

The Pilgrim

St. Paul Lutheran Church

"Helping People Know the Love Of Christ And Live for Him"



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May 2008

WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES IN MAY

SATURDAY EVENING WORSHIP

6:00 P.M.

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

8:00 A.M. and 10:30 A.M.

Sunday Morning - Sunday School and Bible Class

9:15 A.M.

Communion is celebrated the first and third Sundays of the month

WEEKLY BIBLE CLASS OPPORTUNITIES

<u>Day</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Teacher</u>
Sunday			
9:15 am	Book of Acts	School Gym	Pastor Oddi
9:15 am	2 Corinthians	Lower Level	Mr. Giesselmann
9:15 am	Sunday School	School	PS-8 th Grade
9:15 am	High School	Youth House	Mr. Kellams
6:00 pm	Lord's Learners	Lower Level	Doug Pratt
Monday			
1:15 P.M.	Life with Spice	Lower Level	Ken & Phyllis Kluver
Thursday			
7:00 A.M.	Men's Bible Study	Roseners	Pastor King

The Lutheran Hour (Al Von Fange, Ambassador)

Sunday KHCR 97.7 FM at 7:30 a.m. - KREI 800 AM at 10:00 a.m.
KFUO 850 AM at 12:30 p.m. & 5:00 p.m.

Worship for shut-ins

Sunday
KREI 800 AM at 10:30 a.m.

Deadline for newsletter articles is May 23rd.

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In His Service

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

“Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy. Let them do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share, storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.”

(I Timothy 6:17-19).

A young man saw an elderly couple sitting down to lunch at McDonald's. He noticed that they had ordered one meal, and an extra drink cup. As he watched, the gentleman carefully divided the hamburger in half, then counted out the fries, one for him, one for her, until each had half of them.

Then he poured half of the soft drink into the extra cup and set that in front of his wife. The old man then began to eat, and his wife sat watching, with her hands folded in her lap.

The young man decided to ask if they would allow him to purchase another meal for them so that they didn't have to split theirs.

The old gentleman said, “Oh no. We've been married 50 years, and everything has always been and will always be shared, 50/50.”

The young man then asked the wife if she was going to eat, and she replied, “It's his turn with the teeth.”

Those are two people who have truly learned what it means to share with one another! You can imagine as a father of three trying to teach what it means to share? And that's a lesson that we've all been taught from the time we were little children -- “you need to share”. Of course, as children, we were much more anxious for others around us to learn how to share!

A willingness to share what we have with others has been a mark of Christianity since the early church. For more see the book of Acts.

Know someone in need?

Demonstrate a willingness to share today.

PK

Everyone's lives are so busy these days. Plus, it doesn't look as if it's going to slow down anytime soon. I remember so many times when Lesley and I said to each other, “Boy, as soon as we get through _____, things will slow down and we will have time to catch our breath.” Then amazingly enough when we did get through with that period in our lives not only did things not slow down but it seemed that we got even busier! Also have you noticed that our children are just as busy as we are? I often wonder about that because I don't remember being over scheduled while I was growing up. But, everyone is over scheduled and none of us seem to have enough time for anything, including service in God's Kingdom.

Of course we know that our salvation does not depend on what we do, and we can certainly thank and praise God for that because if it did we would all be lost. We also know that God does not need us to do anything, but we should not let those truths become an excuse not to do anything. In Galatians 5:13-14 Paul tells us, “You, my brothers were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge in the sinful nature; rather serve one another in love. The entire law is summed up in a single command; 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'” We see time after time in Scripture that we are to look out for and serve the needs of our neighbors; this includes our neighbors, our brothers and sisters in Christ here at St. Paul. And the wonderful thing is that being in Christ we are free to serve because by His winning our salvation by His suffering, death, and resurrection Christ has freed us from worrying about what we need to do. What better way to feel a part of something than to serve.

I encourage all of you to respond in love and service, here are **just a few** opportunities here at St. Paul: VBS; Youth Group; Altar Guild; Usher; Bereavement Dinners; Elder; Trustee; Outreach; Finance Board; then we have two boards established by our Church Constitution that currently do not exist; the Board of Christian Studies and the Board of Christian Life, and the school is looking for people willing to serve on a Marketing Committee. We also have very active LWML groups and a men's club and a wonderful choir. God has given us many opportunities here at St. Paul and I know that I missed some on my list, but the point is that by serving one another we serve God and we do it not because we **have** to but because we are **free** to.

In His Service, Pastor Dave.

Power in prayer

As your Pastors we take time out of each day to pray for a particular family of our congregation. We are inviting you to join us in this endeavor each month by listing the families We will be praying for. Remember, there is much Power in Prayer!

Saturday May 10 - Friday May 16

Melissa Sutton and Carson
Jeffrey and Lisa Sweeney, Shane and Shania
Colonol and Rachel Swiney and Paetyn

Saturday May 17 - Friday May 23

Edith Tawfall
Michael And Marjorie Tedder and Travis
Genevieve Tessereau

Saturday May 24 - Friday May 30

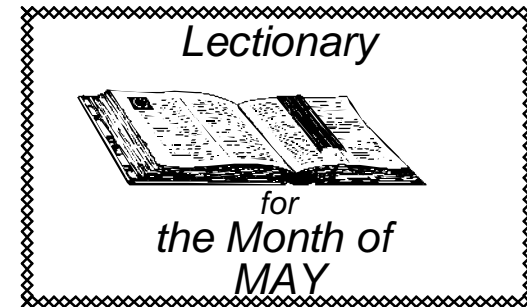
Alyson and Michael Thebeau
Matt and Carrie Thebeau, Tyler and Reid
Craig and Erin Thomas and Riley

Saturday May 31 - Friday June 6

Doug and Tonya Thomas and Titan
Duane and Nadine Thomas
John Thomas, Josh and Zach

Monthly Bible Passage

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.
Ephesians 4: 1-3



05/03 & 4	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Acts 1,12-26 1 Peter 4:12-9,5:6-11 John 17:1-11
05/10 & 11	Pentecost	Numbers 11:24-30 Acts 2:1-21 John 7:37-39
05/17 & 18	The Holy Trinity Sunday	Genesis 1:1-2:4a Acts 2:14a, 22-36 Matthew 28:16-20
05/24 & 25	Second Sunday after Pentecost	Isaiah 49:8-16a Romans 1:8-17 Matthew 6:24-34

Letter from an Elder

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As I travel around Southeast Missouri I have the opportunity to read a lot of signs in front of churches. Most have catchy little sayings that might make you think. Several are an attempt at being scriptural but really miss the mark. The other day I saw a sticker in a car window that read, "My boss is a Jewish Carpenter." I had seen this one before but this time it made me think.

If the "Jewish Carpenter" is referring to Jesus, I started to think about what a boss does. My boss pays my wages for what I have earned. As a sinner my wages is death! "For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." *Romans 6:23*. My boss tells me what is expected of me and if I don't do what is expected my boss might just get rid of me. As a sinner I never live up to what is expected but Jesus is always there for me. He bought me with his precious blood.

In Jesus I have the hope given to me of the forgiveness of sins that brings me to eternal life. Only in Jesus is this found! Jesus as boss? Well, maybe, in a way but He is so much more than a boss. He is our Redeemer, our Teacher, our Friend, our Shepherd, so many more things than just a boss.

The signs we see on car bumpers and in front of churches can make us think. Think about what is true. Think about who Jesus is and what he has done for us. We can't rely on bumper stickers and signs with catchy phrases to learn about the wonderful works of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Being in church and in God's word is where we really learn about how Jesus is more than a "boss". Hearing Law and Gospel preached and taught gives us the true perspective.

Thank you, Jesus, for being my hope, forgiving my sins and giving me life after death.

In His Work,

Kurt Kellams
Elder

STEWARDSHIP MOMENTS

"For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive what is due him for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad" (2 Cor. 5:10). You should do good things, for you will be held personally accountable for how you lived, for what you did, and for how you used God's blessings. You will have to stand before Christ and give an account. You should know that for the good things you have done, you will receive rewards and be given a higher position. God is watching you; He is keeping a record. You should do what is right and give. Often, this is how we view our relationship with God when it comes to our living. We are tempted to fall into a trap of legalism that harms and even destroys our relationship with our God. We begin to do that which is good for ourselves to fulfill God's Law and to secure our salvation. Christ came into the world for us. He lived the perfect life for us. He died for us and rose from the dead for us. He ascended to heaven and intercedes for us. Christ has secured our salvation for us < there is nothing more we can do. The result of faith, worked by the Holy Spirit, is everlasting life in heaven. When we stand before the judgment seat of Christ, the good works we have done in Christ will be evidence of our faith. The faithful's countless failures are buried in God's forgiveness, and only the good deeds done in Christ are remembered. In humility, believers will receive the pronouncement that they have performed true service for Christ. "Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?' The King will reply, 'I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me'" (Matt. 25:37-40). Yes, we will be judged by our works because they are evidence of our faith. These works are not ones of duty or for merit. These works are simply outward expressions of love flowing from the love of Christ. In Christ, we do that which benefits our fellow man, expecting no personal or eternal gain. By the power of the Gospel, we are generous in giving of our money and wealth. We give evidence of our faith by our generosity and by our good works.

The Finance Board is presenting this financial information to help our members understand the financial condition of the church and school so that we may better meet future challenges and keep our church and school strong. If you have any questions, please contact the Board or the church office for more information.

March 2007 Financial Statement - Budget vs. Actual:			Surplus/ (Deficit)
	Budget	Actual	
Tithes	\$455,148	\$436,470	\$(18,678)
Tuition	216,882	238,587	21,705
Other (Incl. Salary Reimbursement)	<u>58,281</u>	<u>72,193</u>	<u>13,913</u>
Total Income	730,311	747,250	16,939
Payroll and Benefits	579,540	583,036	(3,496)
Operating Expenses	134,655	124,352	7,303
Total Expense	<u>627,615</u>	<u>626,392</u>	<u>1,223</u>
Net Income/(Loss)	\$16,116	\$36,682	\$(20,746)

Bank Balance Projection Through 4/30/2007:

Date	Description	Income	Expense	Balance
4/29	Account Balance \$			14,843
4/30	Estimated Operating Expense		2,500	12,343
5/4	Estimated Tithes	9,000		21,343
5/11	Estimated Tithes	12,000		33,343
5/10	Payroll		25,000	8,343
5/15	Estimated Operating Expense		18,000	(9,657)
5/15	Estimated Tuition	7,000		(2,657)
5/18	Estimated Tithes	10,000		7,343
5/25	Payroll		25,000	(17,657)
5/25	Estimated Tithes	9,000		(8,657)
5/26	Estimated Tuition	5,000		(3,657)
5/30	Estimated Expenses	15,000		(18,657)

The financial information presented above shows how our church is doing with respect to following our adopted budget and how much cash we actually have in the bank to pay our bills. The Financial Statement shows that revenue for the first nine months of the year is \$16,939 more than budgeted with tithes \$18,678 less than budget. Expenses are now under budget by \$3,807 partly because of the timing of certain expenses but also because of the vigilance that everyone has shown when using our funds for budgeted operations. The combination of increased revenue and controlled costs has resulted in a year-to-date surplus of \$20,746. The Above and Beyond program has contributed approximately \$25,000 to our church and it is because of this success that we are currently exceeding our budgeted goals. The Bank Balance Projection shows that while our cash in the bank is \$14,843, today, that within the next two to three weeks, that account will be in a negative state. This decrease is caused when our revenues historically go down during the summer months due to the closing of the school but more importantly, because attendance at church also drops during the summer months, and contributions decrease with that change in attendance. However, our expenses remain fairly consistent throughout the year so the need for contributions does not decrease. The Above and Beyond program has helped out our cash flow problems greatly, but it has not solved them. It is up to each of us to help in any way we can to make our church and school financially stable for the future. Please prayerfully consider what you can do to help.



the mouse

Um.Um.Um. Those chicken and dumplings were wonderful. Can you do that again real soon? I've got my plate and fork ready. I'll be there. Women's Club, you are awesome! I've heard that your picnic is in June at Susan Faenger's home. Be watching for more

details.

Have you been swimming? I've moved my belongings once or twice. But then I decided to enjoy the rain-enjoy the water in the lower level so I went swimming. What fun! When life throws you lemons, make lemonade.

Are you making plans to attend the auction? Have you let them know what you are donating? They do such a good job. It really helps them to know ahead of time what is coming in so they can get the pages written up. If you have never been to the auction, plan to come. It is so much fun. The food is great- the socializing is great- the way the whole school especially the gym is set up is wonderful. That auction crew works hard for this event to be so special. The entertainment is great-Mr G, What are you doing this year? Can't wait to see. The theme is the Olympics so it will be interesting to see our St. Paul Olympiads.

St. Paul Students are looking forward to the last day of school. May is coming quickly. The teachers are working so hard. We appreciate you.

Vacation Bible School is set for July 13-17. Are you planning on helping? The theme is Friendship Trek, Jesus our Forever Friend. Did you know there is even a Bible Class for adults that Pastor has during VBS. Come and get involved. Come and socialize.

Thank you Pastor Shack for your sermon in April. One thing that was so powerful in the sermon. All other religions are wrong if they do not have Jesus Christ as their Saviour. Jesus Christ is our gate into Heaven. Sometimes we need to hear this in a society that is tolerant of everything.

Men's Club is getting ready for Country days. The food last year was so good. Be sure and come by to get some food. Country Days is June 6 and 7. Speaking of Country Days, Congratulations, to Kevin and Lynn Harrington for being named Mr. and Mrs. Country Days.

Youth Group-the Easter egg hunt was fun. How do you come up with so many eggs? The pancakes and sausage was good too. And the Easter Breakfast was excellent. It is so relaxed. It gives members a chance to visit. Plan on coming next year for food and fellowship.

Pastor King, are you feeling better? With your recuperation time, you will have some time to do that Bible searching that you always wanted to do. Wishing you well. For this month, I'll send them to Pastor Oddi for more information on what is coming up in May. Pastor Oddi, be ready.

the Church Mouse

NEWS OF THE ORGANIZATIONS OF ST. PAUL

who...what...where...when.....Call the church office if your organization has news to share 756-7872

Men's Club will meet Thursday May 8th @ 5:30.in the lower level We will be grilling.Bill Krekeler is bringing a delicious family secret dessert, and Steve will be directing grill traffic. All men are invited to come enjoy fellowship and great food.

Women's Club meets the second Tuesday of every third month. The next meeting is on June 10 th at 6:00 pm at Susan Faenger's home. This is the annual picnic. Men's Club and Ladies Aid are invited. All ladies of the congregation are invited!

Ladies Aid: meets every Wednesday from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm. All ladies are invited to come. The Luncheon is on May 9th at noon. Please bring a dish to share.

LWML- convention will be in St Charles this year, June 6th thru 8th. Registration needs to be in before May 6th. Information in the Church Office.

We will have a box at both Church entrances the month of May, for In Gathering, Orphan Grain Train and Soft cover Bibles for Prison Outreach. Orphan Grain Train is collecting new underwear for boys and men. In Gathering is collecting items. All items should be new. Items 1 thru 3, please provide individual items, no boxed items. 1.) Infant clothing (sizes 0-18 Mos.) 2.) Receiving blankets. 3) Baby blankets. Please provide individual containers for items 4 thru 8 for ease in categorizing and packing for recipients.4.) Baby powder. 5) Baby lotion. 6) Baby shampoo. 7) Head to toe baby wash. 8) Q-tips. 9) Disposable diapers. Recipients of the In Gathering items: Birth Right, located in Herman, MO and Our Lady's Inn located in Defiance, MO.

Our LWML meeting will be May 7th, Wed evening at 6:00PM. in the school gym. We will have finger food to share . Our speaker will be Katheryn Green, President of NAMI of South East Missouri. (May is National Health Month.) Hostesses are the Ruth Circle.

BIRTHDAY BRIGADE Thursday, May 15th, 2008 is the date when those having a birthday in April are invited to come to the Lower Level between 1:00 and 2:30 p.m. for a piece of cake with beverage and to see others who are also celebrating. Volunteers are always welcomed to make deliveries. Please call Betty Detring (756-5981) when you're able to help. THANKS!

Rejoice Choir- will meet at 6:30 pm on Wednesday May 7th in the balcony of the church. Contact Jim Schifferdecker at 756-756-5937 for more information .

ALTAR GUILD takes care of the paraments, communion ware and linens on the altar. Anyone willing to help please contact Mickie McClanahan at 756-4015 or Lianna Stover at 747-1230.

Please contact the church office 756-7872 if your group has an activity that you would like publicized.

DID YOU KNOW?

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Mr. G's Bible class is studying 2 Corinthians and meet every Sunday in the Lower Level?

There are articles on the bulletin board in church? You may be in one.

The Auction is May 3rd?

LWML meeting is May 7th?

There are ladies that take care of the paraments, communion ware, and linens on the alter? They are called Altar Guild.

St. Paul Graduation is May 22nd?

There were thirteen youth confirmed on April 20,2008

Memorial Weekend is May 24, 25, 26? Let's dress patriotic that weekend.

The LWML Convention that is held all over the United States is in St. Charles, MO this year? It is June 6-8, 2008. More info call Loretta Smith.

Women's Club meeting is June 10 at 6pm?

Vacation Bible School is coming up?

St. Paul has responded tremendously to the recycling project?

The Ladies Aid meet every Wednesday to quilt?

Our Heavenly Father is wonderful?

COUNTRY STORE 2008:

Here we go again! Its time to start thinking about the Country Store for those of you who like to plant things for the Store! Don't forget "pickles", gourds, pumpkins, etc. etc. For those who like to start early: quilts, table runners, handicraft items. (If we start now, we'll be ready to finish at the last minute...or maybe that's just ME!) Save your rummage.. we make lots of money on the rummage and the collectables and antiques. I won't mention making food items yet. Beverly Hovis Publicity

St. Paul Lutheran School theme for this school year.

THEY WILL SOAR ON WINGS LIKE EAGLES. Isaiah 40:31

ST. PAUL SCHOOL:

Again this year we have been blessed with wonderful teachers and students. Thank you to all of the teachers and aides who worked so diligently to educate our children not only in scholastics, but also in the study of God's word. May God bless each of you.

The following are the Kindergarten and 8th grads, for the 2007-08 school year.

8th Grade Grads. Devon Allen, Brittany Fink, Holly Hall, Danielle Hankins, Justine Leach, Taylor Phegley, Emily Pritchett, Stevi Short, Abigail Tyree.

Kindergarten Grads. Page Aimes, Olivia Busse, Trevor Byington, Kaleb Chadwick, Kaylee Collins, Lyndon Crocker, Hannah Davis, Hollie Davis, Ella Gray, Gracelyn Holt, Carson Hull, Claire Inman, Dane Johnson, Tatum Legan, Samantha Loughride, Danel Reese, Catherine, Robke, Thomas Smugala, Savannah Stokes, Kelcee Tucker, Jordon Vaught, Shana Warenberg, Brailey White, Cody Ziegelmeyer.

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Confirmands; Please welcome Devon Allen, Brennon Arnett, Lucas Baird, Brittany Fink, Danielle Hankins, Natalie Hoehn, John Phegley, Emily Pritchett, Garrett Ramsey, Jeffrey Sweeney, Abigail Tyree, Kyle VAnNess, Kyle Warren who were confirmed on April 20th.

CONGRATULATIONS: Kristen Bird has been nominated for the National Society of Collegiate Scholars and will be inducted on April 26th 2008. Congratulations Kristen!

Church Attendance

Date	6:00pm	8:00 am	10:30 am	Total
March 29 & 30	105	80	121	306
April 5 & 6	74	89	163	326
April 12 & 13	103	103	88	293
April 19 & 20	75	82	161	318
April 26 & 27	58	106	160	324

Birthdays for May

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| 05/01 | Daniel Lynn
Parker Shinn | 05/12 | Casey Penno |
| 05/02 | Teresa Clauser
Gary Cleve
Vincent Nelson
Scott Sherrill | 05/13 | Tina Buchanan
Debbie Easley
Tyler Herbert |
| 05/03 | Marcus House
Madison Ikemeier
Helen Ledbetter | 05/14 | Joie Crabtree
Payton Daniel
Ethan Hulsey |
| 05/04 | Tennille Montgomery
Claudia Var Vera
Lance Warren
Colten Wooldridge | 05/15 | Lynn Harrington
Dana Simms |
| 05/05 | Kraig Sutherland | 05/16 | Ron Garner
Tim Kollmeyer |
| 05/06 | Mike Mell
Katherine Zuniga | 05/17 | Chelsea Bertram
Michael kurtz
Lorine Mueller
Ron Pohlman
Grant Roberts
Greg Roberts
Amy Rodgers
Brenan Schaper
Charles Wiley |
| 05/07 | Dorothy Blumenberg
Randy Eddleman | 05/18 | Joshua Buchanan
Sherry Casey
Emily Eaves |
| 05/08 | Zachary Biri
Ann Frederick
Laura House
Chase Vanstavern
Dylan Vogelsang | 05/19 | Charles Crismon
Lori Ikemeier
Kristian Kiollmeyer
Sara Rigdon
Melissa Sutton |
| 05/09 | Sandra Cosby
Ella Davis
Elizabeth Link
Ellen Mell | 05/20 | Jenna Carter
Emilia Ealick
Mason Harrington
Robert Rodgers
Lisa Short |
| 05/10 | Nellie Kollmeyer
Brenda Newcomer | 05/21 | Kaleb Chadwick
John Corcoran
Elaine Giessing
Mark Moll
Tyler Scales |
| 05/11 | Brianna Eaves
Mark Jones
Timothy Ogden
R. J. VarVera | | |

05/22	Rebecca Beck Neil Bishop Julie Bollinger Lawrence Hughes Carolyn Schifferdecker	05/27	Mark Frederick Sandra Hoehn Eric Reed Laura Sarratt Gary Ward
05/23	Allison Burkhardt Vernon Kollmeyer Janet Phegley Ann Ramsey Al Warenaberg	05/28	Lauren Bird Emily Pritchett Marie Thomason Carol Young
05/24	Paul Brockmiller Don Nelson Brandi Pyatt Donald Sherrill	05/29	Dawn Eaton Alexandria Kennon Elise Smith Caden Wigger
05/25	Trevor Faenger Robert Gierse Laura Raymer Laura Smith	05/30	Becky Baird Susan Patterson Brett Peak Chelsie VanNess
05/26	Alexis Gordon Rebecca Shaner Kim Weakley	05/31	Kent Hall Marissa Hoehn Eileen Jones Brenda Jordan

These are the birthdays we have on our records. If we have missed yours or have an incorrect date, please call 756-7872

LLL ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Iron Mountain Circuit (Lutheran Churches in our area) of the Lutheran Laymen's League is holding it's sixth annual golf tournament on Saturday afternoon, June 14 2008 at Raintree Country Club, located 3 miles west of Highway 21 on Highway "B" just south of Hillsboro, Mo.

The tournament format will be a four man scramble with a shot gun start. The cost of the tournament is \$45 per person and will include a delicious lunch afterward.

After lunch a representative from The Lutheran Laymen's League will give a short presentation about the Gospel outreach of Lutheran Hour Ministries. Tournament prizes will be awarded and attendance prizes will be given out.

Bring your own foursome or come as a single and we will put you in a foursome.

A sign up sheet is located on the bulletin board next to the mailboxes. If you have any questions, please call Jim Schifferdecker at 756-5937

WHO IS MY ELDER?

AA-BIR	Kurt Kellams	366-0826	kurt_kellams@yahoo.com
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BIS-CAR	Thad Kieninger	747-1774	thadcarey3@sbcglobal.net
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DET-FU	Tim Crites	756-5609	imr40642002@yahoo.com
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WES-Z	Kraig Sutherland	756-3453	ksutherland@fscb.com

Worship Services beginning June 1 are

6:00 pm on Saturday evening
and
9:00 am on Sunday morning

with
Sunday School, Bible Class at 10:15 am

Be sure to put these times on you summer schedule!

Wedding Anniversaries for May

05/01	Ken and Linda Kelly	15 yrs.
05/01	Mike and Heather Kurtz	14 yrs.
05/01	Dan and Julie Storz	9 yrs.
05/05	Dorsie and Lorraine Williams	61 yrs.
05/09	Eric and JoAnn Hughes	10 yrs.
05/10	Charles and Christine Miller	61 yrs.
05/11	Mike and Kim VanStavern	14 yrs.
05/14	Ron and Nancy Rougly	29 yrs.
05/17	Bill and Erin Beard	5 yrs.
05/19	John and Rebecca Beck	7 yrs.
05/19	Scott and Sandra Kabala	1 yr.
05/19	Timothy and Gwen Reeves	10 yrs.
05/20	Jeremy and Cassie Brauer	2 yrs.
05/20	Michael and Sarah Haas	8 yrs.
05/21	Matthew and Joanne Hoehn	25 yrs.
05/22	William and Donna Bess	26 yrs.
05/22	Bill and Sara Peak	4 yrs.
05/24	Bernhard and Lorine Mueller	61 yrs.
05/24	Jimmy and Rita Wofford	11 yrs.
05/25	John and Julie Corcoran	7 yrs.
05/25	Bill and Cathy Giessing II	17 yrs.
05/27	David and Debra Detring	30 yrs.
05/27	Paul and Susan Watkins	36 yrs.
05/30	James and Ruth Lange	44 yrs.
05/30	Robert and Sandra Vogelsang	56 yrs.
05/31	Corey and Krista Aders	11 yrs.
05/31	Scott and Teresa Clauser	28 yrs.

60 + Couples

Charles and Christine Miller
6625 Highway F
Farmington, Mo. 63640

Bernhard and Lorine Mueller
18391 Hwy 144
Ste. Genevieve, Mo. 63670

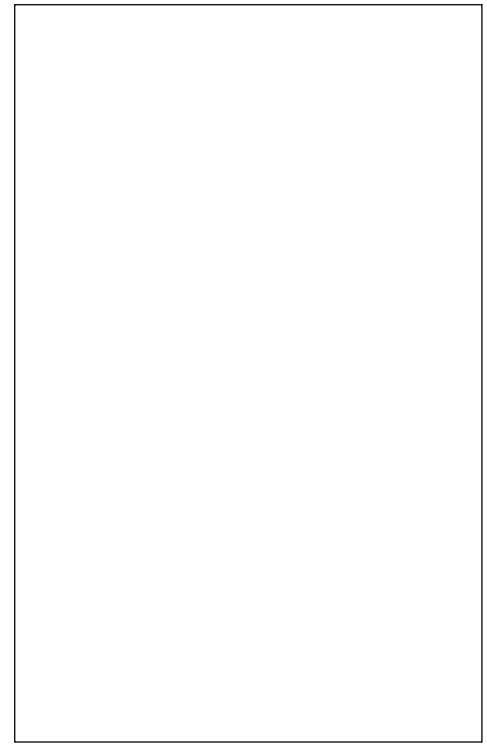
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Sunday 9:15 a.m.
Church Office 573.756.7872
Fax 573.756.0934
School Office 573.756.5147
Website: stpaulfarmington.com
Church & School Faculty and Staff
Senior Pastor: Rev. James T. King
Associate Pastor: Rev. David M. Oddi
Office Staff: Bonnie Ratcliff, Sharon Schwartzkopf
Custodian: Donna Vogelsang
Principal: Duane Giesselmann
School Office Staff: Janet Rickus
Teachers: Lettie Bishop, Debbie Easley, Nancy Fink, Nancy Gierse, Leanna Johnson, Regina Keown, Michelle King, Velma Kocher, Andy Sherrill, Sharon Sherrill, Ange-La Sutherland, Barb Towler, Kristin Zilm
Teachers' Aides: Susan Pratt, Linda Moran, Julie Reese, Sharon Tillman
Custodian: Joe Pritchett
Cooks: Jeannie Province, Mary Woods
Librarian: Beverly Hovis, Marlys Brockmiller
Organist/Choir Director: Jim Schifferdecker
Handbell Choir:

ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED



Scheduled to Serve in MAY



Head Usher Ron Jarrell

- 05/03 – No Worship Service
- 05/10 – Richard Detring, Wayne Blumenberg
- 05/17 – Ron Jarrell, Jon Cozean
- 05/24 – Ron Brooks, Mark Toti
- 05/31 – Mickie McClanahan
Chris and Tracy Kocher

Sunday 8:00 am Teams

Head Usher Les Hays

- 05/04 – Les Hays, Bonnie Ratcliff, Anna Brockmiller, Marlys Brockmiller, Duane Giesselmann
- 05/11 – Cooper, Port, Baird, & James Davis Families
- 05/18 – Mark & Eileen Jonews, Tim Crites, and Bill Giessing
- 05/25 – David, Sandy, Stephanie Hoehn, Rusty & Cheryl Waibel, Emily Cook

Sunday 10:30 am Teams

Head Usher Homer Henderson

- 05/04 - Mike and Sharon Sherrill, Ceth and Elizabeth Jordan
- 05/11 – Ken Smith Family, Bird Family
- 05/18 – Pigg, Beard, Norris, Bess, Rouggy, Warren
- 05/25 – Lix Family, Reese Family, Kraig Sutherland

YOUR ELDER

Kurt Kellams	AA-BIR	366-0826
Thad Kieninger ,chmn	BIS-CAR	747-1774
Ken Smith	BIS-CAR	756-0829
Bill Giessing, Sec'ry.	CAS-DER	756-5283
Tim Crites	DET-FU	756-5609
Ken Kelly	GA-HAR	747-8785
Ron Jarrell	HAY-JAR	756-6260
Jason Garner	JEN-KOL	760-9412
Richard Detring	KR-MEI	756-7989
Steve Needy	MEL-NO	756-2880
Mark Jones	O'B-PY	756-1710
Ceth Jordan	RA-SCH	760-9644
Eric Bertram	SE-THOM	756-9575
Bill Bertram	THUR-WEB	747-0663
Kraig Sutherland	WES-Z	756-3453



- Sat. 6:00 p.m. – Marcie Jack
- Sun 8:00 a.m. – Bonnie Ratcliff, Les Hays
- 10:30 a.m. – Char Egan

ACOLYTES



Saturday 6:00 pm

- 05/03 – Caitlyn Friend, Rachel Pyatt
- 05/10 – Henry Kieninger, Devon Allen
- 05/17 – Lucas Rodgers, Alec Ramsey
- 05/24 – Taylor Brockmiller, Caitlyn Friend

SUNDAY 8:00 AM

- 05/04 – Tristen Jordan, Laynie Jenkins
- 05/11 – Lucas Baird, Anthony Burkhart
- 05/18 – Zach Giessing, Brad Bess
- 05/25 – Derek Hankins

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

- 05/04 – Danielle Hankins, Mazie Winslow
- 05/11 – Kayla VanNess, Abbi Tyree
- 05/18 – Bailee Bollinger, Marissa Cook
- 05/25 - Payton Frennd, Garrett Gieler

Worship Service Elder Assigned

- 06:00 PM Saturday Richard Detring, Jason Garner, Ron Jarrell
- 08:00 AM Sunday Bill Giessing, Mark Jones, Kurt Kellams, Steve Needy, Tim Crites
- 10:30 AM Sunday Eric Bertram, Bill Bertram, Ceth Jordan, Ken Kelly, Thad Kieninger, Ken Smith, Kraig Sutherland

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