#### THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING

#### **SUNDAY** April 14th

7:45 Worship 9:00 Education Hour 10:15 Worship

# MONDAY April 15th 6:00 Prayer Time

TUESDAY April 16th 7:00 P.T.L. Meeting

## WEDNESDAY April 17th

10:40 Chapel 6:30 Youth Group/JAM/Confirmation

# THURSDAY April 18th 7:00 Worship H/C

#### FRIDAY April 19th

<u>SATURDAY</u> April 20th 8:00-4:00 Learning About Our Kids Class



#### **SUNDAY** April 21st

7:45 Worship H/C 9:00 Education Hour 10:15 Worship H/C 11:30 Budget Review Meeting

#### **REMEMBER OUR SHUT- INS IN PRAYER**

Marlys Zemke-Wellington Place Assisted Living

# THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK IN THE LORD'S HOUSE

#### **ELDERS FOR APRIL**

Cliff Prahl & Eric Breitenfeldt

#### ALTAR GUILD FOR APRIL

Lorraine Christensen Donna Baumann

#### **USHERS THIS WEEKEND**

Cliff & Kris Prahl~ 7:45 Jon & Steve Roble

Wayne & Brett Breitenfeldt~ 10:15
Eric Breitenfeldt

#### **ACOLYTES THIS WEEKEND**

Grace Meilke~ 7:45 Bryce Schalow~ 9:30 April 18th~ Blake Koch

#### **CLEANING TEAM**

April 7th-20th- Darrell & Kay Ramthun

A cry room is located by the choir loft steps.

### Happy Birthday this week to:

Allen Roble (4/15) Lillian Johnson (4/20) Rebecca Bangart (4/16) Tucker Maas (4/21) Adam Juedes (4/18) Gage Yarie (4/22) Seth Baumann (4/18) Sam Erickson (4/23) Gayle Fenhaus (4/23) Sean Baumann (4/18) Angie Matthiae (4/18) Mayzie Maszk (4/23) Tony Prahl (4/19) Doug Schuster (4/24) Cynthia Flees (4/19) Lindsey Peterson (4/24) Nolan Jome (4/19) Shane Kole (4/25) Ella Breitenfeldt (4/20)

## Happy Anniversary this week to:

Sam & Barbara Morgan (4/14) Marvin & Angie Matthiae (4/21) Kurt & Lindsey Mueller(4/21)



God's Blessings on your special day!

## The Week April 14th-April 21st 2024

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#### **Church & School Office Hours**

Monday –Friday 8:00 AM– 2:00 PM

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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 REPORT20232024Thursday, April 4th1321Sunday, April 7th138145

#### **BUILDING FUND FINANCIAL STATUS**

Contributions received for week of April 7th, 2024 \$365.00

#### **OFFERING LAST WEEK**

Envelope & Plate
Week of April 7th, 2024 \$16.673.00
Tuition-\$928.00 Extended Care-\$194.00
Debt Reduction (To pay Line of Credit Only)-\$180.00
Line of Credit Balance-\$
Expenses paid this week \$

Electronic Giving for week of April 7th General Fund-\$2923.00 Building Fund-\$232.00

<u>Pastor John Stransky's School Year Office Hours</u> 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

<u>Budget Review:</u> The budget review meeting will take place on April 21<sup>st</sup> after the late service, at approximately 11:30 am in the Missions Room. Copies of the proposed 2024-2025 budget are on a table in the Narthex. Please take one to review prior to the budget review meeting. The quarterly meeting will take place on April 28<sup>th</sup> after the late service. Approval of the final budget will be on the agenda.

There will be a Quarterly Voter's Meeting on Sunday, April 28th at 11:30 A.M.

It is that time of year again for nomination of Church Officers. Please see the nomination forms in the narthex and the box to place your nominations in. Voting will take place at the next quarterly meeting. Positions to be filled: Vice President, Finance Chair, Accounting Chair, Treasurer, Elders (3), School Board (2), Church Properties (2), Board of Christian Education (2). Thank You. Nomination Committee

April 28th is North WI District Disaster Response Sunday. Building awareness of this critical ministry is our priority. The NWD has a Disaster Response Coordinator, Pastor Andy Weden, who serves at Peace Campus Center. Pastor Andy serves as our liaison to LCMS National Disaster Response. This role provides him a deep understanding of the support and services the LCMS can provide to disaster areas and to those looking to serve. His role is to help our NWD congregations with training, networking and support, when possible. What can you do? Pray for people suffering through disasters. Consider your congregation's plan to serve those in need, then contact Pr. Andy to provide training, support and networking. Phone 715-345-6510. Donate to NWD Disaster Response. Donate online on the "GIVE NOW" tab at nwdlcms.org or mail to NWD LCMS, 3103 Seymour Lane, Wausau, WI 54401. Review the Bible studies and LCMS links at http://www.nwdlcms.org/ disaster-response.html.

<u>Learning About our Kids</u> – Trauma Focused Learning: On Saturday, April 20 from 8:00 AM to 4 PM Linda Merriam and Alison Ritchie are offering a learning session for parents, teachers, adoptive parents, grandparents, or anyone who has been through trauma to better learn ways to teach others that have trauma in their past. This session qualifies those who need Continuing Education hours with 7 Credit Units. If you are interested in attending please contact Linda at 715-370-1708 as there is a limited registration. Light breakfast, snacks and lunch will be provided. There is no cost to attend this event. Thank you to St. John and a Thrivent Action Team for supporting this event.

<u>Memorials received this week</u>: In Memory of Bennie Krueger from Gary and Diana Rux and Beth Doucette.

<u>Please join us on Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup></u>. The Gideons will be here at both the 7:45 and 10:15 Worship Services. The Gideons International began distributing the Word of God in 1908. Today, there are more than 269,500 Gideons and Auxiliary – and an untold number of supporters – in some 200 countries, territories, and possessions across the globe. These dedicated individuals have given their time and money to make it possible for others to learn about the love of God by giving them access to His Word. We have placed and distributed more than 2 billion Bibles and New Testaments around the world. One Spirit, One Mind, One Vision, Striving Side by Side for the Faith of the Gospel. We are God-called members, brothers and sisters in Christ, husbands along with our wives—striving side by side to effectively and joyfully reach the world with the Good News. One Vision means working in one spirit and one mind with these three groups: Christian business and professional men, our wives, as a testimony to the Biblical institution of marriage. Protestant, evangelical churches and assemblies as partners in the Great Commission. The Gideons International is an Association of Christian business and professional men and their wives dedicated to telling people about Jesus through associating together for service, sharing personal testimony, and by providing Bibles and New Testaments. While we are often recognized for our work with hotels, we also place and distribute Scriptures in strategic locations so they are available to those who want them, as well as to those who may not know they need them.

<u>Ice Cream Social:</u> St. John Lutheran church we would like to invite you to the schools spring ice cream social on Thursday April 18<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:00! Our goal is to have a time of food, fun, and fellowship with the St. John Community. Please mark your calendars and join us in the gym on Thursday April 18<sup>th</sup> for our 1<sup>st</sup> annual spring ice cream social!

An Easter Breakfast thank you to all the men and women who prepared, served, baked, donated items, and stayed to eat. It was a great turn out. After tithing to the Church, the remainder of the free will offering collected will be sent to Lutheran Hour Ministries. Praise the Lord for he is good.

There is a new Bible Study on Luther's Catechism Sunday Mornings at 9:00 A.M. All are welcome, please join us.

<u>Senior Club</u> will resume on Tuesday, April 23rd at 12:30. We will begin with a potluck lunch, please bring a dish if you are able. All are welcome, Please join us.

INVITATION TO SING: Zion Lutheran in Aniwa is having a guest organist perform at their church at 6:30 PM on Thursday, May 9. One of the pieces being performed is a choral piece. Pastor Fehrman has extended an invitation to all singers at St John to join with their choir members for this performance. Practice will be held for 4 consecutive Sundays at 6:30 PM at Zion, starting this Sunday, April 14. If you would like to participate, just show up for practice on Sunday.