

The Fourth Sunday of Easter
ST. PAUL'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMS)
Aberdeen, South Dakota
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April 22, 2018

The purpose of St. Paul's Congregation is to assist its members to share and to grow in their faith in Jesus Christ by faithful proclamation of the Gospel and the administration of the Sacraments in accordance with the confessional standards of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

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THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S (April 22-28)

Sun	8:00 am	Worship Service with communion
	9:15 am	Sunday School/Coffee Hour
	9:15 am	Bible Class
	9:15 am	4 th & 5 th grade confirmation
	10:30 am	Worship Service with communion
	3:30 pm	Adult Information Class
Mon	6:15 pm	Worship Service with communion
	6:30 pm	Board of Elders and Church Council
Tue	6:00 pm	Pastor Fitch's Bible Class
Wed	6:00 am	Men's Bible Class at Hardee's
	5:15 pm	Bless These Lips Bible Class
	5:30 pm	Five Loaves Planning Meeting
	6:30 pm	Confirmation Classes
	6:45 pm	Vocal Choir Practice
	7:30 pm	Bell Choir Practice
Thu	9:00 am	Quilting
	2:00 pm	Publicity Circle assembling newsletter

5:30 pm Just for Kix
5:30 pm Board of Education and Youth
6:15 pm Preschool Committee

Our Attendance: April 15—8:00 am—134 Sunday school—34
10:30 am—129 Monday Night--27

Our Offerings: April 15—General Fund--\$8307.20
Sunday school--\$10.36 Coffee--\$62.02 Missions--\$55.00
Just for Kix--\$50.00 Preschool Tuition--\$4213.00

Sunday organist: Sue Ellingson **Monday Organist:** Cindy Jung

Greeters: Early Service— Cy and Irene Kaiser
Late Service— Skip and Deb Klapperich

Please notify the church office if you have a son or daughter graduating from High School, Tech school or college.

Vicar Josh Vogel, from Cresbard/Wecota will be leading the Circuit Bible Study “Theology of the Cross” beginning on Friday, April 27th from 1:00-2:00 pm. The class will also meet on May 4, 11, and 18.

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Lutherans for Life is looking for a few volunteers from St. Paul’s to assist with organizing a Walk for Life event. Please contact Jackie Iverson at 228-4879 if you are interested.

*Time is given equally to everyone,
But how we use it determines its true value.*

*“Teach us to number our days aright,
That we may gain a heart of wisdom” (Psalm 90:12)*

Come visit our Library/Resource Center. We have reading for pleasure, devotion, and research for all ages. Enjoy the books in the library or borrow and return to the library.

Those to Keep in Prayer
“...and call upon me in the day of trouble;
I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me.”
[Psalm 50:15]

Please keep us updated about anyone in your family (and extended family), or friends and neighbors, for whom we might pray. After recovery and surgery, let us know so that we can also give thank to our Lord for His gracious care and protection.

1. Please pray for Peace in our Nation, our President and President Elect and all persecuted Christians throughout the world.

2. Please notify the church office when you or a loved one is admitted to the hospital. Please let us know which hospital (Avera St. Luke's or Sanford).
3. Please pray for Larry Pigors, Viola Stange, Brandi Wagemann, Ken Ellingson, Elaine Pigors, Dan Wold, Roberta Adolphsen, Roger Blum, Pastor Dell, Dan Lingor, Michael Severson, Fern Preston, Joyce Kenitzer, Corissa Joachin, Dan Phipps, Joyce Dahme, Delores Sandmeier, Grace Kaiser, Jeanie Clark, Ada McCorkel, Denise Bode, Harry Preston, Pastor Anderson, Betty Streckfuss, TiAnne Mohror and Miles Eisenbeisz.
4. Please notify the church office when you or a loved one is admitted to the hospital. Please let us know which hospital (Avera St. Luke's or Sanford)
5. Please pray for Jeff Severson and Devin Severson who are both in military serving abroad.
6. Please pray for Brantson Meier, son of Scott and Terrill Meier, who has joined the Army National Guard Reserves.

Congratulations to Hazel Kurth who celebrated her 98th birthday on April 19th.

A gift of \$100.00 has been given to the Youth of St. Paul's Church by Marg Zacher in remembrance of her Dear Son-in-law, William Toby, of New York City.

Next FIVE LOAVES FELLOWSHIP SUPPER planning meeting: Thursday, April 25th at 5:30 pm. A great way to serve and get to know your church family. Please join us!

The Publicity Circle is assembling the monthly newsletter on Thursday, April 26th at 2:00 pm.

Dan Wold Fundraiser – We were overwhelmed by the attendance and generosity of the congregation at the benefit last Sunday. We sincerely want to thank everyone who helped with the benefit and donated money. We especially thank Pastor Bobby, Beverly and Pastor Fitch for working with Jess Vogel or organize the event. Dan has appointments this week to see if he can get in a clinical trial at MD Anderson in Houston. We thank you for your continued prayers for our family. We are blessed to have such a caring church family.

On Friday, April 27th, St. John's Rural LWML will be hosting our Spring Salad Supper beginning at 6:00 pm. We will accept a free will donation for the supper and our entertainment will be a special quilting/spring décor demonstration by Karleen Peterson.

Board of Evangelism is meeting on Thursday, April 26th at 11:00 am at the Milestone Restaurant.

The Rite of Confirmation will be held on Sunday, May 6th at the 10:30 am worship service. Questioning of the confirmands is Wednesday, May 2nd at 6:00 pm. Everyone is invited.

Adult Game Night will be held on Friday, April 27th at 6:00 pm at the church.

Last Day of confirmation is Wednesday, May 9th.

There will be Adult Information Class today (Sunday, April 22) at 3:30 pm.

CAMP MINNEBOJI – Parents of youth between 4th and 9th grades, the deadline for sending in applications to Camp Minneboji is upon us! If you need an application, I have some in my office, and I'm asking that parents return these applications to me (Pastor Bobby!) and not send them in.

This will help with the registration process when we arrive in June. Please have all applications to me by May 1st. I am looking forward to a week of growing in Christ as we enjoy the great outdoors and the camp experience.

In Christ – Pastor Bobby

“Having already swallowed death down along with humankind’s guilt and buried it beneath his resurrection, Jesus Christ has no death left in Him and allows none near His own. Bravely and gratefully we keep sharing what He continues showing us, that all persons are worth it despite the cost and opposition, everyone precious for His grace’s sake and not dependent upon appearance or age or ability. Rev. Michael W. Salemink, executive director of Lutherans for Life. A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life. www.lutheransforlife.org.

MAIN STREET LIVING: Kid’s Crossing – Janitor Bob tells about the importance of recycling. He points out that we have been recycled from our old nature so God can use each of us to spread His Word. Rev. Luke Edwards of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Rapid City message is “God is Greater Than Our Heart” is based on 1 John 3:20.

There will be Adult Information Class today (Sunday, April 22) at 3:30 pm.

Last Day of Sunday School is May 13th.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: “What’s in a Name?” is speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev. Dr. Ken Klaus, sermon theme. We live in a disposable age. If something wears out, breaks down or is lost, we replace it. But who or what can replace Jesus? Who else can save us? (Acts 1:42). The Lutheran Hour can be heard on KAWZ 88.1 at 9:00 am or Bismarck radio station KFYR at 7:30 am on Sundays.

The Foundation Meeting is a meeting of local (LCMS) persons, interested in establishing a financial foundation to assure that Word and Sacrament ministry continues for many generations to come in this NE South Dakota area, in the face of encroaching ministry challenges facing our rural demographics.

Representatives from the 8 churches in this circuit have attended these meetings that have been held at St. Paul’s Lutheran, Aberdeen.

BIBLE BOWL 2018

Congratulations to the St. Paul’s Bible Bowl Teams who competed in the Bible Bowl challenge again this year in Pierre on April 7th.

Team 1: Kayleen Hermans
Kara Sinar
April Olson

Team 2: Isaac Jung
Judah Bobby

Claire Schaunaman
Mari Odland

Team 1 took Second Place in Team A

Team 2 took Second Place in Team B

Kara Sinar took Third Place Individual

Special Thanks to Trudy Schaunaman who was their instructor!

On the fourth Sunday of the month, non-perishable items are collected for the Salvation Army Food Pantry. You can put your items in the food cart located in the south narthex.

Available at the church bookstore is confirmation cards, gifts, napkins and thank you notes. The bookstore is open during the week and on Sunday mornings.

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