



St. John's Lutheran Church *March, 2023*

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Monday - Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Call for an appointment with Pastor Stacy.



Gather Grow Go





Dear Friends,

Our midweek Lent services will reflect on "Senselessness." We will celebrate our midweek worship with pastors from Atonement Lutheran, St. John's Lutheran, Trinity Lutheran, and Good Shepherd, all of Green Bay. Each pastor has chosen their scriptures and hymns of the day and will reflect on the incarnational spirit of Lent and how it breaks apart the "Senselessness" of Jesus' death and resurrection. We know God exists beyond our understanding of time, space and our senses. Confirmation students often have questions, as do we adults, about an understanding of who God is in our lives when we cannot see God, yet we know God is there. God is omnipresent, always present everywhere.

We reflect on our senses, not in a traditional sense, but in the sense of incarnation: balance, time, propriety, space, and loss. This can almost feel abstract to how we understand our senses. Reflect on the sense of our Lenten journey with Jesus to the cross: through his ministry, into Holy Week, and to the resurrection and into heaven. Put yourself in the shoes of the disciples in Jesus' day and consider the context, the setting, to which he was in, and then consider your journey today.

⁸Let me hear of your steadfast love in the morning, for in you I put my trust. Teach me the way I should go, for to you I lift up my soul.

⁹Save me, O Lord, from my enemies; I have fled to you for refuge.

¹⁰Teach me to do your will, for you are my God. Let your good spirit lead me on a level path.

¹¹For your name's sake, O Lord, preserve my life. In your righteousness bring me out of trouble.

Psalm 143:8-11

As you journey through Lent and consider your fasting, think of something that you have felt takes too much of your time or does not give you fulfillment. As the journey takes us closer to the cross, consider what you might put in its place that would be pleasing to our Father in heaven. Did you know that Luther prayed so much that beside the bed, in his home, he wore knee marks into his wooden floor?

I have challenged our confirmation students, who will affirm their baptism at our Palm Sunday celebration, to open their Small Catechism to Luther's morning and evening prayer on a daily basis, and to take note how they feel as they do this. It should become just as easy as saying our Lord's Prayer, which we all have done and learned with repetition. In time you will notice a change in how you feel making this part of your daily life. In your prayer, feel and hear God teaching and leading you on a level path. It will change your day and your life.

God be with you as you give, fast, and pray in your Lenten journey.

Peace,
Pastor Stacy



President's REPORT

“But we your people . . . will give thanks to you forever; from generation to generation, we will recount your praise.”

Ps. 79:13

Dear Members and Friends,

Sesquicentennial: a period of 150 years. (I looked it up: Sesqui- means one and a half.) A big word for a big milestone. And that's what St. John's is celebrating this year on September 24. Preliminary planning has begun. We need help, ideas... we need you! If you are able to lend a hand with the anniversary planning, please tell Pastor, any Council member or the church office.

As we came out of Covid, the total responsibility for counting and depositing the offerings had fallen on our treasurer, which is unfair, but he was a blessing for St. John's. In-person attendance has grown, so the money counter rotation will be restarted. This is good business practice as well as protection for the treasurer's position. If you want to volunteer, please let us know. A schedule will be created. Barb Dorn has offered to be the Counter Coordinator. The goal is to have this in place by mid-March at the latest.

Last year we approved establishing an endowment fund with an initial deposit recommendation of \$75,000 from the parsonage sale. During 2023 budget preparation, this was placed on hold as we, like many churches, wrestled with financial reality. At the February Council meeting it was agreed to invest \$25,000 in the endowment and proceed with cautious optimism on future investments. As we continue to reactivate teams, we are focusing on Outreach (formerly known as Evangelism) and Stewardship. If you would like to know more about, or are interested in serving on these teams, please let us know. Teams that are up and running can always use additional help, too!

Thank you and thank God for all who have said “Here I am, Lord, send me.” Your work, time and supportive prayers are greatly appreciated. It is God's people, by His grace, guided by the Holy Spirit, who have kept St. John's alive Generation to Generation.

In Christ,
Betty Stevens



2023 New Church Council Members

Barb Dorn: Member of St. John's Lutheran Church for over 35 years. I am married to Andy and together we have 2 daughters, Suann and Robin, and 7 ½ grandchildren. I am a CPA Tax Expert for Intuit TurboTax and I also coordinate the RV & Boat Show at EAA Oshkosh. *Hobbies and Interests:* I spend most of my time working, but I also enjoy time spent with my parents, daughters and grandchildren. *What do you see as the three top challenges facing our faith community as we look to the next five years?* Attracting new and retaining current members; Keeping peace within the congregation during tough times; Finding ways to bring back youth and millennial members. *Why are you interested in serving on the church council?* I care about the church body and think that serving on Council will strengthen my faith.

Michelle Marchand: Member of St. John's Lutheran for 11 years. I'm a self-employed hairstylist renting a chair in a salon for the past 23 years. I have 2 sons, Collin – 14 and Eli—12 ½. *Hobbies and Interests:* Reading, movies, spending time with friends. Hanging with my kids. Seeing live music and plays, walking, scrapbooking and cardmaking. *Which of our ministries do you consider effective, life-giving, and faithful to the gospel?* Brotherhood and WELCA, Great way to get many people in church involved. *What do you see as the three top challenges facing our faith community as we look to the next five years?* Covid Virus; Lack of younger people in church – growth for the future. *Why are you interested in serving on the church council?* Helping the church grow. I used to volunteer pre-children. I'm wanting to get back into it. Thought church was a good place to put energy. I feel like sometimes I have ideas. This way, they get heard.

Rob Urbaniak: Member of St. John's Lutheran Church for 20 years prior to returning 1.5 years ago. I am married to Ann Urbaniak and together we have two daughters, Jenny Yakes and Nikky Urbaniak. I've worked at Laforce Incorporated for 34 years in the hardware purchasing department. *Hobbies and Interests:* I enjoy reading, gardening, woodworking, music and grilling. *Which of our ministries do you consider effective, life-giving, and faithful to the gospel?* The community of family and friends is strong and supportive. The past few years have been difficult, and St. John's remains together. *What do you see as the three top challenges facing our faith community as we look to the next five years?* Rebuilding the education programs, especially Sunday School; Putting an emphasis on stewardship to put the church on a sound financial footing; Community and world outreach should be a higher priority. *Why are you interested in serving on the church council?* I would like to be involved in the rebuilding of the Sunday School program. We also need a warm and inviting space to welcome young families to join our congregation.

2023 Council Information:

Betty Stevens- President
Tracey Krumrei- Vice President
Shellie Virtues- Secretary
Steve Larsen- Treasurer
Pastor Stacy Malzhan

Curt Anschutz- Building & Grounds Liaison
Barb Dorn- Technology Team Liaison
Sara Beth Holman- Stewardship Team Liaison
Michelle Marchand- Outreach Team Liaison
Rob Urbaniak- Youth & Education Team Liaison

Special Church Events



Peggy Miller-Ponschock

On Sunday, February 12th, we welcomed Peggy into membership.

We are so happy to have you as part of our St. John's Family!



Congratulations to Landin Michael Grun (great-grandson of Fran & Caroline Koski) who was welcomed into the body of Christ in the waters of Baptism on Saturday, February 18, 2023.



Kenna Drew Krumrei

Born to Cole & Kayla Krumrei on February 20, 2023

***Congratulations to Cole & Kayla and Kenna's proud grandparents,
Tracey and Pamela Krumrei!***



Classes take place following Worship each Sunday, from 10:15-11:00 in the Education Wing.

For Preschool through 4th Grade, we are using the Spark Lectionary Sunday School Curriculum, so our children are learning more about the same topics Pastor Stacy is discussing in her sermons each week!

Our 5th & 6th Graders are learning from the Connect Curriculum, led by Rob & Ann Urbaniak.

Please see The Urbaniak Family, Pastor Stacy or Karie Peters if you are interested in helping to lead our children in their Growing Faith. No weekly commitments- help when you are available!

Our children will be blessed for all time given.



Vacation Bible School



On Sale Now in our Narthex!

**Candy bars are cash & carry.
\$2.00 each**

**All proceeds go to support this year's
Vacation Bible School!**

Please make checks payable to: St. John's LYO.



~The LYO is open to all Teens grades 6th through 12th Grades~

The LYO is back!

Breakfast Club is back!

Super fun Bible Studies, lock-ins, special events, youth gatherings & events ARE BACK!

Here's what's coming up:

Mid-Week Lenten Worship Services (Worship attendance required)

Simple Supper, 5:30-6:30 pm Worship, 6:30-7:30 pm

Wednesday, March 1

Wednesday, March 8

Wednesday, March 15

Wednesday, March 22

Wednesday, March 29



The LYO will be hosting the Lenten Mid-week Simple Supper on Wednesday, March 1. Families, please arrive at 5:00 p.m. to assist with cooking, set-up & serving.

LYO Bible Study

Sunday, March 19, 2023

Following Worship in the LYO Room downstairs

Breakfast Club Outing!

Saturday, March 11th; 8:00 a.m. - Noon

We will be gathering for breakfast and then volunteering at:

Oconto Humane Society.

Club takes place from 8-noon.

Meet at church at 8:00 a.m.

Travel to a local restaurant for breakfast.

Volunteer from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Return to church at Noon.

Email, text or call Miss Karie to sign up no later than March 5th to participate.



If you are graduating or have a graduate in your family, please let the church office know so that we may recognize this accomplishment!

You may reach us by email at stjohnsls@stjohnlittlesuamico.org or by calling (920) 826-7785.

Please notify the church office no later than Sunday, April 30th.

Thank you!

A link for the Graduate Information Form is below:

https://stjohnlittlesuamico-my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/stjohnsls_stjohnlittlesuamico_org/EYWCMt1LxVJLogcMYJyUz18BOGSxG0xhnRgqqLA-bSVh3A?e=L4iuIQ

Ministries & OUTREACH



Oconto County Commission on Aging Meal Site

**St. John's Lutheran Church
1253 County Road J
Little Suamico, WI**

Tuesdays & Thursdays
Please join us for fellowship and a delicious meal.
11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Meal at Noon.

Meals are available to everyone 60 and older.
If your spouse is younger, the meal is also available to them.

**Reservations and appointments can be made by calling the church
office at (920) 826-7785.**

Dine in or order Meals to Go.

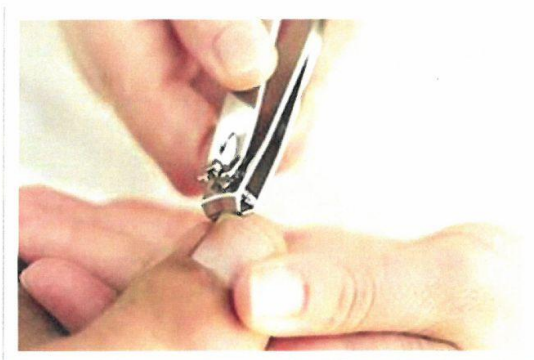
Do you like to go out to eat but can't afford it these days? We have a solution!

The Oconto County Commission on Aging has reopened their meal site at St. John's Lutheran Fellowship Hall. Please join us for a hot meal with old friends and meet new friends. If you wish, play a zippy game of cribbage, work on a jigsaw puzzle or enjoy a quiet conversation. The hall is open on Tuesdays & Thursdays from 11:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., with the meal served at Noon. The suggested donation is \$4.00 per meal. **Residents of Northern Brown County may also utilize the site if Little Suamico is closer to them than a site in Brown County.** Use the south parking lot and come in through the barrier-free entry.

Join us for fellowship, fun and a hot meal- and meet Dawn, the meal site manager!

March Oconto County Commission on Aging, Inc. Menu 2023

Menus are Subject to Change				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Office - 920-834-7707 Oconto - 920-834-7709 Kitchen - 920-855-2066 Suring - 920-842-4113		1 Clam Chowder Egg Salad Sandwich Cookie Pudding Crackers	2 Pizza Burger Chips Baked Beans Fruit Bar	3 Vegetable Lasagna Mixed Vegetables Cookies Fruit
6 Salisbury Steak Mashed Potatoes Corn Fruit	7 Chicken Hot Dish Yellow Beans Pickles Cake	8 Pulled Pork Sandwich HorseRadish Sauce German Potatoe Salad Sauerkraut Fruit	9 Beef Stew Biscuit Cottage Cheese Peach Half Brownie	10 Mac & Cheese Fish Nuggets Tarter Sauce Baked Beans Fruit
13 Chicken Chop Suey Rice Oriental Vegetables Fruit Fortune Cookie	14 Meatballs & Gravy Mashed Potatoes Peas and Onions Pudding	15 Hamburger on a Bun Coleslaw Potato Salad Cheesecake w Strawberry	16 Ham Sweet Potatoes Green Bean Casserole Applesauce	17 Baked Fish w Tarter Sauce Baked Potatoes Sour Cream Broccoli Cake
20 Chili Ground Meat Sandwich Pie Crackers	21 Chicken Alfredo Green Beans Fruit Cookie	22 Cooks Choice	23 Breakfast Egg Bake Hot Apples Sausage Danish	24 Crab Cakes Creamed Peas Boiled Potatoes Fruit
27 Pork Cutlett Stuffing and Gravy Beets Fruit	28 Spaghetti & Meatsauce Winter Blend Veggies Yougurt Garlic Bread	29 Hot Dog on Bun Chips Pork and Beans Cookie	30 Cooks Choice	31 Hearty Vegetable Soup Tuna Sandwich Pie Crackers



***Oconto County Commission on Aging
Foot Care Clinics***

***St. John's Lutheran Church
1253 County Road J
Little Suamico, WI***

Clinics will take place in the Fellowship Hall (located on the South Side of the building) on the 3rd Tuesday of every other month, beginning at 8:00 a.m., and continue based on clinic use and community need.

The first clinic will be held on March 21st

Appointments are required and may be made by calling the Oconto County Commission on Aging Office directly at (920) 834-7707 or contacting Karie in the St. John's Church Office at (920) 826-7785.

Anyone aged 60 or older wanting foot care (including nail trimming and evaluation of foot health) is eligible.

The suggested donation for foot care is \$20.

OCONTO COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING SENIOR StockBox PROGRAM



AS PART OF THE HUNGER TASK FORCE AND COMMODITY SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM, ST. JOHN'S IS PROUD TO PARTNER WITH OCCOA IN THIS IMPORTANT MINISTRY. A StockBox IS A FREE BOX OF HEALTHY FOOD FOR PEOPLE AGE 60+ WHO HAVE A MONTHLY INCOME OF \$1,473 OR LESS PER MONTH (\$1,984 FOR A TWO-PERSON HOUSEHOLD).

ALL StockBoxes INCLUDE CEREAL, MILK, CANNED VEGGIES AND FRUITS, PASTA OR RICE, PROTEIN, FRUIT JUICE, CANNED MEATS AND 2 POUNDS OF FRESH WISCONSIN CHEESE AND ARE AVAILABLE TO PICK UP HERE AT ST. JOHN'S.

PLEASE CONTACT PASTOR STACY OR KARIE PETERS
IF YOU WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION.



Kingdom Come Food Pantry

Helping Hands, Helping Others

Pray for Kingdom Come Food Pantry and Kingdom Come Resale Shop. The Board of Directors, Managers, Volunteers, and Clients, appreciate your prayers.

Make a financial donation so the programs of Kingdom Come may continue to help others. Donations can be mailed or dropped off at Kingdom Come, 520 N. Locust St., Oconto Falls, WI 54154. Or, you can make a secure online donation through PayPal using a credit card or your PayPal account.

Shop with others in mind and give donations of groceries, personal care and household items or clothing. Leave your donations with any supporting churches or bring them to the pantry site on Tuesdays from 9am-6pm. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call. (920) 604-2729

Donate your time and talents. On Mondays we need workers to repack items, stock shelves, and do other various onsite tasks. On Tuesdays help is needed to assist with registration, stock shelves, walk with clients as they shop, as well as other assorted jobs. If you are interested in volunteering at the Food Pantry or Resale Shop, please contact us by phone, mail, or email to ask questions or let us know you are coming to assist.

Organize a food or personal needs drive with your group or workplace.

What to shop for/donate:

Non-Perishable Foods

Canned Meats	Juice
Canned Fruits	Pasta
Canned Vegetables	Cereal
Boxed Dinners	Tuna
Baked Beans	Eggs
Canned Pasta	Soup/Stew
Peanut Butter	Sugar
Pancake Mixes	Sauerkraut
Cake Mixes	Baking Mixes
Pudding Mix	Jell-O Mixes

Personal Care Items

Body Wash	Bar Soap
Shaving Cream	Razors
Shampoo/Conditioner	Diapers
Toothbrush	Toothpaste
Deodorant	Feminine Products

Household Items

Toilet Tissue	Facial Tissue
Paper Towels	Toilet Brush
Toilet Bowl Cleaner	Napkins
Dish Detergent	All-Purpose Cleaners

Please Note: Food items may be used by Kingdom Come for up to 1 year past the "Best By" date.

There is a shopping cart in the Narthex to collect items as well as a list of items to take along when you go shopping. Thanks to everyone who has donated so far!



Your generous gift to our emergency response fund will deliver urgent support, like temporary shelter and critically needed care and supplies for families who lost their homes. You will reach children, women and men with the

care they need RIGHT NOW, helping them endure immediate hardships and easing their suffering. Please visit donate.lwr.org to give online.

Thank you for sharing your God-given spirit of love.



For Lent this year, we would love to spread some joy to those who are celebrating birthdays in shelters. This fabulous Birthday Cake Box uses a can of soda instead of eggs and oil to easily prepare a delicious birthday cake when ingredients are scarce. What a wonderful surprise for someone to receive!

Please consider assembling a Birthday Cake Box for someone in need. These will be collected during Lent and delivered to local homeless shelters to be distributed.

Boxes should contain:

- 1) 9x13 disposable pan
- 2) Cake Mix
- 3) Frosting
- 4) 1 can of soda
- 5) Birthday Candles
- 6) Paper Napkin or Table Décor or Party Décor that fits in the pan

Mark Your Calendars



Mid-Week Lenten Simple Suppers & Services "Senseless..."



Held in the Fellowship Hall
Simple Supper: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Worship: 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Wednesday, March 1- Pastor Rachel Knoke, *Propriety*
Wednesday, March 8- Pastor Stacy, *Balance*
Wednesday, March 15- Pastor Jen Fite, *Loss*
Wednesday, March 22- Pastor Matt Seegert, *Space*
Wednesday, March 29- Pastor Josh Fite, *Time*



Palm Sunday, April 2, 2023

Worship 9:00 a.m.
Affirmation of Baptism

Maundy Thursday, April 6, 2023

St. John's Lutheran Church
6:30 p.m.

Good Friday, April 7, 2023

Worship 6:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023

Sunrise Easter Worship 7:00 a.m.
Easter Breakfast 8:00 a.m.
Easter Worship 9:00 a.m.



Brown Bag Bible Study
Meets Thursdays in the Conference Room
beginning at 11:00 a.m.
Stay for lunch afterward!
(Please let Pastor Stacy know if you would like to attend.)



Upcoming Meeting Dates (Meetings take place after Worship Service in the Sunday School Wing.)

April 16
 May 7
 July 9
 August 6

September 17
 October 15
 November 12

IRS Book Club

(Indigenous Readers of the Swamp)



Monday, March 20th at 6:30 PM
St. John's Lutheran Church Narthex

We will be discussing the book, *Death Stalks Door County* by Patricia Skalka.

Six deaths mar the holiday mood as summer vacationers enjoy Wisconsin's beautiful Door County peninsula. Murders, or bizarre accidents? Newly hired park ranger Dave Cubiak, a former Chicago homicide detective, assumes the worst but refuses to get involved. Grief-stricken and guilt-ridden over the loss of his wife and daughter, he's had enough of death.

Forced to confront the past, the morose Cubiak moves beyond his own heartache and starts investigating, even as a popular festival draws more people into possible danger. In a desperate search for clues, Cubiak uncovers a tangled web of greed, betrayal, bitter rivalries, and lost love beneath the peninsula's travel-brochure veneer. Befriended by several locals but unsure whom to trust or to suspect of murder, the one-time cop tracks a clever killer.

In a setting of stunning natural beauty and picturesque waterfront villages, *Death Stalks Door County* introduces a new detective series, "The Dave Cubiak Door County Mysteries."

If you have any questions about book club, please ask Jo Ann Risso.

We love to have new members join us!



**American
Red Cross**

Good things happen
when you help.

Join us.

CLARA BARTON | FOUNDER

St. John's of Little Suamico Blood Drive

1253 County Rd J

**Monday, March 6, 2023
12:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.**

For an appointment call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit
RedCrossBlood.org and use sponsor code: [stjohnlittlesuamico](https://RedCrossBlood.org)

You can save up to 15 minutes when you donate blood by using RapidPass! Visit
RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass for more information.

Come give in March and get a \$10 Visa Prepaid Card by email. PLUS, get a chance to win a \$3,000 Visa Prepaid Card to help with gas or grocery expenses! You could be one of five lucky winners. Lend an arm; we'll lend a hand. Terms apply: rcblood.org/help.



Scan to schedule
an appointment.

Donate blood during #RedCrossMonth!

Visit redcrossblood.org, call 1-800-RED CROSS or download the Blood Donor App to schedule an appointment.

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March 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 5:30pm Simple Supper 6:30pm Worship	2 11:00am Brown Bag & Bible Study 11:30am OCCA Meal Site	3 Office Closed	4 6pm AA Meeting
5 9am Worship Service 10:15am Fellowship Hour Sunday School	6 12:30-5:30pm Red Cross Blood Drive 6:30pm Building and Grounds Team Meeting	7 11:30am OCCA Meal Site	8 5:30pm Simple Supper 6:30pm Worship	9 11:00am Brown Bag & Bible Study 11:30am OCCA Meal Site	10 Office Closed	11 8am LYO Breakfast Club 6pm AA Meeting
12 9am Worship Service 10:15am Fellowship Hour Sunday School	13 5:30pm Worship Team Meeting	14 11:30am OCCA Meal Site 6:30pm Council Mtg	15 5:30pm Simple Supper 6:30pm Worship	16 11:00am Brown Bag & Bible Study 11:30am OCCA Meal Site	17 St. Patrick's Day Office Closed	18 6pm AA Meeting
19 9am Worship Service 10:15am Fellowship Hour Sunday School WELCA Meeting LYO Bible Study	20 6:30pm IRS Book Club	21 11:30am OCCA Meal Site Foot Clinic	22 5:30pm Simple Supper 6:30pm Worship	23 11:00am Brown Bag & Bible Study 11:30am OCCA Meal Site	24 Office Closed Articles for Newsletter Due	25 6pm AA Meeting
26 9am Worship Service 10:15am Fellowship Hour Sunday School	27	28 11:30am OCCA Meal Site 6:00 pm Y&E Team Meeting	29 5:30pm Simple Supper 6:30pm Worship	30 11:00am Brown Bag & Bible Study 11:30am OCCA Meal Site	31 Office Closed	



- Mar 3 Tyler Hagemeyer, Jeffrey Virtues
Mar 4 Andy Dorn, Sandy Heitzkey,
Lauren Wijas
Mar 5 Brayden Possley
Mar 6 Arlene Matuszewski
Mar 7 Pat Bastian, Lori Krause,
Therese Poradek
Mar 9 Alyssa Cooper, Gracyn McDermid,
Pat Rasmussen, Kelly Stellmacher
Mar 11 Katie Krupp, Kelsey Kutska
Mar 19 Vincent Cahoon-Draus
Mar 21 Lillian Bloom
Mar 22 Tom Lemke
Mar 23 Kimberly Mahr
Mar 28 Todd Holman
Mar 29 Jo Ann Risso
Mar 31 Susan Mittelstaedt



Please help us celebrate a very special birthday!

Arlene Matuszewski, who is now homebound, is celebrating her 97th Birthday on March 6th! We would love to surprise her with birthday cards. If you would like to send her a card, her address is:

Arlene Matuszewski
c/o St. Paul Elder Services, Inc.
312 E Fourteenth Street, Apt. 124
Kaukauna, WI 54130

Service in the Church

MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP SERVICE GROUPS

<p>January Nancy Valentine Eric & Mary Ellen Hansen June Heisler Lorna Koch Michelle Marchand Nancy Moes Bev & Dennis Possley Renee Possley George Zahorik</p>	<p>February John & Mary Warren Ashley Bloom Len & Diana Brickett Doug & Jenn Cassel Scott & Tammy Kissinger Dennis & Peg Mueller Paul & Terri Poradek</p>
<p>March Curt & Sindi Anschutz Mike & Beth Babik Paul Delzer Tim & Julie Eichman Vic & Sandy Heitzkey Mark & Joanne Risso Shari Seidl Rick & Nikki Yedica</p>	<p>April Doug & Helen Malueg Donn & Marie Behling Dan & Kelly Deau Jake & Nicole Dembroski Shaun & Alana Eder Brett & Holly King Tom & Barbara King Todd & Roxanne Kissinger Scott & Amy Spaude</p>
<p>May Pam & Tracey Krumrei Jerry & Sara Arndt Darrell & Carol Brehmer Dan & JMarie Freis Arlene Giese Pam Giese Ralph & Judith Kleczka Fran & Caroline Koski Lisa Rosenberg Rick Rosenberg</p>	<p>June Bill & Lee Hoeft Tim & Brenda Bloom Brian & Natasha Chapman Nick & Kim Dunks Jan Francies Janet Heider Bruce & Betsy Russell Kevin & Wendy Smith Jerry & Kathie Surges The Urbaniak Family Jenny Yakes</p>
<p>July Roger & Eunice Redlin Jim & Joni Holtz Marilee Kazik Bill & Kay Kissinger Bruce & Jan LaSota Megan Raymaker Sam & Brenda Walkowiak Janet Wiegman</p>	<p>August Tim & Karen Heimerl Clayton & Brenda Kutska Robert & Melissa Luedtke Riley & Chuck McDermid Darrell & Chris Naze Ken & Susy Pagel Chad & Kelly Stellmacher Greg & Tammy Yager Ken Yost</p>
<p>September Duayne & Pat Rosenberg Pat Bastian Travis & Renee Falkowski Stephanie Hakkila Jim & Brooke Hilbert Todd & Sara Beth Holman Steve & Angie Larsen Larry Schmidtke Dave Zimmerman</p>	<p>October Dave & Ginny Burkart Joe & Lauri Cahoon-Draus Bill Foster Rob & Nancy Gleffe Bill & Kelly Heier Michael & Kim Mahr Peggy Miller-Ponschock Susan Mittelstaedt Bob & Linda Slaby</p>
<p>November Jerry & Michelle Cooper Andy & Barb Dorn Robin Schmit Dorn Roger & Cheryl Lambert Tom & Chris Lemke Tim & Karie Peters Tyler Sager Diana Sefcik Mike & Barbara Seiltz Beth Wentz</p>	<p>December Pat & Shellie Virtues Peggy Bennett John & Dawn Demeny Doris Fleck Earl & Shirley Habeck Julie Kroupa Sharon Schultz Betty Stevens Brian & Anne Virtues</p>

Thank you to our February 2023 Service Group!

Faithful Servants for March

**Worship Assistants are Needed for March Services.
Please see the sign-up sheet in the Narthex.**

	Sunday March 5	Sunday March 12	Sunday March 19	Sunday March 26	Sunday April 2
Acolytes	Kaydence Harper	Lila Walkowiak	Jack Falkowski	Grace Wagner	Peyton & Easton Eder
Communion Assistants	Bev Possley <i>One Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	Bev Possley <i>One Needed</i>
Communion Steward	Helen Malueg	Ginny Burkart	Lorna Koch	Shellie Virtues	Chris Naze
Greeters	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>
Reader	Nikky Urbaniak	Lauri Cahoon-Draus	Kelly Stellmacher	Nancy Valentine	Duayne Rosenberg
Scrip Volunteers	Steve & Angie Larsen	Steve & Angie Larsen	Steve & Angie Larsen	Steve & Angie Larsen	Steve & Angie Larsen
Ushers	Tracey & Pamela Krumrei Pat & Shellie Virtues	Jerry & Michelle Cooper	John Warren Lorna Koch	Dave Zimmerman Steve & Angie Larsen	Andy Dorn John Warren
Technology Team	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>	<i>Two Needed</i>
Welcome Center	Eunice Redlin	Chris Naze	John Warren	Nancy Valentine	Lee Hoeft

Please let Karie Peters know if you would like to join any Worship Assistant rotations for upcoming services.

We would also like to start a rotation for our Greeters. Please let Karie know if you may be interested in this ministry.

From the Church Office

Lighthouse Newsletter

As you can see, we have adjusted the Lighthouse format from the previous printed version. If you have any feedback, please email the office or leave a note on Karie's desk. We welcome all comments & suggestions!

Please also be mindful of the newsletter deadlines so we can be sure to get all information out to our Congregation in a timely manner.

Thank you for your patience as we find the best procedures for this update!



Now that the Lighthouse is sent online, make sure to update your email with the church so you don't miss any of the important information going out to members . Please either write your information on one of the green cards located in the pews or send an email to the church office. Don't worry, if you do not have an email address- we will still send you the Lighthouse via mail to make sure you receive it each month. Just make sure to let the office know to keep you on the mailing list. Thank you!



Do you have a key to the church? If you do, please send a message to the church office to provide the number on your key so records can be checked and updated.

Thank you to all who have reached out so far!

If you no longer have a need for the key, please return it to the church office.

We appreciate your assistance helping update the records.



Reminder: We are only able to accept aluminum beer or soda cans for our aluminum recycling collection outside. No other cans of any kind, plastic or other recyclables in the collection area by the shed, please. Thank you!

Do We Have Your Email Address?

Are you missing out on important news from St. John's simply because we don't have your email address?

At St. John's, we send out one brief weekly email message called **"This Week at St. John's"** to keep you informed of all the important activities here at church. Occasionally we send a weather-related cancellation or an urgent request for help, but we DO NOT send jokes, chain letters, advertisements or forwarded messages. We don't give out your email to anyone outside of church. You won't end up on any random mailing lists as a result of subscribing.

So... please send us an email so we can add your name to our list!

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Please be sure to send your April Lighthouse submissions to the church office no later than March 24th!

God Bless!