

St. Paul Lutheran Church
October 2024



GermanFest

St. Paul Lutheran Church

405 2nd Street NW
Hinckley, MN 55037

(1/3 mile west of downtown on Pine Co. 18)

A traditional style German Feast featuring hand carved roasted pork loin; served with seasoned baby red potatoes, hot German potato salad, sweet & sour red cabbage, sauerkraut, green beans, assorted fresh baked bread, and homemade pumpkin dessert.

Friday, October 11th

Serving Dinner 5:00 pm to 7:00 p.m.

Silent Auction throughout the evening



Pie Auction at 6pm

Cost: Adult/\$12.00

Children (age 10 & under)/\$ 6.00

Age 3 and under/Free

Call (320) 384-6267 for information.





What's coming up at Church....

Pastor Lehenbauer will lead us in worship for the month of October.

Take a peek at the **flower chart**, we have openings for the month of October.

Wednesday Morning **Bible Study** is returning on Wednesday, October 2nd at a new time, 10:30am. They will be talking about the Book of Genesis. Pastor Lehenbauer is leading bible study.

Family Dinner: October 2nd from 5-7pm at the church. Please join us for dinner and fellowship.

Sunday School: will begin on Sunday, October 6th, and will be on the first and third Sunday of each month after the service till 11am. Children three years of age to sixth grade are welcome to come, registration forms can be found on the table in the Narthex.

GermanFest: Is coming up, **in need of silent auction items**, you can place them in the office. If anyone would like to help in the kitchen on Thursday, October 10th at 10am, we are going to be baking pumpkin bars for dessert for GermanFest. Talk to Jennifer if you can give her a hand in the kitchen.

Youth Group: Meeting on Wednesday October 23rd at 6pm.

Christmas Wreaths are for sale with the Youth Group. Contact Jennifer, Rebecca, or a Youth Group member to place an order by October 27th. Thank you!

Confirmation: The year will be starting soon, Pastor Kleppe is meeting with parents on Sept 29th at 4pm. Please watch for updates.

Upcoming Events in our area...

Oktoberfest Dinner at Zion Lutheran Church in Mora on Saturday October 12, from 4 to 6pm.

LWML Kettle River Zone Fall Rally on Thursday October 17th at 9am at St. John Lutheran Church, Kroschel. Registration will begin at 8:30am, \$5 registration fee.

Birthdays & Anniversaries



Steve Marudas, and those named in our hearts, for God's continued healing and comfort for them and their families.

Oct 2023

2nd: Carolyn Vogler
3rd: Nancy Williams
4th: Kelly Tocholke
 Tianna Day
5th: Larry Gregg
8th: Lucille Signore
9th: Jerry and Rebecca Perrotti
11th: Duane and Liz Klar
12th: Shawn and Karissa Ausmus
 Matt and Jayne Maser
13th: Leah Ausmus
 Sue Hickle
21st: John Frank
 Ron Brant
 Cydelle Klande
22nd: Doug Kottke
24th: Elliotte Signore
26th: Troy Peterson
28th: Bailey Gorsenger
 Eddie Welch
31st: Barb Schroeder

If we missed anyone, please let Jennifer know!

Acolyte Schedule:

Oct 6th: Charlotte
Oct 13th: Norah
Oct. 20th: Corbin
Oct. 27th: Hunter

Ushers: Tonette Peterson and Tracy Peterson

Flower Chart:

Oct 6th: Open
Oct 13th: In Honor of Maser/Gladitsch Wedding
Oct 20th: Open
Oct 27th: Larry and Linda Marotz
.....in loving memory of family

Therefore we do not lose heart.
Though outwardly we are wasting away,
yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day.
2 Corinthians 4:16



Council Meeting
St Paul Lutheran Church
Unapproved Council Meeting Minutes
9-9-2024

Attendance: Rod Lawin, Star Lawin, Aaron Peterson, Carol Robinson, Matt Maser, Doug Kottke, Wendy Kottke, David Berquist, John Frank.

Call to order 7:10 PM

Open with Prayer, Matt Maser

Approve Agenda /Additions Bill 1st Star 2nd

Approve Minutes from previous Council Meeting Wendy 1st Bill 2nd

Treasurer's Report

Checking Account 64,661.38 Savings Account 27,862.56

Memorials 6220.65 Total Expense 69,259.08 Total Income 22,239.37

Rod 1st Carol 2nd

Pastor's Report Letter received from District office and will be reviewed by Elders.

Elder's Report plan to meet with Pastor Lehenbauer Sunday 9-15-2024 after service to talk about Bible study Sunday after Service or Wednesday mornings.

Meet with Pastor Kleppe to talk about beginning Confirmation classes

Trustee Report mowing means have been going well.

Internet problems in and out with current provider SCI Cable. Possibly looking into a new provider in the future.

Old computer Is dead Possibly looking into recovery of items on hard drive, however very expensive.

Wasps are out, noted in front entrance. Spray in office ask Jennifer.

Other Committee Reports

OLD BUSINESS

Roof Update Mediation scheduled for 9-28-2024. Lawyer has requested a quote for repair. A generalized quote is being done by ServePro in Sandstone.

NEW BUSINESS

Sunday School 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month starting October 6th 2024

BOF request \$500.00 for advertising (flyer w/ holiday schedule and events to insert into paper, and flyers to put out and about). Bill 1st Carol 2nd

Snow Removal quotes (Jeff's, Elliott's others) as of now we have gotten bid from Elliotts at \$125 each plow as with last year 2 inch limit request Wednesday and Sundays unless there is a special function at the church

German Fest October 11,2024 and Church Picnic 4 PM on September 28, 2024 at Matt and Jayne Masers.

Other Business

Adjourn John 1st David 2nd

Close with Lords Prayer at 8:10 PM

Submitted by Carol Robinson

CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION

Church Email: st.paulhinckley@yahoo.com

Church Phone: (320) 384-6267

Website: www.stpaulhinckleymn.org



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Check **Facebook** or **church website** for any updates on schedules for Worship Service and other events.

| Vacancy Pastor | Church Secretary | Church Newsletter | Organists |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Pastor Walter Lehenbauer | Jennifer Kubesh | Jennifer Kubesh Cydelle Klande | Sue Hickle Connie Odendahl |

Church Council

*Meets 1st Monday
each month at 7pm*

Chairman: Aaron Peterson

Vice Chair: Toby Hickle

Elders: Rod Lawin

John Frank

Matt Maser

Greg Kroschel

Trustees: Bill Morgan

David Berquist

Doug Kottke

Secretary: Carol Robinson

Fin. Sec.: Star Lawin

Treasurer: Wendy Kottke

Stewardship

Aug 1st to Aug 31st 2024

General Fund..... \$7,982

Altar Flowers..... \$80

Sunday School..... \$10

Missions \$289

TOTAL..... \$8,361

Sunday School: Kenna Rabe, Grace Peterson and Tracy Peterson

Board of Fellowship: Jayne Maser

Youth Group: Rebecca Perrotti

Fellowship: Jayne Maser and Jennifer Kubesh

In case of an emergency, please contact Elder Rod Lawin at 320-372-0109





Creation Moments

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Science and Miracles



For with God nothing shall be impossible. (Luke 1:37)

Do you realize that the Bible's own arguments have been stolen by evolutionary scientists in their attempt to prove that there are no such things as miracles? It's past time that Christians reclaim those arguments in order to deflate the doubt that has been created.

Evolutionists say that since the world is an orderly place with predictable physical laws, we know that miracles can't happen. And they're right on everything but their conclusion. It is because the world is an orderly place with predictable physical laws that miracles are important.

The Bible clearly teaches that the world follows orderly laws. For example, Genesis 1:11 tells us that plants reproduce in an orderly, predictable pattern – after their kind. In Genesis 1:14 we read about how the stars move across the sky in an orderly pattern so that we can tell what season it is. And if the world was not an orderly, predictable place, we couldn't tell if something was a miracle or not. In a world where things happen willy nilly, miracles would have no meaning.

It is only in a predictable world that science can study where miracles can be what the New Testament calls them – signs. So the very reason evolutionists use to deny the existence of miracles is really the only reason we have to accept the possibility – and the reality – of God's miraculous working in His creation!

Ref: Bartz, Paul A. 1990. "The Bible teaches a predictable world – but not naturalism." Bible Science Newsletter, Mar. p. 10. Painting: Jesus cleansing a leper, medieval mosaic from the Monreale Cathedral, late 12th to mid-13th centuries. Public Domain.



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Ushers:
Tonette Peterson and
Tracy Peterson

OCTOBER 2024



| SUN | MON | TUES | WED | THURS | FRI | SAT |
|---|----------------------|------------------|---|---------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| | | 1 1pm BOF Mtg | 2 10:30am Bible Study 5pm Family Dinner | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 9am Worship 10am Fellowship 10am Sunday School | 7 7pm Council Mtg | 8 | 9 10:30am Bible Study | 10 10am Baking Time | 11 5pm – 7pm GERMANFEST  | 12 Maser/Gladitsch Wedding |
| 13 9am Worship w/ Communion 10am Fellowship | 14 | 15 | 16 10:30am Bible Study | 17 | 18 Newsletter Deadline | 19 |
| 20 9am Worship 10am Fellowship 10am Sunday School 10am Qtly Voter's Mtg | 21 | 22 | 23 10:30am Bible Study 6pm Youth Group | 24 | 25 | 26 |
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For God so Loved the World