



St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran

Church • School • Preschool

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Kristin Kampman, 6-8

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Summer Worship Schedule:

Thursdays & Saturdays at 6:30 PM and Sundays at 9:00 AM

Online services, materials and so much more can be found at

www.stpaulslutherannfdl.com or follow us at www.facebook.com/stpaulsnfdl

July 10, 12, & 13	Power of the Sacraments	Hymns
Order of Worship:	Service Folder	Service Folder
Sermon:	2 Kings 5:1-15	
The Power in Words		

Welcome to St. Paul's!

- **Parents, please feel free to use the child training room** to calm or feed small children. It's located across from the restrooms and is equipped with sound and light controls as well as one-way shades in the smaller section past the room divider.
- **A t-coil hearing loop system** is active for those with hearing aids. Headsets are also available. Ushers can help if you have questions.
- **Large print copies** of our service are available in the entryway.
- **Restrooms** with changing stations are to the right as you exit church.
- **Service Notes:** Our Order of Worship is in the service folder handed by the doors to the sanctuary.
- **Offerings** are gathered during worship. After the plates are passed, we will stand at the direction of the pastor and sing hymn 749.

Ushers this week (10, 12, & 13) 3 (M. Peachy), 4 (B. Tabbert) & 5 (T. Hagman). Greeters will be P. Brennand, J. White, B. Ewerdt. Next week (17, 19, & 20) teams will be 6 (C. Stollfus), 7 (C. Williams) & 8 (J. White). Greeters will be C. Kitchen, a smiling face, & V. White. Our Organist is Becky Miller. Thank you all for your willing service to our Triune God and St. Paul's.

Today in Worship:

THE POWER OF THE SACRAMENTS

Water, bread and wine don't look powerful. Some might wonder whether anything impressive can really be happening in the Sacraments. Usually when something is powerful, we can sense it. We can tell when an athlete is strong; we watch their performance in awe. We can feel when a rocket thunders into the sky. We shake when a bolt of lightning strikes close to our home. Water, bread and wine don't seem to fit into that category.

Of themselves, they would have no greater power than to give sustenance to the body or wash it clean. There is however something that changes all of that and gives them power beyond imagination, beyond sustenance and cleaning, but changes them into means of grace giving all the blessing we heard about last week in worship. Yep, God's Word gives them power as God Himself works through it all for you!

July 10 - 20, 2025

7/10	Thurs.	6:30 PM	WORSHIP [#3]
7/11	Fri.	7:10 PM	WELS Night at American Family Field
7/12	Sat.	6:30 PM	WORSHIP [#4]
7/13	Sun.	9:00 AM	WORSHIP [#5]
		10:00 AM	Food, Fun, and Fellowship
7/15	Tues.	6:30 PM	Worship at the Cross (Faith, FDL)
7/16	Wed.	6:30 PM	Church Council Meeting (parsonage)
7/17	Thurs.	6:30 PM	WORSHIP WITH COMMUNION [#6]
7/19	Sat.	6:30 PM	WORSHIP WITH COMMUNION [#7]
7/20	Sun.	9:00 AM	WORSHIP WITH COMMUNION [#8]

St. Paul's is turning 125 in 2026!

As we rejoice in 125 years of Gospel ministry in North Fond du Lac, we would like to form a celebration committee that can help with special services and events throughout the year. If you would be interested in joining such a team, please contact Pastor Kampman. We will likely start our work mid to late summer.

Congregational Controller Needed in 2026!

Our congregation's controller, Cyndi Hintz, has served us faithfully for 20 years. After all that time, she has decided to step down at the end of 2025. If there is someone with accounting experience who would like to take over this position (paying congregational bills, handling payroll, and taxes) at the end of the year, please contact the office or one of our trustees.

Food, Fun, and Fellowship July 13, 20, and 27!

Join us for Food, Fun, and Fellowship on July 13, 20, and 27 from 10 to 11 am. Enjoy a variety of activities including board games, cards, cornhole, and open gym. Light snacks will be provided.



This is a great

opportunity to connect with others. All are welcome!

No payment is required, a free will donation basket will be out for those who wish to help. A QR Code is also provided should you simply wish to donate some snacks on a Sunday.

3-Year-Old Preschool - 8th Grade Registration is open!

St. Paul's Preschool and Grade School is enrolling for all interested. More information can be found across from the office. If you have any questions, *contact the office at 920-922-1080*. If you know anyone who might be interested in a Christ-centered education, please grab a brochure from the narthex and share it with them.

Vacation Bible School – August 4-8, 2025

This summer, we're going on an epic adventure through Australia, and you're invited! We'll encounter amazing animals, lush landscapes, stunning sea life, and wondrous wilderness. And most importantly, we'll be guided by our Savior, Jesus, who tells us, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life" in our theme verse, John 14:6.

Register your child to attend or register as a volunteer by visiting stpaulslutherannfdl.com/vbs, following the QR code, or by going "old school" and signing up in the narthex at church at the VBS Station.



A donation signup sheet is at the Narthex VBS Station as well if you would like to provide the needed supplies and snacks to make the week one to remember. Sign up today to join in the fun!

Camp Phillip Free Will Offering Next Week

Camp Phillip serves thousands of people each year both at camp and through offsite programming. They serve God by providing a safe, fun, and memorable atmosphere offering Christ-centered, creative programs to foster spiritual growth. St. Paul's is a member of the Camp Phillip Association and any offering placed in the basket next week will go to support the work they do at Camp. Don't forget, you can also camp at Camp Phillip. As association members, you receive a discount on camping and camp programs.

JULY VOTERS MEETING – TUESDAY, JULY 22 at 6:30 pm

Pastor Kampman has received two calls to other congregations

Sunday, June 29, Pastor Kampman received two calls to serve other congregations in the WELS. One is to *Shepherd of the Hills in Duluth, MN*. The other is to *Risen Savior in McFarland, WI*.

Please keep the Kampman family in your prayers and know that they will keep you in theirs.

Summer Worship Series on the Means of Grace!

Our summer worship series continues under the theme from the Small Catechism of Martin Luther. We are considering the Means of Grace each week. These are the means through which the Holy Spirit works to create, sustain, and strengthen faith. Consider joining us as we contemplate ...

- July 13 – ***Power of the Sacraments***: Back to the Word
- July 20 – ***Institution of Holy Baptism***: Jesus gives it, so that all would be saved through the Spirit's gift of faith.
- July 27 – ***Holy Baptism's Ongoing Significance***: I am baptized and it means something every day (Final 10 for 10 Sunday)
- August 3 – ***Institution of the Lord's Supper***: What it is, carries with it all that it does
- August 10 – ***Reception of the Lord's Supper***: How we approach this gift is important

Upcoming School Dates

School Cleaning is August 2 starting at 8:00 am.

Orientation is set after church on August 10th (around 10:00 am).

Back to School Night is scheduled for August 12th from 6-7 pm.

Summer Office Times

Throughout the summer months, the building is not as consistently staffed. As a result, please call before stopping by to make sure someone is here.

Pastor Ehlert is on vacation July 18th through the 26th

WLA Needs Host Families

WLA needs welcoming families to host international students next year. All year & shorter term hosting opportunities are available. E-mail Kristin Mose at kmose@wlavikings.org for more information.

School Helpers Needed

It's time for us to begin looking for help in the 2025-2026 school year. Please, contact the office if you would like to assist with ...

Before or after school care: \$15 per hour

Before school care runs from 7:00 - 8:15 am each morning.

After-school care runs from 3:30 – 5:30 pm each afternoon.

Lunch Service: Volunteer

Service begins at 11:45 am and runs until 12:30 pm. Usually, about 15 minutes of prep is all that's needed. Lunches come from the public school hot and ready to serve.

School Cleaners (\$150 per week – paid by families)

The average cleaning time is around 2 hours after school, Monday through Friday. Grab a few weeks or the majority. Contact the office if you would like to be on the schedule. A volunteer to schedule and make sure payments come in is always appreciated.

Boys & Girls Pioneers are looking for leaders

The Boys and Girls Pioneers groups are looking for leaders. Although camping and building fires might come to mind when you think of Pioneers, today's Pioneer programs can offer so much more! They provide opportunities for boys and girls to lift their eyes from their cell phones and discover and develop skills in many areas of interest. From building to baking, it's an opportunity to explore any number of interests as we build happy and confident members of our church, school, home, and community centered in Christ.

A Night with the Dock Spiders & WLA

Join WLA at the Herr-Baker Field Rooftop in Fond du Lac on Saturday, August 9, 2025. There is an Alumni Group Photo at 5:50 pm and the Game starts at 6:35 pm vs. Lakeshore Chinooks.

Ticket Prices are \$15 for Adults and \$10 for Children (12 and under)

Price includes: A brat or hamburger, chips, baked beans, cookie, two beverages (soda, water, domestic beer, or seltzer), Free Kids Zone wristband for children 12 and under, Pre-game player visit, National Anthem, First pitch, and Bubble Ball Challenge will feature WLA representatives.

Pioneer Playgroup: More Playdates for children 0-5!

July 26 from 9:00-10:00am at Optimist Park in NFDL

(St. Paul's Fellowship Hall if there is rain)

Help us get the word out ... it's always a good time!

A Thank You for MLC Matching Gift

Dear St. Paul's Congregation,

Hello, my name is Adelyn Kemnitz, and I am an Early Childhood major at MLC. Your generous donation has a profound impact on my journey, and I cannot express enough how grateful I am for your support in the ministry. It is truly a blessing!

I grew up in Eldorado, Wisconsin my whole life. My parents (Phil and Julie Kemnitz) brought me up in the faith and are members here at St. Paul's. I went to grade school here and attended WLA for high school. I have many people who encourage me to pursue the ministry. The teachers here taught me that teaching is a blessing and a fantastic way to show and share my faith and see others' faith grow. It is so rewarding, and words simply cannot describe how gratifying it is to see child-like faith grow. On campus, I am involved in our forum productions. I help with gathering costumes, and also with hair and makeup. I also participate in track and field doing various events. This coming year, I have the privilege of being in the College Choir! I will be singing God's praises all the time!

I'm truly blessed to have people who support me in the ministry. Your generosity has made a significant difference, and for that, I am deeply grateful! Thank you once again, and may God continue to bless you in all your lives!

In Christ Alone,

Adelyn Kemnitz

Last Week's Offerings

In thankfulness to God, we generously returned the following to the Lord: Current - \$12,292.15 (\$31.36 plate); Missions - \$761.50; Improvement - \$85; Mortgage - \$2637.96; St. Paul's Student Aid Fund - \$70; Electronic funds included in these gifts - \$3962.61; all offerings totaled \$15,846.61. Weekly Budgeted Target \$19,963. Last week in worship 163 (40, 42, 81) gathered. 32 viewers watched online.