



St. Paul Lutheran Church
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Divine Service on Sundays at 9:00am



Prayer and Pastoral Care Requests:

For any prayer or pastoral care requests, please contact Pastor Zoske directly. Call or text him at: 260-413-7253

October is Pastor Appreciation month. Stop in and let Pastor know you appreciate him.



Flower chart November 8th is still available. Stop in and sign up or contact the church office.



Bible Studies— Bible Study/Sunday School on Sundays at 10:30am
Tuesday Bible Study at 9:00am

CHRISTIAN OUTREACH COMMITTEE News about our Church Family (all addresses are Williamsburg, IA 52361 unless noted) Highlighted Birthdays and Anniversaries for October. We highlight children's, decade, and 80+ birthdays. We highlight the 1st year, each 5 years, and 50+ years wedding anniversaries. Please let us know if you would like other birthdays and anniversaries added to the highlighted list. Complete lists of birthdays and anniversaries are posted on the West entrance bulletin board

Oct. 4 – James Long, 14 – 823 Hampton Dr.
Oct. 8 – Braysen Doehrmann, 20– 114 Circle Dr
Oct. 10—Don Hiner 80, 2468 PP Ave
Oct. 12 – Kenny and Gloria Wichmann, 52 – 2279 Q Ave
Oct. 13 – Robert Hook, 93 – 404 Court St., P.O. Box 184
Oct. 15 – Harold and Karen Joseph, 66– 2587 L Ave.
Oct. 17—Lowell & Pam Iburg, 45—2429 190th St., Marengo, IA 52301
Oct. 17 – Bristol Finnegan, 12 – 604 West Welsh St.
Oct. 18 – Millie Kruse, 2 – 512 Tilden St., Parnell, IA 52325
Oct. 23 – Don and Linda Hiner, 61– 2468 PP Ave.
Oct. 24—Wes Morrow 65, 3269 F52 trail, Parnell, IA 52325
Oct. 26—Lee Bair, 78 204 Knolls End
Oct. 29 – Brea Goad, 7 – 1002 North St.
Oct. 29 – Ron and Arlene Holden, 60 – 2509 Q Blvd, P.O. Box 30
Oct. 31—Mike Dodsworth 55, 2937 N Dr. Parnell, IA 52325

Prayers: **Pete Kampion**, recovering from a heart ablation procedure, Velma Mews recovering at home. Karen Von Ahsen cancer, Mark McMann, Christine O'Brien (daughter of Cindy Knock) recovering from a stroke, Christopher Schmidt (grandson of Cindy Knock) recovering from surgery

Congratulations to Pat Dellamuth & Earl Wichmann who was married on September 6th here at St. Paul

Prayers to the family of Betty Balvanz. Betty died on September 19th. Funeral service was held on September 25th. Burial at a later date

Drivers: If you would like to help take church members to doctor appointments in the Williamsburg area, Iowa City or Cedar Rapids, contact Evan Uhlmann 319– 319-530-3003

If you need food or know of someone who does, the HACAP Food Reservoir Mobile Food Pantry is at the Williamsburg Kirkwood Campus from 3:00-4:00 pm on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

The HACAP Food Reservoir distributes food boxes at the Presbyterian church from 10-12 on the first and third Thursdays each month.

Iowa County Food Bank – call Suzanne at 319-668-1375, Sherry at 319-551-7452 or Audrey at 319-721-7640.

If you need clothes, check out the following places: Contact each store to find out the dates for their sales.

Crowded Closet 851 Hwy 6 E, Ste 101, Iowa City, IA 52240, 9:30-5:00 M-F, Sat 9:30-4:00 319-337-5924. Colored tag ½ price each week.

Good Will/Coralville 2551 Heartland Place, 319-248-4729

Good Will/Iowa City 985 Highway 6 E, 319-248-4705, 9AM-9PM M-F, Sat. 9-6 PM, Sunday 12-5PM

Once Upon a Child – quality used children’s clothing – next to Hy-Vee in Coralville

The Attic, Free clothing – call 668-2288 for an appointment (St. Paul Methodist), the hours are Monday 9-11AM, Thursday 5:30-6:30PM

Salvation Army/Iowa City – 1725 Boyrum St., 9AM-8PM, M-Sat. 319-339-4984

CHRISTIAN OUTREACH COMMITTEE – St Paul’s Lutheran Williamsburg, Ia
(for immediate release) Previously known as Christian Service & Evangelism, the newly merged committee is looking for additional members and participants. The Christian Outreach Committee will maintain the spiritual missions they have been doing for decades. The Outreach Committee is to help those in need not only in our church, but the community and beyond. We also have an obligation to share the Faith with those who we interact with not only in our church, but our community and beyond.

Wondering if and where you can fit in? Come join us and see what we have in-store. Our next meeting is Tuesday, September 8th at 5:30pm in the fellowship hall. No obligations, and no purchase necessary. Hurry, spots are limited.

Our new “St Paul Christian Outreach Committee” will again be collecting “Happy Birthday” supplies for the Iowa County Food Bank during the month of September. Our goal is to help those in need celebrate their special day. Cake mixes, frosting, candles, etc. or any party supplies may be placed in a small gift bag (optional) and placed in the collection box downstairs. In the past these “gift bags” have been greatly appreciated:)

“Every good and perfect gift is from above” James 1:17.

Church Council Meeting on October 6th at 6:00pm. Please have reports to the church office by then. Thank you!

Elders meeting on October 13th at 7:00pm

Fellowship—is in need of people to sign up to provide a snack/drinks after our Sunday worship service. There is a sign up sheet available on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

Highland Ridge service— NO Sunday, October 11th service, Tuesday, October 27th at 5:30pm

LIS School Board meeting - October 20th at 7:30pm

Library

Adult Books

Twelve Ordinary Men by John MacArthur

Discover how God used ordinary men, Jesus's twelve chosen disciples, to change the world, and how He can accomplish the same thing through you.



You don't have to be perfect to do God's work. Look no further than the twelve disciples, whose many weaknesses are forever preserved throughout the pages of the New Testament. Join bestselling author John MacArthur in *Twelve Ordi-*

nary Men as he draws principles from Christ's careful, hands-on training of the original disciples for today's modern disciple, you!

Jesus chose ordinary men--fishermen, tax collectors, political zealots--and turned their weakness into strength, producing greatness from people who were otherwise unremarkable. The twelve disciples weren't the stained-glass saints we imagine. On the contrary, they were truly human, all too prone to mistakes, misstatements, wrong attitudes, lapses of faith, and bitter failure. Simply put, they were flawed people, just like us. But under Jesus' teaching and touch, they became a force that forever changed the world.

Children's Books

Bible Friends Who's Hiding? By Sally Lloyd-Jones

Who's Hiding?" is a 16-page lift-the-flap children's book by Sally Lloyd-Jones (text) and Tracy Moroney (illustrations) that introduces young readers to Bible characters while encouraging them to find hidden surprises throughout the pages.

Bible Friends Who Says That? By Sally Lloyd-Jones

is a 16-page, lift-the-flap children's Bible storybook that introduces young readers to familiar Bible characters in a fun, interactive way

Parish Ed

Bible Class/Sunday School - Sundays at 10:30am (**NO** Bible Study /Sunday School on October 18th)

Tuesday Bible Study at 9:00am

First Communion/Confirmation Class on October 18th at 10:30am rest of the month it is at 11:30am on Sundays



From the Piece Maker Quilters Corner:

St. Paul Piece Makers reconvened weekly Monday morning stitching in September ...9:00-11:30. We have a very good group going. More are always welcome. We will continue to do quilts for Orphan Grain Train missions, confirmands and comfort quilts. Cotton & Cotton polyester flat sheet donations always welcome along with length of fabric. For the Stitchers. Bonnie Furler & Jolene Schaefer



Looking for a person to run the PA system. If you are interested please contact one of the PA system people.

Voter's Meeting will be on October 18th at 1:30pm

Pastor Zoske - Fall Pastor Conference at Camp Io-Dis-E-Ca on October 5th & 6th, and he will be gone from October 10- 16th for Dr. of Ministry

Trunk or Treat will be at the St Paul Lutheran Church parking lot on October 31st starting at 5 pm. Please let us know if you plan on participating in this event for the kids! There will be a signup sheet posted on the bulletin board by the west entrance. Dress up, decorate your vehicle, and let's make this a FUN night!!!

Christian Outreach Committee

Our 3rd Annual Community Cookout was a smashing success! Thank you to everyone who contributed. Whether you donated to the expenses or mission funds, volunteered your time, baked the amazing desserts, or just came to enjoy a great meal – we couldn't have done it without you. We served close to 300 meals to our local friends, family, and neighbors in the community, along with several families in town for the LIS soccer games. Thanks to generous donations, all expenses were covered and the surplus of \$1,218.15 will go towards the 2027 cookout. We are happy to announce that we exceeded our \$4,000 goal, raising **\$5,207.50** for our two missions! Checks will be presented to both missions soon.

SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE - October 2026

DATE	ACOLYTES	ALTAR GUILD	GREETERS	ORGANIST	SUNDAY	STEWARDSHIP	HEAD USHERS	USHERS
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		ELDER						
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4-Oct	Dalton Harper	Matt Schaefer	Rhonett Wardenburg	Karin Malloy		Rhonett Wardenburg	Loren Timm	Kayden Schaefer
9:00am	Samantha Loy		Nancy Ahrens	Rhonett Wardenburg		Megan Finnegan		Sam Schaefer
						Deb Garringer		
11-Oct	James Long	Matt Schaefer	Arlene Arp	Pat Wichmann		Jessica Uhlmann	Loren Timm	Kayden Schaefer
9:00am	Wyatt Uhlmann		Emily Campbell	Mike Dellamuth		Joi Dellamuth		Sam Schaefer
						Monica Long		
18-Oct	Braxton Goad	Matt Schaefer	Russ & Bonnie Furler	Karin Malloy		Erica Wardenburg	Loren Timm	Kayden Schaefer
9:00am	Dalton Harper		Kenton & Kim Doehmann	Mike Dellamuth		Gary Stourac		Sam Schaefer
25-Oct	Henry Long	Matt Schaefer	Deb Knock	Peggy Wardenburg		Peggy Wardenburg	Loren Timm	Kayden Schaefer
9:00am	James Long		Karol Lacher	Matt Schaefer		Michelle Piersol		Sam Schaefer
						Sandy Dellamuth		
Joleen Timm, Brooke Uhlmann, Gracie Uhlmann, Gabi Uhlmann								
1-Nov	Samantha Loy	David Dellamuth		Pat Wichmann		Rhonett Wardenburg	Loren Timm	Richard Schlesselman
9:00am	Wyatt Uhlmann			Rhonett Wardenburg		Megan Finnegan		Michael Jepsen
						Deb Garringer		Rowdy Loy
8-Nov	Braxton Goad	David Dellamuth				Jessica Uhlmann	Loren Timm	Richard Schlesselman
9:00am	Henry Long			Mike Dellamuth		Joi Dellamuth		Michael Jepsen
						Monica Long		Rowdy Loy
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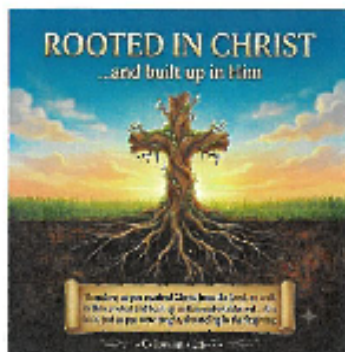
Monthly Planner

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LIS Panther Proclaimer October Church Edition



Athletics

Our cross country and soccer seasons are wrapping up as I type. The cross-country runners have had a wonderfully successful year. Many of the kids have set new personal best times. We are hopeful to have another group of runners qualify for the national meet at Concordia WI!

The soccer teams have enjoyed a positive season. Both, the JV and varsity teams, have experienced victory and defeat. Most importantly, they have worked together and made improvements. A special thanks to Gavin Kruse and Keith Burke for giving their time as coaches!

Scholarship Granting Organization (SGO)

Many months ago, the "Big Beautiful Bill" passed by Congress, created a federal law that allows states to create organizations to collect donations to be used for tuition assistance for non-public schools. This starts in 2027. A household may give up to \$1,700 and receive an income tax credit for that amount on their federal taxes. (This is different from the ILSTO, which has been around for many years.) There will be more information to come but you may want to start a conversation with your tax professional to see how this may work for you. As long as you will have at least \$1,700 in tax liability, there is no negative impact to the donor. We are still working to see how our school can leverage these funds.

Book Fair

Each year, the school hosts a book fair in the small gym. We will be holding this year's book fair October 19th to the 22nd. This is a great opportunity to purchase books for your children or grandchildren. Any extra funds generated from the book sale are given to our chapel offerings or another local cause. We always appreciate your support!

Chapel Offering for the First Trimester

LIS is supporting Trinity Christian Academy, a brand new elementary Lutheran School in Lowden, Iowa. There are many needs when a school opens and we are blessed to have an opportunity to support them. If you would like to help support this effort, please contact the school.

National Lutheran School Accreditation

I am bringing the accreditation discussion full circle. After many hours of work, before and after the visit, we were notified by the national office that we were granted full accreditation for the next 5 years! This is excellent news and well earned by our school community.

Christmas Card and Wreath Sale

We will be kicking off our annual Christmas card and wreath sale the week of September 28th. Many of you support this sale and we are happy to help provide the opportunity to look through a catalog for cards and other fun items. We will also be selling decorated 24 inch and 30 inch Balsam wreaths. If you can't find an LIS student with order materials, feel free to reach out to the school office. We can help facilitate this. Thank you for your support!





St. Paul Lutheran Church

Capital Improvement Campaign

Greetings,

As many of you know, the \$125 for 125 campaign kicked off back in late 2022. We have already raised over \$74,022.97 for capital improvements. What a blessing!

If we continue towards our goal, which is for each communicant member to donate \$125 a year for the next 3 years, we can still hit our \$500,000 goal! These funds would help the congregation pay for capital improvements and give us another reason to celebrate in 2029!

We ask that you prayerfully consider this campaign above your normal monthly offerings. Just remember to put "125 for 125" on your offering envelope.

Thank you all for your continued support of this campaign!

Any Questions please contact:

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