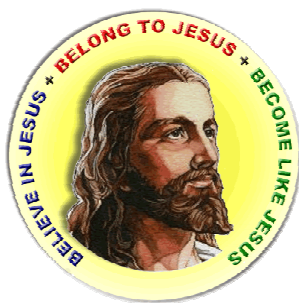


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July 2024 Newsletter

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Tessa Shirley- Organist

Sunday Services 7:30 am & 10:00 am

(Winter Schedule September-May)

Sunday 7:30 am & 9:00am

(Summer Schedule May-September)

Sunday School 8:30 am September-May



Kings Solomon's blessing upon Israel...

*⁵⁷The LORD our God be with us,
as He was with our fathers.*

May He not leave us or forsake us,

*⁵⁸that He may incline our hearts to Him,
to walk in all His ways and to keep His commandments,
His statutes, and His rules,
which He commanded our fathers.*

— 1 Kings 8

WHAT MAKES A NATION GREAT...

What makes a nation “great”?

- ? Freedom and liberty
- ? Democracy
- ? Military might
- ? Wealth and prosperity
- ? Technology

What makes a nation “great”?

- Did you choose any of the above?
- All the above?

What “great” nation has stood the test of time?

“Great” nations have risen and fallen
throughout human history.
The best efforts of men
have not produced enduring greatness.
Why is that?

Scripture tells us:

*¹²Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD,
the people whom He has chosen
as His heritage! – Psalm 33:12*

**Greatness is not found in man or men,
but in God and God alone!**

Man achieves “greatness” when he seeks God
and puts his trust in God and His Word!

**A nation achieves “greatness” when its people
seek God and trust Him and His Word!**

**All too often, man measures “greatness”
in power, in wealth. But...**

*¹⁶The king is not saved by his great army;
a warrior is not delivered
by his great strength. – Psalm 33:16*

**No! Greatness is not attained or maintained
by human ability or achievement!**

*¹⁸Behold, the eye of the Lord is
on those who fear Him,
on those who hope in His steadfast love.*

– Psalm

33:18

We who live in the United States of America
like to think of our nation as “great”!
No doubt, there are many good things
About our nation,
but we dare not think that “greatness”
is in ourselves, our achievements.

“We The People” must live by these words:

*²⁰Our soul waits for the LORD;
He is our help and our shield.*

*²¹For our heart is glad in Him,
because we trust in His holy Name.*

*²²Let your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us,
even as we hope in You. – Psalm 33:20-22*



Calendar Dates to Remember

Monday, July 1

Board of Elders 4:30 pm

Tuesday, July 2

Board of Trustees 7:30 pm

Wednesday, July 3

Bible Study 6:00 pm

Thursday, July 4

NO Worship

Wednesday, July 10

Bible Study 6:00 pm

Thursday, July 11

LWML 4th of July Party 10:00 am

Worship 6:30 w/HC

Wednesday, July 17

Bible Study 6:00 pm

Thursday, July 20

Worship 6:30 pm w/HC

Sunday, July 21

Voter's Assembly Meeting 9:45 am

Monday, July 22

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Wednesday, July 24

Bible Study 6:00 pm

Thursday, July 25

Worship 6:30 w/HC

Wednesday, July 31

Bible Study 6:00 pm

REMINDER: Announcements for the bulletin are due by noon on Wednesdays. Announcements can be emailed to stpaulscascade@hotmail.com or call the church office 528-8094 or you can leave a hand written note and put in the holder outside of the office.

New Website

St. Paul's has a new website. It is www.stpaulslcmascascade.com. Included in the website we are now offering online giving. If you click on the link you will be directed to sign up. You can either do a one time gift, recurring gifts, or scheduled gifts. Any questions feel free to ask Mike Schneider.

List of Homebound members to keep in our Prayers

Jean Dippel, Plymouth,
Doris Krahn, Plymouth,
Louella Raabe, Plymouth
Marion Hefter, & Sherry Carolan, Cascade
Cola Schneider, Cascade
Ken & Brenda Schultz, Cascade
Laura Reiss, Plymouth
Dually Deall, Random Lake



1	Larry Strassburg
3	Mike Long
6	Mark Jensen
7	Brenda Schultz
9	Margie Arbuckle
11	Kevin Jensen
12	Peggy Wiehr
13	Elizabeth Johnston
	Jenny Bidinger
	Robert Horner
	Allana Jimenez
18	Julie Pyka
19	Lee Curtiss
	Vicki Pecotich
20	Gail Krueger
	Lillian LaPorte
24	Lisa Truitt
28	Kelvin Hinz



5	Jesse & Ruthie Bliesner
11	David & Ann Simonsen
17	Richard & Jenny Bidinger



July 29-August 1
6:00 to 8:00 pm
Grades Pre-K thru 6

Registration-anybody willing to donate or help please contact Margie Arbuckle 920-838-0027

Great Marriages Upcoming Events

Love on the Beach (5 Love Languages)

- Friday, August 2, 2024
- 5:30 PM 7:30 PM
- King Park Pavilion
- www.great-marriages.org/events

Join us for a romantic picnic dinner on the beach at King Park, then learn about the 5 Love Languages with your sweetheart. You will discover what your Love Language is, and how to speak your spouse or significant other's language. Enjoy a walk on the beach or trail as you discuss ways to speak each other's languages. Limited to 7 couples.

- Location: Meet at King Park Pavilion, then we will head out to the beach
- Speakers: Steve & Donna Schelfhout
- Cost: \$20/person (includes picnic dinner)

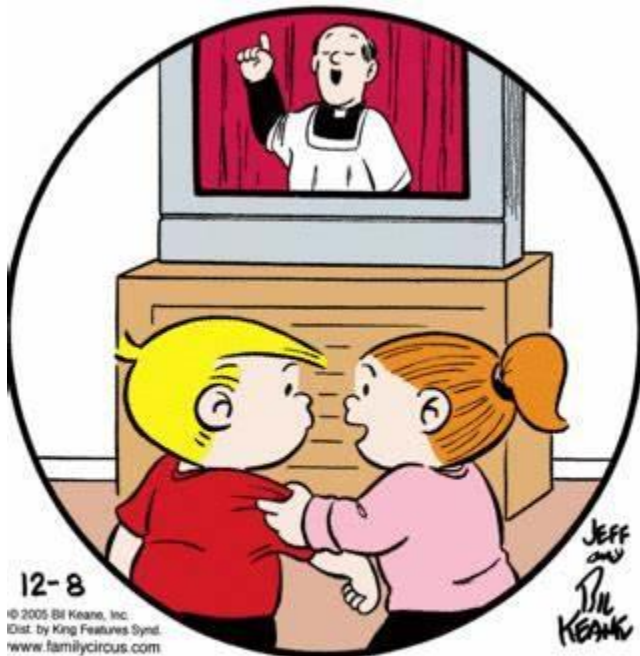


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“What do the angels say to God when He sneezes?”



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“Hear that? People in heaven have ever-laughing life.”

Mark Gungor - LIVE "Be-Attitudes" (Faith Based)

- Tuesday, August 13, 2024
- 6:30 PM 8:00 PM
- Register at: www.great-marriages.org/events

When Jesus sat down for his amazing Sermon on the Mount, he began by sharing nine simple lessons: Blessed are the poor in spirit, blessed are those that mourn, blessed are the meek, etc... We call them the "beatitudes". Here, Mark Gungor will share his "NINE BE-ATTITUDES" for a successful marriage. Nine ways for you to "be" in order for you to experience the kind of marriage God intends for you to have!

- Location: Crossroads Community Church (4321 Co Rd A, Sheboygan, WI 53081)
- Speaker: Mark Gungor
- Cost: \$20/person

LWML Minutes

JUNE 12, 2024

The meeting was called to order by President, Linda Fischer with eight members present; Linda Fischer, Patti Zimmermann, Betty Payne, Nydia Green, Jen Schneider, Bev Hinz, Diane Pietsch, and Karen Marquardt.

Pastor Bidinger lead the bible study "As a Mother Comforts Her Child"; followed by prayers.

The minutes from April meeting were read by Linda. She also reported the Mother's Day outing at Riverdale for lunch was attended by sixteen members and guests. A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the minutes as read.

Karen Marquardt, Treasurer, reported \$133.12 in Mites was received and sent in to SWD. \$100.00 each was sent to Cameo Quilt, Cascade Lions, and Plymouth Lions. Checkbook balance is \$2,826.59 A memorial of \$400.00 was received from the Jean Dippel family.

Linda reported the Spring Rally was attended by 25, 1 Pastor, and 1 guest. Jennifer Olen, the speaker, was very interesting about birds, and order of coming back in Spring.

A motion was made, seconded, discussed and approved to purchase two new fifty cup coffee pots. Nydia will order.

Communion ware has been polished by Betty Johnston.

After much discussion, our LWML group has decided to change our meeting date to Thursday's at 10:00 am. Our next meeting will be Thursday July 11th at 10:00am. A motion was made, seconded, and approved to change day of meeting.

Our society Guideline Review has been tabled to our August meeting.

Linda will vote for the LWML Grant proposals at the LWML SWD Convention this weekend.

Diane and Betty P. will bake cakes for Rocky Knoll June 19th.

No congregation members signed up on the Flower Chart so Nydia and Karen will place flowers on the altar June 16 and 23, and Arbuckle family June 30 and July 7.

Karen, Nydia, and Diane volunteered for our 4th of July party to be held Thursday, July 11th

Will discuss having another LWML Servant Event Night at our August meeting.

There being no other business, a motion was made, seconded, and approved to adjourn. Meeting was adjourned at 11:00 am. We closed with our LWML Pledge.

Diane Pietsch for

Jodi Schultz, Secretary

YOU'RE INVITED!!!

On July 11 at 10 AM. LWML is having an Independence Day celebration with Bingo- using coins for markers, to be used for mites for missions. Please bring an item worth five dollars or less wrapped for prizes. A lunch of subs, suddenly salad, fruit tray, desserts, coffee and water with flavoring packets.

Open to members of the church and guests. We hope to see you there!

Neat Repeat Sales

7/2-7/3 & 7/5-7/6	Jewelry 50% Off
7/9	30% Off Everything in the Store
7/10-7/13	Baskets & Vases 50% Off
7/16-7/20	Toys, Games & Puzzles 50% Off
7/23-7/27	Candles & Candle Holders 50% Off
7/30-8/3	Purses, Duffels, & Luggage 50% Off



Reminder: Service times are 8:30 am on Sundays. Thursday Services 6:30 pm.

Offering Envelope Reminder

Please Remember to either put your name and Number on the envelope. We have received some with neither so we can't record your offering.

Just a reminder that the Altar Flower sign up sheet is on the bulletin board by the upper Fellowship Hall. Please let Mike know by calling the church office at 920.528.8094 or emailing stpaulscasacde@hotmail.com if you would like to have an announcement in the bulletin for the flowers.

Drivers Needed

On behalf of the Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC) of Sheboygan County, we would like to thank you for your collaborative efforts in getting the word out regarding our programs, services, resources & support throughout the year!

We are reaching out to request your assistance in promoting our **Volunteer Driver Program** ~ we are in **URGENT** need of Drivers ~ we have many more requests for transportation to medical appointments by our aging community than we have driver availability.

Our transportation service to medical appointments is a wonderful service to offer, but difficult to promote when you are unable to fulfill the requests.

Many folks in the aging community, frankly, do not have many options for transportation and need to get to their medical appointments - live alone, no family in the area, etc.

Hopefully, you are reading this and a member or members of your congregation comes to mind.... or you are willing to post the below / attached flyer on a board, in your bulletin, social media, etc. ANY ASSISTANCE is truly appreciated.

To learn more, please contact:

Tammy Ringel

Transportation Scheduler
650 Forest Ave
Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085
920-467-4193
tammy.ringel@sheboygancounty.com

Meals on Wheels

Do know someone who has difficulty getting out of the house? Consider referring them to Fresh Meals On Wheels. Our verified volunteers deliver fresh homemade meals Monday through Friday (and if you know of anyone who'd like to deliver meals for an hour a month, please call us!). We offer seven medically-tailored diets, and folks get a choice daily. We serve people of all ages and income levels. To learn more, please call Meals On Wheels at 920-451-7011 or visit FreshMealsOnWheels.org.

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FEEDING THE HUNGRY in our own backyard

Please donate a food item each month for the Plymouth Food Pantry. One food category will be highlighted each month, but feel free to donate as the Holy Spirit leads you. Collection boxes are located in our Fellowship Hall and in back of church.

July

Baby Food & Diapers

James 2: 14-18

14 What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? 15 If a brother or sister is poorly clothed and lacking in daily food, 16 and one of you says to them, "Go in peace, be warmed and filled," without giving them the things needed for the body, what good is that? 17 So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead. 18 But someone will say, "You have faith and I have works." Show me your faith apart from your works, and I will show you my faith by my works.