

~NOTES AND NEWS~ St. Paul Lutheran Church, October 26, 2025

WELCOME: A warm welcome to all worshipers on this Reformation Sunday (Observed). 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>	10/26 8:30 am	10/26 11:00 am	10/29 7:00 pm
Elder/Greeter	Dave Hoard	Kent Graf	John Weidman
Ushers	Brian H, Marci L, Mitzi L	Parsells	Marsha M & Robyn B

Attendance: 59 + 42 + 21 = 122

Offering: \$6112.00 **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.
- **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?)
- **ALTAR GUILD MEETING:** The Altar Guild will meet on **Monday, October 27, at 2:00 PM** in the Meeting Room. **We are looking for new members!** All current members and anyone interested in learning more about this important ministry are encouraged to attend.
- **FROM THE QUILTERS:** At the present time, the quilters have an abundance of material. We would appreciate your holding your donations until February, 2026.
- **FOOD PANTRY:** Thank you for your previous donations to the food pantry; however, due to the great success of our Faith and Blue Pop-up-Pantry, our food pantry shelves here at church have become depleted. If you are able to supply some non-perishable food to help replenish it, we would greatly appreciate it.
- **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!
- **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:** You are invited to come to the packing party this afternoon (Oct. 26) from 1:00 – 3:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Many hands make short work and your help is greatly appreciated. No experience necessary.

- **GENESIS BIBLE STUDY**... The Word of the Lord Endures Forever is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon begins a study this week on the Book of Genesis, chapters 37-50. You can listen on-demand at thewordendures.org, Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn, the LPR mobile app, or a podcast provider.

October 26 – November 2

Sunday, October 26 Romans 16:20	Reformation Day (Observed) 8:30 am – Traditional Worship with Communion 9:45 am – Bible Class / Sunday School 11:00 am – Contemporary Worship with Communion 12:15 pm – Confirmation Class 1:00 – 3:00 pm – OCC Packing Party
Monday, October 27 Psalm 34:7	5:30 pm – Choir 6:30 pm – Handbells
Tuesday, October 28 1 John 3:8	8:30 am – Quilters 5:30 pm – Contemporary Rehearsal
Wednesday, October 29 Revelation 20:10	7:00 pm - Worship Service
Thursday, October 30 John 8:12	
Friday, October 31 1 Peter 1:13	Reformation Day
Saturday, November 1 Psalm 136:26	All Saints' Day
Sunday, November 2 Colossians 3:15	All Saints' Day (Observed) 8:30 am – Contemporary Worship with Communion 9:45 am – Bible Class / Sunday School 11:00 am – Traditional Worship with Communion 12:15 pm – Confirmation Class

NEXT WEEK...

<u>Servant Role</u>	11/02 8:30 am	11/02 11:00 am	11/05 7:00 pm
Elder/Greeter	Bob Smith	Bob Smith	
Ushers	Mozdens	Ewalds	Mozdens



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