

THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING

SUNDAY October 20th

Pastor Appreciation Sunday

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

MONDAY October 21st

6:00 Prayer Time
7:00 Council Meeting

TUESDAY October 22nd

10:00 Women's Bible Study
12:30 Seniors Club

WEDNESDAY October 23rd

10:00 AbleLight Work Day
10:40 Chapel
6:30 JAM/Confirmation/Youth Group

THURSDAY October 24th

1:00 Chosen Study
7:00 Worship H/C

FRIDAY October 25th

No School

SATURDAY October 26th

SUNDAY October 27th

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



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

THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK IN THE LORD'S HOUSE

ELDERS FOR OCTOBER

Cliff Prah & Eric Breitenfeldt

ALTAR GUILD FOR OCTOBER

Carol Kunze
Kim Borchardt

USHERS THIS WEEKEND

Lisa Brost, Dawson Hahn~ 7:45
Stuart Vaughn

Steven Jome, Rick Borchardt~ 10:15
August Stransky

ACOLYTES THIS WEEKEND

Kaydence Marquardt~ 7:45
Bree Streeeter~ 10:15
October 24th~Ashley Betts

CLEANING TEAM

October 20th-November 2nd- Darrell & Kay Ramthun

A cry room is located by the choir loft steps.

Happy Birthday this week to:

Matthew Zahrt (10/20)	Kay Ramthun (10/25)
Bella Baumann (10/20)	Kathe Breitenfeldt (10/26)
Audrey Jean Prah (10/20)	Annabelle Fenske (10/27)
Lori Seliger (10/21)	Melissa Marquardt (10/27)
Collin Mielke (10/22)	Andrea Erdman (10/27)
Olivia Breitenfeldt (10/22)	Havynn Jome (10/27)
Cally Blom (10/23)	
Leon Falkowski (10/24)	
Beth Doucette (10/24)	
Alice Schlund (10/24)	

Happy Anniversary this week to:

Tom & Janet Felch (10/21)
Gerry & Mary Marquardt (10/21))
Robert & Suzie Bangart (10/26)
Elroy & Janice Fenhaus Jr. (10/26)



God's Blessings on your special day!

The Week October 20th-27th 2024

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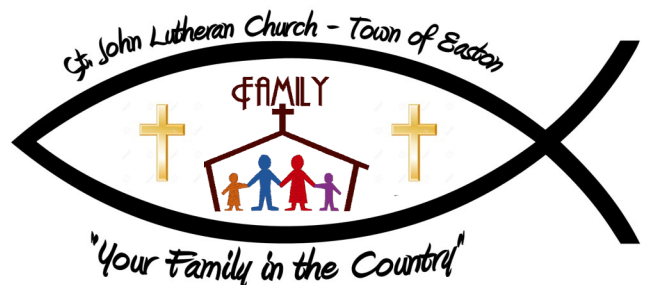
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Monday -Friday
8:00 AM- 2:00 PM

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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 REPORT	2023	2024
Thursday, October 10th	19	15
Sunday, October 13th	137	111

BUILDING FUND FINANCIAL STATUS

Contributions received for week of October 13th, 2024
\$290.00
Building Loan-\$15,042.37

OFFERING LAST WEEK

Envelope & Plate
Week of October 13th, 2024 \$3061.25
Tuition-\$546.00 Extended Care-\$44.00
Debt Reduction (To pay Line of Credit Only)-\$.00
Line of Credit this week-\$.00
Expenses paid this week-\$791.61
Payroll paid this week-\$14,531.00

Electronic Giving for week of October 13th

General Fund-\$673.00 Building Fund-\$122.00

D.C. Everest 4K reimbursement-\$2311.11

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

If you would like to meet with Pastor John during another time please call 715-907-8002 or email

pastor.john@stjohnofwausau.org. If the door is locked during these hours please come to the first door to the south/right and knock or call the phone number above

October is Pastor Appreciation Month! Now is the time to show Ben and Pastor Stransky how thankful we are to have them at St John. On October 20, the elders will be hosting Coffee Hour. If you would like to give Pastor or Ben a card or gift, there will be a basket in the narthex.

Attention all St. John Members - Please plan on attending a New Member Luncheon on Sunday, October 27th after late service. New members have not been formally recognized at St. John since 2020. Come for food and fellowship with fellow St. John members.

To those who are available! Bible Study opportunity; 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month. 9:00 - 10:00 AM in M&M room. Next Bible Study will be October 17th. "Best Practices to Studying The Word Of God". Coffee will be hot. Bring your Bible and a friend! Call Lyle with questions. 715-210-4101.

Friends and neighbors of Zion Lutheran Church, 238145 Star Road, Aniwa. What do you always say to friends and neighbors when you see them in the community? "We should get together and visit!" Well, this is your chance. Join us to visit with friends, listen to a guest speaker, and enjoy a light lunch. Our main goal is to gather as friends, and spend time visiting. This event is open to anyone that would like to attend. This event will take place on November 7th, at 11:00 A.M. Mark Schlund will be our guest speaker. Starting in the mid 1930's until 1966, a popular recreation spot in eastern Marathon County was Club Normandie and the Eau Claire Dells Park. Please join us as we explore the history of this once popular destination.

Senior Club will meet on Tuesday, October 22nd. We will begin with a Potluck Luncheon, please bring a dish if



you are able. Our guest speaker will be Mark Schlund, he will be sharing information on the history of Club Normandie and the Eau Claire Dells.

A Synodwide response to hurricanes in the southeastern U.S. Dear friends in Christ, It has been three weeks since Hurricane Helene first came ashore as a Category 4 storm near Perry, Fla. Today, the estimated death toll from Helene stands at almost 250 people across seven states, with many people still unaccounted for, particularly in North Carolina. Within days of Helene's landfall, the Rev. Dr. Ross Johnson, director of LCMS Disaster Response, took a multi-day trip to the affected areas. He estimates the total Synod response to Helene will be around \$1 million. Now, as Hurricane Milton has made landfall in Florida, spawning multiple tornadoes and leaving millions without power, those already weary from the effects of one monstrous storm are facing another. After flooding from Helene ravaged the shared campus of Mountainside Lutheran Church and Recognized Service Organization Camp Linn Haven in Newland, N.C., the Rev. Bryan Chestnutt, Mountainside's pastor, said he immediately felt the church's support. "We didn't even know what we needed. ... We couldn't even think straight. ... The counsel we got and the help that we are getting from our district president and from the Synod has been wonderful. ... At a time like this, you really feel what the word 'synod' means." We don't yet know the full impact of either Helene or Milton. We do know that much will be required — in time, volunteers, money and resources — before the recovery is complete. Even more important, we know that our Lord is faithful. He never abandons His children. And He works all things for good "for those who are called according to His purpose" (Rom. 8:28). In the weeks and months ahead, please continue to pray for all who have been impacted by these terrible storms. Help spread the word by sharing updates on the response. And prayerfully consider how you might take part in the recovery effort, which will take many months, by volunteering your time or offering your financial support. Learn more at lcms.org/hurricane-response. In Christ, Rev. Dr. Matthew C. Harrison President, The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod

Memorials received this week: In memory of Paul Mortorano from Jon & Karen Roble. In memory of LeRoy Seehafer from Kyle & Susie Borchardt.

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month. The Women's Community of Wausau is starting a Christmas Wishes Program. The holiday season is an exciting time of joy, wonder, and connection for many of us. As you plan your own holidays this year, consider taking part of our Christmas Wishes Program. Community supporters bring the light and laughter of the holiday season to families who may be struggling and stressed. We are seeking generous donors to purchase new holiday gifts for the Women's Community families. Donors receive a personalized wish list for each family. Clients get to feel the warmth of a community that cares about them. Make this holiday season a little brighter by adopting a Women's Community client for Christmas. For more information or to join the Christmas Wishes Program as a donor, please call 715-842-5663 or Email sam@womenscommunity.org.

Cherished Chapels: Wednesday, October 23rd 5:30pm - 6:30pm at Marathon County Public Library Marathon City Branch, 515 Washington St, Marathon City, WI. Join us for a special presentation from the Marathon County Historical Society on churches of Marathon County. Gary Gisselman of the Marathon County Historical Society will present "Cherished Chapels: The Churches of Marathon County." This program provides an overview of some of the historic churches across Marathon County, and the ethnic communities that built them. Free and open to the public, no registration required. Call the Marathon City Branch at 715-443-2775 for more information.