

**WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS – JULY 25, 2021**

<b>WORSHIP DETAILS:</b>	First Lesson:	Second Lesson:
	Gospel Lesson:	Psalm:
	Hymns:	

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** This Sunday’s altar flowers are given by Randy & Nancy Willms in thanksgiving for their 32<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary.

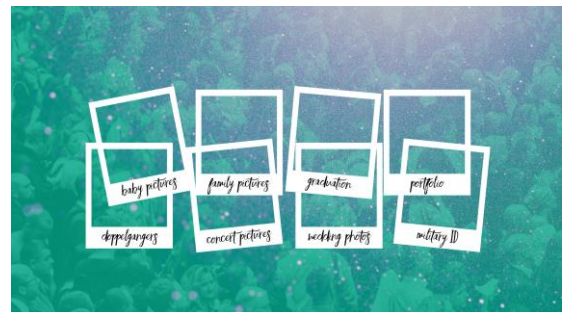
**CALL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** On Tuesday, July 13<sup>th</sup> we called Pastor Stephen Apt to be our second pastor here at St. Paul’s. Pastor Apt is currently serving at Divine Savior Church in Liberty Hill, Texas. We received this letter from Pastor Apt: Dear Members of St. Paul’s, I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge that I have received the Divine Call to serve as Pastor of Outreach from you the congregation of St. Paul’s in Franklin, WI. It was incredibly humbling that you, led by the Holy Spirit, felt that I could lead and serve God’s people in Franklin in this way. Over the next several weeks, I will be examining where my gifts lie, and where I can best use those gifts at this time to serve the Lord. I’ll constantly be praying that the Lord lead me to where he wants me to be right now. My prayer is that through all of this more and more people’s lives are changed as they come to know the power of Jesus’ death and resurrection. For now, I ask that you would continue to keep my family and me in your daily prayers as I deliberate. I look forward to talking with you all. God bless, Stephen Apt

Please keep Pastor Apt in your prayers as he deliberates the two calls before him. Pastor Apt can be reached via email at [stephen.apt@divinesaviorchurch.com](mailto:stephen.apt@divinesaviorchurch.com) or by phone at (512) 213-5283.

**NEW SERMON SERIES ON EPHESIANS - This is (Y)our Life:** Our next worship series at St. Paul’s is on the book of Ephesians – This is (y)our life. Over the next eight weeks, we will explore Paul’s letter to the Ephesians. The book of Ephesians is an incredibly practical book for Christians at every stage of life. Here we see what the Christian life looks like, and what it doesn’t look like. We’ll see how we were adopted as God’s children, how we are united as one family, and how we go through life belonging to the family of Jesus.

Our schedule is:

July 18	Ephesians 1:3-14	Adopted
<b>July 25</b>	<b>Ephesians 2:13-22</b>	<b>United</b>
August 1	Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-16	Focused
August 8	Ephesians 4:17-24	Modeling
August 15	Ephesians 4:30-5:2	Imitating
August 22	Ephesians 5:15-20	Following
August 29	Ephesians 5:21-31	Loved
September 5	Ephesians 6:10-20	Equipped



**SUMMER OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICES:** Thank you to all who joined us for our outdoor worship service last Sunday! We have one more outdoor worship date scheduled, August 22 (the Sunday before School begins in the Fall). On that Sunday there will be just 1 service at 9:00 am. This service will be an opportunity for us to safely worship together as a group of believers. Everyone is welcome to join us! Please invite your neighbors, friends, relatives to join us in this informal and unique way. **Bring your own lawn chairs!**

**ELECTRONIC ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Would you or anyone you know like to receive our weekly announcements via email on Fridays? If so, please contact the office at (414) 421-1178 to sign up!

**ONLINE SERVICE AUDIO ISSUES:** If you are regularly watching our services online, you may have noticed some recent issues with the audio. We are aware of this issue and are continuing to investigate the cause. We hope to have it fixed soon! Thank you for your patience!

**ALTAR GUILD:**

July 21-27 – TEAM #4 – Marge Gebert, Renate Nazimek

July 28-Aug 3 – TEAM #1 – Beverly Garves, Sherry Kosovich, Vanessa McKee

**GRASS CUTTING (CHURCH):**

July 21-24 – CREW #3 – Frank Krajewski

July 28-31 – CREW #4 – Gary Tasic & Jerry Lehtinen

**GRASS CUTTING (CEMETERY):**

July 21-24 – CREW #6 – Andy Backus

July 28-31 – CREW #1 – Gary Boldt