

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

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Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 7, 2026



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PRAYER LIST: Please pray for Andrew Ruenzel, Dawn Dohn, Dora Lane, Barb Wacholz, Shane Sass, Cheryl Zinter, Baelyn Schwab, Lou Thomas, David Gulland, Dan & Joan Swisher, Penny Butler, Leone Dutenhoffer, Janice Frohling, Carol Steichen, and the family of Ethan Swanson.

Please inform the Pastor or the church office when you or a loved one is hospitalized. If you would like to add your name or remove a name to the above prayer list, please contact the church office.

Town Hall Meeting – Today, June 7th at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall. This is an informational meeting only, with each board presenting, and a time for questions.

THANK YOU to everyone that helped with **VBS** this year! It was much appreciated. Looking forward to next year!

The Trustees are calling a **Voter's Meeting** on Sunday, June 14th at 9:30am regarding the altar wall and concrete. There is information on the tables in both narthexes.

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

The Chosen

During June and July we will be watching Season I of The Chosen and using a discussion guide to study those bible stories. We will provide snacks and drinks and we think it will be a fun time. Please, invite a friend. Starting June 10th at 7pm.

St. Paul's Blood Drive - Upcoming Donation Day

Thank you for faithfully supporting this life saving mission. We are truly grateful for your willingness to help those in need. Our next scheduled donation day is: **Monday, June 15th 2:30–6:00PM**. Pizza will be provided. If you have any questions, please contact Craig Green at 605-380-3586. Please note there are 32 available time slots and only 8 slots have been filled.

Lighthouse Preschool/Jr. Kindergarten - Registration for our full-day Jr. Kindergarten program for the 2026-27 school year is now open! Our program is limited to 12 students, ages 4-5.

Church Softball – If you are interested in playing softball, there is a signup sheet on the table in the south narthex. The season starts June 1st. If you have questions, please contact Pastor Smith.

St Paul's/Our Savior's Men's Club will meet at St. Paul's Tuesday, June 9th at 6pm discussing the Book Man Up; by Jeffery Hemmer. Tell a friend and remember, All manly men of all ages are encouraged to attend. We're grilling out this Tuesday for Men's Club, if you want any burgers or brats or dogs on the grill, please drop them off on Monday so we can cook them up for Tuesday's meeting. Please message Shane Jung to be added to the email list. 1-605-216-3784.

The **Women's Bible Study** on Wednesday evenings will be taking a break for the summer and will resume in the fall.



Building Healthy Families: Humility is hard to come by during a difficult conversation—especially when you're sure you're right and your husband (or wife, or child, or parent, or co-worker, or neighbor, or pastor...) is wrong.

Here are three simple but powerful words to remember that will help when conflict comes in any relationship: I am sorry. Learn from God's word: "A soft answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger."

Proverbs 15:1 www.LutheranFamilyService.org **Lutheran Family Service**

THE LUTHERAN HOUR – June 14, 2026 "*Journey Through Anxiety*"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler with a message based on Matthew 6:25. Anxiety is like a "Check Engine" light for the soul that leads us to take all our concerns to the Lord in prayer. 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.

MAIN STREET LIVING – June 14, 2026 (KDLT(NBC) channels 5.1/46.1 – 10:00 AM – "*TITL*" – "*Dead End*" 10:30 AM – Worship – Rev. Matthew Wurm presents a message titled "Pray to the Lord of the Harvest" based on Matthew 9:37-38. For more information, visit: www.mainstreetliving.com.

Sunday Attendance: May 31, 2026

10:00am – 151 Communed – 116
6:15pm - 16 Communed - 16

Bible Study:

Sunday – 39 Wed 10:00 – 10

Organist – Sunday/Wednesday: Sue Ellingson/Tina Board

Offering: May 31, 2026 - \$4918.31 Coffee - \$29.00

Amount to meet budget: \$12,918.00 per week

WEEK AT ST. PAUL’S: (June 7th – June 14th)

Sun 8:00am Worship
 9:30am Donuts & Coffee/Town Hall Meeting
 10:00am **Worship Service**

Tues 6:00pm Men’s Club

Wed 10:00am Bible Study
 6:15pm **Worship**
 7:00pm The Chosen Bible Study

Sun 8:00am Worship
 9:30am Donuts & Coffee/Voter’s Meeting
 10:45am **Worship Service**
 12:30pm Prayer Service

Psalms *Psalm 119:65–72; antiphon: v. 65*

P: ⁶⁵You have dealt well with your servant,
C: O LORD, according to your word.

P: ⁶⁶Teach me good judgment and knowledge,
C: for I believe in your commandments.

P: ⁶⁷Before I was afflicted I went astray,
C: but now I keep your word.

P: ⁶⁸You are good and do good;
C: teach me your statutes.

P: ⁶⁹The insolent smear me with lies,
C: but with my whole heart I keep your precepts;

P: ⁷⁰their heart is unfeeling like fat,
C: but I delight in your law.

P: ⁷¹It is good for me that I was afflicted,
C: that I might learn your statutes.

P:: ⁷²The law of your mouth is better to me
C: than thousands of gold and silver pieces.

**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 *Hosea 5:15—6:6*

L A reading from Hosea, chapter 5.

¹⁵I will return again to my place,
 until they acknowledge their guilt and seek my face,
 and in their distress earnestly seek me.

¹⁶“Come, let us return to the LORD;
 for he has torn us, that he may heal us;

he has struck us down, and he will bind us up.
2After two days he will revive us;
on the third day he will raise us up,
that we may live before him.
3Let us know; let us press on to know the LORD;
his going out is sure as the dawn;
he will come to us as the showers,
as the spring rains that water the earth.”
4What shall I do with you, O Ephraim?
What shall I do with you, O Judah?
Your love is like a morning cloud,
like the dew that goes early away.
5Therefore I have hewn them by the prophets;
I have slain them by the words of my mouth,
and my judgment goes forth as the light.
6For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice,
the knowledge of God rather than burnt offerings.

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Reading *Romans 4:13–25*

L A reading from Romans, chapter 4.

13The promise to Abraham and his offspring that he would be heir of the world did not come through the law but through the righteousness of faith. 14For if it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. 15For the law brings wrath, but where there is no law there is no transgression.

16That is why it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his offspring—not only to the adherent of the law but also to the one who shares the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all, 17as it is written, “I have made you the father of many nations”—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. 18In

hope he believed against hope, that he should become the father of many nations, as he had been told, “So shall your offspring be.”¹⁹ He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was as good as dead (since he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah’s womb. ²⁰No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, ²¹fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. ²²That is why his faith was “counted to him as righteousness.” ²³But the words “it was counted to him” were not written for his sake alone, ²⁴but for ours also. It will be counted to us who believe in him who raised from the dead Jesus our Lord, ²⁵who was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Reading *Matthew 9:9–13*

L A reading from Matthew, chapter 9.

⁹As Jesus passed on from there, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, “Follow me.” And he rose and followed him.

¹⁰And as Jesus reclined at table in the house, behold, many tax collectors and sinners came and were reclining with Jesus and his disciples. ¹¹And when the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, “Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?” ¹²But when he heard it, he said, “Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. ¹³Go and learn what this means, ‘I desire mercy, and not sacrifice.’ For I came not to call the righteous, but sinners.”

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

June Baptismal Birthdays

Branch Anderson
Paul Anderson
LaVonne Appletoft
Jackson Board
Moses Drevlow
Irene Feickert
Tara Fjelstad
Jessica Geary
Elton Haar
Alvin Hamilton
Shirley Hanisch
Kalli Huff
Lukas Jacobson
Carol Jones
Hailey Jones
Becky Jung

Leslie Jung
Clayton Kohrs
Briggs Krueger
Beth Kruse
Sheri Larson
Jace Oberfoell
Ethel Parsons
Deb Pederson
Grayson Schmitz
Linda Selzler
Pastor Jacob Smith
Cheryl Sommers
Trixie Thomas
Donna Wester
Shelley Wilkie
Lainey Wolf

June Wedding Anniversaries

Jared & Nicole Ahlberg
Taylor & Kiana Beutler
Nate & Erin Bode
Sheldon & Cheryl Finley
Harlan & Vickie Gates
Paul & Kay Heupel
Roger & Elaine Huff

Tom & Becky Kaiser
Kurtis & JoAnn Kayser
David & Glenda Lamee
Viril & Mary Layton
William & Erika MacDonald
Randy & Cheryl Robinson
Kurt & Darlene Schnaidt