

West St. Olaf Lutheran Church

70640 260th Avenue – Hayfield, MN

October 24, 2021: 22nd Sunday after Pentecost

Pastor Paul Thompson Organist: Pat Nelson



WELCOME! WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE VISITING!

If you're visiting, please sign our guestbook in the narthex.
Worship times rotate monthly between East & West St. Olaf.

OFFERING: You may place your offering into the offering plate as you leave (*no offering plates are passed, due to Covid*).

OCTOBER WORSHIP SCHEDULE



WEST 9:00 am Worship (*coffee after church*)

BOTH 10:00 am West Jam, East SS, and coffee hours

EAST 11:00am Worship (*coffee before church*)

[Confirmation is next Sunday, Oct. 31 at both churches]

THANK YOU TO THOSE SERVING US

WELCA Chair(s): Nancy P., Sharon G. (Oct.)

Altar Guild: Mary Brandt, Sandy Iverson (Oct.)

Acolytes: Ushers are covering

Readers: Oct 24 - Carma Bjornson

Ushers: Ushers: Pete Danielson organizing volunteers

Deacon: October - Carma Bjornson

Stewardship: October - Heather Bamlet

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadline for bulletin information – Wednesdays by 7:30 pm.

Submit any newsletter info by about the 20th of each month.

TODAY'S READINGS & INTRO'S: for Oct. 24

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 31:7-9 *This passage speaks not only of the southern kingdom, Judah, and its homecoming from exile in Babylon, but also of the northern kingdom ("Israel" or "Ephraim") and its*

restoration. The northern tribes of Israel had been lost in exile to Assyria more than a century before Jeremiah prophesied.

PSALM: Psalm 126

SECOND READING: Hebrews 7:23-28 *Human priests of old offered sacrifice for their own sins and served only until their death. In contrast, Jesus is God’s Son, the holy, sinless, resurrected high priest. Death did not terminate his priestly service, but through his death he has interceded for our sins.*

GOSPEL: Mark 10:46-52 *Bartimaeus comes to Jesus with faith, asking that he might see again. Recognizing Jesus’ identity, Bartimaeus is the first person to call him “Son of David” in the Gospel of Mark.*

CORRECTION ON SERVICE TIMES!

Confirmation services next Sunday are:

WEST at 9:00 am – EAST at 11:00 am

Parents of Fall Confirmands: Photo session for fall confirmands will be **THIS Wednesday, October 27th, starting at West church at 7:00 pm. >>>There are order forms on the table in the narthex for ordering your confirmation photos. >>> Confirmation is next Sunday.**

WEST: HERITAGE DAY & MINI MARKET PLACE

Nov. 7th Heritage Day coffee hour begins at 9:30 am, serving Scandinavian treats. West JAM will join us at 10:00 am to learn to make some of the Scandinavian treats. Coffee donations will go to the Heritage Assoc. In conjunction with Heritage Days, we will have a mini version of Market Place where you can purchase lefse, baked goods, crafts and quilts. We would appreciate if you would bring your items for the sale to the chapel from 3-5:00 pm, Sat., Nov. 6th so we can display and price them before Sunday morning. Thank you.

HAPPENING TODAY & THIS WEEK

Today	9:00 am	West worship
	10:00 am	West JAM / East S.S., and coffee at both churches
	11:00 am	East worship
Monday	9-noon	Pastor at office
Tuesday	9:00 am	West quilting/sack lunch
	10:00 am	East quilting/sack lunch

Wednesday	9:00 am 7:00 pm	West quilting/sack lunch <u>ONLY confirmands meet tonight: PHOTO SESSION at WEST for all being confirmed on October 31st</u>
Thursday	9-noon -----	Pastor at office <u>NEWSLETTER VOLUNTEER DAY (9:10-print, 9:30-fold, 9:45-collate)</u>
Friday 10/31	----- 9:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	Pastor's day off-work <u>BOTH: CONFIRMATION SUNDAY</u> West worship/Holy Communion & Rite of Confirmation West JAM / East S.S. and coffee at both churches East worship/Holy Communion & Rite of Confirmation

COMING UP AT EAST & WEST

Nov. 1 (Mon.)	9:00-Noon	Pastor at office
Nov. 2 (Tue.)	10:00 am 6:00 pm	East quilting/sack lunch East church council meeting
Nov. 3 (Wed.)	7:00 pm	BOTH-Confirmation class at West
Nov. 4 (Thu.)	9:00-Noon	Pastor at office
Nov. 5 (Fri.)	-----	Pastor's day off-work
Nov. 6 (Sat.)	3-5:00 pm	<u>West - Drop off items at chapel (for pricing for the mini Market Day)</u>
Nov. 7 (Sun.)	9:00 am 10:00 am <u>9:30 am</u> 11:00 am PM	<u>Parsonage Committee opens bids today - for parsonage farmland for rent</u> East worship/communion <u>East SS - Cards for a Veteran</u> East coffee hour <u>West Heritage Day coffee hour and making goodies with JAM students PLUS mini Market Place</u> West worship/communion and JAM sings in worship service <u>Pastor goes to theological conference</u>

TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

West Prayers: Martha Beaver, Mike Peterson, Ron Dolezan (*Heather Bamlet's dad*), Marian Larson, Diane Himle, Scott Larsen (*friend of Tina Baudoin*), Darlene Hanson, Kelly Keckhafer, Boyd Pew, Joann Tiegen, Cindy Senjem, Philip Senjem, and Matt Miller (*nephew of Carma Bjornson*). **Those serving in our military:** Erika Smith - (*granddaughter of Carma & Ardean Bjornson*), and Tully Hovda (*son of Todd & Cathy Hovda*).

East Prayers: John (*cousin of Pat Nelson*), Peggy Andreason, Bill Fritts, Maryann Schultz, Sylvia Torstenson, **Viola Olson**, Steve Jensen, Julie Andreason, Heidi Guenius (*cousin of Becky Brakke*), Dale Boelter, David Distad, Sally Iverson, Carol Severson, and John Heydt (*brother of Pat Nelson*).

CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION

PASTOR Paul Thompson: (*Please call before driving to the office.*)

Cell Phone: 507-273-8504 **Email:** pthomp821@gmail.com

Office hours: Monday and Thursday

9:00 am-Noon... OR by appointment (*Day off-work is Friday*)

SECRETARY Gina Moser: (*Please call before driving to the office.*)

Office Phone: 507-365-8222 **Cell Phone:** 507-951-4964

Emails: eastwest@kmtel.com AND certainty@kmtel.com

Please send all emails for Gina to both of her email addresses.

Office Hours: Tues. & Thursdays 10:00 am-Noon

OUR WEBSITES: eaststolaf.org OR weststolaf.org

OUR JANITORIAL SERVICE: Becky Wilbourne 507-923-5845

COUNCIL CONTACT INFORMATION:

President: Debbie Schuck - Primary: 251-7051, House: 477-2655

Vice President: Dee Rabehl - Cell: 696-0796

Head Deacon: Sheryl Wohlers - House: 365-8816, Cell: 259-5974