

St. Paul Lutheran Church celebrates and shares God's love and compassion.

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS: Ruth Nensewitz, James Gilmore, Caroline Weise, Jeff Dove, Shelby Seaver, Joan Mumford, Jerry Gougeon, Ann Arthur, Beverly Attwell, Matthew Gamblin, Larry Lafleure, Cindy Nensewitz, Estella Frantz, Stan Cole, Arnie Kindt, Sally Kosloski, Val Urban, Dennis Diamond, Jeanna Wirgau, Pete Creguer, Flora Kniffin, Bernice Menck, Jean Shugert, Carol Brooks, Marty Conrad, Annette Jones, Hazel Howard, Geri Wyman, Thelma Connolly, and Karen Wallace.

Please call the church office, or have a family member call, if you are in the hospital or need a visit, at 356-1658.

We remember our prayer partners in the North/West Lower Michigan Synod:

- * Peace Lutheran Church, Holland, Rev. Justin Walker
- * Northeastern Ohio Synod, Bishop Abraham Allendee

This week we join in prayer with the other LARCC parishes (Grace Lutheran, Trinity Episcopal, First Congregational UCC, All Saints Parish) for the Altar Servers and Ushers at All Saints Parish.

THE FLOWERS IN THE CHANCEL (foot of the cross) are given in loving memory of our daughter, Mary Lou Hamer, from Fritz and Jan Stafford.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Saturday (08/05) 5:30 p.m.

Sunday (08/06) 9:00 a.m.

Total

As an extension of ELCA's GOD'S WORK OUR HANDS program, St. Paul Lutheran has adopted a garden at Tendercare - Alpena on Long Rapids Road. Please consider joining us for some *light gardening* after church weather permitting on the following dates: August 13 and September 10. You can join us for as long as you can..."many hands make light work"!! We hope you will be able to join us today! ALL ARE WELCOME!!!

A presentation by Pastor Shirley and Vernon, "From Wittenberg to Rome," will take place in the Multi-purpose room on August 16, at 1:00 p.m. They will talk about their recent pilgrimage to Germany and Italy. Refreshments will be served.

Everyone is invited to join us for an interesting and informative DVD presentations by Rick Steves entitled "Luther Towns" and "Luther and the Reformation." They will be held on **August 23 at 6:00 p.m.** and **September 20 at 2:00 p.m.** in the Multipurpose Room. Refreshments will be served.

Canning Supplies Needed! We are all set with canning jars for the bazaar this year. We could use regular canning lids, regular lids and rings combination and packages of regular Sure-Jell. If you have any questions, call Lori Ludwig at 356-4753. *Thanks.*

The August Service Activity is Bingo Prizes for Samaritas Affordable Living. The items we will be collecting are Smaller size canned food items (soups, fruits, etc.), pastas and snack crackers, single serving snack items (Jello, pudding, fruits), smaller packages of paper products (tissues, toilet paper, baggies, Ziploc bags), dish towels, dish cloths, greeting cards and stamps. You may include any other items you might think they would enjoy. Please leave items in the baskets provided in the Narthex, at the top of the stairs by the side entrance and in the Fellowship hall in the basement. If you have any questions please call Mary Anne Kucharek at 354-3757.

WEEK AT A GLANCE: AUGUST 13 - 20, 2017

<u>SUN.</u>	Worship Service/HC – 9:00 a.m.; Tendercare Work Day - 10:30 – noon
<u>TUES.</u>	Newsletter Deadline; T.O.P.S. – 4:30 p.m.; Boy Scouts–7:00 p.m.
<u>WED.</u>	"From Wittenberg to Rome" (Multi-Purpose Room) – 1:00 p.m.
<u>SAT.</u>	Worship Service/HC – 5:30 p.m.
<u>SUN.</u>	Worship/HC – 9:00 a.m.