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Sixth Sunday of Easter May 5, 2024



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Please pray for Roger Blum, Barbara Dahme, Fern Preston, Sheyenne Seely, Andrew & Cindy Ruenzel, Dawn Dohn, Lorelei Hartung, Baelyn Schwab, Pam Dutenhoffer, Clayton and Karen Johnson, Sally Kushman, Dan Lingor, Viril Layton, Martha Jerke, Sandy Wolf, Barb Wacholz, Sharon Dixon, Dallas Tschappat, and Myron Voegele.

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

Have you stopped by the church Bookstore lately? Come see our new items – spring napkins, graduation cards, T-shirts, and more!

Ascension Worship Service – Thurs., May 9th at 7:00 pm at St. Paul's. At this service we will be using incense.

Camp Minneboji – Contact the church office to add your name for the van list. Camp is June 16 – June 22, 2024.

Pastor Drevlow Visitation – Sign-up sheets are located in the South Narthex for visitation dates/times. This is a great way to meet Pastor Drevlow and/or family and for them to meet you. This can be at the church, a home visit, or a group meal.

The May issue of the Lutheran Witness is now available at both Narthexes.

Youth Group Rummage Sale on Saturday, May 11th from 8am-3pm – Please think of us during your spring cleaning! We need baby and children's clothes, jewelry, books, toys, tools, electronics, small appliances, etc. Large appliances, large pieces of furniture, mattresses, broken items, and adult clothing will NOT be accepted this year. Donations will be received Monday, April 1st to Wednesday, May 8th. Donated items can be placed on the stage or church garage. Proceeds from the rummage sale will benefit St. Paul's youth ministry. Thank you and God bless!

Please sign the fellowship booklet attendance.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR – May 12, 2024 "Unforecastable" 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.

Lighthouse Preschool Spring Program - Please join us for the Lighthouse Preschool spring program and graduation on Monday, May 13th at 6:15 as the children present the Lord's Prayer through recitation and song! We also invite everyone to stay afterward for our graduation party! Afterwards, there will be a table with baked goods and plants for sale for a free will donation. If you are willing to do a little baking or donate houseplants, flowers or vegetable starts for our table, we would greatly appreciate it! Thank you for your support of the preschool this year. Have a very blessed summer!

MAIN STREET LIVING – May 12, 2024 KDLT (NBC) This the Life – **10:00 AM** – "A Will to Live" **10:30 AM – Worship** – Rev. Daniel Deardoff, Sr. presents a message titled "A Prayer Meant to be Overheard." The sermon is based on John 17:11b-19. For more information go to the web site: www.mainstreetliving.com.

Organist: Sunday - Sue Ellingson Wed - Cindy Jung

Sunday Attendance: April 28:

8:00 am - 102 Communed - 80 10:45 am - 154 Communed - 98

Wed: 24 Communed - 21

Bible Study: Sun: 84 5:15 pm – 5

Offering:

April 28 - \$22,542.00

Coffee - \$137.00 Sunday School - \$7.00 Missions - \$75.00

Amount to meet budget: \$12,569.00 per week

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S: (May 5 - May 12)

Sun 8:00 am Worship Service

9:30 am Bible Study, Donuts and Coffee

9:30 am Sunday School

10:45 amWorship Service

Tue 7:00 pm Elder Meeting

Wed 10:00 am Bible Study

5:15 pm Women's Bible Study

6:15 pm Worship

Thurs 9:00 am LWML Meeting

7:00 pmAscension Worship Service

Sat 8am – 3pm Rummage Sale

Sun 8:00 am Worship Service

9:30 am Bible Study, Donuts and Coffee

9:30 am Sunday School

10:45 am Worship Service

12:30 pm Prayer Service

5-7:00 pm Youth Group Meeting

Psalm 98

- P¹Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things!
- His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.
- P²The Lord has made known his salvation;
 - he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.
- ₱³He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel.
- All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.
- **P**⁴Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;
 - break forth into joyous song and sing praises!
- P⁵Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre,
 - with the lyre and the sound of melody!
- **P** 6With trumpets and the sound of the horn
 - make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD!
- P⁷Let the sea roar, and all that fills it;
 - C the world and those who dwell in it!
- P⁸Let the rivers clap their hands;
 - let the hills sing for joy together
- P before the LORD, for he comes to judge the earth.
- He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.
- 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.

Reading *Acts* 10:34–48

P A reading from Acts, chapter 10.

³⁴Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, ³⁵but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. ³⁶As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), ³⁷you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: 38how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. ³⁹And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, 40but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, ⁴¹not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. 42 And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. ⁴³To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

⁴⁴While Peter was still saying these things, the Holy Spirit fell on all who heard the word. ⁴⁵And the believers from among the circumcised who had come with Peter were amazed, because the gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out even on the Gentiles. ⁴⁶For they were hearing them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter declared, ⁴⁷"Can anyone withhold water for baptizing these people, who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" ⁴⁸And he commanded them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked him to remain for some days.

- P O Lord, have mercy on us.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

Reading 1 John 5:1–8

P A reading from 1 John, chapter 5.

¹Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the Father loves whoever has been born of him. ²By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. ³For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome. ⁴For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. ⁵Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

⁶This is he who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ; not by the water only but by the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. ⁷For there are three that testify: ⁸the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three agree.

P O Lord, have mercy on us. C Thanks be to God.

Reading John 15:9–17

L A reading from John, chapter 15.

⁹[Jesus said:] "As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love. ¹⁰If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. ¹¹These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.

¹²"This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. ¹³Greater love has no one than this, that someone lays down his life for his friends. ¹⁴You are my friends if you do what I command you. ¹⁵No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard

from my Father I have made known to you. ¹⁶You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you. ¹⁷These things I command you, so that you will love one another."

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May Baptismal Birthdays

Howard Anderson
Ron Bolduan
Cora Burrer
Robert Casper
Nate Collins
Janice Frohling
Michael Guerin
Henry Habeck
Jessica Harry

Tucker Hermans
Alaina Huff
Mason Huff
Tate Huff
Karlie Jacobson
Daniel Johnson
Melinda Johnson
Larry Jung
Kenny Kilber

Sally Kushman
Clayton Lout
Markcus Selzler
Kelly Stadel
Edna Stoebner
Ellie Struss
Darlene Wahl
Maren Wakefield

May Wedding Anniversaries

Ray & Emily Anderson
Zachary & Jessica Harry
Michael & Marg Janke
Mike & Rebecca Jeschke
Bruce & Carol Jones
Dustin & Susie Klapperich
Rodney & Cyrece Kono
Nels & Marsha Olson
Robert & Darlene Rusch
Jesse & Laura Staebner
Dennis & Edna Staebner