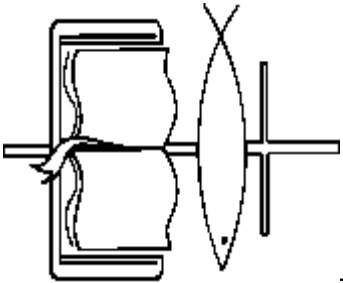


The St. Paul Lutheran News



St. Paul Lutheran Church is called to be an Inviting, Christ Centered Spiritually Growing and Community Serving Church where we are led by love to implement Jesus' teachings.

AUGUST 2025

AUGUST Worship Schedule

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| Sun., Aug 3 | 9:00 a.m. |
| Sun., Aug 10 | 9:00 a.m. |
| Sun., Aug 17 | 9:00 a.m. |
| Sun., Aug 24 | 9:00 a.m. |
| Sun, Aug 31 | 9:00 a.m. |



Staff
Bridge Pastor
Amy Deloach-Waelchli
Administrative Assistant
Kellie Carrier
Custodian
Edgar Jurado
Music/Choir Director
David Frank

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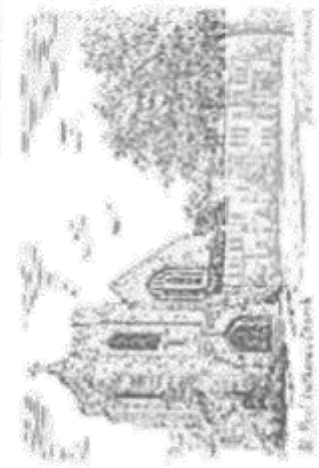
(608) 365-7064

4pm

**Wednesdays & Fridays: 8am-
Tuesdays: 11am-3 pm and**

Church Office Hours

**St. Paul Lutheran Church
617 St. Lawrence Avenue
Beloit, WI 53511**



AUGUST 2025 ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

In-Person & Online Worship

Livestreaming worship with St. Paul available on Facebook & YouTube

| SUNDAY | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
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| | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 9:00 a.m. Worship- In Person & Online Coffee Hour Immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San Jose | 4 7:00-8:45 p.m.- Boy Scouts | 5 5:30 p.m.- Worship & Music Meeting | 6 Noon-Soup Lunch | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 9:00 a.m. Worship - In Person & Online Coffee Hour immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San José | 11 1:00 p.m- Ruth Circle 7:00-8:45 p.m.- Boy Scouts | 12 | 13 Noon– Soup Lunch 5:30 p.m.- Council Meeting | 14 | 15 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE | 16 |
| 17 9:00 a.m. Worship -In Person & Online Coffee Hour immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San José | 18 9:30-Basket Guild 6:30-Women's Bible Study 7:00-8:45 p.m.- Boy Scouts | 19 | 20 Noon– Soup Lunch LYDIA'S CLOSET | 21 8:00 a.m.-Men's Breakfast (Beloit Family Restaurant | 22 | 23 |
| 24/31 9:00 a.m. Worship -In Person & Online Coffee Hour immediately following 11:00 a.m. Worship at San José | 25 7:00-8:45 p.m.- Boy Scouts | 26 | 27 Noon– Soup Lunch | 28 Noon-OWLS | 29 | 30 |

St. Paul Lutheran Church AUGUST Celebrations!

BIRTHDAYS

Addie Petersen 8/3
Tori Carr 8/7
Robert Heck 8/7
Dori Hughes 8/11
Anaka Scoville 8/12
Brett Petersen 8/14
Mackenzie O'Grady 8/17
Jeff Elet 8/27
JoAnn Petersons 8/27
Randy Hassenfelt 8/29
Jeanette Briscoe 8/31
Pat Baker 8/30



ANNIVERSARIES

Dave & Jan Knutson 8/9
Ray & Judelle Murphy 8/14



PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

Martha Stolze is re-forming the Personnel Committee. If you are interested in serving on this committee, please reach out to Martha at mastolze1465@gmail.com or at 630-827-9409. Thanks in advance for considering serving in this way.





Dear Church,

On July 28, I leave bright and early for Phoenix, Az where hundreds of ELCA Lutherans are gathering for Church Wide Assembly (CWA). I'm really looking forward to going! Don't get me wrong, August in Phoenix isn't my idea of a good time. Rather doing the work of the Church excites me.

This is my first opportunity to attend CWA as a voting member. Fourteen of us from the South Central Synod of Wisconsin will spend the week together representing the 133 congregations of our Synod. The business of this CWA is especially exciting as we will vote to elect a new Presiding Bishop. Bishop Elizabeth Eaton is retiring after serving in the role for twelve years. We will also elect a new Secretary of the ELCA. This position serves as the administrative arm of the ELCA. Deacon Sue Rothmeyer, the current Secretary, is not standing for the position again. These are major actions with serious implications for the future of the ELCA. In between these elections, we have a lot of other work to do.

I'm a church nerd. I'm really excited to be part of this and expect I'll be overstimulated and exhausted when we're finally done on Saturday, August 2. My family will join me for a few days of vacation in Flagstaff after CWA. I'll be back in the pulpit at St. Paul on Sunday, August 10.

Please keep all of the attendees in prayer during this time. Pray that we will follow the prompting of the Holy Spirit. Pray for safe travels and good health. Pray that God's will be done.

In peace,
Pastor Amy

Inside a church

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candles communion table hymn book cross
pulpit pews

Newsletter

Just a note to remind everyone that the deadline to submit items for the March newsletter is Friday, August 15th.
Thank you and God's Blessings.



Psalms 113:3
From the rising of the
sun unto the going
down of the same the
LORD'S name is
to be praised.

David - clipart

Want to connect with Pastor Amy? You can reach her at revamythegood@gmail.com. She's here two days a week: always in Wednesday + a floating day.

PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Terry (Billie Kenitzer's brother);
Chuck F.; Carol M.; Michelle C.; Marge K.; Marilyn F.;
Patricia E.; Will S.; Kathy P.; Anne S.; Colin C.; Patrick S.; Linda M.;
Amber V. (Judelle & Ray Murphy's daughter);
Kristina (Pat Baker's granddaughter); **Ray O.** (Chet Organ's brother);
Juelane (Mark Mueller's sister);
Kyle & Kim R. (Marge Kline's grandson & his wife);
Charlie H.;
Jeanette and Carl B.; Sheri H.;
Maddie & Zac; John P.; Jim D. (Sharyn Pann's friend);

all those who have been affected by COVID-19 and other illnesses;
all those affected by the violence in our nation and around the world.
all those who seek shelter; and friends and family in the military.

*Please let us know if you have any additions to
or removals from the prayer list.*



SOUP LUNCH

Soup Lunch attendance for the month of July was 326.

Please mark any financial donations for "Soup Lunch."
We are also in need of gas station and food gift cards
(Subway, McDonald's, etc.).

You can **help support our Soup Lunch ministry**
by mailing your donations to:

St. Paul Lutheran Church,
617 St. Lawrence Ave., Beloit, WI 53511
or by going to: <https://tithe.ly/give?c=531526>



LYDIA'S CLOSET

AUGUST 20TH

LYDIA'S CLOSET IS IN NEED OF MEN'S SUMMER SHIRTS AND MEN'S JEANS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.



Basket Guild will be held Monday, August 18th at 9:30 a.m.
Come on out and join us!



Ruth Circle will be held Tuesday, August 11 at 1:00 p.m.. Come join us!



DESIGNATED MISSION OUTREACH

AUGUST ELCA WORLD HUNGER

Working with and through congregations in the United States, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands Lutheran churches overseas and other partners, ELCA World Hunger is uniquely positioned to reach communities in need.

-821 million people around the world-more than 1 in 10-**can't access the food** they need to live active, healthy lives.

-According to the most recent estimates, 736 million people live in extreme poverty on less than \$1.90 per day-10% **of the world's population.**

-As some point in 2017 (the most recent year available), more than 40 million people in the United States were unsure where their next meal might come from.

<https://www.elca.org/OurWork/Relief-and-Development/ELCA-World-Hunger>



MINISTERS OF WORSHIP - AUGUST

| Date | Time | Council | Assisting Minister | Reader | Communion Assistant | Tech / Livestream | PowerPoint |
|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 3 | 9:00 a.m.. | Tori Carr | Sharyn Pann | Greg Stolze | Carol Josh | Murry Hughes- | Jan Knutson |
| COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: Ruth Circle; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: KATHY POHL/DONNA BLUM | | | | | | | |
| 10 | 9:00 a.m. | Ken Harris | Jane Carr | Carole Spretizer | Jean Neitzel | Murry-Hughes | Chuck Hughes |
| COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: OWLS; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: DAVE KNUTSON/JACKIE UELAND | | | | | | | |
| 17 | 9:00 a.m. | Jean Neitzel | Jean Neitzel | Martha Stolze | Jackie Ueland | Hughes-Murry Team | Ken Harris |
| COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: CHET & DENISE ORGAN; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: CHET ORGAN/SHARYN PANN | | | | | | | |
| 24 | 9:00 a.m. | Jane Carr | Martha Stolze | Jane Carr | Glenda Liptow | Hughes-Murry Team | Jan Knutson |
| COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: KEN & MARILYN HARRIS; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: KAREN MOE/CAROL JOSH | | | | | | | |
| 31 | 9:00 a.m. | Melanie Schneider | Marilyn Harris | Melanie Schneider | Karen Moe | Hughes-Murry Team | Chuck Hughes |
| COFFEE HOUR SPONSORED BY: SOUP LUNCH; WELCOMING COMMITTEE: ROGER NEITZEL/CAROLE SPREITZER | | | | | | | |
| ALTAR GUILD: BILLIE KENITZER & SHARYN PANN | | | | | | | |

AUGUST Soup Lunch Menu

- 6- Broccoli Cheese Soup
- 13- Beef Barley Soup
- 20- Tuna Noodle Casserole
- 27- Potato Soup



Remember Caritas when you are out and about shopping.

God's Blessings to all!



OWLS Meeting: Thursday, August 28th at Noon,
including Potluck.



St. Paul Lutheran Church Council Members

| | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|
| President | Jean Neitzel | 608-362-8324 |
| Vice-President | Chet Organ | 608-751-8020 |
| Secretary | Jane Carr | 608-436-0868 |
| Treasurer | Ken Harris | 608-365-6871 |
| Worship | Melanie Schneider | 608-436-6336 |
| FAITH Formation | Tori Carr | 608-436-9397 |
| | Martha Stolze | |

Let's have a Summer of Giving

We are resurrecting the Loose Change Jar after receiving suggestions by several congregation members to help support our Care Closet Program.

The Care Closet provides things such as McDonalds food cards, gas cards and bus passes. We also partner with the "Youth2Youth 4 Change" that routinely donates sleeping bags, tents, laundry packets and personal care items.

People in our community have fallen on hard times and many of the things in our care closet are given out regularly. We record all the items that we give out by name of the person, and we limit the number that each person can receive to make it fair for everybody.

We are re-starting the **Sunday Loose Change Jar** program in June to run for the summer. Look for the container in the back of church. We are happy to help you recycle your loose change each week.

Jan Knutson, Kathy Pohl, and Donna Blum



Monday, August 18,
6:30-8:00 p.m.
We meet in
Michael's Chapel.

ALL ARE
WELCOME!
Reach out to
Katie Hassenfelt
for more info.

"CHOSEN" video series and discussion
is the ongoing topic at this time.