

THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING

SUNDAY January 7th

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

MONDAY January 8th

6:00 Prayer Time
7:00 Elder's Meeting

TUESDAY January 9th

6:45 Care Ministry Meeting

WEDNESDAY January 10th

8:00 Chapel
10:00-1:00 Bethesda Work Day
6:30 Youth Group
6:30 JAM/Confirmation

THURSDAY January 11th

7:00 Worship

FRIDAY January 12th

6:00 P.M. Gym reserved

SATURDAY January 13th

8:00 A.M. Prayer Shawl Ministry
8:00 A.M New Member Class
8:00-4:00 Boy Scout Pinewood Derby

SUNDAY January 14th

7:45 Worship
9:00 Education Hour
10:15 Worship
7:00 P.M Contemporary Worship Service



REMEMBER OUR SHUT- INS IN PRAYER

Renaissance—Della Marquardt
Rennes— David & Norma Zimmermann,
Eugene Zunker
Care Partners-Florence Block
Atrium— Viola Thorson Primrose-Doris Strehlow
Mountain Terrace— Marion Schalow

THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK IN THE LORD'S HOUSE

ELDERS FOR JANUARY

Arlo Schund & Cal Siegel

ALTAR GUILD FOR JANUARY

Janet Felch
Dawn Hahn

USHERS THIS WEEKEND

Lisa Brost, Keith Klinger~7:45 A.M
Stuart Vaughn, Stuart Vaughn J.R.

Steven Jome~10:15 A.M
Rick & Chase Borchardt

ACOLYTES THIS WEEKEND

Davis Kole~ 7:45 A.M. Worship
Caleb Jome~10:15 A.M. Worship

CLEANING TEAM THIS WEEK

Diana Rux & Lorraine Christensen

A cry room is located by the choir loft steps.

Happy Birthday this week to:

Taylor Peterson (1/7)
Shawn Kosterman(1/7)
Beyla Fritz (1/7)
Keagen Benz (1/7)
Matthew Habeck (1/8)
Keagan Anderson (1/8)
Ava Hahn (1/9)
Tyler Knoblock (1/10)
Kathy Schlund (1/11)
Croix Bender (1/11)

Terry Benz (1/12)
Tom Erdman (1/13)
Amy Schmidt (1/14)



Happy Anniversary this week to:

There are no Anniversaries this week



God's Blessings on your special day!

The Week of January 7th– January 14th 2017

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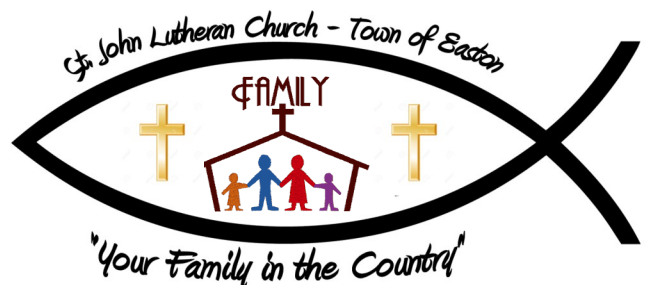
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Our Mission Statement

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

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY— 9:15 in the Missions and Ministry Room

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

ATTENDANCE REPORT	2016	2017
New Year's Eve 9:00 A.M.	N/A	93
New Year's Eve 7:00 P.M.	40	39

BUILDING FUND FINANCIAL STATUS

Contributions received for December 31st, 2017
\$6145.00

Only contributions made using the green "Building Fund" envelopes are used towards the payment of the mortgage. Building fund envelopes are available in the narthex and church office.

OFFERING LAST WEEK

Envelope & Plate
Sunday, December 31st, 2017 - \$6066.23
Tuition- \$1954.22 Extended Care- \$6.00
Debt Reduction- \$50.00
D.C. Everest 4K reimbursement-\$4768.46

Pastor John's Office Hours:

Monday: 7:30 am to 12:00 PM
Tuesday: 7:30 am to 10:00 AM ~Shut-in visits after
Wednesday: 7:00 AM to 9:00 A.M. & 4:30-8:30 P.M.
Thursday: 6:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.
Friday: Off
Saturday: By appointment
Cell phone number: 715-870-1700 call or text anytime
Email: pastorjohn@mailstjohn.com

Sunday School meets in the sanctuary at 9:00 AM on Sunday mornings. All children preschool-aged through 5th grade are welcome. There are also Bible studies on Sunday mornings for older children and adults. The schedule of upcoming topics is as follows:

January 7: Elijah is Taken to Heaven; Third Article of the Apostles' Creed
January 14: Naaman and Elisha; Holy Baptism
January 21: Jonah; Holy Baptism and Second Article of the Apostles' Creed
January 28: Hezekiah Prays; Second Article of the Apostles' Creed

The sign up for the Mission Trip to Louisiana is Sunday, January 7th, after the 10:15 Worship Service in the Mission & Ministry room. Please bring the \$250.00 fee to the meeting. We will be signing up online and discussing the details of the trip



You are invited to participate in the Pro-Life Signature Ad, which will appear in the Wausau Daily Herald, Friday January 22nd, 2017. Your signature helps let our community know that you believe all human life is precious and should be protected. A donation is asked for each name to pay for the cost of the ad. Thank you for speaking out for the unborn. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church or names can be mailed by January 13th to: WRL, P.O. Box 58, Wausau, 54402

A Community Blood Drive will be held at Christ Lutheran Church, 1300 Townline Rd, Wausau on Tuesday, January 30th, 3:30 -6:00 P.M.. Call the church for an appointment 715-848-20140. Walk-ins are also welcome.

BLOOD DRIVE JUST 1 DONATION SAVES 3 LIVES

St. John will be holding a new member class on Saturday, January 13th from 8:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M. Anyone who wants to join our church is welcome to attend. We will be providing breakfast and lunch. If you are in need of child care during that time or have any questions please contact Pastor Stransky.

St. John's Annual Wild Game Feed and Seminar, Saturday, January 27th, starting at 3:00 PM. Our speaker this year will be Tom Schubring. Bow hunting has been Tom's passion for 40 years. Calling animals is his preferred way of getting close. His rattling antlers have called in well, over 200 bucks to bow range! He also uses a variety of deer vocalizations with his own voice. Tom's calls have brought in turkeys, bears, elk, wolves, and coyotes. Demonstrating these different techniques and their associated stories are his favorite way of teaching spiritual truths. Tom has been married to his wife, Darla, for 30 years and they have three adult sons. Tom is a full-time pastor. Other special events 3:00-5:00-Trophies of Grace Display, Hunting Seminars, bring your trophy to display, Official Scorer on hand, bring in your trophy and have it scored. We will have vendor displays and youth events. 5:00– Cooking Contest!, bring in your favorite wild game dish. Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 dishes & a free wild game feed for all. 6:00– Featured speaker Tom Schubring. Tell you friends, tell you neighbors, this is FREE to the public. All are welcome.



The utter devastation in Puerto Rico calls to mind the caring Christians who give so graciously, ensuring Christ's mercy comes swiftly to those affected by catastrophe. The kindness being shown across the Synod has brought relief to so many, and now the people of Puerto Rico can experience that mercy, kindness and compassion. The utter devastation in Puerto Rico calls to mind the caring Christians who give so graciously, ensuring Christ's mercy comes swiftly to those affected by catastrophe. The kindness being shown across the Synod has brought relief to so many, and now the people of Puerto Rico can experience that mercy, kindness and compassion. To Give: • Online — Visit lcms.org/puerto-rico-relief. • By text — Text LCMSPUERTORICO to 41444. • Over the phone — Call the LCMS toll-free gift line between 8 a.m. and 4:10 p.m. Central time at 888-930-4438 or the LCMS Church Information Center at 888-843-5267. • By mail — Make checks payable to "The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod" (or "LCMS"). On the memo line, write "Disaster Response/Relief" and mail to the LCMS, P.O. Box 66861, St. Louis, MO, 63166- 6861. Gifts also can be designated specifically for Puerto Rico and/or affected areas by stipulating this in the memo line. Gifts are tax-deductible as allowed by law. Additional information about our LCMS response, and the impact your gifts are having, will be available over the weeks and months ahead at lcms.org, on the Synod's social-media outlets, and in our official periodicals and publications.

St. John School will not be collecting Campbell Soup Labels any longer, this program has been discontinued, but we will still be collecting Box Tops for Education, Milk Caps and Milk Bag Points from **Quick Trip only**. Please wash the caps out thoroughly. There are baskets on the shelves as you walk into church or they can be turned into the Church or School office.

Memorials received this Week: In memory of Edna Mae Parsch from Lucas & Janet Parsch. In memory of Orville Pingle from Tim & Dawn Hahn and Jack & Lorraine Christensen. In memory of Margie Zahrt from Tim & Dawn Hahn.