

Thank you for joining us this weekend to worship our Lord and Savior. We will continue with normal services following the CDC Guidelines of

social distancing and proper hygiene practices. You may wear a mask if you feel necessary. There is a hand sanitizer station right inside the sanctuary for your use. We will resume Holy Communion on June 20-21.

If you don't feel comfortable coming or are not feeling well, we encourage you to stay home and watch our services online. We will be Live Streaming our Sunday services on Facebook/ stpaulslutheranchurchschool at 8:15 and 10:45 a.m. and they will also be posted on www.siouxcitystpauls.org and the church app after the services.

Tithes and Offerings can continue being made through following means:

- In person during Service at the offering box.
- Mailing your offering envelopes to the church office at 612 Jennings St. Sioux City, IA 51101
- Church website (www.siouxcitystpauls.org) for online giving.
- Church app on your smart phone for online giving.

To stay informed, please call or email the church office to verify your contact and email information:

- Phone: (712) 252-0338
- Email mychurch@cableone.net

All other groups, meetings and activities have been cancelled.

Quiet Bags: The quiet bags for the children to use during services have been cleaned and disinfected and are ready to use.

PRAY FOR EACH OTHER

We ask your prayers on behalf of our friends in Christ who are/ have been hospitalized or going through treatments: Mary Kay Holiday and Barbara Sampson.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

Happy Anniversary!

One vase of flowers on the altar are to the glory of God and thanksgiving from Bob and Char Grothaus in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary on June 12th.

The other flowers on the altar are given in thanks to God for the 55 years of marriage and His Blessings from Lon and Carolyn Stuhr and family. It is with joyful and thankful hearts we praise God for our 55 years of marriage, the blessings of family and the privilege of serving Him and the people of St. Paul's.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Jesus said, "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moth and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal" (Matthew 6:19-20). For illustrative purposes, we could say that there is both a "Bank on Earth" and a "Bank in Heaven." We can make deposits in either bank. The "Bank on Earth" accepts and keeps our money. Our money will stay in this bank until we withdraw it or it's taken away at death. The "Bank in Heaven" receives our good deeds and works done in faith. With the "Bank in Heaven," we are investing for eternity. Through faith, God empowers us to store up treasures in heaven.

Love Offering will go toward "We Care Ministry."

We Care Ministry Report

Last Week	To Date	Spent	Balance
\$51.00	\$6,443.33	850.00	\$5,593.33

Church Offering Report

Weekly Offering	Actual	Up To Date	Year to Date Budget
June 6-7	\$7,253.00	\$178,856.69	

Last Week's Attendance:

Saturday, June 6, & Sunday, June 7: 105

FAMILY MATTERS

Thursday Morning Bible Study: 8:30 a.m. Thursday morning Bible Study has resumed once again weekly in the Fellowship Hall.

<u>Steaks for Studs (AKA Fathers) Sale:</u> Steaks will be on sale again this weekend through Father's Day weekend or until we have sold out. Pick up your steaks in the side yard in between the Church and the School. We will use gloves and follow COVID-19 Guidelines. Prices are 2 steaks for \$15. Proceeds benefit the school.

YOUTH - National Conventions have been cancelled in Des Moines but will hopefully take a different look. The Junior and Senior Youth Gathering Planning Teams have made the decision to cancel our regular gatherings in Des Moines. GATHERING TEAMS ARE PLANNING A VIRTUAL EVENT WHERE YOUTH CAN GATHER AT THEIR OWN CHURCH .The planning teams are working to put together an experience at your own church for an evening. These virtual events will take place on the same weekend the gatherings were originally scheduled, Junior-October 17-18 and Senior-November 20-22. The planning teams will plan an hour and a half virtual experience and livestream! More details will be passed on to youth groups in the days to come.

<u>Vacation Bible School News</u> This year's theme for VBS is Jesus' Power Pulls Us Through. A very timely lesson. Jesus will bring us through this pandemic. Normally VBS is in June, but we are planning for a later date this summer. Volunteers, parents and kids stay tuned for more updates as to exact dates and times.

Annual Golf Outing: St. Paul's Lutheran School is hosting the Annual Golf Outing to raise money for the school. It will be **Sunday, August 2nd at 1 p.m.**. Save the Date!!! More information to come.

<u>June Newsletter</u> is now available in the back of the church or online at www.siouxcitystpauls.org. The website has a link to the newsletter on both the **Home** page and the **News** page.

<u>July Newsletter</u> deadline to get information to the office will be Wednesday, June 24.

Support our school through July 15 with Shoparoo. Shoparoo is school fundraising made easy: the free app turns pictures of your everyday shopping receipts into cash donations and sweepstakes entries for our school! Yep, it's that simple. All you have to do is shop as you normally do, snap pictures of all your receipts with the app, and just like that the school as earned \$\$\$! Get started today: the last day to take pictures of your receipts will be July 15.

<u>Support our School with Scrip!</u> How it works ...You buy gift cards from the school, and the school earns money. We carry a variety of cards in the office. To order, call Sarah Gunn at (712) 223-1238 or stop in the church office. Scrip is a year-long fundraising program that supports St. Paul's Lutheran School and its families. To order go to www.shopwithscrip.com or stop in the church office.

OUR NEIGHBORS

<u>Iowa District West Virtual Convention:</u> Redeemer LWML would like to invite you and your LWML members to join us in viewing the Iowa West District Virtual Convention program on **Friday June 19th** at 1:00 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church 3204 S Lakeport St. Sioux City, Iowa

If you or your members plan to participate and view Convention from Redeemer, please RSVP by **June 15**th so that we can plan and set up a safe environment. Contact Jackie Krueger by email kruegei@yahoo.com or Text or call 712-251-8714.

Hope Lutheran Summer VBS: Is having VBS online this year. Beginning June 13, every Saturday, a new video will be uploaded and every Sunday you can pick up a take home packet at Hope (218 W. 18th St. SSC, NE) from 11-1. Register now at www.hopelutheranSSC.com/vbs-2020

BUILDING HEALTHY FAMILIES

Did You Know? The Greek equivalent to the Hebrew for "comfort" is "paraclete." A literal meaning is someone called alongside to speak for you, defend you, help you. Not surprising then that Scripture gives the name "paraclete," Comforter, to the Holy Spirit. Jesus sent Him to walk beside us and help us. LFS uses 2 Corinthians 1:3-4 as our theme verse. "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God." Our mission statement flows from this. "We walk with people who are experiencing hard times and are there for them just as God has been there for us." Reach out to us any time. We're here to help! For more information contact Lutheran Family Service, 4301 Sergeant Road, Ste. 203, Sioux City, Iowa 51106; (712) 276-9000.

For Sunday morning Radio listeners and TV viewers

KSCJ 1360 radio: 8:00 a.m. The Good Shepherd Hour

8:30 a.m. The Lutheran Hour

KCAU-TV, Channel 9: 10:00 a.m. This is the Life

10:30 a.m. Mainstreet Living Program broadcasts the church service with our area pastors and the Mainstreet

Living Choir.

Main Street Living Media Ministry — Local Lutheran Worship. If interested in giving to this ministry, you can send an offering to the church office.