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St. Paul's Epistle

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A note from Pastor Tim...

It can be very difficult over the summer months to find a date that works when multiple people are involved. Families struggles with this, friends have a tough time getting together, and churches are no exception.

We have a number of people who expressed interest in joining our church, and with that, I had intended to find a Sunday for formal introductions. During these summer months, and the unpredictability of what one week will entail vs. the next, I didn't want to delay acknowledging these families any longer. We have received letters of transfer as requested; these are folks who have been attending for quite some time, and we welcome the following individuals and households. Brett Gehlhausen, Amy Weyer, Lana Hoffman, Stacia, Matthew, Avalyn, and Rylan Weatherholt.

We are always grateful and celebrate the occasions whenever one feels called to be part of our church. There are no shortage of options out there, and we are very pleased our church home provides a proper measure of spiritual care and opportunities to serve which resonates. We welcome you, we are pleased to have you and look forward to this partnership.

Pastor Timothy Holt



St. Paul's Lutheran Church Mission Statement

Worship Boldly, Empower for Discipleship, Cultivate Spiritual Maturity, Strengthen Community, Serve.



**AUGUST
BIRTHDAYS**



08/01	Morris Kalb Tara Uebelhor	08/14	Don Freyberger Judy Wessel
08/02	Tanner Breitwieser	08/15	Gladys Chanley Michael Weisheit
08/04	Robin Bauer Marvin Eisenhut Kade Mundy River Storer	08/17	Kassidy Mundy
08/05	Amy Batule	08/19	Rick Seitz
08/06	Chloe Ramsey Michelle Schmitt Maggie Stemle	08/20	Emilio Batule Camasia Brames Steve Schnaus
08/07	Myrna Popp Gaige Schepers	08/21	Maurey Werner
08/08	Kynzlee Mann Liam Schnarr	08/22	Scott Mundy
08/10	Reese Fair Stanford Fuhrman Phillip Hautsch Nathan Leistner	08/23	Donna Rasche Patrick Wagner
08/11	Ridge Fleetwood	08/24	Shannelle Kline
08/12	Carlie Beck Chloee Beck	08/25	Mindy Sendelweck
08/13	Caitlin Lottes Becky Eisenhut Steve Hautsch Jackson Mehringer	08/27	Jaxon Denu
		08/28	Tiffany Bauer Tara Betz Wanda Krodel Mark Seitz
		08/29	Alli Betz Geoff Stallwood
		08/30	Eric Smith

**AUGUST
ANNIVERSARIES**



08/05	Andrea & Brandon Lindsey
08/07	Wayne & JoAnn Schnarr
08/08	Carl & Melissa Schaber
08/14	Dennis & Dorothy Hautsch Anthony & Deann Mann Leroy & Janice Seitz
08/17	Samantha & Travis Merter
08/18	Katelyn & Dacoda Mehringer
08/19	Gary & Diane Bair Doug & Michele Wiseman Kent & Amy Beckman
08/25	Steve & Deborah Meyer
08/27	Mark & Katrina Seitz
08/31	Larry & Wanda Krodel



85+ BIRTHDAY and Baker

August 15 – Gladys Chanley
by Marilyn Shelton

June Attendance

June 1	115
June 8 (Confirmation)	225
June 15 (Father's Day)	153
June 22	
June 29	123

**FOOD BANK ITEM
FOR AUGUST IS:
*JUICE***

In Service to Our Country

Austin Breitwieser
Redzikowo, Poland
AMC Luke Himsel
Virginia Beach, VA
Cooper Uebelhor
Colorado Springs, CO



WELCA MEETING

The next WELCA meeting
will be on Tuesday, August
5th at 6:30 PM. Program
for the evening will be a
bible study with Pastor Tim.

ham salad

WELCA will be preparing ham salad on September 15th and 16th, with pick-up available on the 16th and 17th. Volunteers are needed to assist in the preparation and sell the ham salad. A volunteer sign-up sheet will be located at the welcome center desk around mid August for those interested in contributing. This is a wonderful opportunity to enjoy camaraderie while raising funds for the church!



**LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF
SCHOOL KITS**

During the month of August, St. Paul's will begin collecting school kits to support the Lutheran World Relief. These supplies mean the difference between getting an education or not. Please give only new items with no messages or symbols (religious, military, etc.).

*Take advantage of the back-to-school sales and shop NOW!

INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING IN EACH SCHOOL KIT

- ☐ **FOUR** 70-sheet notebooks of wide- or college-ruled paper, approximately 8" x 10 ½"; no loose leaf paper
- ☐ **ONE** 30-centimeter ruler, or a ruler with centimeters on one side and inches on the other
- ☐ **ONE** pencil sharpener
- ☐ **ONE** pair of blunt scissors (safety scissors with embedded steel blades work well)
- ☐ **FIVE** unsharpened #2 pencils with erasers; secure together with a rubber band
- ☐ **FIVE** black or blue ballpoint pens (no gel ink); secure together with a rubber band
- ☐ **ONE** box of 16 or 24 crayons
- ☐ **ONE** 2 ½" eraser
- ☐ **ONE** sturdy drawstring backpack-style cloth bag, approximately 14" x 17" with shoulder straps (no standard backpacks)

St. Paul's Women of the ELCA– July 1st meeting

Women of the ELCA met on June 3 @ 6:30 and thirteen members were in attendance. President Darlene Ziegler opened the meeting with a devotion, “HANG ON TO HOPE”. The program for the evening was a demonstration on Cast Iron Cooking by Adam Wagner and everyone got to sample the results. Meeting then continued with the Regular and Birth-day offerings. Prayer was given. Secretary and Treasurer reports were read. Motion to accept reports was made by Marie Neukam and seconded by Donna Rasche. Motion carried.

Program and Fellowship report: Program for July will be “Writing your life story”, by Martha Rasche.

Stewardship and Service: Baby blankets were delivered to Memorial Hospital 8, SWIACC 7, Tri Cap 7, Crisis Connection 7. October 17 is the shipping date for Lutheran World Relief.

Concordia Lutheran Church will be collection site. To date, we have 177 blankets and 47 personal care kits. School kits will be collected in the fall.

Visiting reports were read from April and May.

Old business: Evansville Spring Cluster was attended by several members. All enjoyed the experience. St. John's Crossroads in Dubois will host next year's gathering.

New business: Evangelism will be hosting a trivia night on August 22nd. Women were asked if they would like to enter a team; will decide at July meeting.

Correspondence: Thank you notes were received from Crisis Connection and Tri Cap for blankets.

A thank you was also received from the Interim of the WELCA for all we do.

Birthdays for 85 and older. June 5 - Wilma Hoffman by Kathy Jarboe, June 28 - Luanna Meyer by

Donna Rasche.

Food bank item for June is Baby items.

Thank you to April and May Committees: Visiting in April was Vicky Eisenhut and Dorothy Meyer, cards were sent by Tara Uebelhor, Flowers by Tara Uebelhor and Tina Terwiske.

May visiting was JoAn Breitwieser and Arlene Luker, cards sent by Beth Buchta. Flowers by JoAnn Schnarr.

Refreshments for the evening by Hilda Angerer.

June committees: Visiting Shirley Stallwood and Marilyn Shelton, cards to be sent by Linda Schmitt.

Flowers by Marie Neukam. July refreshments by Mary Ann Kieffner.

Motion to adjourn by Donna Rasche, seconded by Kathy Jarboe. Motin carried.

Closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Jeanne Hoffman, Secretary.



Wednesday August 6



Sacred Places Total Renovation Project		
07/06/2025		
Total Amount for ALL Renovations (HVAC, Doors, Basement Renovations)	\$ 383,740.00	
Matching Grant	\$ 125,000.00	
St. Paul's Responsibility (To Match Grant+Remaining Work To Be Done)	\$ 258,740.00	Percent Completed
St. Paul's Funds Raised Since 10/1/2024	\$ 226,520.14	88%
St. Paul's Funds Required To Complete All Work	\$ 32,219.86	

TREASURER'S REPORT

FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR JUNE 2025

INCOME		Month	Year to Date
	OFFERING	\$ 24,069.40	\$ 131,500.50
	BENEVOLENCE	\$ 692.50	\$ 4,413.50
	SACRED PLACES	\$ 41,017.95	\$ 102,810.34
	BACKPACK BUDDIES	\$ -	\$ 771.80
	LOOSE OFFERING	\$ 774.00	\$ 3,341.00
	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME*	\$ -	\$ 53.99
	THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS	\$ -	\$ 914.00
	INTEREST INCOME	\$ 3.48	\$ 15.98
	TEMPORARY TRANSFER OF E.D. JONES FUNDS**	\$ -	\$ 45,000.00
	TOTAL	\$ 66,557.33	\$ 288,821.11

EXPENSES		\$ 23,981.98	\$ 255,806.68
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*Miscellaneous income amount was a reimbursement of a credit card late fee

**Temporary loan of E. D. Jones investment account funds to bridge gap until Sacred Places grant award money is received. Will be paid back.

PERSONAL CARE HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND

Northwood

Gladys Chanley	Rm. 307
Delbert Sendelweck	Rm. 426
Wilma Buchta	Apt 3
Harold Hembree	
Patricia Sendelweck	Apt 23
Juanita Hembree	507

The Timbers

Melvin Meyer	310
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Brookside Village

Mary Ann Jerger	Rm. 111
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Homebound

Marcella Weisheit	
Robert Huebner	



- A Sacred Place -



FUNDRAISER FOR ST. PAUL'S A BASKET RAFFLE

To support the efforts to reach our church's fundraising goals for the Sacred Places Project, a basket raffle will be held now through Sunday, August 24th. Baskets will be available to view/tickets for purchase every Sunday after church and at Trivia Night until 8/24.

Raffle tickets are priced as follows:

1 ticket = \$1.00
6 tickets = \$5.00
25 tickets = \$20.00

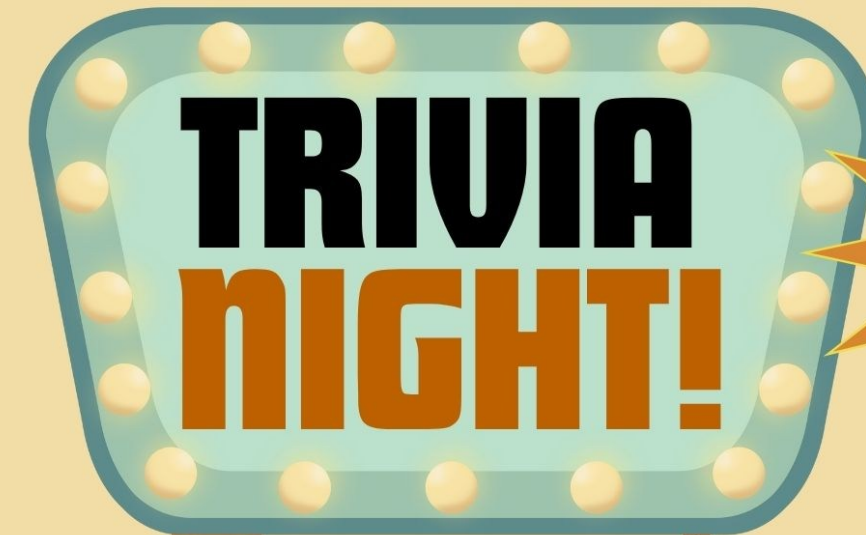
Please note: In accordance with Indiana state raffle laws, cash is required for ticket purchases.

Thank you for your continued support—we appreciate your help in making the Sacred Places Fundraiser a success!

A variety of baskets will be available including a Grilling Basket, Farm-Fresh Goods Basket, Game Night Basket, Downtown Merchants Basket, and a Family Bowling Night Basket. If you'd like to donate a basket, please contact Amy Beckman.



Test your trivia skills and support St. Paul's Lutheran Church!



**\$120
PER
TEAM**

**HELP
SUPPORT
OUR SACRED
PLACE!**

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH **FRIDAY, AUG 22, 2025**

DOORS OPEN - 6:30 PM | TRIVIA BEGINS - 7:00 PM

St. Paul's Lutheran Church has launched a fundraising effort to support essential renovations and improvements—ensuring our church remains a vibrant part of the community for generations to come.

The Church's Evangelism Committee invites you to come test your trivia skills, enjoy some friendly competition, and support a cause that strengthens our church and community.

Teams of 6 - \$120 per Team

Pre-Registration is Required | General Trivia

Space is limited - registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

Prize giveaways throughout the night | Snacks & Drinks available

The top team will receive their registration fee back!

**RSVP with team name (please keep church appropriate),
team captain name and contact information to:
StPaulsEvangelism@gmail.com or 812-827-0552**

Pay night of event or mail check made payable to: St. Paul's Lutheran Church
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