

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

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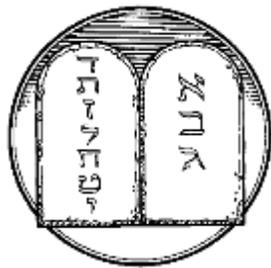
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FOR PRAYER REQUESTS for the Prayer Partners, call Cathie Mann at (262) 994-7371, or email: cmann5@wi.rr.com. You can also contact the church office.

FRIENDS AND VISITORS: Enjoy coffee, treats and fellowship after the early service downstairs and stay for Bible Study. If you are visiting with us today, please sign the Guest Book in the Narthex.

SERVING THE LORD IN WORSHIP THIS WEEK: **Elder:** Wednesday – ; Sunday: 8:00 – ; 10:30 – Doug Just. **Organist:** Wednesday – no service; Sunday: 8:00 – Lora Heinz; 10:30 – Sharon Mueller. **Altar Guild:** Wednesday – Lori Arnold; Kevin Steffens and Bernice Steffens; 8:00 – Karen Badtke; 10:30 – Ron & Greta Martin. **Acolyte:** Wednesday – ; Sunday: 8:00 – ; 10:30 – .

PRELUDE 10:30 SERVICE: "Joy!"

ATTENDANCE: Last Week: Wednesday – 8; Sunday: 8:00– 56; 10:30– 63; **TOTAL:** 127. Sunday School- .

OUR GIVING: Last Week: General Fund - \$4,626.00; Sunday School – ;

TOTAL - \$5,116.00. Needed each week to meet budget - \$5,450.00.

Memorial for Bernard Lamon: \$130.00

Memorial for Daniel Hirsch: \$360.00

THE ETERNAL CANDLE for the month of July is given to the glory of God by Loretta Wilks and family, in loving memory of Norman Wilks.

CORRECTION: The recipe for Key Lime Dream Pie in the July Parish Press: The eagle brand milk was omitted from the recipe.....mix limeade with a can of eagle brand milk, fold in cool whip.

ABOUT THE COVER: Christ, in the Sermon on the Mount, teaches us what the Law of God truly demands, and who fulfills it.

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER HOLY TRINITY – July 8th, 2018

Order of Service: (LSB) Page 184, Divine Service, Setting Three

Hymns: 726, 581 (1-6), 581 (7-12), 596

Psalm: 19

Catechetical Review: The Ten Commandments

Q: What is the Second Commandment?

A: Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord, thy God, in vain.

Q: What does this mean?

A: We should fear and love God that we may not curse, swear, use witchcraft, lie, or deceive by His name, but call upon it in every trouble, pray, praise, and give thanks.

"For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven."

OUR LORD HAS DONE GREAT THINGS FOR US! One of those great things is the giving of His own body and blood in Holy Communion. We ask guests who desire to commune to speak with the pastor before the service. We practice what is known as "closed communion" because of the Bible's teaching that doctrinal unity is central to its common reception.

AS WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP and center our thoughts and minds on God's Word, the organists will be playing 10 minutes of pre-service/prelude music. Please observe silence once the music begins. A few good spiritual disciplines to prepare for worship during this time include: reading the lessons, the hymns of the day, the psalms, and the Catechism (p.321 in the hymnal); examining your life and your sins and giving thanks for receiving God's forgiveness; and, of course prayer. Because of Jesus, we can approach our heavenly Father in confidence that He is tender and merciful. However, and we have all been in this situation, sometimes we do not know what to pray for or cannot find the words. Remember that the Holy Spirit is already praying for you, and that through the Word of God, He guides us in prayer. Specific prayers for worship are found on the first page of the hymnal, additional prayers for many concerns are found on pages 305-318, and of course, there is the prayer that our Lord taught us, the Lord's Prayer.

REMINDER: Please remember to sign the record of fellowship during the offering. It is located in the binder at the end of each pew. Thank you.

