-23 at the Sheraton in West Des Moines. The theme is "Called + Gathered + Enlightened". The cost is \$175. Please talk to pastor today if you would like to go.

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GATHERING: The Senior Youth Gathering will take place November 18-20 at the Holiday Inn at the Airport - Des Moines. The theme is "Say What?" The cost is \$250. Please talk to pastor if you would like to go.

ON THE BACK TABLE: Reading inserts, Children's bulletins, Portals of Prayer, can be found on the back table. In the back there is a shelf with children's books and crayons that they can use during the service.

"THY STRONG WORD": Thy Strong Word is a 5 min. daily devotional message given by LC-MS pastors of the Denison area and sponsored by area congregations including St. Paul's. It is aired at 6:25 a.m., Mon.-Sat. on KDSN, FM107.1

GOOD SHEPHERD HOUR: This program is a ½ hour worship service heard on Sioux City, KSCJ, 1360 AM, at 8:00 am.

STANDING DURING HYMNS: An ancient part of Christian piety, honor, and respect has been shown throughout history by standing for God. We continue this tradition standing during the doxological stanzas of a hymn. —those stanzas which specifically state the Triune God's Name: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 18, 2022**



Luke 16:1-15

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