

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church
310 E. Second Street
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Holstein, IA 51025

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Holstein, IA 51025

Worship Schedule

Sunday 9 am

Coffee and fellowship 10 am

(Facebook or YouTube after 4 pm)



July 16 - 22 Edition

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church

Holstein, Iowa

Phone: (712) 368-2228

Sunday Worship Service: 9 AM

Coffee and fellowship at 10 AM

Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month
or as noted

The worship service is recorded and posted by
4 PM Sunday afternoon on our YouTube channel:

St Paul Lutheran Holstein IA

(link is also on our church Facebook page)

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 1 PM to 5 PM;

Friday 9 AM to 1 PM

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Vickie Heck

Custodians:

Karen and Doug Wessling

Wee Wisdom Staff:

Kathy Mohr

Jane Breyfogle

Connie Snyder

Worship Schedule & Participants

July 19 ~ Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

Scripture Readings:

1st Reading: Isaiah 44:6-8

Psalm: Psalm 86:11-17

2nd Reading: Romans 8:12-25

Gospel: Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Worship Participants:

LECTOR:

Bob Butcher

DEACONS:

Mitch Trost and Marvin Todd

GREETER:

Barb Stratton

ACOLYTES:

Layla Peterson and Graham Boling

SOUND & VIDEO:

Lex and Cecily Jacobson

COFFEE HOSTS:

Cheryl & Kurt Meyer

Audrey Dittmer



Our deepest sympathies to the family of Cindy Dittmer, who passed away Wednesday, July 8th. Her service was held here on Tuesday, July 14th.

PRAYER and PRAISE LIST

Lainey Hemer, granddaughter of Mike & Jen Glawe, recovering at home

Krystal Peterson

Layla Peterson

Cameron Sharkey

Daniel Brosamle and all military serving overseas

Please remember the rest of our members that are homebound or living in care facilities



Ingham Okoboji's 39th Annual

Quilt Auction

Friday, July 31

ONLINE AUCTION:

Friday 8:00 AM– Monday 6:00 PM

Found on website at www.okoboji.org/quilt

Quilt Preview in Gym: 4:00 - 7:00 PM

Scandinavian Feast: 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Glenn Henriksen Concert: 7:00 PM

(free will offering) Circle of Hope Amphitheatre on Okoboji Beach Front

Saturday, August 1

5K Run/Walk: 8:00 AM

Register at www.okoboji.org/5k

Quilt Preview in Gym: 9:00 - 11:30 AM

Lunch in Dining Hall: 11:00 am– 12:30 AM

LIVE QUILT AUCTION: 12:00 (NOON)

Find a link to check out this year's
quilts & items at: www.okoboji.org/quilt

Proxy Bidding is Available: Call the Camp at 1-800-OKOBOJI

PROXY BIDDING ends Aug. 1st at 10:30 AM

1203 Inwan Street, Wahpeton
www.okoboji.org

Ingham
Okoboji
Lutheran Bible Camp

Women of the **ELCA**

The W.E.L.C.A. action team makes kits to send along with our quilts each fall. We make personal care kits, baby care kits, and school kits. We are asking for donations to continue these projects.

The following items are needed for the kits:

BATH SIZE BAR SOAP - (3 or 4 oz.) *any brand*

BATH SIZE TOWELS - 20" x 40" or 52" x 27"
(dark colors preferred)

ADULT SIZE TOOTHBRUSHES

NAIL CLIPPERS

STURDY COMB - *No pic or fine toothed comb*

NOTEBOOKS - 70 sheets of wide or college ruled

PENCIL SHARPENERS

BLUNT END CHILDREN'S SCISSORS

BLACK OR BLUE BALLPOINT PENS - (*no gel pens*)

2 1/2 INCH ERASERS

BOX OF CRAYONS - 16 or 24 count

Cash is also welcomed - please give to Audrey Dittmer, Jan Grell, or leave at the church office. There will be a basket in the north entry under the coat racks for your donations.

Thank you very much for helping us out!



7/16 Kelli Meyer	7/19 Noah Ebert
7/16 Brian Woodke	7/20 John Borchers
7/16 Lacey Roberts	7/20 Greg Brunelle
7/17 Don Breyfogle	7/20 Curtis Kay
7/17 Carson Smit	7/21 Laney Georg
7/18 John Werner	7/21 Jon Schubert
7/18 Cooper Friedrichsen	7/22 Angie Rasmus



7/17 Gavin Hanson	7/18 Knox Woodke
7/17 Jeremy Parks	7/21 Jeff Kay
7/18 Jack Henderson	7/21 Adalyn Meyer
7/18 Abraham Henderson	

The family of Dianne Sorensen would like to thank the kitchen committee and all those who provided food for Dianne's funeral. It was so kind of you all to remember Dianne in this way. Such wonderful members of this church and community!

~ Sincerely, Dianne Sorensen's family



Worship Service Attendance

July 12th, 2026 - 9 AM: 97

Business Manager's Report for the week of July 12th, 2026

BENEVOLENCE

LOCAL

Community Basket	\$50.00
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IOWA

ELCA / Western IA Synod	\$75.00
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GLOBAL

ELCA/Global Missions	\$5.00
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CURRENT

General Fund	\$3,091.50
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Misc Current	\$25.00
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Building	\$170.00
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Sunday School	\$23.07
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Communion	\$1.00
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Logos	\$20.00
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Gifts & Memorials	\$20.00
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GRAND TOTAL

\$3,480.57

Electronic giving for the week was \$801.50



July Community Basket needs:

Condiments: ketchup, mustard, pickles, mayo, salt / pepper, puddings / Jello, etc.

Please bring to the bin in the north entry.

Cash donations are always welcome!

St. Paul Church Calendar

THURSDAY, July 16

7:00 PM Congregation Council Meeting

SUNDAY, July 19 ~ 8th Sunday After Pentecost

9:00 AM Worship

10:00 AM Coffee & Fellowship

TUESDAY, July 21

9:00 AM Sewing Day

*For the complete church calendar, visit our church web site:
www.holsteinstpaullutheran.com*

On Thursday, July 9th, Vicar Millie took our incoming confirmation students out to Moorehead Park in Ida Grove, accompanied by Connie Ludvigson for some preparation and reflection!



*Layla Peterson, Mason Christiansen, Gabe VanHouten,
and Graham Boling*

