

St. Paul's Lutheran Church and School
Announcements - July 4th & 5th

ATTENDANCE CARDS

Please locate the Attendance Cards in **your row and fill one out when you arrive**. They will be collected during the offering. If you are visiting, please feel free to include your address and phone number. You may also include any prayer requests on the attendance card.



A WORD OF THANKS FROM GRACE WEITH...

Thank you for all the get well cards, visits from pastors, and the beautiful vase of flowers! God's blessings to all. I'm doing well with God's help!

AND FROM TAMI JOHNSON...

Thank you to Pastor Koeppen for the visit and for all the prayers during my recent hospital stay. Blessed to have St. Paul's as my church family!

If you would like to publish an article or announcement in the Aug/Sept newsletter, please email your request to crahn@stpaulslutheran.net **no later than July 15th**.

MEN'S BIBLE BREAKFAST

Please note, there will be **NO** Men's Bible Breakfast in July as that is the day Pastor will be returning from his conference.

Thank you to Judy Krones and Sandy Hamlyn for volunteering to maintain the Children's Garden on the south side of the school again this summer. They have done a beautiful job! If you haven't already, please stop by and enjoy the stunning flowers!



Thank you

PRAIRIEVIEW FALL FESTIVAL

St. Paul's will be doing a used book booth again at Prairieview's Fall Festival on **September 11th & 12th** and **we are in need of books**. There are collection bins at both locations. If you have any questions, would like to arrange a time to drop off, or need to schedule a pick-up, please call Jeanne Vilt at 815-932-9855, call or text her at 815-216-0240, or call or text Nancy Campbell at 815-592-4273. There are also sign-up sheets out now at both locations to volunteer to make pies and/or help with the book booth.

THE SERVING CHRIST:
GOSPEL OF MARK

When: Every Tuesday, 9:45 am

Where: Fellowship Hall

Leader: Roy W. Cordes

Tuesday, July 7th, will be your last opportunity to study the Gospel of Mark dealing with the death and burial of Jesus and His resurrection. That will finish our study for the summer and class will resume Tuesday, September 14th at 9:45 am in Fellowship Hall. We will study Scripture passages that reveal the characteristics of Satan and his work on earth with the evil angels (demons) in the 21st century. The title of the course is "Is the Devil Real?" The answer of course is "Yes!"

Thank you to the 20+ individuals who attended the Tuesday morning class last Fall and this Spring. Hopefully, the verse-by-verse Bible study of Mark's Gospel renewed and increased your faith knowing that eternal life with Jesus is in our future. Remember to stay in the Word on a daily basis as we go through the summer and prepare to meet again in September. God bless you!

If you would like to send a card to Pastor Hanel as he recovers from the injuries he sustained in a car accident, you may send it to his home at:

**7517 Sloewood Drive
Leesburg, FL 34748**

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

As a country, we declared our independence from England on July 4, 1776. We fought the British in a war for the next few years until the British surrendered at Yorktown, Virginia, on October 19, 1781, effectively ending the war. George Washington became the first president of the United States in 1789. By God's grace through Jesus, we are so very blessed to be citizens of a country with all of its freedoms, especially the freedom of worship. We can attend church services and Bible studies without the threat of punishment or death. Let us not take our freedoms for granted but thank God daily for our great country and its wonderful freedoms that we have enjoyed for 250 years.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE

June 27th & 28th

Worship Attendance:

Saturday, 5:00 pm	64
Sunday, 8:30 am	90
Sunday, 11:05 am	71
WEEKEND TOTAL	225

Offerings Given

General	\$17,245.31
Building	\$1,805.00
School Ops.	\$384.00

SERVING IN GOD’S HOUSE TODAY

Preacher:	Rev. Karl Koeppen	
Organist:	Nadine Engel	
AV:	8:30: Todd Engel	11:05: Josh Cherry
Lay Ministers:	5:00: Rich Engel	
	8:30: Ken Capps, Bob Carruthers, Greg Deck	
	11:05: Noah Ghery	
Lay Readers:	5:00: Loree Yoakum	
	8:30: Bill Balgeman	
	11:05: Karen Beatty	
Acolytes:	8:30: Nolan Freitas, Nolan LaVoie	
	11:05: Jacob Kubal, Ryleigh Reiniche	
Trustees:	5:00: Rob Wood	
	8:30: Barry Gadbois	
	11:05: Jim Trudeau	
Ushers:	5:00: Diana Hinderer, Jim Sharper, Rob & Mary Wood	
	8:30: Manuel Morocho Loja, Chris Tomblin, Steve Weith	
	11:05: Bill Burger, Mike Callan, Aric Turrell, Sean Turrell	
Contemporary Service Song Leaders: Ben Kubal, Elizabeth Kubal		
Extra Measure Band: Matt Callan, Bill Dyche, Duane & Gail Ferrebee, Greg Ronchetto, Cindy Rubin, Jim Stone, Ellana Turrell		

THIS WEEK’S SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Sun, July 5	8:30 am 11:05 am	Worship - Traditional Worship - Contemporary	(Bourb) (Bourb)
Mon, July 6	7:00 pm	Lay Ministry Meeting	(Bourb)
Tue, July 7	9:45 am	<i>The Serving Christ: Gospel of Mark</i> (Downtown)	
Wed, July 8			
Thur, July 9	6:00 pm	Phil’s Friends Walk-In	(Downtown)
Fri, July 10			
Sat, July 11	9:00 am 5:00 pm	Phil’s Friends Work Day Worship - Traditional	(Downtown) (Downtown)
Sun, July 12	8:30 am 11:05 am	Worship - Traditional Worship - Contemporary	(Bourb) (Bourb)



The church office will be open
Monday through Friday
9:00am to 3:30pm.