

Welcome! Thank you for joining us for worship today. In our service we gather before Jesus our Savior to offer him our worship and praise. We also gather to strengthen ourselves through the study of God’s holy and powerful word. Also,

- † Restrooms are down the hall and to the right from the back of church.
- † Our congregation stands at various times throughout the service. If your mobility is limited, please do not feel that you have to stand. You are welcome to remain seated!
- † We love families! Your children are welcome in our service! Thanks for bringing them to hear about Jesus!
- † Please fill out the Friendship Registers located at the end of each row.
- † If you want to review or share today’s service, you can find it on our website.
- † For upcoming events and activities, “like” us on our Facebook page.

Please come again and worship with us very soon!

Worship Participants

Liturgist and Preacher Pastor Brian Adams
Pianist Mrs. Rachel Manske
Musicians Mrs. Kristal Young, Miss Noelle Young,
Miss Dalaiah Carabacan, Mr. Declan Young

OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

SERVICE OF THE WORD

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THE OPENING HYMN "Word of God, Come Down on Earth"

Christian Worship (21) #537



1 Word of God, come down on earth, liv - ing rain from
2 Word e - ter - nal, throned on high, Word that brought to
3 Word that caused blind eyes to see, speak and heal our
4 Word that speaks your Fa - ther's love, one with him be -



heav'n de - scend - ing; touch our hearts and bring to birth
life cre - a - tion, Word that came from heav'n to die,
mor - tal blind - ness; deaf we are: our heal - er be;
yond all tell - ing, Word that sends us from a - bove,



faith and hope and love un - end - ing. Word al - might - y,
cru - ci - fied for our sal - va - tion, sav - ing Word, the
loose our tongues to tell your kind - ness. Be our Word in
God the Spir - it, with us dwell - ing, Word of truth, to



we re - vere you; Word made flesh, we long to hear you.
world re - stor - ing, speak to us, your love out - pour - ing.
pit - y spo - ken, heal the world, by sin now bro - ken.
all truth lead us; Word of life, with one bread feed us.

Please Stand

THE INVOCATION

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

THE CONFESSION OF SINS

P: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

C: **Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.**

P: God, our heavenly Father has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

C: **Amen.**

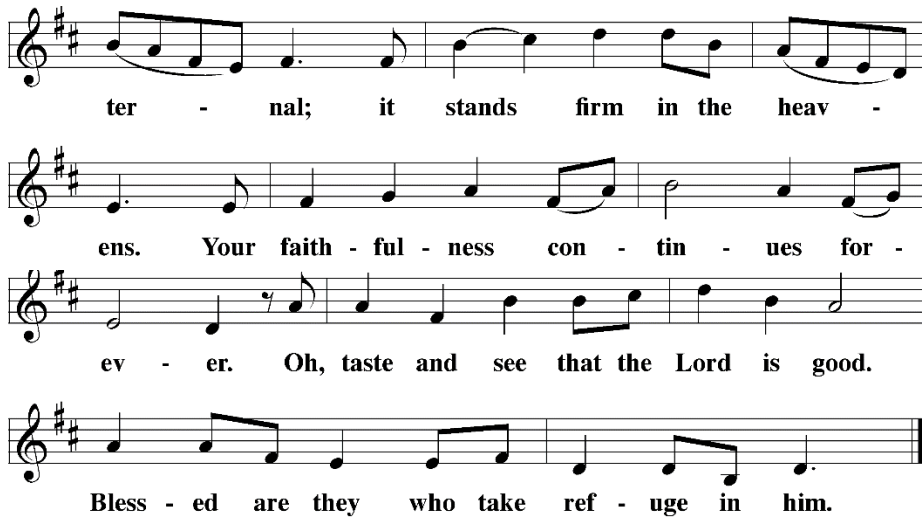
PRAYER AND PRAISE

P: In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

OH, TASTE AND SEE

The musical notation is written on two staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like. The lyrics are placed below the notes.

C: Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Bless - ed are
they who take ref - uge in him. Your Word, O Lord, is e -



ter - nal; it stands firm in the heav -
 ens. Your faith - ful - ness con - tin - ues for -
 ev - er. Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good.
 Bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in him.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray.

Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus as the heavenly bread of life. Grant us faith to feast on him in your Word and sacraments that we may be nourished unto life everlasting; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C: A - men.

Please be Seated

THE WORD

THE FIRST LESSON Exodus 16:15-31

In sending manna, a bread that stayed fresh for a short time, the LORD not only cared for Israel's physical well-being but also fortified trust that God would continue to provide.

¹⁵ When the Israelites saw it, they said to each other, “What is it?” For they did not know what it was.

Moses said to them, “It is the bread the LORD has given you to eat. ¹⁶ This is what the LORD has commanded: ‘Everyone is to gather as much as they need. Take an omer for each person you have in your tent.’”

¹⁷ The Israelites did as they were told; some gathered much, some little. ¹⁸ And when they measured it by the omer, the one who gathered much did not have too much, and the one who gathered little did not have too little. Everyone had gathered just as much as they needed.

¹⁹ Then Moses said to them, “No one is to keep any of it until morning.”

²⁰ However, some of them paid no attention to Moses; they kept part of it until morning, but it was full of maggots and began to smell. So Moses was angry with them.

²¹ Each morning everyone gathered as much as they needed, and when the sun grew hot, it melted away. ²² On the sixth day, they gathered twice as much—two omers for each person—and the leaders of the community came and reported this to Moses. ²³ He said to them, “This is what the LORD commanded: ‘Tomorrow is to be a day of sabbath rest, a holy sabbath to the LORD. So bake what you want to bake and boil what you want to boil. Save whatever is left and keep it until morning.’”

²⁴ So they saved it until morning, as Moses commanded, and it did not stink or get maggots in it. ²⁵ “Eat it today,” Moses said, “because today is a sabbath to the LORD. You will not find any of it on the ground today. ²⁶ Six days you are to gather it, but on the seventh day, the Sabbath, there will not be any.”

²⁷ Nevertheless, some of the people went out on the seventh day to gather it, but they found none. ²⁸ Then the LORD said to Moses, “How long will you refuse to keep my commands and my instructions? ²⁹ Bear in mind that the LORD has given you the Sabbath; that is why on the sixth day he gives you bread for two days. Everyone is to stay where they are on the seventh day; no one is to go out.” ³⁰ So the people rested on the seventh day.

³¹ The people of Israel called the bread manna. It was white like coriander seed and tasted like wafers made with honey.

Refrain



Lord, let your mer-cy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Psalm tone



Great is the LORD and most worthy of praise;*
his greatness no one can fathom.

One generation will commend your works to another;*
they will tell of your mighty acts.

The LORD upholds all those who fall*
and lifts up all who are bowed down.

Refrain

The eyes of all look to you,
and you give them their food at the proper time.*
You open your hand
and satisfy the desires of every living thing.

The LORD is near to all who call on him,*
to all who call on him in truth.

He fulfills the desires of those who fear him;*
he hears their cry and saves them.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son*
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning,*
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Refrain

THE SECOND LESSON..... 1 Corinthians 10:1-5, 11-13

The Israelites had spiritual food in the wilderness. The pre-incarnate Christ was with them! Yet some cared more about physical blessings than spiritual ones.

For I do not want you to be ignorant of the fact, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud and that they all passed through the sea. ²They were all baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea. ³They all ate the same spiritual food ⁴and drank the same spiritual drink; for they drank from the spiritual rock that accompanied them, and that rock was Christ. ⁵Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them; their bodies were scattered in the wilderness.

¹¹These things happened to them as examples and were written down as warnings for us, on whom the culmination of the ages has come. ¹²So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don't fall! ¹³No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it.

VERSE OF THE DAY

P: Alleluia. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. Alleluia.

C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Please Stand

THE GOSPEL LESSON..... John 6:24-35

Jesus is the bread of life.

²⁴ Once the crowd realized that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into the boats and went to Capernaum in search of Jesus.

²⁵ When they found him on the other side of the lake, they asked him, “Rabbi, when did you get here?”

²⁶ Jesus answered, “Very truly I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw the signs I performed but because you ate the loaves and had your fill. ²⁷ Do not work for food that spoils, but for food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him God the Father has placed his seal of approval.”

²⁸ Then they asked him, “What must we do to do the works God requires?”

²⁹ Jesus answered, “The work of God is this: to believe in the one he has sent.”

³⁰ So they asked him, “What sign then will you give that we may see it and believe you? What will you do? ³¹ Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written: ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’”

³² Jesus said to them, “Very truly I tell you, it is not Moses who has given you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. ³³ For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.”

³⁴ “Sir,” they said, “always give us this bread.”

³⁵ Then Jesus declared, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.



C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

Please be Seated

THE HYMN OF THE DAY "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Christian Worship (21) #923



1 Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this
2 O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain whence the heal - ing
3 When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious



bar - ren land. I am weak, but thou art might - y;
stream doth flow; let the fi - ery, cloud - y pil - lar
fears sub - side; death of death and hell's de - struc - tion,



hold me with thy pow'r - ful hand. Bread of heav - en,
lead me all my jour - ney through. Strong de - liv - 'rer,
land me safe on Ca - naan's side. Songs of prais - es,



bread of heav - en, feed me till I want no
strong de - liv - 'rer, be thou still my strength and
songs of prais - es I will ev - er give to



more, feed me till I want no more.
shield, be thou still my strength and shield.
thee, I will ev - er give to thee.

THE SERMON John 6:24-35

Please Stand

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Please be Seated

THANKSGIVING

THE OFFERING

(We invite you to sign our Friendship Registers in each pew during the offering.)

THE OFFERING PRAYER

Please Stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Please be Seated

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN "O Holy Spirit, Grant Us Grace"

Christian Worship (21) #591



1 O Ho - ly Spir - it, grant us grace that we our
2 Help us that we your sav - ing Word in faith - ful
3 Then when our earth - ly race is run, death's bit - ter



Lord and Sav - ior in faith and fer - vent love em - brace
hearts may trea - sure; let e'er that bread of life af - ford
hour im - pend - ing, may your good work in us be - gun



and tru - ly serve him ev - er, so that when death is
new grace in rich - est mea - sure. Make us to die to
con - tin - ue till life's end - ing, un - til we glad - ly



near at hand we at his cross may
ev - 'ry sin; each day cre - ate us
may com - mend our souls in - to our



firm - ly stand and there find our sal - va - tion.
new with - in that fruits of faith may flour - ish.
Sav - ior's hand to rest in peace e - ter - nal.

Please Stand

P: Almighty God, we thank you for teaching us the things you want us to believe and do. Help us by your Holy Spirit to keep your Word in pure hearts that we may be strengthened in faith, guided in holiness, and comforted in life and in death, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: A - men.

THE BLESSING

P: Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

C: A - men. A - men. A - men.

Please be Seated

CLOSING HYMN **“Feed Your Children, God Most Holy”**
Christian Worship (21) #509

Feed your chil - dren, God most ho - ly; com - fort sin - ners
 poor and low - ly. Je - sus, bread of life from heav - en, bless the
 food you here have giv - en. As these gifts the bod - y nour - ish,
 may our souls in grac - es flour - ish till with saints in
 heav'n - ly splen - dor at your feast due thanks we ren - der.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TEACHER INSTALLATION: We will be installing our new 4K teacher, Mrs. Patty Snyder, next Sunday, August 18th in our 9:30 AM service.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER NEEDED: We are in need of a Sunday School teacher beginning in the fall. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Pastor Adams.

ADDITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE HELP NEEDED: We are in need of additional ushers and audio video operators for our church services. Please prayerfully consider using your God-given talents and volunteering. There will be a meeting to discuss current procedures, updates and improvements on Wednesday, August 21st at 6:30 pm in the church. Current ushers are requested to attend. Any men, women, and/or children 6th grade or older are welcome to attend. RSVP to Donn Johnson at bestefar260@gmail.com.

WELS NATIONAL TEEN BIBLE STUDY (ONLINE): This is a new online opportunity for teens across the country to digitally connect with each other around the Word. It is not intended to replace local ministry efforts but complement existing ministries like the WELS International Youth Rally and area WELS Youth Nights. The goals are to encourage greater spiritual growth during critical teen years and relational connections with other WELS teens locally and across the country. The first online Bible Study will be a 45 minute study led by Pastor Huebner, the campus pastor at Wisconsin Lutheran High School on **Sunday, September 8, 2024, at 6:00 pm** Central Time. The topic will be *Found in Jesus—An Extraordinary Story of God's Love*.

For more information and to register visit:

<https://wels.net/serving-you/christian-life/discipleship/national-teen-bible-study/>

ST. PAUL'S YOUTH MINISTRY INTEREST SURVEY: An email survey was sent out this past week regarding interest in a youth group here at St. Paul's. If you did not receive this survey via email, we'd like your feedback! Please see the paper copies of the survey on the narthex counter, or you can find it here: [St. Paul's Youth Ministry Survey](#). Thank you for your time in completing this survey and helping the youth of our congregation!

PRE-K AIDE NEEDED: We are seeking a dedicated and enthusiastic Preschool Teacher's Aide to join our team in the 3-year-old classroom, preferably 5 days a week but we are interested in those who can step in with us a couple of days a week. This role requires a caring individual who enjoys working with children and is capable of managing a variety of tasks to support the classroom's daily operations. For more information don't hesitate to get in touch with Principal Schulmeister at 414-421-1930 or by email at nschulmeister@stpaulsfranklin.org for more information.

AFTER-SCHOOL CARE NEED: We are looking for caring individuals to watch over students during the school year in our After Care from 3:00pm-6:00pm during the week. If you are interested in helping us out on select days during the week or all week don't hesitate to get in touch with our Principal, Nathan Schulmeister at 414-421-1930 or by email at nschulmeister@stpaulsfranklin.org for more information.

SCHOOL HOT LUNCH COORDINATOR: We are looking for individuals who would love to support our school with planning and coordinating our lunch program here at St. Paul's. This person would be in charge of planning menus for the month, coordinating the purchasing of items, and working with and scheduling our "cooks and servers" for lunches. If you are interested in learning more don't hesitate to get in touch with our Principal, Nathan Schulmeister at 414-421-1930 or by email at nschulmeister@stpaulsfranklin.org for more information.

USHERS FOR AUGUST

8:00 AM – TEAM #4 – Pete Kosovich, Craig Gebert, Gordy Lesser, Adrian Boldt

9:30 AM – TEAM #8 – Walter Falkowski, Jacob Marciniak, Fred Socha, Scott Seymer

6:30 PM – TEAM #9 – Terry Plant, John Kiesow

ALTAR GUILD

August 7-13 – TEAM #4 – Marge Gebert, Renate Nazimek, Sarah Carabacan

August 14-20 – TEAM #4 – Marge Gebert, Renate Nazimek, Sarah Carabacan

REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE

August 11: Set-up – Jerry & Alyce Lehtinen, Clean-up – Beverly Garves

August 18: Set-up – John & Jean Terek, Clean-up – Kevin & Debbie Swanson

GRASS CUTTING (CHURCH)

August 14-17 – CREW #4 – Gary Tasic & Jerry Lehtinen
August 21-24 – CREW #1 – Gordy Lesser

GRASS CUTTING (CEMETERY)

August 14-17 – CREW #4 – Connie Roedel
August 21-24 – CREW #1 – Gary Boldt

THE WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 11

Worship Service 8:00 AM
Worship Service 9:30 AM

Monday, August 12

Worship Service 6:30 PM

Tuesday, August 13

Church Council 6:30 PM

Wednesday, August 14

Board of Elders 5:30 PM
K-8 Orientation Night 6:30 PM

Thursday, August 15

3K & 4K Orientation Night 6:00 PM

Sunday, August 18

Worship Service with Communion 8:00 AM
Worship Service with Communion & Teacher Installation 9:30 AM

Statistics – Last Week

Attendance: 8:00 AM – 65, Communed – N/A

9:30 AM – 60, Communed – 50

6:30 PM – 35, Communed – 27

Total Attendance – 160

Total Communed – 77+