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5th SUNDAY OF EASTER + April 28, 2024 + (with Confirmation at 10:30 a.m.)

HYMN “Blest Be the Tie That Binds” LW 295

- 1 Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;
the unity of heart and mind is like to that above.**
- 2 Before our Father’s throne we pour our ardent prayers;
our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, our comforts and our cares.**
- 3 We share our mutual woes, our mutual burdens bear,
and often for each other flows the sympathizing tear.**
- 4 From sorrow, toil, and pain and sin we shall be free,
and perfect love and friendship reign through all eternity.**

CONFESSION OF SINS AND FORGIVENESS

- P:** In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **C: Amen.**
- P:** Our Lord Jesus ascended to the right hand of the Father and then sent the Holy Spirit to us in order to lead us into all truth.
- C: The Holy Spirit brings the world to the point of recognizing sin, righteousness, and judgment.**
- P:** The Holy Spirit teaches us that apart from Jesus Christ, there is no forgiveness of sins before God. His is the one name under heaven by which people are saved from sin.
- C: The Holy Spirit teaches us that Jesus has done righteously and in Him, we are accounted as righteous through faith.**
- P:** The Holy Spirit teaches us that the devil, who has usurped power in the world, is condemned. His works and his ways will come to destruction and ruin.
- C: Jesus was faithful to send His Holy Spirit to us in order to lead us into all truth.**
- P:** Thus led by the Holy Spirit to the truth of sin, righteousness, and judgment, let us confess together before the Lord and receive the forgiveness of our sins, the righteousness of Christ, and release from the condemnation of the devil.
- C: Lord God, in ourselves is sin and wickedness. We are sorry for doing wrong and despair that any right we manage to do will blot out our bad record. For the sake of Jesus Christ’s righteous deeds and gracious sacrifice on the cross, have mercy on us to blot out our bad record and to give us His good name so that we will not be condemned with the devil because of our sins.**
- P:** Almighty God in His mercy did send His Son, Jesus, to accomplish all righteousness and to give His life as the price of redemption to release you from sin’s guilt and condemnation. As a called and ordained servant of the Word, I therefore forgive you all of your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.**

RESPONSIVE READING John 16:16; Psalm 145:1-2, 8, 10, 21

Christ is risen! **He is risen indeed! Hallelujah!**

“In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me.”

I will exalt you, my God the King; I will praise your name for ever and ever. Every day I will praise you and extol your name for ever and ever.

The LORD is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love. All you have made will praise you, O Lord; your saints will extol you.

My mouth will speak in praise of the LORD. Let every creature praise his holy name for ever and ever. 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.

PRAYER FOR THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

All: **O God, you make the minds of your faithful to be of one will; therefore grant to your people that they may love what you command and desire what you promise, that among the manifold changes of this age our hearts may ever be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

HYMN OF PRAISE “Crown Him with Many Crowns” LW 278 (vs. 1 & 6)

**Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne;
Hark how the heav’nly anthem drowns all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless king through all eternity!**

**Crown Him the Lord of heav’n, enthroned in worlds above,
Crown Him the king to whom is giv’n the wondrous name of Love.
Crown Him with many crowns as thrones before Him fall;
Crown Him, ye kings, with many crowns, for He is king of all.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING 1 Chronicles 16:23-31

²³ Sing to Yahweh, all the earth! Bless His salvation from day to day! ²⁴ Report His glorious strength among the nations; report the wonderful things He has done among all the peoples. ²⁵ Because Yahweh is great and very much worthy to be praised and He alone is to be feared above all gods. ²⁶ Because all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols but Yahweh made the heavens. ²⁷ Divine majesty and dignity are before Him; strength and joy are in place before Him. ²⁸ Ascribe glory to Yahweh, all tribes of peoples! Ascribe glory and strength to Yahweh! ²⁹ Ascribe the glory of His name to Yahweh; carry an offering and go before Him. Bow down to Yahweh because of His holy dignity. ³⁰ Squirm in distress to try to get away from Him, all the earth. Yes, you are firmly established on the earth. You are not tottering. ³¹ The heavens rejoice and the earth is excited and they say among the nations, “Yahweh is King!”

P: This is the Word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

THE EPISTLE READING Colossians 3:12-17

¹² Therefore, take on virtuous characteristics as the holy and beloved people chosen by God, concerned deep down about other people’s misfortune, helpful, modest, not overly impressed by your own importance, able to handle being provoked, ¹³ people who tolerate other people and people who forgive wrongdoing done against them whenever someone has cause for complaint against someone else; just as even the Lord forgave wrongdoing done by you, thus even you all should do.

¹⁴ But over all of these characteristics, take on the virtuous characteristic of love, which is what brings them all to a unified relationship of perfection. ¹⁵ And let the peace of Christ be in control of making decisions in your minds, for which even you were called into the sphere of the one body. And be people who give thanks. ¹⁶ Let the Word of Christ dwell in you richly. Be people who teach and counsel against improper conduct themselves by every wisdom. Be people who sing with psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs with grace in your hearts for God. ¹⁷ And all which anyone of you does by word or by deed, you do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus while giving thanks to God the Father through Him.

P: This is the Word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

C: (sung) Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? LW p. 164

You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia!

THE HOLY GOSPEL John 16:4b-15

^{4b} “But I did not say these things to you from the beginning because I was with you. ⁵ But now I depart to the One who sent Me. And none of you ask Me, “Where are you going?” ⁶ But rather because I have spoken these things to you, excessive sorrow has filled your hearts. ⁷ But rather again, I Myself speak the truth to you: it is for your advantage that I Myself leave. For if I do not leave, the Paraclete will not come to you. But if I go, I will send Him to you. ⁸ And when that One comes, He will bring the world to the point of recognizing sin and righteousness and judgment. ⁹ About sin: they do not believe in Me. ¹⁰ About righteousness: I depart to the Father and they no longer see Me. ¹¹ And about judgment: the ruler of this world is judged. ¹² I still have many more things to say to you, but rather you are not able to sustain the burden yet. ¹³ But when that One comes, the Spirit of Truth, He will lead your way to all truth. For He will not speak from Himself, but rather whatever He hears, He will speak and He will report to you the things that will come to pass. ¹⁴ That One will glorify Me because He will receive from Me and report to You. ¹⁵ All things which the Father has are Mine. On account of this, I said that He receives from Me and reports to you.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

(8:15) **THE APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And 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 sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall 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.

SERMON: “Live the Victory” text: 1 Chronicles; Colossians; John

HYMN “In Christ Alone”

**1 In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song;
this cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease.
My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.**

- 2 **In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless Babe!
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.
'Til on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied.
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.**
- 3 **There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain;
then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
for I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.**
- 4 **No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me;
from life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand;
'til he returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I stand.**

(10:30) **PRESENTATION OF CONFIRMATION STUDENTS AND THEIR VERSES**

Evylyn Rae Boehnlein – Matthew 6:2

Karsyn Michael Hass – John 1:1

Haylee Rae Hoffman – Psalm 46:5

Ella Grace Knuth – 1 Corinthians 13:8

Ashton Melvin Lawson – Exodus 31:17

Addisyn Barbara Jean Niemuth – Psalm 27:1

Adelyn Mae Schertz – Isaiah 43:1

Stella Lorraine Tellock – Philippians 4:13

(10:30) **THE RITE OF CONFIRMATION**

P: Beloved in the Lord, our Lord Jesus Christ said to His apostles: "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded You; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." You have been baptized and taught in the Christian faith according to our Lord's command. Jesus said, "Whoever confesses Me before men, I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies Me before men, I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven." Lift up your hearts, therefore, to the God of all grace and joyfully give answer to what I now ask you in the name of the Lord. Do you, in the presence of God and of this congregation, acknowledge the gifts and confirm the faith God gave you in Holy Baptism?

Class: **I do.**

P: Do you renounce the devil, all his works, and all his ways?

Class: **Yes, I renounce the devil and all his works and all his ways.**

P: Do you believe in God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

Class: **I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And 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 sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence 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.**

P: What do you believe the Bible to be?

Class: **I believe the Bible is the inspired Word of God, preserved for us so we may know the Way to eternal life.**

P: What do you believe the church to be?

Class: **I believe the church is the assembly of believers in which the gospel is taught purely and the sacraments are administered rightly.**

P: Since God has preserved these gifts, especially Holy Baptism, the Bible, Confession and Absolution, and the Sacrament of the Altar, for His church, St. Paul Lutheran Church rejoices to use these gifts in our regular, weekly worship services.

Class: **Since we believe what St. Paul Lutheran Church believes, we promise to attend worship every week in order to gladly hear God's Word and learn it, to be reminded of the benefits of Holy Baptism, to receive forgiveness from the pastor as from God Himself, and to eat and drink Jesus' body and blood.**

P: Since God conforms us to the life of His Son through these gifts, St. Paul Lutheran Church rejoices to live by the power of these gifts to selflessly love our neighbors.

Class: **Since we believe what St. Paul Lutheran Church believes, we promise to make Jesus known to our neighbors, to put our talents to work for His Kingdom, and to walk in the ways of our Lord.**

P: Do you confirm the faith of St. Paul Lutheran Church?

Class: **We confirm that what St. Paul Lutheran Church believes, teaches, and confesses is what we believe, teach, and confess. We desire to be recognized as fellow members of this congregation and have fellowship with her sister congregations around the world.**

P: We rejoice with thankful hearts that you have been baptized and have received the teaching of the Lord. You have confessed the faith taught and believed by St. Paul Lutheran Church. As you continue to hear the Lord's Word and receive His blessed Sacrament, He who has begun a good work in you will bring it to completion on the day of Jesus Christ. Amen.

(10:30) BLESSING OF EACH CONFIRMAND

P: [Name], the almighty God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given you the new birth of water and of the Spirit and has forgiven you all your sins, strengthen you with His grace to life everlasting.

(10:30) PARENTS' PLEDGE

P: The promises you have heard from the lips of your children need your continued assistance. Therefore I ask you parents: will you encourage them to read the Bible and read the Bible with them? Will you pray for your children and pray with them? Will you bring them to worship every week? Will you be conformed to Christ in order to set them an example as they are conformed to Christ themselves?

Parents: **Yes, with the help of God.**

(10:30) PLEDGE OF THE CONGREGATION (all stand together)

C: **Before You, O God, we pledge to set a Christ-like example for these brothers and sisters in Christ by using Your Word in our homes, attending Bible classes, worshiping together weekly, giving a good witness by receiving Holy Communion often, and working for Your kingdom. Grant us the power of Your Holy Spirit to live the godly life and to assist these young men and women to become, in word and deed, conformed to Christ our Lord.**

(10:30) PRAYER FOR THE CONFIRMED

C: Heavenly Father, we thank and praise You for Your great goodness in bringing these, Your baptized sons and daughters, to the knowledge of their Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. You enable them, both with the heart to believe, and with the mouth to confess His Name. Grant them grace to always bring forth the fruits of faith in their lives. Keep them steadfast in their Lord and Savior until the day, when all who have fought the good fight of faith receive the crown of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE GATHERING OF THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(10:30) CHOIR DURING THE OFFERING “I’ll Keep My Eyes on the Cross”

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P: ...Lord, in Your mercy, C: hear our prayer.

PREPARATION FOR THE LORD’S SUPPER

P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts. C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right ... as we sing these ancient words:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY LW p. 148-149

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; Heav’n and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He, Blessed is He, Blessed is He that comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD’S PRAYER

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

P: The Peace of the Lord be with you always. C: And also with you.

JUST AS I AM LW 359 (vs. 1-3)

**Just as I am, without one plea but that Thy blood was shed for me
and that Thou bidd’st me come to Thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.**

**Just as I am, and waiting not to rid my soul of one dark blot,
To thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.**

**Just as I am, though tossed about with many a conflict, many a doubt,
Fightings and fears within, without, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.**

THE DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN “I Come, O Savior, to Your Table” LW 242

- 1 I come, O Savior, to your table, for weak and weary is my soul;
 You, Bread of Life, alone are able to satisfy and make me whole.
 Lord, may your body and your blood be for my soul the highest good!
- 2 Restless am I and heavy laden, with sin my soul is sore oppressed;
 Receive me graciously and gladden my heart that here is now your guest.
 Lord, may your body and your blood be for my soul the highest good!
- 3 Your heart is filled with fervent yearning that I, a sinner, come to you;
 I, Lord, to your sure mercy turning. My ancient bond of faith renew.
 Lord, may your body and your blood be for my soul the highest good!
- 4 In hope I come to your high table, Your testament of deepest love;
 For, by its grace I now am able to know the heart of God above.
 Lord, may your body and your blood be for my soul the highest good!
- 5 What greater gift can I inherit? It is faith's bonded solid base;
 It is the strength of heart and spirit, The covenant of hope and grace.
 Lord, may your body and your blood be for my soul the highest good!
- 6 Your body crucified, O Savior, Your blood which once for me was shed,
 These are my life and strength forever, by them my hungry soul is fed.
 Lord, may your body and your blood be for my soul the highest good!

DISTRIBUTION HYMN “Christ Is Our Cornerstone” LW 290

- 1 Christ is our cornerstone, on him alone we build;
 with his true saints alone the courts of heav'n are filled.
 On his great love our hopes we place of present grace and joys above.
- 2 Oh, then, with hymns of praise these hallowed courts shall ring;
 our voices we will raise the three in one to sing
 and thus proclaim in joyful song both loud and long, that glorious name.
- 3 Here, gracious God, do now and evermore draw near;
 accept each faithful vow, and ev'ry suppliant hear.
 In copious show'r on all who pray each holy day Your blessing pour.
- 4 Here may we gain from heav'n the grace which we implore,
 and may that grace, once giv'n, be with us evermore
 until that day when all the blest to endless rest are called away.

THE SONG OF SIMEON

(TLH p. 29)

As we have held the salvation of the world in our hands when we ate and drank Jesus' body and blood, let us now join our voices in song with Simeon, who also held the salvation of the world in his hands when he held the infant Jesus:

**Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy Word,
For mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,
which Thou has prepared before the face of all people,
A light to lighten the Gentiles and the Glory of Thy people Israel.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

THE BENEDICTION

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. May the Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. **C: Amen.**

HYMN “Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven” LSB 477

- 1 Alleluia, alleluia! Hearts to heav’n and voices raise;
Sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise;
He who on the cross a victim for the world’s salvation bled-
Jesus Christ, the King of glory, now is risen from the dead.**
- 2 Alleluia, Christ is risen! Death at last has met defeat;
see the ancient pow’rs of evil in confusion and retreat;
once he died, and once was buried; now he lives forevermore,
Jesus Christ, the world’s Redeemer, whom we worship and adore.**
- 3 Alleluia, alleluia! Glory be to God on high;
Alleluia to the Savior who has gained the victory;
Alleluia to the Spirit, fount of love and sanctity!
Alleluia, alleluia to the triune Majesty!**

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FAMILY ROOM AVAILABLE DURING WORSHIP. Parents, our Family Room is open for you with quiet toys, one way glass, a changing table, and bathroom.

BIBLE BAGS are available for small children to use during the service. They are located on tree coat racks by each entrance. Please remember to put back on the coat rack when finished so someone else can use them too. If you accidentally took one home please bring back to church for future children to enjoy.

ACOLYTES Early: Bailey Baumgart & Hudson Drummond, Late: Julius Reichle & Joe Sitter

GREETER Early: Kevin & Patricia Herrmann, Late: Sharon & Scott Spiegelberg

CAMERA Emma Sitter

USHERS Early: Erich Hintz, Roger Suehs & Bill Sitter
Late: Scott Spiegelberg, Tim Drath & Mitch Patri, Monday: Bruce Scheller

STUDENT USHERS Early: Julia & Josh Seeger, Late: Liberty Schertz & Kelsey Behnke

ALTAR GUILD Early: Linda Friday, Late: Linda Much
Monday: Betty Klotzbuecher & Judy Raffin

FELLOWSHIP Linda Friday

ATTENDANCE Last Week Thursday – 11 + Sunday Early—188 + Late—166 +
Monday - 18 = 383

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD April 22nd deposit \$18,511.40. General—\$8,505.14; Loose Offering - \$532.25; Missions - \$203.00; Cards - \$16.00; Fellowship - \$15.00; Refund - \$142.72; Screens - \$2,000.00; PALS - \$500.00; Floor Scrubber - \$3,500.00; Facilities - \$30.00; School - \$1,910.23; Hot Lunch - \$1,157.06; EFT's General - \$275.00.

A BIG THANK YOU to all those that came and helped with our annual spring clean-up! Some cleaning was done in church, and outside the leaves, brush, and lawn all got raked and cleaned up. Many hands made light work, thank you!

THANK YOU to Men's Club for using Fish Fry profits to donate \$3,500.00 to school floor scrubber & \$2,000.00 for church screens.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING for Rita Schefelker celebrating 98 years of blessings on May 2nd. If you would like to send her a birthday card her address is Rita Schefelker, 950 Cty. Hwy. QQ Apt. 203, Waupaca, WI 54981

(Saturday) **BAPTISMS** Beckham Dean Marks & Maizie Violet Marks children of Jeremiah Marks & Brooke Zimmermann. Maizie sponsors were Heidi Moen & Clint Breitzman. Beckham sponsors were Tanner Breitzman & Bethany Zimmermann.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE St. Paul Lutheran Church Thurs., May 2 2:00 p.m.

PASTOR REICHLER CONSIDERING CALL TO ALEXANDRIA, MN. Zion Lutheran Church and School voted on April 7th to call Pastor Reichle to be their senior pastor. Please pray for him, his family, St. Paul here in Manawa, and Zion there in Alexandria. Pastor welcomes your conversation and counsel. Pastor hopes to announce the decision on May 19th.

QUARTERLY VOTERS' MEETING MINUTES from April 21st are available in back of church.

YOUTH BIBLE STUDY Join us in the Youth Room Sundays at 9:30 a.m. for the opportunity to grow in God's Word and in community with each other! Our topic is "We are Chosen: The book of Ephesians." Parents, this is a great time for you to grow in the Word at Adult Bible Study with Pastor! Talk to Deaconess Christiana if you have questions: 414-218-9478 (call/text) or christianaewert@gmail.com

FOR SALE – ALL OCCASION HOMEMADE CARDS in the hallway by the fellowship room. \$2 each or 3 for \$5, all money from the card sales will be donated to the church & school.

SCRIP PROGRAM has gift cards for sale in the church office during office hours.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets on Tuesdays at **8:30 a.m.** in the Parlor at the back of church. We are studying the book of Ephesians. Don't worry if you missed a week. You're welcome to join any time. Please bring your kids if needed! Contact Deaconess Christiana: 414-218-9478 (call/text) or christianaewert@gmail.com

ST. PAUL HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH - Youth Group will meet Wednesday, May 1st & 15th, 7:00-8:00 p.m. Please fill out this Google form so that we can get you info, updates, and reminders! http://bit.ly/stpaul_youth Contact Deaconess Christiana: 414-218-9478 (call/text) or christianaewert@gmail.com with questions.

ST. PAUL VBS 2024 Vacation Bible School is coming July 8-11, 2024, 9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.! VBS is for ages 3 (potty trained)-6th grade (just completed). All are welcome to this FREE event that includes Bible stories, games, music, crafts, snacks, and more! If you would like to register kids or as a volunteer, please pick up a form in the back of church and return completed registration forms to the church office. Online registration is also available: <https://vbsmate.com/events/stpaulmanawawi/28653>
Contact Deaconess Christiana with questions: (920) 596-2837 or christianaewert@gmail.com

CHOIR PRACTICE Sunday, April 28th between worship services.

ST. PAUL QUILTERS are in need of plain colored bed sheets of any size. Thank you Quilters.

ST. PAUL GOLF OUTING & FUNDRAISER May 19th at Cedar Springs. 12:30 Shotgun start for 4-person 9-hole scramble, 4:00 social hour, 5:00 Buffet Dinner, 6:00 Raffle drawings & golf awards. \$60 per golfer & \$35 non-golfer. Proceeds for flag and prayer walk area.

AMISH PANCAKE BREAKFAST & BAKE SALE Saturday, May 4th from 7:00-10:00 a.m. Located at Pigeon River School, E6778 Neitzke Road, Marion. All proceeds to Amish Schools.

This Week's Opportunities (April 28th – May 5th)

Sunday..... Worship w/Communion 8:15 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
.....Sunday School 3 yrs.-8th grade 9:20-10:20 a.m.
.....New Membership Classes 9:30-10:15 a.m.
.....Youth Bible Study 9:30-10:20 a.m.
.....Choir practice between worship
Monday Worship w/Communion 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday Women's Bible Study 8:30 a.m.
.....Quilting 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday High School Youth Group 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Thursday National Day of Prayer 2:00 p.m.
.....Ladies Aid 3:00 p.m.
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