

Scripture Readings

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| Nov. 3 | All Saints' Day (observed) | Rev. 7:(2-8) 9-17 | Psalm 149 | 1 John 3:1-3 | Matt. 5:1-12 |
| Nov. 10 | Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost | 1 Kings 17:8 -16 | Psalm 146 | Heb. 9:24-28 | Mark 12:38-44 |
| Nov. 24 | Last Sunday of the Church Year | Is. 51:4-6 | Psalm 93 | Jude 20-25 | Mark 13:24-37 |

**“WILKOMMEN”
“WELCOME”**

German Heritage Dinner

**Bratwurst, German Potato Salad, Sauerkraut, Ham, Green Beans,
Homemade Bread & Desserts**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2024 - 4:00 – 7:00 PM

*****Free Will Donation*****

**Bethlehem Lutheran Church Parish Hall
401 Arrowhead Road, Bremen, Kansas**

St. Paul Lutheran will have a call meeting on November 17th at 2:00 pm.
Rev. Philip Miller will be in attendance to lead us through the call process
as we seek to call an Associate Pastor.
All voting members are encouraged to attend!

This Week's Schedule - November 2 through November 10

Saturday Worship Service with Holy Communion - 6:30 PM
Sunday Worship Service with Holy Communion - 9:00 AM
Family Education - 10:30 AM
Christmas Program Practice - 4:00 PM (1st - 6th Grade)

Tuesday Women's Bible Study - 9:30 AM & 6:30 PM

Wednesday **Bulletin Deadline - Noon**
Midweek - 6:00 PM

Next Saturday Men's Fellowship Breakfast - 7:30 AM
Worship Service with Holy Communion - 6:30 PM

Next Sunday Worship Service with Holy Communion - 9:00 AM
Family Education - 10:30 AM
Unified Boards - 1:00 PM
Parish Directors - 2:30 PM
Christmas Program Practice - 4:00 PM (1st - 6th Grade)

Welcome

to

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For 136 years!!!

OUR MISSION

“Existing in God’s love and forgiveness, St. Paul proclaims the Gospel of Christ, helps people grow in faith, and nurtures lives of worship and service.”

November 2 & 3, 2024

Saints Are Blessed in the Eternal Presence of Christ

“A great multitude ... from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages,” cry out, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne” (Rev. 7:9–17). Faith-filled saints from every place and time, with unified voices, eternally magnify the Lamb of God. As His beloved children, we, too, “shall see him as he is” (1 John 3:1–3). Joined with the throng of angels and myriad saints, we shall “serve him day and night in his temple” (Rev. 7:9–17). In our earthly tension vacillating between saint and sinner, faith and doubt, sacred and profane, we earnestly seek Jesus to calm our fears, comfort our spirits and forgive our sins. The Holy Spirit through faith in Christ propels us forward, fortifying us in Word and Sacrament, to our eternal home. In the midst of our constant struggle as believers, we need to be blessed. And so we are. The poor in spirit, the meek, the hungry, the thirsty, the merciful, the pure and the persecuted are all blessed, and we will most certainly inherit the kingdom of heaven (Matt. 5:1–12).

RADIO BROADCAST this week is sponsored by Robert & Veda Kolle -

In Celebration of Wedding Anniversary.

The cost to sponsor a broadcast is \$40.00.

A book is in the Narthex to sign-up for dates.

WELCOME to our guests and congregation! We are glad you are here! Thank you for joining us for worship and please feel free to join us again!

All Saints' Day (observed)
Hymn #s - 672, 677 vs 1-4, 629, 676, 611, 680, 677 vs 5-8

SERVING THIS WEEKEND

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| Organist | Sat. Connie Paronto/Sun. Nola Schmale |
| Ushers | Mark Pfizenmaier, Walt Lenhart, Kenyon Badsky |
| Greeters | John & Carol Bosch |
| Live Stream | Jarrett Wachsnicht |
| Acolyte | Anna Baxter, Wrangler Crady |
| Communion Assistant | Wes Wright, Enrique Torjesen |
| Altar Guild | Jeannine Anderson, Susan Melton, Dianne Rickley, Tara Rosenow |
| Fellowship Host | Hevelone's |

FAMILY EDUCATION - 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM

Preschool - Kindergarten - meet in Preschool Room (Basement)
1st Grade - 3rd Grade - meet in Library Room (West Wing)
4th Grade - 6th Grade - meet in Room 11 (West Wing)
7th Grade - 8th Grade - meet in Conference Room (West Wing)
9th Grade - 12th Grade - meet in High School Room (Basement)
Adult - meet in Fellowship Hall (Basement)

| Weekly Attendance | Sat | Sun | Total |
|----------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| October 19 & 20 | 26 | 132 | 158 |
| October 26 & 27 | 34 | 130 | 164 |

| Family Education Attendance | Total |
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| October 20 | 35 |
| October 27 | 17 |

Inviting women of all ages to join together in studying God's word & enjoying the fellowship of one another!
 Women's Bible Study on
 Tuesday, November 5
 9:30 AM & 6:30 PM
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 Daniel 1 & 2

****Sunday, November 10****
 there will be special music during worship as the Children's Hand-Chime Choir will be performing.
 We are excited to have this addition to our worship.**

The LYF would like to say thanks to the Congregation for their support with the two fundraisers this past week. **THANK YOU**

The Preschool Thanksgiving Offering Newsletter is in your church mailboxes .
 Please prayerfully consider a thank offering in response to the blessing of the Christian Preschool of St. Paul Lutheran.
 Deadline for the thank offering is Sunday, December 1st.

IN OUR PRAYERS
Congregational Members

Remembering our shut-ins: Bonnie VonLehe-Advena, Irma Burger, Georgie Dierking-Presbyterian Manor; Betty Sump-Leonardville Nursing Home; Julie Hillman-Linn Nursing Home; Cedric Pfaff-Well Springs of Westmoreland; Bob Bauer, Lola Lehman-Liberty Place; Pauline Burger-Legend; Larry Ernsting - Topeka VA.

Health concerns: Dottie Scripter, Evelyn Novak, Gary & Sharon Wachsnicht, Bob Carlson, Mary Brown, Dena Hillman, Kinsey Hillman, Loyde Hager, Mark & Janet Thurlow, and Larry Rakowsky.

Our outreach programs: Small Group Ministry, Christian Preschool at St. Paul, Radio Ministry, LWML Friendship Circle, and our Youth groups.

Larger Community Members

Healing: Gary Voelker, Greg Baehr, Jackie Monroe, Arnold Pittenger, Hank Stellner, Sandy Abeldt, Taylor, Arnie, William, Steve, Mike Dunn, Sandy Larkey, Irene Bane, John Zeller, Rev. Greg DuBois, Melissa Martin, Benjamin Willroth, Brian, Jennifer Zimmerman, Gail Thomas, Anna Lippe, Sharon Schweitzer, Lois Nash, Lee, Melissa Dunn, Darlene Miller, Darla Wilder, Rachelle Smith, Joe Parrlli, Taylor James, Sheila McGrew, Donald, Sandy Wohler, Grant & Grace Goodin, Connie Winter, Kerri Brown, Ethan, Luke, and Ella Turner

Military: Kyle, Enrique, Liam, Cooper, Michael, and Evan.

Men's breakfast fellowship

Our next men's breakfast fellowship is scheduled for November 9 at 7:30 am. We will meet in the basement fellowship hall. Please RSVP to Caleb Davis so we can prepare the proper amount of food. Text or call Caleb at 785-447-1694. Join us for this relaxed and enjoyable event!

Mission Efforts beyond St. Paul

Hope House; LeadaChild; For the Sake of the Church; Lutheran Bible Translators; Lutheran Heritage Foundation; KansaSEED Deaf Ministry; Lutheran Hour Ministries; North Central Kansas LCMS Outreach

Please remember to inform the church office when the person for whom you requested prayer should be removed from the prayer

Friendship Circle
 will be collecting
 Mites for Missions
 on Sunday, November 3

UNIFIED BOARDS
 will meet on Sunday, November 10 at 1:00 PM in the Sanctuary and Parish Director's Meeting will follow at 2:30 PM. All board members and officers are encouraged to participate.

Trinity Lutheran Men's Club, Hanover, will host their annual Pancake Supper on Sunday, November 10. Serving from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. Free will offering will go to support Local & District Projects.

We are looking for sponsors for the Radio Broadcast for the year 2025. Please see the sign-up book located in the Narthex to choose your week to sponsor for the cost of \$40. You can sponsor in celebration of, in memory of, or in honor of someone or something special in your life to give thanks to God!

Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet on Wednesday, November 13th at 6:30 PM instead of November 6th.