

ST. PAUL'S WEEKLY EPISTLE

IMPORTANT NEWS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 29, 2025

LECTIONARY 13/PROPER 8 (YEAR C)

As we are called by Jesus, we leave one life behind and take up another. The readings for this day invite us to take a bold step that brings us into a new world.

SPECIAL ADULT FORUM

Pastor Cris will be sharing about his work as a Navy Reserve Chaplain **today**, after worship, in the air conditioned sanctuary. Bring your questions about his ministry and hear more about what it is like to serve in the Navy "part-time."

CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!

Life presents us with various significant milestones that set the stage for the next phase in our earthly journey. Graduation from high school, trade school, or college is one of these milestones. Today we wish to honor those who are moving through this special time of accomplishment, transition, and change, and to show them that we, their community of faith, stand with them and support them as fellow believers in Jesus Christ.

Richard Breder
Hannah Cash
Sydney Frigm
Alexander Kenney
Destiny Kleinsasser
Owen Mease
Zac Miller
Cullman Mills
James Mills
Lazo Slijepcevic
Emma Taylor-Smith
Leah Wardell

University of Delaware
University of Delaware
University of Virginia
University of Delaware
Elkton HS and Cecil College
Odessa High School
Odessa High School
Arkansas State
Office Infantry School
Sanford School
Odessa High School
Millersville University

SUMMER CHOIR

Want to join the choir without making a year-long commitment? Want to see what it is like to offer sung prayer in worship? Then join the Summer Choir on Sunday mornings at 9:30 AM in the choir loft. Learn a simple anthem to be sung in the service that morning. Can't make it every week? Come, when you can.

HOLY HIKE

Join us today, Sunday, June 29, along the C & D Canal, east from Biddle's Point. This will be a four-to-five-mile hike – out and back, along a flat, paved trail. We will meet at the trail head at Biddle's Point off Cox Neck Road in Delaware City.

HOLIDAY REMINDER

Just a reminder that the church office will be closed on Friday, July 4.

PRESCHOOL STAFF INSTALLATION

St. Paul's School Board cordially invites the congregation to join them in welcoming Dr. Watts with her official installation in worship on **Sunday, July 6**. We will be holding a celebration to mark the occasion after the service and look forward to renewed school-congregation engagement in the year ahead!

OLDER, WISER, LUTHERANS JULY EVENT

Please join the OWLS on Friday, July 11, as they visit a local winery. More details to come. Hosts for this event are Bill and Karen Saylor.

BREWING THEOLOGY – LOCATION CHANGE

Our hosts for July 16 at 7pm have been changed to Mark and Lynn Deschere, 309 Sweet Gum Court, Middletown, Delaware. Our topic will be the role of faith in modern life. Please RSVP to lynn@deschere.com.

"GIFTS TO SHARE" SURVEY

Please take a few minutes to complete this survey to allow us to continue to be an inclusive church, which works to have all members involved in activities. You can find the survey on the St. Paul's webpage by clicking on the link "Gifts to Share."





St. Paul's Lutheran Church Welcomes All in Jesus' Name

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*Together in Jesus Christ we are freed by grace to
live faithfully, witness boldly, and serve joyfully.*



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Weekly Epistle/E-mail Blast

Articles due by Wednesday morning at

10 AM. Late submissions will be shared

the following week. Please send articles to

St. Paul's Online Prayer Ministry

Send prayer requests to:

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the church office at office@stpaulsnewarkde.org

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