

# THE GOOD NEWS

### July/August 2015 Edition





August 2nd & 19th 9:15am

The next new member inquiry classes will be held on August 2nd and August 9th at 9:15 AM. Anyone needing more information can contact Pastor Rick; pastorrick06@att.net or the church office 982-4285.

### Do you need a ride to church?

If so, call Juanita Morrow or Denice Birdwell as they have a team of volunteers that can provide your transportation. Anyone interested in being added to the list of volunteers, please call. Worship Times Sunday Morning 8:00 am & 10:30 am

> Sunday School Summer Hiatus

### **Contact Us**

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**Church Office Hours:** Monday-Friday 9:00am-3:00pm



### PASTOR AND CHURCH COUNCIL



A Message from Pastor Rick: When talking with my parents about the horrific shootings in Charleston, my dad shared with me something he was going to use in a sermon. Some of you might remember these words from the musical "South Pacific."

You've got to be taught To hate and fear, You've got to be taught From year to year, It's got to be drummed In your dear little ear You've got to be carefully taught.

You've got to be taught to be afraid Of people whose eyes are oddly made, And people whose skin is a diff'rent shade, You've got to be carefully taught.

You've got to be taught before it's too late, Before you are six or seven or eight, To hate all the people your relatives hate, You've got to be carefully taught!

Hate and racism are not things that come about naturally. Rather, they are learned behaviors. Someone has to teach you to feel and act in these negative ways. Unfortunately, we (as a culture) have been teaching this to our children. Racism may not be a part of what you have taught your children, but we are also responsible for how all of the children in our community are raised.

As individuals and as a faith community, we can do a lot to try to change racist behavior.

- First, we should agree that there is no room for any type of speech that degrades or belittles anyone. This refers not only to jokes, but also stereotypes we might make about a particular ethnic group or class of people.
- Second, we do everything we can to help people use language that sows seeds of love rather than hate.
- My third suggestion is both for the individual and community. We need to step up and speak out whenever we witness acts of hate or racism by individuals or any group. This includes calling out business owners, organizations, and government officials when we see inappropriate behavior or an attempt to discriminate against any person or group.

I invite all of you to join me for one opportunity to stand up and love all people as God has called us to do. **On July 25, there will be a Walk against Racism at 1PM** beginning at New Providence Presbyterian Church. This event was planned prior to the Charleston shootings. It will be a wonderful opportunity to stand with our brothers and sisters from many faith communities and many walks of life to show that we stand for love and fair treatment of all God's children.

Peace Pastor Rick

### PASTOR AND CHURCH COUNCIL

### A Message From the Council President



### **Dear Friends of St. Paul**

Needless to say summer has come in like a lion but we must all celebrate what the Lord has given us. I certainly hope everyone enjoys this summer and what it has to offer us. I would like to share with you a little about what we have to look forward to this summer.

I recently had the opportunity to be part of St. Paul's Vacation Bible School (VBS) entitled Camp Discovery and all I can say is WOW! The Lord was standing beside everyone who attended Camp Discovery whether you were a volunteer or participant. I want to take this opportunity to thank all the volunteers who gave of there time to make this a spectacular VBS. It took nearly 30 volunteers to put this together and we were able to worship with more than 30 children in word and song. I strongly recommend that you look into your hearts and participate in this excellent program next year.

I also want to congratulate St. Paul for donating the Camp Discovery VBS Material to Meadow United Methodist Church. Meadow United Methodist is a small country church in Blount County about 20 minutes outside of the city limits. This is a huge blessing and the people off Meadow United Methodist are thrilled with our gift. This turns out to be a gift that keeps giving. The Red Lewis Baseball game at the Smokies Stadium is July 11 and there are still a few tickets left. The cost is only \$10.00 and that includes your seat, hotdog and a drink. Please see Rene Zimmer if you are interested in joining us. I also want to thank Men in Mission for hosting the Men's Bible Study on Sunday mornings starting at 9:15 am. There will not be a Bible Study on the July 4th weekend. I would like to thank Dan Wynn as President of Men in Mission for his support of the Men's Bible Study.

We have 7 members of our youth and 2 adults attending the National Youth Gathering in Detroit July 14-19. I know the Lord will be watching over them and all the attendees but it doesn't hurt for all of us at St. Paul to pray for a safe trip and a rewarding experience.

On July 25th at 1:00 pm there will be a "Walk Against Racism". This walk will start at New Providence Presbyterian Church and I encourage all members of St. Paul Lutheran Church to attend both young and old.

In closing I want to remind everyone about "Come to the Water" in August. This is a fantastic program for men of all ages and we are very lucky this year to have Bishop Gordy attending. This event is mainly for the men of St. Paul but we need volunteers from everyone in our congregation.

I want to wish everyone a blessed summer and hope you all continue to grow in God's Faith.

Yours in Christ

Rick Anger

The St. Paul Church Council will meet again on Monday, August 17th ~ 7:30pm

Rick Anger – President angerrick@gmail.com

Mike Culross - Vice President <u>maculross@msn.com</u>

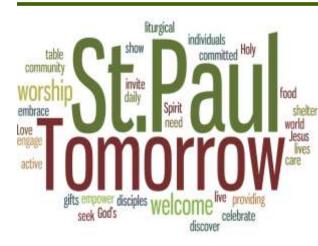
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### PASTOR AND CHURCH COUNCIL



### A Message From Pastor Mike Ward

I'm excited about the ministry at St. Paul!

Although I really only have worked with and know about eight of you, I am getting to know you and I like what I see. I'm very excited that many of you stepped forward with financial support so that you are now personally invested in this process.

The St. Paul Tomorrow group has been meeting for several months. They have gained input from you and we just did an exercise where we gained input from some of your ministry partners in the community.

The group has settled on the mission statement;

### "Growing in the Spirit, Making Christ Known"

I like that this statement both looks for growth from those who are already at St. Paul and looks to share the love of God outward. This is the tension we need to live in as church.

Your Guiding Principles and Values tell me a lot about who you are.

Our focus, now that we have these established is to determine how we live into them more fully.

### The Guiding Principles and Values that the team determined with your input are:

- We are committed to care for each other
- We seek to discover the Holy Spirit active in our lives
- We invite, welcome, and engage all to worship and community
- All are welcome at the table
- We empower individuals to live as disciples of Jesus
- We live God's love in the word by providing shelter, food, and comfort to those in need
- We celebrate the gifts of all, from cradle to grave

These describe a vibrant community. It may be that some of these principles are still more "aspirational" instead of "actual", but that is just fine. When you are intentional about understanding who you are and who you want to become you can become more than you ever expected.

God has great ministry in store for this congregation. I'm excited to see what that will be.

At our most recent meeting, the team began working on goals for the congregation. We will share these soon, but they are still being developed. I have to tell you that the development of these goals was the clearest I have seen for a congregation in a long time. It truly feels that we are being Spirit led as this unfolds.

### My hope for these goals will be that they are:

- Achievable
- Sustainable
- and they generate the outcomes we desire.

We are looking at them to cross over many of your guiding principles and values so that they can have widespread support. We also desire that they are beneficial in strengthening those of you already at St. Paul in your faith and walk with God as well as reaching out to share God's love and listen to those in this community.

Please continue to pray for this group and this effort. God is leading and it has been a joy to be part of the journey. I look forward to continue on that journey with you over the next few months.

### SYNOD NEWS

### We Are Church



### 2015 Southeastern Synod Assembly

### Synod Assembly Report

By: Bob Ullom

The Southeastern Synod of the ELCA held their 2015 Assembly in Birmingham, AL on Jun 5-7. St. Paul Lutheran Church was represented by Pastor Rick, Beth Drane, and Bob Ullom. Sue was also extremely busy herding the volunteers as they insured the smooth running of the Assembly. The Assembly was spiritually uplifting, very informative, and the business of the synod was accomplished. There were four plenary sessions which allowed business to be conducted, but also allowed time for bible study and general reports from most all the synod ministries and special subject teams. A special part of the Assembly was the electing of numerous people, both new and returning to office, for the functioning of the Southeastern Synod. We had the opportunity to go to workshops of our choice and had Beth and I had the special opportunity to spend two and a half hours with Dr. Mark Allen Powell, an internationally known biblical scholar and writer of more than 25 books on the Bible and religion. He is so interesting and knowledgeable. If you have any special questions about the Assembly, see one of the three of us and if we don't have the answer, we will do our best to get it for you.

The 2015 Southeastern Synod Assembly took the following actions at its meeting June 5-7, 2015 in Birmingham, AL.

# Elected to six-year terms on the Consultation Committee

Imran Siddiqui, St. John's, Atlanta, GA Wanza Tina Culpepper, Atonement, Atlanta, GA The Rev. Jill Henning, Trinity, Lilburn, GA

### Elected to two-year terms on the Synod Council

Conference 1 - Jim Hazel, Messiah, Savannah, GA Conference 2 - The Rev. Michelle Kuhlman, Grace, Carrollton, GA Conference 3 - Imran Siddiqui, St. John's, Atlanta, GA Conference 4 - The Rev. Norbert Hahn, Holy Cross, Athens, GA Conference 5 - The Rev. Erik Allen, Christ the King, Cumming, GA Conference 9 - Michael Huseth, Ascension, Jackson, MS Youth - Elise Dawson, Epiphany, Conyers, GA At-Large - The Rev. Eric Murray, Messiah, Knoxville, TN At-Large - Michael Franklin, Holy Trinity, Nashville, TN At-Large - Karen Boda, Resurrection, Marietta, GA

# Elected as voting members of the 2016 Churchwide Assembly

Doris Underwood, Synod Vice President, Messiah, Montgomery, AL Jesse Jackson, St. Paul's, Mobile, AL Imran Siddiqui, St. John's, Atlanta, GA Elise Dawson, Epiphany, Conyers, GA Nicole Larsen, Cross of Life, Roswell, GA Gary Pederson, Christ Our Shepherd, Peachtree City, GA Michael Franklin, Holy Trinity, Nashville, TN Anna Gordy Montgomery, St. Andrew, Franklin, TN The Rev. Randy Jones, Messiah, Montgomery, AL The Rev. Jill Henning, Trinity, Lilburn, GA The Rev. Joy Blalock, St. Paul's, Mobile, AL

### Elected as alternate voting member of the 2016 Churchwide Assembly

Keith James, Lord of Life, Lawrenceville, GA Allison Ward, Redeemer, Savannah, GA The Rev. Eric Murray, Messiah, Knoxville, TN

Approved <u>2015-01</u>, A Resolution to Memorialize the 2016 ELCA Churchwide Assembly to Transition to Clean, Renewable Energy

Approved <u>2015-02</u>, A Memorial to the 2016 ELCA Churchwide Assembly to Advocate for the U.S. Congress to Increase Funding for Suicide Prevention Research

Approved <u>2015-03</u>, A Resolution of Thanks at the 2015 Assembly of the Southeastern Synod of the ELCA

Visit the Synod website for more information. elca-ses.org

### Merl Krull & Jean Beck - Coordinators



# CHOIR

### **ST. PAUL CHOIR**

will begin rehearsals on: Wednesday, August 19th 6:00pm

(This earlier time will continue until Faith 'n Family begins.)

Contact Marsha Wynn for more information about joining the Choir. marsha.wynn@maryvillecollege.edu

# DISCIPLESHIP

### Winnie Johnson - Coordinator

### WHAT'S UP WITH THE CHURCH LIBRARY?

You may have noticed that the library has been a mess! The books were stacked up so you couldn't find anything and then boxes of books were offered to you and then hauled away. Now the books have been completely rearranged so you still don't know where anything is. We are asking that you not check out any books for the present time and return any that you have at home.

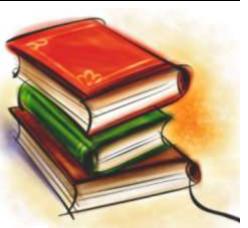
The library is being rearranged and will be moved to a new space in what is now known as the "Cry Room" room #2, behind the sanctuary. Shelves are being built and books are being color-coded, and will be moved as soon as the shelves are ready.

You will enjoy the new space. It will be lighter and roomier and more inviting. There will be computer access to the card catalog so you can look up topics or authors or subjects easily.

The room will still be available for small meetings and on Sunday mornings during worship, for small children Please be patient until the new space is ready.

What will happen to the old library space? It will become another conference room—badly needed meeting space.

# ELCA WORLD HUNGER WALK -FOR-BOR-WWW.ELCA.ORG/WALK4WATER DESCRIPTION OF A St. Paul At the Gathering



# DISCIPLESHIP

Winnie Johnson - Coordinator



### PRAYERS FOR THE GATHERING

By: Kara Birdwell

You, can be a part of the National Youth Gathering!

 Add us to your prayers for: Enlightening of the Spirit, Glorifying God's Name, Working for Justice, Learning Mercy, Growing in Christ, and Safe Travels.
Watch the live feed from Ford Field each night.

http://www.elca.org/youthgathering

3) Follow us on: Facebook; Instagram - @stpaulmaryville; Twitter -

@saintpaul1954, for pictures and daily updates.

4) Join us on Sunday, July 26th for a special, Thank You Breakfast and to hear about our time in Detroit.

Our bible studies are complete and the youth are ready to **Rise Up** in Detroit July 14<sup>th</sup> – July 19<sup>th</sup>. Many have asked, "What will you be doing in Detroit?"

Well...The Gathering's program is built around three opportunities to proclaim 'the good news of Jesus Christ, the Son of God' (Mark 1:1): **Proclaim Story**, **Proclaim Justice**, and **Proclaim Community**.

**On our Proclaim Story day,** we will learn that God's story is a love story, and that all of God's people have an important role in this story. Everything we do is "The beginning of the good news…" and, as followers of Jesus, we are sent to live out the rest of this story through discipleship. Through storytelling, music, bible study, interactive learning and worship, we will dwell in God's story, begin to articulate our own story, engage each other's story and be sent out to proclaim that Jesus = good news.

**On our Proclaim Justice day,** we will work alongside Detroiters helping them to recreate an American city. We have the unique opportunity to see first-hand the resiliency of the people of Detroit. While we have not received our work assignment at this time, we could be boarding up windows, cleaning vacant lots, building playgrounds, planting gardens, making food at a shelter, etc.

**On our Proclaim Community day,** we will visit the interactive learning center and in doing so follow Jesus on the way to the cross. Through a variety of mediums, such as art, music, technology, sports, community, fun, and reflection, students will be challenged to: recognize the good news in all relationships while working to-ward reconciliation in Christ, listen before speaking and ultimately proclaim the good news in our own communities.

### Why is this important for our youth to be involved in The Gathering?

We are meant to be together, and we are a church that believes God is calling us into the world – together. Every three years we gather youth and adults together to share their unique stories and to experience the larger story that makes up the ELCA, we gather to be inspired, encouraged, strengthened, connected and sent out to do God's work in the world – together! In Detroit we will learn that as individuals, as communities, as a collective humanity, we are called and claimed as characters in and witnesses to God's divine story, a story that always moves through the cross to the resurrection.

I am confident that we will all be touched by God's story unfolding in Detroit. We will return home more aware of our place in God's story, a story enhanced by the stories of others, especially those who are different from us. We will be encouraged to see ourselves as essential witnesses to God's story in the world as we learn to proclaim the beginning of the good news in and through our lives of discipleships, a discipleship marked by our baptismal promises to:

**Live** among God's faithful people.

Hear the word of God and share in the Lord's supper.

Proclaim the good news of God in Christ through words and deed.

Serve all people, following the example of Jesus.

Strive for justice and peace in all the earth. (ELW, page 236).

Thank you for allowing us this opportunity! Thank you for your continued support! Please join us July 12<sup>th</sup> in a congregational blessing before we embark on this exciting journey.

# DISCIPLESHIP

### A BIG THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED WITH VBS!



In *Camp Discovery*, we learned that Jesus works in and through us! We looked in the Bible, God's Holy Word, and explored five tree-mendous Bible accounts where God works in His people to save them and through His people to serve! Jesus saves us and gives us faith, courage, and wisdom to help our family, friends, and neighbors and to give God glory right now!

Our St. Paul Family spent the week together; singing praises to God, sharing stories of God's faithful people, serving each other, praying and worshiping

together. This glimpse of the Kingdom was a JOY to be a part of. I give thanks for everyone who came to participate and for those who gave of their time in the many hours of planning and preparing. *Sue Tyler* - Director of Lay Ministry

### **Opening**

Marsha Wynn, Darla Kaufman, Emily Kaufman, Rachel Kaufman, Ethan Patterson

### **Storytelling**

Beth Drane, Linda Ullom

Bible Challenge Deb Johnson, Jean Beck

<u>Pre-K</u> Erika Johnson, Lily Johnson, Marianne Searfoss, Anne Sims

<u>Crafts</u> Teena Brown, Jenna Burts, Samantha Fowler

<u>Games</u> Chris Mallette, Chris Rundle

<u>Registration</u> Winnie Johnson, Margaret Christianson

Adults

Pastor Rick

### **Counselors**

Dana Conzemius, Philip Tyler, Christian Brandau, Aylssa Rundle, Drew Ohsiek, Noah Ohsiek,

### **Snacks**

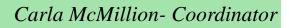
Suzanne Bielenberg, Jan & Erika Hans, Leslie Walker <u>Floaters</u> –Kris Zimmer, Jody Ohsiek, Jessica Lindquist, Taylor LeBlanc















# Lutheran World Relief School Kit Collection

Collection Through August 9th

WELCA is collecting the items listed below to make school kits for Lutheran World Relief. You may drop of your donation at the display in the Welcome Center.

Why school supplies? To the children who receive School Kits, these supplies mean the difference between getting an education or not. Public school is usually free, but in the places where LWR works, even a few required supplies, like pens and paper, may be more than many families can afford.



Four 70-sheet notebooks of wide- or college-ruled paper approximately  $8"X 10\frac{1}{2}"$ ; no loose-leaf paper

One 30-centimeter ruler, or a ruler with centimeters on one side and inches on the other



Five unsharpened #2 pencils with erasers; secure together with a rubber band

One blunt scissors (safety scissors with embedded steel blades work well)



 $\times 5$ 

One pencil sharpener

*Five black or blue ballpoint pens* (*no gel ink*) *secure together with a rubber band* 

One  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " eraser

One box of 16 or 24 crayon





### The Women of Saint Paul have been busy.

We have been collecting many different items. We collected **50** pairs of eyeglasses, which went to the Lions' Club. We also collected used ink cartridges which were taken to Staples who give us a one-dollar credit per cartridge. This money is for general church office use, such as ink, staples, etc. The books we collect go to the Food Connection, for those who love to read but cannot afford books.

Besides our ongoing collections, we now need to step up our collecting of soda can tabs and also Campbell's soup labels. These two items will be taken to the convention in September.

The collecting of school supplies is under way, and we appreciate the wonderful support of the congregation! NOTE: We are not assembling the personal care kits with the entire congregation, they are being assembled on an individual basis only - so *please* donate only completed personal care kits. Thank you so much!

### Wild Women Retreat @ Lutheridge ~ Group Registration Opens

Women of St. Paul will join other women from the southeast for a women's retreat at Lutheridge (Arden, NC) on January 29-31. 2016. We will submit our registration forms by mail in a group package to coordinate housing. Individuals should complete a registration from (available on the WELCA Bulletin board) and <u>return it to the church office</u> (or Administrative mail folder) no later than Sunday, August 9.

The cost of the retreat is \$214/person (includes Fri and Sat lodging and meals on Saturday and Sunday morning) should accompany registration (check or credit card information.) For more information contact Barb Miller, Winnie Johnson, Laura Mallette or Sue Tyler in the office. All women are invited to participate.

### **Other Weekend Dates Available.**

If you are not able to attend the first weekend with the St. Paul ladies, you can register for one of the other weekends on your own or with a group of your friends. Individual registration opens November 1st. **Feb. 5-7, Feb. 12-14, Mar. 4-6, and Mar. 11-13, 2016** 

### The 2016 Wild Women Weekend retreat will focus on MAKING DECISIONS.

Each one of us makes countless decisions every day. Many times we don't even realize we are making them. But once in a while we are faced with a decision that stops us in our tracks. Options loom large before us, and we do not know what to choose. How do people of faith make decisions? What are the Biblical Models for making difficult decisions? What wisdom do contemporary Christian thinkers and our sisters in faith follow in determining God's will for their lives? These are the questions we will explore at the 2016 Wild Women's Weekends at Lutheridge. We'll study Rahab from the Old Testament and Jesus' genealogy in the New Testament. Climbing Jesus's family tree and rappelling off the walls of Jerico will help us learn to take risks and make faithful decisions in our own lives. Enjoy storytelling, crafts, singing, and more ~ all in the beauty of the mountains of North Carolina.

Retreat leader is Pastor Mary Canniff-Kuhn, Lutheridge Program Director & Storyteller



Thrivent Blount County Chapter Picnic

Date: July 16, 2015 Time: 5 - 7:30 PM Place: Louisville Point Park Join us for a delicious BBQ picnic with fun, fellowship, games, door prizes, and news about Thrivent and Habitat for Humanity. Please RSVP with your name and number attending to Warren Bielenberg at 865-681-7884 or Jan Hanes at 865-980-3353.



# SERVING

Walk Against Racism Saturday, July 25 ~ 1:00pm

Begin at New Providence Presbyterian Church Sponsored by Blount United For information, contact Willa Estel, <u>WE41602@aol.com</u>



Charlie Malin- Coordinator



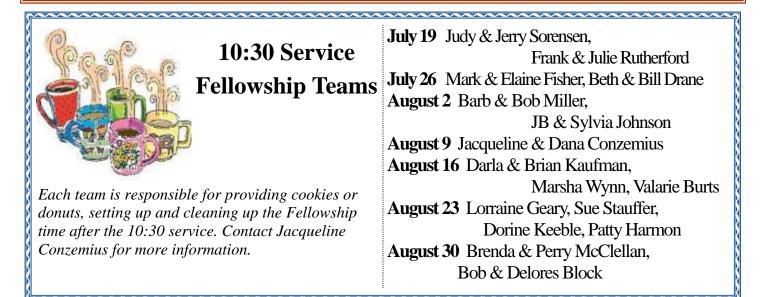
Carla McMillion- Coordinator

### Everyone is invited to attend ~ Stand of Luther Tour, Potluck July 18th ~ 5:45pm



You are invited to join those who traveled to Germany last fall to follow in the footsteps of Martin Luther at a potluck dinner at 5:45 PM on Saturday, July 18 in Richardson Hall. Please bring your favorite dish to share.

We will have lots of pictures showing the sights of Germany and reliving this fabulous experience. To help us plan, please RSVP Suzanne Bielenberg at 681-7884 or <u>crossstbnny@aol.com</u> indicating the number of people attending and the dish you plan to share.







A fun congregational activity sponsored by Men in Mission

'*Come to the Water*' is an annual fund raiser benefiting Lutheran church camps across America. It is sponsored by LMM, the national men's ministry. Over the last two years, St. Paul has raised almost \$7,000! This year, Men in Mission has designated all the camping ministries of NovusWay (i.e., Lutheridge, Lutherock, Lutheranch, and Luther Springs) as the 2015 recipient.

### <u>What</u>

Team competition for guys of all ages ... refereed by the gals (hamburgers & hotdogs ... competition events ... ice cream)

<u>When</u> Saturday, August 22, 2015 11:30am – 3:00pm

Where Louisville Point park

### **Special Activity**

Bishop Gordy will be with us, and rumor has it he's prepared for a 'Dunk the Bishop' special fundraiser. Beware, Pastor Rick ... you may get soaked, too ... along with some clergy colleagues from neighboring churches.

### **Teams**

Teams are being formed now! Watch for more details ... and pick your team to support. Competitions include fishing, football, golf, t-ball, soccer, corn hole toss, ladder ball toss ... ending with the infamous water relay. Remember your baptism!



# July/August 2015 Birthdays & Anniversaries

### JULY

July 5 July 6 July 8 July 9 July 11 July 11 July 12 July 14 July 14	Helen Johnson Jamie Ogle Leona Patty Dave Kaun Sharon Bell Valari Burts Carol Galyon Bertha Franks Patty Harmon
July 12	Carol Galyon
July 24	Mike Culross

July 24 July 26 July 28	Philip Tyler Charlie Malin Jim Foster Dielt Angen
July 30	Rick Anger
	AUGUST
August 4	Jan Hanes
August 4	Debbie Lehman
August 6	Bill Drane
August 6	Sandi Weber
August 13	Wyll Yoder
August 17	Cathy LeBlanc
August 19	Robert Bryant
August 19	Daniel Snoderly
August 23	Kristi Ullom
August 24	Nathan Rundle

August 25

August 27

August 29

August 31

Nathan Rundle Autumn Burnett Ann Hall

Leigh Caldwell Kevin Dornfield

Happy Anniversary
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### JULY

- July 2 Jim and Ann Hall
- July 12 Dallas and Dorine Keeble
- July 27 James and Carolyn Speck
- July 30 Bob & Linda Ullom

### AUGUST

- August 4 Roy & Helen Johnson
- August 7 Art & Gail Hafner
- August 7 Tim & Leslie Walker

August 18Roby & Ethel HartleyAugust 22Tom & Anne SimsAugust 22Joe & Sherri ClarkAugust 27Bob & Barb MillerAugust 27Bill & Jackie WearAugust 28Warren & Suzanne Bielenberg

### **ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**

**Double your pleasure, double your fun!** Come celebrate the double anniversary of the Ludwigs and the Kreiders on **August the 29th ~ 2:00-4:00** at St Paul Lutheran church' Both couples were married on September the 3rd, 1955, 60 years ago. We would love to have you join us. No presents, just your presence or prayers.

Tellers Warren Bielenberg Joel Searfoss	Sound Room Joel Searfoss Bob Block Greg Caldwell	Greeters Dorothy Robert and Jan and Erika Dishman Marsha Bryant Hanes	Nursery Anne Sims Dorine Keeble	Acolyte/ Autumn Drew Ohsiek Jean Beck Crucifer Burnette	Altar Guild Suzanne Kris Zimmer Leigh Bielenberg Caldwell	Ushers Mo Tom Sims Greg and Brueckner Bob Ullom Tami Wyatt Floyd Johnson	Lector Dana Valari Burts Winnie Conzemius Johnson	CommunionWarrenBeth DraneJackieAssistantsBielenbergKreiderJoel Searfoss	Assistant Charlie Charlie Malin Jean Beck Minister Malin	8 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 8 a.m.	
DeeDee Walker Kris Zimmer	James Speck	rika Merl and Judy Krull	Marianne Searfoss Philip Tyler	k Darian Lindquist	Carolyn Speck	Perry Att McClellan James McMillion Roy Johnson	Art Hafner	foss	k Carolyn Speck	10:30 a.m.	
	Steve Zrioka	Heinz and Shirley Lips		Isabella Burnette	Bertha Franks	Will and Betty Ludwig	Tami Wyatt	Don Burnett	Warren Bielenberg	8 a.m.	
Chris Mallette Jan Hanes	Perry McClellan	Barbara Chumley Beth Drane	Jacqueline Conzemius Karin Bell	Alyssa Rundle	Marsha Wynn	John Beck JB Johnson Sylvia Johnson	Beth Drane	Mark Fisher	Marsha Wynn	10:30 a.m.	
	Joel Searfoss	Greg and Leigh Caldwell			Betty Ludwig	Greg and Leigh Caldwell	Warren Bielenberg	Betty Ludwig Floyd Johnson	Mike Culross	8 a.m.	
Carolyn Speck John Beck	Tom Sims	Lorraine Geary Suzette Stauffer	Carol Perry Jody Ohsiek	Noah Ohsiek	Karin Bell	James Hall Herb Perry René Zimmer	Ann Hall	JB Johnson	Jean Beck	10:30 a.m.	

# Note: If you are unable to serve when scheduled, please find a replacement for that Sunday. ST PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH WORSHIP SCHEDULE JULY

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Assistant Minister	Joel Searfoss	Marsha Bryant	Carolyn Speck	Beth Drane	Don Burnett	Elaine Fisher	Charlie Malin	Charlie Malin	Jean Beck	Art Hafner
Communion Assistants	Laura Mallette Marianne Searfoss	James Hall	Floyd Johnson Steve Zrioka	Merl Krull	Betty Ludwig	Brenda McClellan	Warren Bielenberg	Carol Perry	Joel Searfoss	Tom Sims
Lector	Don Burnett	Merl Krull	Betty Ludwig	Lyla Lindquist	Will Ludwig	Carol Perry	Chris Mallette	John Walker	Laura Mallette	Bob Ullom
Ushers	Mo Brueckner Floyd Johnson	Tom Sims Robert Bryant Al Hutchison	Will and Betty Ludwig	Perry McClellan Bob Ullom Linda Ullom	Bertha Franks Ed Kreider	James Hall JB Johnson Sylvia Johnson	Bertha Franks Will Ludwig	Perry McClellan René Zimmer James McMillion	Dot Dish- man Alice Andrews	John Beck Al Hutchison Roy Johnson
Altar Guild	Jackie Kreider	Janice Hoover	Linda Zrioka	Kris Zimmer	Suzanne Bielenberg	Marsha Wynn	Leigh Caldwell	Janice Hoover	Bertha Franks	Kris Zimmer
Acolyte/ Crucifer		Drew Ohsiek	Carolyn Speck	Darian Lindquist	Autumn Burnett	Alyssa Rundle	Jean Beck	Noah Ohsiek	Isabella Burnett	Drew Ohsiek
Nursery		Eric Walker Jessica Lindquist		Chris Mallette Laura Mallette		Dorine Keeble Anne Sims		Marianne Searfoss Philip Tyler		Jacqueline Conzemius Karin Bell
Greeters	Mo Brueckner	JB and Sylvia Johnson	Dorothy Dishman Bertha Franks	Thelma Fastner Christel Pfister	Greg and Leigh Caldwell	Janice Hoover Norma Watson	Jacqueline Conzemius	Rick and Elizabeth Anger	Mo Brueckner	Cathy and Taylor LeBlanc
Sound Room	Will Ludwig	Bob Block	James Speck	JB Johnson	Will Ludwig	Kevin Rokavec	Greg Caldwell	Bob Block	Don Burnett	JB Johnson
Tellers		Tom Sims Will Ludwig		John Walker Roy Johnson		Herb Perry Merl Krull		Tom Sims Will Ludwig		Warren Bielenberg Joel Searfoss

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### **Dates of Interest**

Check Calendar for times and places

### OFFICE CLOSED ~ Monday, July 13th - Wednesday, July 15th & Friday, July 17th

### Council:

Monday, August 17th ~ Ministry Team Night & Council Meeting

### Serving:

Saturday, July 25th ~ Walk Against Racism

### Parish Life:

Thursdays, July 9th, 16th & 30th ~ Keep'em In Stitches Thursday, July 16th & August 20th ~ Women's Bible Study ~ Day time

### Discipleship:

July 14th-19th ~ National Youth Gathering in Detroit

### Worship:

Tuesday, August 18th ~ Bell Choir Begins Wednesday, August 19th ~ Adult Choir Begins