

~NOTES AND NEWS~ St. Paul Lutheran Church, November 9, 2025

WELCOME: A warm welcome to all worshipers on this Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost. Empowered by our Lord's Spirit, we continue to run the race of faith! This is an important "training stop" along the way as together we grow in faith and worship our loving Lord Jesus. We thank the Lord for your presence with us today.

COMMUNION IN THE PEW: If it has become necessary for you to have communion brought to you in the pew, please notify the pastor or an Elder. We are pleased to assist you in receiving this great blessing on a regular basis.

<u>Servant Role</u>	11/09 8:30 am	11/09 11:00 am	11/12 7:00 pm
Elder/Greeter	John Weidman	John Weidman	Anthony Del Real
Ushers	Mozdens	Ewalds	Mozdens

Attendance: 63 + 84 + 22 = 169

Offering: \$4,978.45 **Needed** \$8,642.37

- **A NOTE FOR FAMILIES:** We love seeing children in our worship service! Their presence is a gift. To support our families, we offer a Cry Room at the back of the sanctuary, equipped with a speaker so you won't miss the service. We also have reserved pews in the rear for families with young children, allowing for easy exits if needed. Our goal is for everyone—parents, children, and *all members*—to have a blessed worship experience.
- **FELLOWSHIP PAD:** Visitors & Members - please sign the Fellowship Pad. Visitors, please include your address and/or phone number. If you do not have a church home, are interested in joining our church family, or would like information about St. Paul, please speak with Pastor Boshoven, an Elder, or an usher, who will be happy to assist you.
- **OFFERING COLLECTION:** We have made changes to our Sunday offering collection process. The collection plates will be at both doors when you enter the sanctuary, and you can drop your offering in as you enter. The usher will bring the plates up to the Altar during the time that we used to do the collection.
- **THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN** to Archie Ferguson for touching up the spots that needed a little bit of paint. We appreciate your hard work in keeping our church building looking great.
- **ADVENT MEAL:** We have one Advent Meal available (Dec. 17) for your group or family to host. Let me know ASAP if you'd like to host. (Choir? Elders? Ushers? FORGE? Anyone?)
- **FOOD TOTES:** To clear up any confusion – there are two totes under the table in the Narthex – with one common goal – to help people who are in need. One food tote helps to fill our own food pantry right here at St. Paul for the people who come here on any given day, looking for some food. The other tote supports the Good Samaritan Food Pantry at the Methodist Church.
- **FOOD PANTRY:** Thank you for your non-perishable food donations for our food pantry. The food continues to be a blessing for many who are still in need.

- **SUPPORT THE GOOD SAMARITAN FOOD PANTRY!** Purchase your Food Bank of Eastern Michigan Paper Ornament from Vicki or Bonnie between services from now until the end of December. Each ornament costs \$1 and provides six meals.
- **FROM THE QUILTERS:** At the present time, the quilters have an abundance of material. We would appreciate your holding your donations until February, 2026.
- **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** The Women's Bible Study meets every **2nd and 4th Thursday from 10:00 - 11:30 AM, except holidays.** The next one will be on **November 13.** If Caro School is closed for inclement weather, Bible Study will be canceled. The group is using Christina Hergenrader's book, *Everlasting*, to guide them through the Psalms. Let Zane know if you are interested!
- **PATHS TO LUTHERANISM SERIES**... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL, and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen to stories of guests who have come to Lutheranism from Islam, Mormonism, Atheism, Agnosticism, Eastern Orthodoxy, Roman Catholicism, Pentecostalism and more. You'll find the series at issuesetc.org/pathstolutheranism.

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Sunday, November 9 Luke 12:15	8:30 am – Traditional Worship with Communion 9:45 am – Bible Class / Christmas Service Practice 11:00 am – Contemporary Worship with Communion 12:15 pm – Confirmation Class
Monday, November 10 Ephesians 5:20	5:30 pm – Choir 6:30 pm – Handbells
Tuesday, November 11 Psalm 118:24	8:30 am – Quilters 5:30 pm – Contemporary Rehearsal
Wednesday, November 12 Psalm 30:11-12	5:30 pm – Transition Team 7:00 pm - Worship Service
Thursday, November 13 1 Chronicles 29:13	10:00 – 11:30 am – Women's Bible Study
Friday, November 14 1 Peter 5:7	
Saturday, November 15 Psalm 37:4	
Sunday, November 16 1 Chronicles 16:34	8:30 am – Contemporary Worship with Communion 9:45 am – Bible Class / Christmas Service Practice 11:00 am – Traditional Worship with Communion 12:15 pm – Confirmation Class 3:00 pm – Fellowship Forum

NEXT WEEK...

<u>Servant Role</u>	11/16 8:30 am	11/16 11:00 am	11/19 7:00 pm
Elder/Greeter	Jamie LeBlanc	Jamie LeBlanc	Anthony Del Real
Ushers	Sattelbergs	Ewalds	Sattelbergs