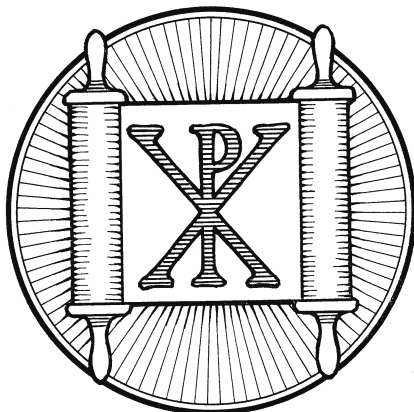


**St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)**  
**Aberdeen, SD 57401**  
**605-225-1847**

**Second Sunday after Pentecost**

**June 6, 2021**



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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**Our condolences to the family of Sharron Schaffer.** Her funeral was held at St. Paul's on Tuesday, June 1, 2021.

**A Quarterly Voter's meeting** is scheduled for Sunday, June 13, 2021 at 9:15am. Packets are available in the South Narthex.

**Little Ones' Book Club** – Our youngest children (Baptism through age 3) have a Bible-based books waiting for them in the South Narthex. Please take it home, read, and enjoy! It's yours to keep!

**History of Christian Thought:** Join us for the next Tuesday night Bible study, starting June 15<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM which will be in-person and livestreamed. The church fathers offer a rich resource of knowledge that can be appreciated by you, the Augsburg Catholic, otherwise known as the Lutheran. This study will remind us that there is nothing new under the sun, and that God has preserved the Christian faith since the time of Christ.

**Please pray** for Brandi Wagemann, Roger Blum, Pastor Dell, Joyce Kenitzer, Delores Sandmeier, Ada McCorkle, Miles Eisenbeisz, Barbara Dahme, Dan Lingor, Jason Herrick, Gladys Felix, Muriel Schamber, Jeanie Quam, Kimberlee Kaiser, Harry Preston, Erica Bobby, Ann Thompson, Jerry Streckfuss, Elli Bode, Josie Lamee, Dee Hettich, and Courtney Frohling. Josh Hahler who enlisted in the Army.

**Are You Struggling with Grief** or Know Someone Who Is? On behalf of the Circuit 1 of the South Dakota District, Rev. Bret Bierman will leading grief share counseling sessions on Wednesdays in the chapel here St. Paul's. Each Wednesday session will begin at 6:30 pm and can be expected to end at 8:30 pm. There are 13 sessions planned.

**MAIN STREET LIVING – June 13, 2021** 10:00 AM – This is the Life – “*Jeremy*” 10:30 AM - Rev. Martin Herzberg brings the message “*Don't Lose Heart! Believe! God Raised Jesus*” based on 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1. For more information go to the web site: [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com)

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR – June 13, 2021** “*Cleary Christian: Good*” Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. The Lutheran Hour can be heard on KAWZ 88.1 at 9:00 am or Bismarck radio station KFYZ at

7:30 am on Sundays.

**On the first Sunday of the month**, the Coin Banks are collected. The money donated is given to The Journey to help those in need in our community.

**Ken's and Kessler's grocery receipts:** Please turn in your grocery receipts by June 10<sup>th</sup> for this past school year. Last day to collect receipts is May 31, 2021. We will start this program beginning September 1<sup>st</sup>. No receipts are collected June-August.

### **VBS – LIVE THE VICTORY**

**Calling all kids** to VBS on Monday June 14th through Friday June 18th. Traveling Camp Omega will be hosting this year's VBS. 3 to 4 volunteers from Camp Omega in Waterville, Minnesota will come to our church to host a traveling camp experience for **FUN! FRIENDS! FAITH!** Please complete registrations found in the Narthex and return to the church office by June 7, 2021. There is no cost for VBS.

VBS schedule is 9am-12pm for children who completed Preschool and Kindergarten in 2021 and 9am-3pm for grades 1-6 (Friday till noon). Snacks and Lunch will be provided.

Volunteers are needed to help with kids, Camp Omega takes care of teaching. Please sign up on the sheet located in the Narthex.

We are also looking for family host(s) for the Camp Omega volunteers Sunday evening through Thursday evening. Please contact Becky Jung @ 216-4439 if interested. Please prayerfully consider signing up to volunteer or to host camp volunteers.

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**Organists: Sunday –** Cyrece Kono    **Monday:** Tierra Cassens  
**Wednesday:** Cindy Jung

**Offering: May 30, 2021 -** \$6,259.50    Missions - \$30.00  
 Coffee - \$64.00

**Sunday Attendance – May 30:** 8:00am – 69 Communed - 56  
10:45am – 97 Communed – 72 Monday – 17  
Wednesday - 14

**Bible Study Attendance – Sunday - 45 Men’s – 5**

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL’S: (June 6-June 13)**

**Sun 8:00 am Worship Service**

9:30 am Bible Study, Coffee & Donuts

**10:45 am Worship Service**

5-7pm pm Youth Group - Gotham

**Mon 6:15 pm Worship Service**

7:00 pm Elder Meeting

**Tue 6:00 pm VBS Meeting**

**Wed 6:00 am Men’s Bible Study**

**12:15 pm Worship (mask only)**

6:30 pm Grief Share

**Thur 11:00 am LWML Meeting**

**Sun 8:00 am Worship Service**

9:15 am Voter’s Meeting

9:30 am Bible Study, Donuts and Coffee

**10:45 am Worship Service**

1:00 pm Elder Bible Study

**Introit** *Ps. 28:7–9; antiphon: Ps. 28:6*

L: Blessèd be the Lord!

**C: For he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.**

L: The Lord is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts,  
and I am helped;

**C: my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him.**

L: The Lord is the strength of his people;

**C: he is the saving refuge of his anointed.**

L: Oh, save your people and bless your heritage!

**C: Be their shepherd and carry them forever.**

**ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son**

**and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning,**

**is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

L: Blessèd be the Lord!

**C: For he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.**

## **Salutation and Collect of the Day**

**P** Let us pray.

Almighty and eternal God, Your Son Jesus triumphed over the prince of demons and freed us from bondage to sin. Help us to stand firm against every assault of Satan, and enable us always to do Your will; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

## **Old Testament Reading** *Genesis 3:8–15*

<sup>8</sup>And they heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees of the garden. <sup>9</sup>But the Lord God called to the man and said to him, "Where are you?" <sup>10</sup>And he said, "I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked, and I hid myself." <sup>11</sup>He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?" <sup>12</sup>The man said, "The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate." <sup>13</sup>Then the Lord God said to the woman, "What is this that you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate."

<sup>14</sup>The Lord God said to the serpent,

"Because you have done this,  
 cursed are you above all livestock  
 and above all beasts of the field;  
 on your belly you shall go,  
 and dust you shall eat  
 all the days of your life.

<sup>15</sup>I will put enmity between you and the woman,  
 and between your offspring and her offspring;  
 he shall bruise your head,  
 and you shall bruise his heel."

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God.**

**Gradual** *Ps. 145:3, 5b, 6b*

L: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised,

**C: and his greatness is unsearchable.**

L: On your wondrous works, I will meditate,

**C: and I will declare your greatness.**

**Epistle** *2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1*

<sup>13</sup>Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, "I believed, and so I spoke," we also believe, and so we also speak, <sup>14</sup>knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. <sup>15</sup>For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

<sup>16</sup>So we do not lose heart. Though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. <sup>17</sup>For this slight momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, <sup>18</sup>as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

<sup>1</sup>For we know that if the tent, which is our earthly home, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**G** **Thanks be to God.**

*Stand*

**Holy Gospel** *Mark 3:20–35*

**P** *The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the third chapter.*

### **G** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>20</sup>Then [Jesus] went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat.

<sup>21</sup>And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, "He is out of his mind."

<sup>22</sup>And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, "He is possessed by Beelzebul," and "by the prince of demons he casts out the demons." <sup>23</sup>And he called them to him and said to them in parables, "How can Satan cast out Satan? <sup>24</sup>If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. <sup>25</sup>And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. <sup>26</sup>And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. <sup>27</sup>But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house.

<sup>28</sup>"Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, <sup>29</sup>but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin"— <sup>30</sup>for they had said, "He has an unclean spirit."

<sup>31</sup>And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. <sup>32</sup>And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, "Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you." <sup>33</sup>And he answered them, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" <sup>34</sup>And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers!" <sup>35</sup>Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

### **G** **Praise to You, O Christ.**