

Voters' Meeting agenda, Sunday, July 28 - 11:30 am

1. Open with prayer, devotion
2. Minutes of previous meeting
3. Treasurer's Report
4. Board & Committee Reports
 - Trustees
 - Elders
 - Christian Management
 - Outreach
 - Endowment Committee
 - Bd. of Education
 - DCE
 - Pastor
5. Old Business
6. New Business
 - Endowment Committee
 - Amendment to Endowment Bylaws-Endowment Committee recommends not going forward
7. Adjourn with Lord's Prayer



You are invited to help in Pacific Junction! Water has receded, houses are cleaned out and now it is time to rebuild. Will you help? On **August 4-9**, a group from Immanuel Lutheran, Spirit Lake, will arrive late afternoon on Sunday, August 4. Lodging and meals will be provided in Trinity Lutheran Church, Glenwood, or at a local motel at your expense. You may bring your own tools if you wish, but LERT trailers will be onsite. You do **NOT** need to be LERT trained to help. All willing hands and feet over age 14 are welcome. To register, contact Duane Tracy (712-231-0614 - dtracy1958@gmail.com) or Ellie Menz (515-370-1159 - ellie@iowadistrictwest.org)

Creation Museum and Ark Encounter Trip: Camp Okoboji is sponsoring a bus trip to the Creation Museum & Ark Encounter. The bus will leave from Camp Okoboji at 7 am on Monday, Sept. 23rd and return late on Friday, September 27th. Cost includes travel, hotel, and tickets to the Creation Museum and Ark Encounter. Single Occupancy: \$975 Multiple Occupancy: \$675 for more information go to their website campokoboji.org. There is a register on line link. There is a possibility that the bus will stop in Ft Dodge for pickup. Check with Lori Gamble at camp. Her email is lori@campokoboji.org

The lawn mowing schedule is on the table in the Overflow room if you wish to help with mowing this year! If you have never mowed and have questions, please contact the office and they will put you in touch with a trustee to show you the ropes!



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We extend a special welcome to all who worship with us in God's House today. If you have no church home, we invite you to make Good Shepherd your church home.

July 21, 2019
6th Sunday
After Pentecost

Order of Service

SATURDAY:

Divine Service Setting 4 p. 203
Opening Hymn: 578
Hymn of the Day: 536
Comm. Hymns: 634, 680
Closing Hymn: 854

SUNDAY

Divine Service Setting 1 p. 151
Opening Hymn: 728
Hymn of the Day: 933
Closing Hymn: 685
Text: Luke 10:38-42
Sermon: "Two Sisters and Us"

Age Two-Five Year old children-The "Quiet Activity

"Tree" is in the back of the church. Pick up a bag before church, use it and return it and all items to the tree for the next service.

The nursery is located in the back of church, west door. Parents with babies please note there is a changing table through the south door.

The nursery is not staffed; you are responsible for your children when they are in the nursery.

Please sign the registration book & include your contact information!!

Also mark communion attendance!

Need Communion at your seat?

Let pastor know before the service.

Flowers gracing our Chancel today given by Tim & Bette Habhab in loving memory of their son, Travis Habhab whose birthday was July 4 and was called home on July 28.

THIS WEEK WITH OUR LORD SUNDAY

8:00 am-Divine Worship
9:15 am-Adult Bible Study
10:30 am – Divine Worship
LCMS National Convention

MONDAY

LCMS National Convention

TUESDAY

9:00 am-Sewing
LCMS National Convention

WEDNESDAY

5:30 pm – Ice Cream cooking;
Praise Team
LCMS National Convention

THURSDAY

7:00 am – Men’s Bible Study
6:00 pm – Ice cream freezing
LCMS National Convention

SATURDAY

5:00 pm – Divine Worship

SUNDAY

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9:15 am-Adult Bible Study
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Voter’s Meeting Following Worship

Donations are needed for repair of the carport and the cement. Approximate cost \$7,000. If you wish to donate, please mark your donation “Carport”! Thanks!

St Paul Lutheran will be celebrating Rev. Allen Henderson’s 30th Anniversary in the ministry on Sunday, July 28th with one service only at 10 am, followed by a Congregational Potluck.

Acolytes:

5:00 pm – Sarah Ramthun
Justin Ramthun

Ushers:

Don Lehman, Gary Koch
Dwight Wedemeyer
Darrell Sturtz

Greeters:

Mark & Kathy Hilken

Organists/Pianists:

Judy Zoch
Judy Zoch
Mandy Kastendieck

Elders in Charge of

Communion:

Gordon Hoover, Steve Rethwisch

In Our Prayers:

Dale Ricke
Russ Mohr

Rev. R. Scott Lohman
Marlys Ditzenberger

Baptismal Birthdays:

Betty Albrecht-July 23
Dennis Detmering-July 23
Renee Koob-July 26

Celebration of Life Birthdays:

Joyce Rork-July 25

Attendance – 42, 57, 48

Gifts to the Lord:

Budget Giving:

Envelope/Plate/Auto

Deposits-\$4590

Car Port-\$25

Total of all Gifts: \$4615

"Relationship" Communing with God--Lord's Supper Hear about it on the Lutheran Hour KJYL (100.7) 6 pm. Sunday, KTLB (105.9 FM) at 8:00 am Sunday, KHBT 97.7 FM 12 pm Sunday, WHO-1040, 7:30 am Sunday. Log on to www.lhm.org for other stations and details. Hear Woman-to-Woman on Saturdays over Boone station 1260 AM at 1:30 pm

"People with Alzheimer's or dementia often tragically lose their short-term memory while the long-term memory continues. They may go back to the memories of the good old days. Those memories can bring peace and happiness. When the Holy Spirit, your perfect memory aid, reminds and re-teaches you everything about Jesus, He removes the bad memories of sin and punishment and fear. He replaces them with joy, confidence, hope, and forgiveness in Jesus. That results in a peace that goes beyond understanding and beyond this life." *Rev. Peter Sulzle, St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church, Redwood Falls, Minnesota – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

Camp Okoboji 2019 Program Offerings

Register and get more information at

www.campokoboji.org

Family Retreat I July 28-August 2

Guitar Camp – July 28-August 2

Family Retreat II August 4-9

Stewardship Corner: Luke 10:40 – “Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone?” Martha is doing the right thing but in the wrong order. Her service to the Lord is good, but she has let it get ahead of hearing His Word. Mary has placed the Word first, which is good. Is there any doubt she will rise once she has heard the Word and get to serving as well? Isn't that what hearing the Word always leads us to do? We listen, then respond. We believe, and thus we act.

"When you attend divine worship, remember only one thing is needful, attentiveness to Christ and His Word. He is Lord and Savior, and we live by every word that proceeds from His mouth. Over time, through hard times and good times, winter, spring, and summer, we will grow in Him. The season for fruit will come, a season of refreshment. But first, the hard work of the patient vinedresser." *James M. Kushiner, The Fellowship of St. James – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

Thank you to all who participated and/or who helped out with the car show. It was greatly appreciated. \$563 was sent to Lutheran Family Services.

Here is the link to live stream the 2019 National Convention <https://www.lcms.org/convention/livestream> July 20-25.

The first LWML board meeting for the new year will be August 6th at 1:00 pm.

Introit

P: Your word is a lamp to my feet

C: and a light to my path.

P: The LORD is my portion;

C: I promise to keep your words.

P: I entreat your favor with all my heart;

C: be gracious to me according to your promise.

P: When I think on my ways,

C: I turn my feet to your testimonies;

P: I hasten and do not delay

C: to keep your commandments.

P: The earth, O LORD, is full of your steadfast love;

C: teach me your statutes!

**All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P: Your word is a lamp to my feet

C: and a light to my path.

Collect

O Lord, grant us the Spirit to hear Your Word and know the one thing needful that by Your Word and Spirit we may live according to Your will; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Genesis 18:1–10

¹ The LORD appeared to [Abraham] by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. ²He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men were standing in front of him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent door to meet them and bowed himself to the earth ³and said, "O Lord, if I have found favor in your sight, do not pass by your servant. ⁴Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree, ⁵while I bring a morsel of bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." ⁶And Abraham went quickly into the tent to Sarah and said, "Quick! Three seahs of fine flour! Knead it, and make cakes." ⁷And Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to a young man, who prepared it quickly. ⁸Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them. And he stood by them under the tree while they ate.⁹They said to him, "Where is Sarah your wife?" And he said, "She is in the tent." ¹⁰The LORD said, "I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife shall have a son." And Sarah was listening at the tent door behind him.

Colossians 1:21–29

²¹ You, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, ²²he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him, ²³if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister. ²⁴Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, ²⁵of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, ²⁶the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints. ²⁷To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. ²⁸Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. ²⁹For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

Luke 10:38–42

³⁸Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. ³⁹And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. ⁴⁰But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." ⁴¹But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, ⁴²but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her."