

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS – JUNE 27, 2021

WORSHIP DETAILS: First Lesson: Job 38:1-11 Second Lesson: 2 Corinthians 5:14-21

Gospel Lesson: Mark 4:35-41 Psalm: 46

Hymns: 405, 384, 353, 432

VOTER'S MEETING: Our annual Voter's Meeting will take place today, Sunday, June 27th at 10:30 a.m. We encourage all voting members of the congregation to attend. The agenda is as follows:

- Opening Prayer/Devotion
- 2. Reading and approval of minutes of the previous regular meeting and any intervening special meetings
- 3. Registration
- 4. Acceptance, release, removal, and transfer of members
- Treasurer's report and presentation of the 2021-2022 Ministry Plan (budget)
- 6. Recommendations of the Church Council
 - a. Approval of called worker housing allowance
 - b. Approval of Provisional Call for Rachel Manske Kindergarten teacher
 - c. Retroactive approval of unbudgeted expenses in excess of \$8000
- 7. Elections
- 8. New Business
- 9. Closing Prayer

UPPER GRADE TEACHER CALL: On Wednesday, June 16th we called Mrs. Heather Pagel to serve as an upper grade teacher here at St. Paul's. We've received this letter from Mrs. Pagel: Dear Members of St. Paul's Franklin Lutheran Church and School, Greetings to you in Christ! This Wednesday evening I was extended the call to teach Upper grades at St. Paul's this coming school year. This letter is to acknowledge that call and to ask you for your prayers as my husband and I deliberate where God is leading me to serve Him in the teaching ministry. I appreciate your prayers and any thoughts that you wish to share with me as I prayerfully consider where God wants me to work with His lambs. I also pray that God continues to guard and protect His church, and especially St. Paul's. In Christ, Mrs. Heather Pagel

Please feel free to reach out to Mrs. Pagel by phone (262) 525-3459 or email, hsp949801@gmail.com.

"FOLLOWING" – A NEW SERMON SERIES BASED ON THE GOSPEL IN MARK 2-6:

Have you been on social media and seen someone ask a question you really want answered? You might comment, "Following." Then you will be notified about how others respond. You may "follow" a favorite business, news outlet, or blog. This summer, we're not planning to "follow" a celebrity's social media account. We are following Jesus. We invite you to follow along as we walk with Jesus in the book of Mark for the next 6 weeks beginning June 6. Jesus gives his followers true rest. He doesn't share his opinions on social media, but our God points us to his powerful Word and invites us to gather around it and grow. Jesus gives his followers so much more than an encouraging "meme" or a motivational speech. He is actually with his followers, leading us through and protecting us from the storms of life and comforting us when we encounter rejection or even death. We hope you "like" and "follow" this series.

June 6 Mark 2:23-28 - Followers of Jesus - Enjoy Sabbath REST

June 13 Mark 3:20-35 - Followers of Jesus - Gather around God's Word

June 20 Mark 4:26-34 - Followers of Jesus - Grow in God's Word

Mark 4:35-41 - Followers of Jesus - Look to Jesus in the Storms

July 4 Mark 5:21-24a, 35-43 - Followers of Jesus - Are Comforted in Death

July 11 Mark 6:1-6 - Followers of Jesus - Are Faithful in Spite of Rejection



VACATION BIBLE CAMP REGISTRATION: It's time to register your campers for this summer's Vacation Bible Camp! Camp runs from Monday, July 12th through Thursday, July 15th from 5:00-6:30pm and is open to students entering 3K – Grade 6 in the fall. There are sign-up forms available on the narthex counter!

SUMMER OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICES: We have two more outdoor worship dates scheduled: July 18th (the Sunday after VBS) and August 22 (the Sunday before School begins in the Fall). On those Sundays, there will be <u>just 1 service at 9:00 am</u>. These services will be an opportunity for us to safely worship together as a group of believers. Everyone is welcome to join us on those Sundays. Please invite your neighbors, friends, relatives to join us in this informal and unique way. There are reminder magnets in the narthex – take one for your fridge and share some with friends! **Bring your own lawn chairs!**

ALTAR GUILD:

June 23-29 – TEAM #2 – Jane Koplein, Joan Shevey, Rebecca Kragh June 30-July 6 – TEAM #3 – Jane Koplein, Carol Willms, Connie Myer

GRASS CUTTING (CHURCH):

June 23-26 – CREW #3 – Frank Krajewski June 30-July 3 – CREW #4 – Gary Tosic and Jerry Lehtinen

GRASS CUTTING (CEMETERY):

June 23-26 – CREW #2 – Heidi Nidy June 30-July 3 – CREW #3 – Gary Tosic