

THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL'S
June 30 – July 7

Sunday

9:00am **Worship Service**
10:30am Adult Bible Study (Meeting Room)
10:30am Bible Basics (Education Building)

Monday

Judges 6 (Daily Bible Reading)
12:30pm Prayer Shawl
6:00pm Alaska Mission Trip Meeting

Tuesday

Judges 7 (Daily Bible Reading)
2:00pm Sunrise Retirement Home Worship
6:00pm Grief Share

Wednesday

Judges 8 (Daily Bible Reading)
9:30am Bible Study
7:00pm **No Revelation Bible Study**

Thursday

Judges 9 (Daily Bible Reading)
Office closed in observance of the 4th of July Holiday

Friday

Judges 10 (Daily Bible Reading)
Office closed in observance of the 4th of July Holiday

Saturday

Judges 11 (Daily Bible Reading)
7:00am Men's Bible Study
8:30am-11:00am No Food Pantry

Sunday

9:00am **Worship Service**
10:30am Adult Bible Study (Meeting Room)
10:30am Bible Basics (Education Building)
3:30pm **Ordination & Installation of Vicar Larry**



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“Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it!” Luke 11:28

6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2024

Our 9:00am Service is from LSB, Divine Setting 3, page 184

Entrance Hymn #814 “O Bless the Lord, My Soul”
Hymn of the Day #551 “When to Our World the Savior Came”
Distribution Hymn #637 “Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord”
#620 “Jesus Comes Today with Healing”

SCRIPTURE READING

Old Testament Reading Lamentations 3:22-33 p873
Epistle Reading 2 Corinthians 8:1-9, 13-15 p1230
Holy Gospel Reading Mark 5:21-43 p1069

SERVING THIS WEEK

Elder – Rob Lyke
Acolyte – Logan Stine
Ushers – Dale & Kathy Johnson
Organist – Pam Reinke
Altar Guild – Pauline Griffin & Vivian Purnell
Tech Team – Tyler Burnett, Scott Schulz, Mitch Troester & Paul Szymanski
Counters for the weekend – Yvonne Blume & Dottie Hagestad
Sacred Grounds – The MacCrackens

Today - Make Noise for Missions Sunday: Fill your pockets and purses with your spare change and support our Focus Mission – 2024 Alaska Mission Trip – and make some noise!

Bible Basics Class - Today we will study what the Bible says about Holy Communion, it's connection with Passover and the various teachings of other denominations about the Lord's Supper. We meet after the worship service, so grab a cup of coffee & a snack, fellowship with others and then meet us in the Education Building.

Color Guard-Veterans, we would like to honor you for your service to our country and ask you to serve as part of our Color Guard on **Sunday, July 6th, at our 9:00am service**. If you would like to participate, **contact Carol Schoeling at 815-469-5576 or call the church office**.

Ordination & Installation - Vicar Larry Ruger will be ordained as Pastor Larry and installed as our Associate Pastor on **Sunday, July 7th in a separate worship at 3:30 p.m.** Please note that we will have our regular worship at the usual time of 9 a.m., along with the special worship at 3:30 p.m. There will be a light reception to follow.

Help – LaShawn Hill is looking for help to serve at the Ordination & Installation Reception of Vicar Larry Ruger. **If you are able to help, please contact her at 312-646-9695**

Alaska Mission Trip - There is still room for you to join us this summer, July 24 – August 4, as we go to Alaska for work projects. If interested in going, please call Scott Schulz at 847-334-3500.

Care Givers - For many years there is a group of members who each week send out a card or call one of our members, or someone who is not a member, who has a special need that week (illness, surgery, job issue, etc.). It's another level of care that is one step more than those on the Prayer Chain and a level below being a Stephen Minister. We need more Care Givers, so if you are interested in being one, please contact Pastor or the Church Office for more information.

Take A Book – Leave A Book – Share a Book – Peggy Smutny & Ruth Treichel are turning the corner of the Narthex into a Lending Library. If you have a book around the house that you finished reading and think others would enjoy, bring it to the corner Lending Library. Please place the book in the black container, and we will put a bookmark in it and put it in a slot. There is no signing out of the books. If you want to read a book in the Lending Library, help yourself. If you want to pass the book on to someone else, feel free to do so. If you want to return the book to the Lending Library, deposit it in the black container.

Support our Troops -Sponsored by Ladies Aid- Don't forget to pick up a few items for our troops during your next shopping trip (a list can be found on the bulletin board above the military table). Please place your items in the bin beneath the table. Some type of correspondence no matter what, is always appreciated by our men and women in the

military. There are note cards, coloring sheets, etc. on the table to help you (please do not date them). You can also support our troops by making a monetary donation by writing Support the Troops on the “other” line on your offering envelope.

Vicar Larry and Cheryl would like to thank everyone for their prayers, texts, cards, emails, and calls, both for Vicar Larry’s surgery, as well as in celebration of Claire’s baptism this last Sunday. We are grateful for your continued support, especially as we approach ordination day next Sunday!

IN OUR HEARTS & PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Sharon Hart, Vicar Larry, Lorrie Fitzpatrick,
Janice Pikalek, Diane Troester, Peggy
Smutny, Tammy Bosco, Elaine
Schmeckpeper, Carolyn Becker

TOGETHER BEING CHURCH

Weekly	Needs	Receiving
Current	\$8,852	\$5,892.51
Building Fund	\$577	\$550
Mission	\$327	\$95

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Fund-\$250; St Matthews-\$10; Prison
Ministry-Lori Wilbert-\$130; Troops Care
Packages-\$15; St Paul Alaska Mission
Trip-\$175; Food Pantry-\$660; Feed My
Starving Children-\$110; Vacation Bible
School-\$331.46; National Youth
Gathering-\$25

MARY’S CORNER

This is my favorite prayer by Helen Steiner Rice that I say daily, I thought you may enjoy it.

Bless me, Heavenly Father
Forgive my erring ways.
Grant me strength to serve thee;
Put purpose in my days.
Give me understanding
Enough to make me kind,
So I may judge all people
With my heart and not my mind.
Teach me to be patient in everything I do,
Content to trust your wisdom
And to follow after you.
Help me when I falter and hear me when I pray,
And receive me in thy kingdom
To dwell with thee someday.