

# St. Paul Lutheran Church and School

Bonduel, Wisconsin  
July 28/31, 2022

## The 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost



**Vacation Bible School Songs**      7:00pm

**Opening Hymn**            814            *O Bless the Lord, My Soul*

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### **Old Testament Reading — Ecclesiastes 1:2; 12-26**

Vanity of vanities, says the Preacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity. . . .

<sup>12</sup>I the Preacher have been king over Israel in Jerusalem. <sup>13</sup>And I applied my heart to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven. It is an unhappy business that God has given to the children of man to be busy with. <sup>14</sup>I have seen everything that is done under the sun, and behold, all is vanity and a striving after wind. . . .

<sup>18</sup>I hated all my toil in which I toil under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to the man who will come after me, <sup>19</sup>and who knows whether he will be wise or a fool? Yet he will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. <sup>20</sup>So I turned about and gave my heart up to despair over all the toil of my labors under the sun, <sup>21</sup>because sometimes a person who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave everything to be enjoyed by someone who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. <sup>22</sup>What has a man from all the toil and striving of heart with which he toils beneath the sun? <sup>23</sup>For all his days are full of sorrow, and his work is a vexation. Even in the night his heart does not rest. This also is vanity.

<sup>24</sup>There is nothing better for a person than that he should eat and drink and find enjoyment in his toil. This also, I saw, is from the hand of God, <sup>25</sup>for apart from him who can eat or who can have enjoyment? <sup>26</sup>For to the one who pleases him God has given wisdom and knowledge and joy, but to the sinner he has given the business of gathering

and collecting, only to give to one who pleases God. This also is vanity and a striving after wind.

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **Epistle Reading — Colossians 3:1–11**

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup>Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. <sup>3</sup>For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup>When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

<sup>5</sup>Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. <sup>6</sup>On account of these the wrath of God is coming. <sup>7</sup>In these you too once walked, when you were living in them. <sup>8</sup>But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth. <sup>9</sup>Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices <sup>10</sup>and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator. <sup>11</sup>Here there is not Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free; but Christ is all, and in all.

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **The Holy Gospel**

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the twelfth chapter.

**Glory to You, O Lord.**

Someone in the crowd said to [Jesus], “Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me.” <sup>14</sup>But he said to him, “Man, who made me a judge or arbitrator over you?” <sup>15</sup>And he said to them, “Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.” <sup>16</sup>And he told them a parable, saying, “The land of a rich man produced plentifully, <sup>17</sup>and he thought to himself, ‘What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?’” <sup>18</sup>And he said, ‘I will do this: I will tear down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. <sup>19</sup>And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.’” <sup>20</sup>But God said to him, ‘Fool! This night your soul is required of you, and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’” <sup>21</sup>So is the one who lays up treasure for himself and is not rich toward God.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to You, O Christ.**

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Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.

**Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**  
Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.

**Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

**Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**

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**Hymn**              730              *What Is the World to Me*

**Sermon**            “Riches From God and Toward God”      *Luke 12:16–21*

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**Closing Hymn**              861              *Christ Be My Leader*



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*Serving the Lord in Worship*

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**Acolytes**           Kiley Paholke              Erik Krause              Casey Wesenberg

# Prayers

**In Need of Healing . . .** *Jon Baker, Violet Beilfuss, Ruby Christensen, Darlene Dehn, Gregory Kopitske, Jr., Jay Krull, Judy Manthei, Sue Nohr, Jerry Steif, Ethan James Tinlin, Mark Welch, and Cindy Wiseman.*



**Altar Flowers . . .** are placed to the glory of God by *Rev. Harley and Donna Kopitske* in thanksgiving for their **65<sup>th</sup>** wedding anniversary.

## Announcements

**Thank you to all Vacation Bible School Volunteers!**

### Families with Children

1. VBS Families: It was awesome having your children with us this week as they grew in a knowledge of God's great love for them in Jesus. About 80 children and helpers were here Monday through Thursday. May God continue to bless your families.
2. Sunday School at 9:15am on Sunday mornings will be starting on September 11 for children ages 3 through 6<sup>th</sup> grade.
3. September 24, 2022 (morning) Parenting Seminar. Nationally renowned Dr. Scott Teranski and Joanne Miller will empower you and your children under the theme "Shaping Hearts and Homes". Don't miss it. Put it on your calendar. Registration coming soon.

### ***Attended/Communed— July 20/21/24, 2022***

Wednesday	7/20	11:00am	20/19
Thursday	7/21	7:00pm	89
Sunday	7/24	8:00am	164
Sunday	7/24	10:15am	<u>94</u>
<b>Total</b>			<b>367/19</b>

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**The Lutheran Hour . . . " These Are Not Our Kind of People "** *Matthew 5:43–48*  
Prejudice says, "These are not our kind of people." Charity says, "These are all people for whom Christ died." Join guest speaker Dr. Oswald Hoffmann next Sunday at 7:30am on WTCH/960 AM, WRVM/102.7 FM at 10:00am, or go to [www.lutheranhour.org](http://www.lutheranhour.org)

**Script Statements . . .** are available in the narthex.

**August Council Meeting . . .** has been canceled due to a busy summer schedule and limited business items. Unless urgent business is needed to discuss, the next meeting will be held September 13th.

**St. Paul school is in need of the following items:**

- a mini fridge and a coffee pot for the upstairs classrooms
- a window unit air conditioner for the special education classroom

Please contact Mr. Landgrave if you would like to donate a new or used appliance. Thank you so very much for your continued support of St. Paul Lutheran School.

**Update for Fair Scheduling . . .** Wolf River Lutheran High School is still looking for more volunteers to work at the Shawano County Fair over Labor Day weekend. Presently there are 115 open positions—mainly on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, September 3-5, for all the shifts. You may help at the entrance booths, or parking or help provide readmittance for people who leave the fair and return that day. Volunteers get free admission to the fair and free parking on the day(s) they work. You may sign up online using the QR Code or online at <https://www.form.church/XGxHn91h>. You may also schedule with Karen Baker as you did in the past years by e-mailing her or calling her at [karbaker16@tds.net](mailto:karbaker16@tds.net), 715–758–8874, or 715–853–9137.



**Mark your calendars for the . . .** 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Family Fun and Auction at Wolf River Lutheran High School on September 24. We are looking for sponsors and silent and live auction items. If you have questions, contact Peggy Hammond at 715–250–4387. More information to follow in the next few weeks. Thank you for supporting your Christian high school!

**St. Jakobi Lutheran Church, Town of Richmond . . .** is hosting an Open House for their new building addition on Sunday, August 14, 1:00pm – 3:00pm. All are welcome to come. There will be light snacks and drinks. There will be tours and opportunities for walking around on your own.



**American  
Red Cross**

Blood  
Services

## **BLOOD DRIVE IN FELLOWSHIP HALL**

Monday, August 8

1:00 – 6:00pm

Registration:

Online at [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) (sponsor code: stpaulbonduel) –or – in narthex  
Appointments appreciated.

Contact: Karen Banaszynski (715-758-8103)

**ALL BLOOD TYPES NEEDED**

**Enjoy Christmas all Year? . . .** Come and find out! The first thing you will notice about Isaiah Buhrke, if you attend his organ concert August 14 at 3:00pm at Zion, Zachow rural Bonduel is “the joy of the Lord” that flows in and from Him. Yet, he has had his share of sorrows.” Totally blind from birth, a genetic disease that took his sight continues to threaten his hearing, and has left him with high-functioning autism. But God has gifted Isaiah with an unshakeable spirit of joy and a love and amazing talent for playing the organ that spreads the joy of the Lord. Come and be filled with the joy only the Lord can give; then leave living in it joyfully every day to pass it on to people all around you! A free will offering will be taken to raise funds for organ repairs and a worn out Braille sense Isaiah uses for ministry. Thrivent Action Teams Funds approved. Those who cannot attend, but would like to support Isaiah’s may send a donation to Zion, Zachow, N4437 County Rd F, Bonduel, WI 54107 or visit his Thrivent fundraising concert page at: <https://thrivent.cotribute.co/events/662745/detail?src=crowdfundraise-active-charity-mailto-185>

**ThedaCare At Home . . .** is seeking hospice volunteers in Clintonville, Shawano, and surrounding communities to assist in caring for terminally ill patients and their families. While visiting in the patient’s home, volunteers help to meet the emotional, spiritual, and family needs of those on hospice. Training is provided. If you are interested and would like to find out when the next training is, please contact Sarah Lederer at 920-422-6884 or email [sarah.lederer@thedacare.org](mailto:sarah.lederer@thedacare.org).

## EVENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>7/31</b>	8:00am Worship 10:15am Worship
<b>Monday</b>	<b>8/1</b>	7:30am Strong Bodies 6:00pm Board of Trustees 6:00pm Board of Parish Fellowship
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>8/2</b>	7:00am Bible Study 7:00pm Board of Elders
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8/3</b>	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8/4</b>	1:30pm Ladies Aid 7:00pm Worship
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8/4</b>	<i>Church/School Office Closed</i> 7:30am Strong Bodies
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8/5</b>	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8/6</b>	8:00am Worship — Holy Communion 10:15am Worship — Holy Communion

### Acolyte Schedule Next Week

<b>August 4</b>	Braeden Flaig	
<b>August 7</b>	Brooklyn Greuel	Katie Shilts

### SCRIP Schedule Next Week

<b>August 4</b>	Sandy Staszak	
<b>August 7</b>	Barb Swiecichowski	Barb Wickman



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