

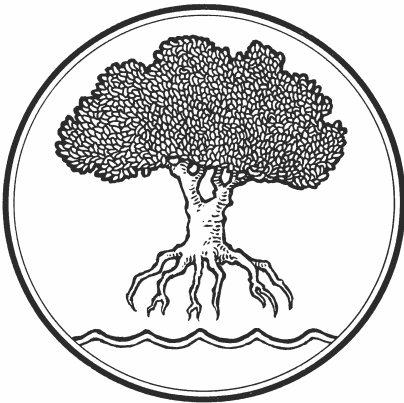
# **St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)**

**Aberdeen, SD 57401**

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## **Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**October 2, 2022**



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Please pray for Roger Blum, Joyce Kenitzer, Miles Eisenbeisz, Barbara Dahme, Gladys Felix, Harry and Fern Preston, Sheyenne Seely, Janet Smith, Andrew & Cindy Ruenzel, Courtney Frohling, Dawn Dohn, Lorelei Hartung, Jim Busch, Baelyn Schwab, Pam Dutenhoffer, Karen Johnson, Chet Lane, Sally Kushman, David Mammenga, Ella Jaaska, Dan Lingor, Viril Layton, and Cody Bahn.

**Please inform the Pastors** or the church office when you or a loved one is hospitalized.

**Youth Group Half-Nighter** – October 9, 2022 from 5pm-1am. Join us for faith, food, and fun! We will have the opportunity to enjoy fellowship over a meal, watch a full movie for Bible study, and play many games. Invite a friend! Registration forms are on the table in the south narthex. Please return forms and the \$10 fee to DCE Michael Leapley or the church office.

**Vocal and Bell choir practices** are on TUESDAYS. Vocal choir at 6:45pm and Bell choir at 7:30 pm. No previous experience is necessary for either group. Anyone who would like to share their love of music with their brothers and sisters in Christ is welcomed!

**2 Samuel Bible Study-** Come join us on Wednesdays at 10:00am, as we look into 2 Samuel. 2 Samuel deals with David's reign as king and goes until his death in chapter 24. We get to see all of David's flaws and strengths but above all else we get to see how God's mercy and grace prevail throughout time! Pastor Smith

**Our LWML** is participating in LWML's 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary "*80 years of God's Grace.*" Our goal is to collect 80 pairs of mittens, hats, and/or socks to donate to the Lighthouse Preschool and Journey Home. We will have a collection box in the south narthex if you wish to donate until October 3<sup>rd</sup> (LWML Sunday)

**A Congregational Voter's Meeting will be held on November 20<sup>th</sup>.** There are 2 positions up for election on the Preschool Board. If someone wishes to be on the ballot, or if anyone would like to nominate a member please contact Jason Oberfoell.

**October newsletter** is now on the web site under the NEWS tab.

**Please sign the fellowship booklet** for attendance.

**October is Pastor's Appreciation month.** Show appreciation for the workers God has placed in your midst. God calls people to proclaim the Word and administer the Sacraments. Pray for pastors, commissioned church workers and missionaries. Send a card of thankfulness and words of encouragement to the called staff of St. Paul's.

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

**The Christian lit room** will be open after 8:00am service and before the 10:45am service on Sunday mornings. Stop in and check out the cards, napkins, Bibles, Christian items and gift items. Anyone interested in helping with this room, please leave name and phone number in the room or let the LWML officers know.

**The LWML would like to invite** you to a LWML breakfast TODAY following the 8:00am service. The breakfast will include an egg bake, sweet rolls/breads, and fruit. A free will offering will be taken.

**MAIN STREET LIVING – October 9, 2022** KDLT (NBC) This the Life – **10:00 AM – “Tina” 10:30 AM – Worship** – Rev. Paul Winckler presents a message titled “*Never Alone*” based on Ruth1:1-19. For more information go to the web site: [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com).

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR – October 9, 2022** “*Thankfulness, Eh?*” Speaker: Rev. Cody Cooper. 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.

**Offering: September 25, 2022 - \$10,281.50** Coffee - \$91.00  
Sunday School - \$15.00

**Amount to meet Budget:** \$13,012.00 per week

**Sunday Attendance – September 25, 2022:**

**8:00am** – 83 Communed - 69 **10:45am** – 122 Communed – 84

**Wednesday** – 33 Communed - 28

**Organist: Sunday** – Cyrece Kono **Wednesday** – Judah Bobby

**Bible Study: Sunday – 51**

**Wed:** 6am - 6 10am - 12 5:15: - 7 7:00 - 20

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S: (Oct. 2 – Oct. 9)**

**Sun 8:00 am Worship Service**

9:15 am LWML Breakfast

9:30 am Bible Study

9:30 am Sunday School

**10:45 am Worship Service**

**Mon 7:00 pm Elder Meeting**

**Tue 6:45 pm Vocal Choir Practice**

7:30 pm Bell Choir Practice

**Wed 10:00 am 2 Samuel Bible Study**

5:15 pm Women's Bible Study

5:15 pm Five Loaves Supper

**6:15 pm Worship**

7:00 pm Confirmation

**Thur 9:00 am Good Cheer Circle**

7:00 pm Preschool Board Meeting

7:00 pm Altar Guild Meeting

**Sun 8:00 am Worship Service**

9:30 am Bible Study, Coffee and Donuts

9:30 am Sunday School

**10:45 am Worship Service**

12:30 pm Prayer Service

## Reading *Habakkuk 1:1–4; 2:1–4*

L A reading from Habakkuk, chapter 1.

<sup>1</sup>The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw.

<sup>2</sup>O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,  
and you will not hear?

Or cry to you “Violence!”  
and you will not save?

<sup>3</sup>Why do you make me see iniquity,  
and why do you idly look at wrong?  
Destruction and violence are before me;  
strife and contention arise.

<sup>4</sup>So the law is paralyzed,  
and justice never goes forth.  
For the wicked surround the righteous;  
so justice goes forth perverted.

<sup>1</sup>I will take my stand at my watchpost  
and station myself on the tower,  
and look out to see what he will say to me,  
and what I will answer concerning my complaint.

<sup>2</sup>And the LORD answered me:

“Write the vision;  
make it plain on tablets,  
so he may run who reads it.

<sup>3</sup>For still the vision awaits its appointed time;  
it hastens to the end—it will not lie.  
If it seems slow, wait for it;  
it will surely come; it will not delay.

<sup>4</sup>“Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him,  
but the righteous shall live by his faith.”

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

**C Thanks be to God.**

## Reading 2 Timothy 1:1–14

L A reading from 2 Timothy, chapter 1.

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus,

<sup>2</sup>To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

<sup>3</sup>I thank God whom I serve, as did my ancestors, with a clear conscience, as I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. <sup>4</sup>As I remember your tears, I long to see you, that I may be filled with joy. <sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. <sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, <sup>7</sup>for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.

<sup>8</sup>Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me his prisoner, but share in suffering for the gospel by the power of God, <sup>9</sup>who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of his own purpose and grace, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, <sup>10</sup>and which now has been manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel, <sup>11</sup>for which I was appointed a preacher and apostle and teacher, <sup>12</sup>which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that Day what has been entrusted to me. <sup>13</sup>Follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. <sup>14</sup>By the Holy Spirit who dwells within us, guard the good deposit entrusted to you.

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

**C Thanks be to God.**

**Reading** *Luke 17:1–10*

L A reading from Luke, chapter 17.

<sup>1</sup>[Jesus] said to his disciples, “Temptations to sin are sure to come, but woe to the one through whom they come! <sup>2</sup>It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and he were cast into the sea than that he should cause one of these little ones to sin. <sup>3</sup>Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, <sup>4</sup>and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, ‘I repent,’ you must forgive him.”

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” <sup>6</sup>And the Lord said, “If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it would obey you.

<sup>7</sup>“Will any one of you who has a servant plowing or keeping sheep say to him when he has come in from the field, ‘Come at once and recline at table’? <sup>8</sup>Will he not rather say to him, ‘Prepare supper for me, and dress properly, and serve me while I eat and drink, and afterward you will eat and drink’? <sup>9</sup>Does he thank the servant because he did what was commanded? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.’”

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

**C Thanks be to God.**

## October Baptismal Birthdays

Diane Agnitsch  
Jasper Anderson  
Roger Blum  
Charlotte Bode  
Harley Bode  
Harrison Bode  
Beverly Borchard  
Esther Erlenbush  
Ronnie Gruenstein  
Karen Hermans  
Phyllis Hite  
Rebecca Jeschke

Mia Jung  
Skip Klapperich  
Maesyn Klapperich  
Joy Mammenga  
Connie Munsch  
Nels Olson  
Glenda Ritter  
Claire Schaunaman  
Brodey Schmitz  
Kennedy Schwab  
Pam Sudlow  
Hannah Wakefield

## October Wedding Anniversaries

Doug & Renee Frohling  
Chad & Kendra Huff  
Daniel & Melinda Johnson  
Jeff & Alicia Krueger  
Kevin & Sarah Lout  
Paul & Joy Mammenga

Don & Nicole Meyer  
Joe & Glenda Ritter  
Corey & Jennifer Sauerwein  
Steve & Pam Sudlow  
Paul & Gail Swanston

(If you should be on this list and are not, please contact the church office.)