

BIBLE STUDIES

NEW FOLLOWING THE PROMISE CLASS

Join Pastor Nate for 12 weeks of Bible study on Tuesdays, 7:00 – 8:15 pm, to explore the truths of the Bible. Guests and members are welcome to attend in-person, live online, or after-the-fact on YouTube. This class serves as a path to membership for those who are interested. To sign up, contact Pastor Nate by texting him at 414-426-8236 or emailing him at nstrobel@stpmuskego.org.

FIX YOUR EYES ON JESUS – A GREAT STUDY FOR BRIDGE ATTENDERS!

Sundays from 9:15 to 9:55 am, Joel Smith leads a short Bible study in a classroom in the school. This shortened study allows participants to enjoy God’s Word and attend the weekly Bridge Communion at 10:00 am. If you are a parent of a 3K to 5th grade student, your child can attend Kids Club during that time. For more information, contact Joel at 414-364-0291 or tuesdaywithgod@gmail.com.

NEXT GRACE ROOM BIBLE STUDY

JINGJIAO: THE CHALLENGES OF BRINGING CHRISTIANITY TO MEDIEVAL CHINA

This three-part Bible Study will tell the amazing story of how Christians from the Middle East brought the gospel to China AD 635-1375. Besides introducing the missionaries, the texts, and the archaeological artifacts of early Christian China, we will examine the challenges encountered in putting the Good News into forms understandable to the Chinese populace. Led by Dr. Glen Thompson, this study will meet in the Grace Room on Sundays at 9:30 am and will run September 15 – 29. Dr. Thompson will also have copies of his book available for purchase for \$25.

CHECK OUT THE LIBRARY KIOSK – WORLD MISSIONS

To coincide with the upcoming Grace Room Bible Study on Early Christianity in China, the library kiosk features books on world missions. One of the books featured is *Bloom Where God Plants You* by Rebecca Wendland that shares the ups and downs of life and ministry in Malawi, Africa. The featured novel is *Secrets She Kept*, which is a story set in the Holocaust that weaves the redemptive powers of the cross amid unimaginable loss and betrayal.

THURSDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Be prepared to cope when tough times come along by trying out the St. Paul’s Thursday Ladies Bible Study, at 9:30 am, in the Hope Room. They are studying the book, “You Can Trust God When Life Happens,” by Time of Grace author, Amber Albee Swenson. This is a group that is serious about growing their faith and getting deeper into God’s Word, all while enjoying each other’s company and finding ways to help those in need.

PROVIDENCE AND PROPHECY: AN ONLINE STUDY OF DANIEL

What is going to happen tomorrow? Despite all our effort and our best guesses, every human being must humbly confess, “I don’t know.” But God knows. In the life of Daniel—the prophet, the statesman, the sage, God demonstrated that he guides the events of this world, and that he knows what will happen tomorrow. Who better to trust than the LORD, the God of providence and prophecy? This Bible Study takes place Tuesdays at 7:00 pm via Zoom and Canvas online learning platform, beginning September 17. To register, scan the QR code or email Dave@thebridgemke.org.



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WAYS TO GET CONNECTED

PARENT DATE NIGHT HELP NEEDED

If you're interested in supporting marriages at St. Paul's, one way to do that is by volunteering to watch children in the Trinity Gym during "Parent Date Nights." We are planning two this fall, October 12 and November 23, 5:45 – 8:45 pm. If you're interested in helping, contact Principal Seth Fitzsimmons at sfitzsimmons@stpmuskego.org.

PROVIDE A FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER AT LIGHTHOUSE

Serving dinners to community youth is a big part of Lighthouse and its programming. The kids look forward to these dinners and many times bring friends along. This is a great service project for a small group or a group of friends. Scan the QR code to sign up to serve. For questions, contact Lighthouse Youth Center Director Zach Klement at zach.klement@lighthouseyouthcenter.com.

FRIENDS OF THE SEMINARY DAY

You are invited to Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary on Saturday, October 12, to learn more about the vital mission of the seminary. Presentations highlight how faculty and students serve Christ on and off the campus. A tour of the campus is also available. For planning purposes, please reserve your seat by contacting Leah Leyrer at leah.leyrer@wisluthsem.org or 262-242-8100.

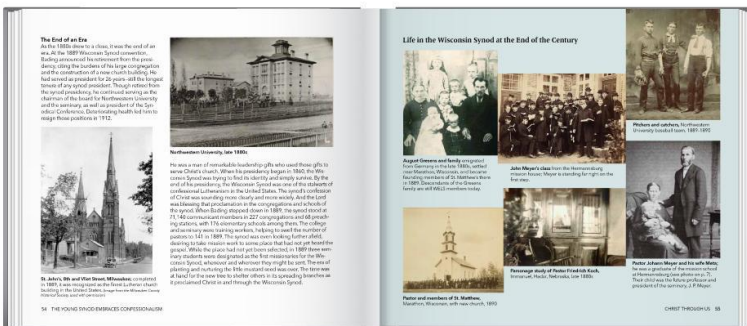
“OUR DUAL CITIZENSHIP”

Christians are citizens of two realms in this life. These realms have been given names such as “church and state.” What does this mean for us to have this dual citizenship and how do we live faithfully in both realms? Join Wisconsin Lutheran College Theology Professors Dr. Michael Berg, Dr. Wade Johnston, and Prof. Jason Oakland for this seminar on Saturday, October 12, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm, at St. John’s Lutheran in Mukwonago.

WELS 175TH ANNIVERSARY PICTORIAL HISTORY BOOK

In honor of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod celebrating 175 years, a limited-edition hardcover book filled with captivating images and fascinating stories is being planned. For guaranteed availability, place your

order by September 30 and receive 20% off the cover price. This is a pre-order campaign and the book itself will be coming early summer 2025. If interested in receiving one of these books, mark the back of your Connection Card or visit online.nph.net/175annivbook to place your order today.



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WEEKLY CALENDAR

For the week of September 16, 2024

MON	9:40 am	Walking Group (Trinity Gym)
	6:00 pm	Dartball League (The Bridge MKE)
	6:00 pm	DivorceCare Support Group (Faith Room)
	6:30 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal (Main Church)
TUE	9:40 am	Walking Group (Trinity Gym)
	4:30 pm	Public School Catechism
	6:00 pm	Adult Handbell Rehearsal (Main Church)
	7:00 pm	Following the Promise Bible Class (School Rm #8)
	7:30 pm	Woodwind Ensemble Rehearsal (Church Basement)
WED	9:45 am	Reading Buddies (Trinity Café)
THUR	9:00 am	Full Armor of God Bible Study (Faith Room)
	9:30 am	Thursday Ladies Bible Study (Hope Room)
	9:40 am	Walking Group (Trinity Gym)
	6:30 pm	Traditional Worship Service
FRI	8:15 am	School Chapel (Main Church)
SAT	8:00 am	God's Guys Breakfast Bible Study (Grace Room)
	9:45 am	Brass Ensemble Rehearsal (Grace Room)
	3:00 pm	Mikayla Rivera and Isaac Guillama Wedding (Union Grove)
	5:00 pm	Traditional Worship Service
SUN	8:00 am	Traditional Worship Service
	9:30 am	Traditional Worship Service
	9:30 am	Grace Room Bible Study
	9:30 am	Kids Club
	10:00 am	The Bridge and The Bridge MKE Communion
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KNOWN TO BE HOSPITALIZED

Mitchell Paddock (Elmbrook), Roger Scholbe (Waukesha), and Helen Lynch (LindenGrove Waukesha).

ATTENDANCE

The following attended last week's services: 27 on Thursday, 101 on Saturday, 128 on Sunday 8:00 am, 307 on Sunday 9:30 am, 264 at The Bridge, and 47 at The Bridge MKE.



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