

THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING

SUNDAY March 10th

7:45 Worship H/C
9:00 Education Hour
10:15 Worship H/C
6:00 Women's Bible Study

MONDAY March 11th

6:00 Prayer Time
6:00 School Board Meeting
7:00 Elders Meeting

TUESDAY March 12th

10:00 Women's Bible Study
6:45 Care Ministry Meeting

WEDNESDAY March 13th

10:00 Bethesda Work Day
10:40 Chapel
6:30 JAM/Confirmation/Youth Group
6:30 Board of Christian Ed Meeting

THURSDAY March 14th

9:00 Bible Study
5:30 Soup Supper
7:00 Worship

FRIDAY March 15th

SATURDAY March 16th

SUNDAY March 17th

7:45 Worship H/C
9:00 Education Hour
10:15 Worship H/C



REMEMBER OUR SHUT- INS IN PRAYER
Marlys Zemke-Wellington Place Assisted Living

THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK IN THE LORD'S HOUSE

ELDERS FOR MARCH

Wayne Breitenfeldt & Rick Borchardt

ALTAR GUILD FOR MARCH

Karen & Kelly Roble

USHERS THIS WEEKEND

Gerry & Mary Marquardt~ 7:45
John Christensen

Darrell Ramthun, Jeremy Woller~ 10:15
Dennis Stransky

ACOLYTES THIS WEEKEND

Annabell Fenske~ 7:45
Paxton Benz~ 10:15
March 14th~ Joe Walters

CLEANING TEAM

March 10th-23rd- Neal & Cindi Schalow

A cry room is located by the choir loft steps.

Happy Birthday this week to:

Jeremy Rux (3/10)
Warren Robert Prahll (3/12)
Caiden Klinger (3/11)
Mark Schlund (3/14)
Tracy Benz (3/15)
Brenda Walters (3/16)
Karen Frederick (3/16)
Donna Baumann (3/16)



Happy Anniversary this week to:

There are no Anniversaries this week



God's Blessings on your special day!

The Week March 10th-March 17th 2024

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Our Mission Statement

"St. John Lutheran Church and School is dedicated to worship, love, teach, reach out and care through the love of Christ Jesus."

Please have the announcements into the Church office by Wednesday at 9:00 am. Thank you

ATTENDANCE REPORT	2023	2024
Thursday, February 29th	41	28
Sunday, March 3rd	159	121

BUILDING FUND FINANCIAL STATUS

Contributions received for week of March 3rd, 2024
\$11,050.00

OFFERING LAST WEEK

Envelope & Plate

Week of March 3rd, 2024 \$4404.04

Tuition-\$2950.00 Extended Care-\$78.00

Debt Reduction (To pay Line of Credit Only)-\$1370.00

Line of Credit Balance-\$1528.00

Expenses paid this week \$3951.67

Electronic Giving for week of February 29th

General Fund-\$2823.00 Building Fund-\$122.00

D.C. Everest 4K reimbursement-\$3658.20

Pastor John Stransky's School Year Office Hours

Monday: 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM (in classrooms in morning)

Tuesday: 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM

Wednesday: 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM (school chapel)

5:30 PM to 8:30 PM (confirmation at 6:30)

Thursday: 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM

5:30 PM to 9:00 PM (Church Service at 7:00)

Friday: Off

Saturday: By Appointment

****St. John's Holy Week Schedule****

Maundy Thursday H/C- 7:00 P.M. Worship

Good Friday Worship 1:00 & 7:00 P.M.

Easter Sunday Worship H/C- 6:30 & 9:30 A.M

Memorials received this week: In memory of Sonny Breitenfeldt from Freddy Borchardt and Char Breitenfeldt

THINK SPRING: St. John Church & School Spring Apple Tree Sale is in full swing. These are top of the line bare root trees. 5-7 feet tall. There are nine great varieties to choose from. Superb eating and all-purpose apple trees. All trees listed are \$24.00. Proceeds will go to St. John Church and School. Trees will be available on a first come first serve basis. Trees should arrive middle April, depending on the weather. Order forms are available in the Narthex or go to www.stjohnofwausau.org, click on "Events Section" or "News and Announcement" section. Any questions call Virgil 715-571-7893

The youth group will be serving a light Lenten Supper before midweek services March 14th. Meals will be from sandwiches, soups and casseroles and will include drinks. This will be a free will donation. If you would like to help the youth group out there are sign up sheets available with what each meal is looking for.

Mark your calendars! St. John Annual Fish Fry will be on Friday, March 22nd, 4:00-7:30 P.M. Small, medium or large beer battered fish or shrimp dinner Meals include choice of potato, cole slaw, rye bread, dessert and beverage. Take out orders must be placed in person. Tell you friends and neighbors.



The women of Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid Aniwa and St. John Lutheran Ladies Aid Easton invite you to the LWML Zone 11 Spring Women in Mission Gathering. This will take place at St. John, Saturday, April 13th, 9:15 A.M.-Noon. Registration is \$5.00 beginning at 8:15 with a brunch. Christian Life Topic "Forgiving When You Are Hurt." written by Rev. Howie & Sue Neider and led by Debra Wienke and Deb Lang. Speaker Debby Suchyta from Shared hope International, "Learning about Internet

Safety & Ending Sex Trafficking" Please bring Gifts from the Heart for Neighbors Place. You can also bring stamps for Missions or eye glasses for M.O.S.T. Ministries. Most needed items are canned goods, convenience meals such as hamburger helper and ravioli, cereals, shampoos and soaps and baby items such as diapers and wipes.

You are invited to a powerful musical drama, BOW THE KNEE, at St. Stephens United Church of Christ, 903 E. Second St, Merrill, Saturday, March 16th at 7:00 P.M. and Sunday, March 17th at 2:30 P.M. and Palm Sunday weekend at Zion Lutheran Church, 238145 Star Rd, Aniwa. Saturday March 23rd at 7:00 P.M. and Sunday, March 24th at 2:30 P.M. Come follow Anthony, a Roman centurion, whose life is changed after encountering Jesus. Admission is free. For more information contact Zion church office at 717-845-2014.

The 2025 LCMS Youth Gathering is 18 months away (being held July 19-23, 2025 in New Orleans), but plans are already underway to make this event successful. The Gathering will provide thousands of youth and adults the opportunity to come together as a community of God's people to be encouraged in their walk with Jesus Christ and learn about the Christian faith and their Lutheran identity. A major part of Gathering's success is the thousands of volunteers—including Gathering Ambassadors—who dedicate their time and energy pouring into the youth participants and adult leaders attending. Gathering Ambassadors are humble servant leaders, age 26 and older, who are joyful, energetic, quick to listen, and safety-minded. They are fun, friendly, and flexible! Most of all, Gathering Ambassadors love Jesus and shine His light in all circumstances. If you or someone you know would love to serve as a Gathering Ambassador, applications are open through March 15. To apply to become a Gathering Ambassador, visit www.lcmsgathering.com/volunteer. For more information, please contact the Gathering Ambassador Leadership team at gatheringambassador@gmail.com.

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Community Closet Group Volunteer Event for the United Way of Marathon County. Check out and volunteer at the newly renovated UW Community Closet! Our group will help pack away winter clothing and bring out spring clothing. The closet is currently in need of (new) men's and women's underwear or kid's pants (size 5-8). Feel free to bring a donation along when you volunteer! Check out their website for other information and donation needs! <https://www.unitedwaymc.org/community-closet>. Date: Thursday, March 28th. Time: 3:30-5:30pm. Location: UW Community Closet (705 S 24th Ave, Ste 400B, Wausau, WI) Questions? Please reach out to the Director of Affinity Groups at echampine@unitedwaymc.org. This event will be capped at 12 volunteers. (Children 10+ are welcome to join you! Please make sure you register them, so we have an accurate head count.) Go to www.unitedwaymc.org/emerging-leaders-serve-community-closet to register.