St. John's News

This week at St. John's:

Sharing a changeless Christ in a changing world

Sun. 3/20	Worship w/Holy Communion Education Hour Worship w/Holy Communion Basketball Fellowship GriefShare Jr. High Board Game Event College & Career Life Group	8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM 12:00-2:00 PM 12:30 PM 5:00 PM 6:45 PM
Mon., 3/21		
Tue., 3/22	Women's Bible Study Sewing Group Project Compassion	9:15 AM 12:30 PM 6:30 PM
Wed., 3/23	CBS Leaders Hosanna/Bethlehem Study Staff Meeting Lenten Supper Lenten Service Worship Choir Gospel Ringers	9:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM 5:00 PM 6:00 PM 6:30 PM 7:15 PM
Thur., 3/24	Men's Bible Study (Perkins) Community Bible Study Al-Anon Pastor Ryan Life Group	7:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM 6:30 PM
Fri., 3/25	Concordia/St. Paul Kickball fo Sr. High Youth	6:00 PM
Sat., 3/26	Wright Co. Dairy Princess Worship Team Practice Worship	8:00 AM-3:00 PM 3:45 PM 5:00 PM
Sun. 3/27	Worship Education Hour Worship Basketball Fellowship GriefShare Jr. High Youth Group College & Career Life Group	8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM 12:00-2:00 PM 12:30 PM 5:00 PM 6:45 PM

This weekend's broadcast on KRWC is sponsored by Milo Westrum in memory of Sandy Westrum.

March 19-20, 2022 Third Sunday in Lent

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Join us on Wednesdays during Lent!

Throughout our 2022 Lenten season, we are going to go "Back to the Bible" and take a look at some heroes of the faith from Hebrews, chapter 11. We hope you can join us Wednesdays at 6pm for the 6 weeks of Lent. Come early at 5 PM for supper!



LENTEN SCHEDULE

Mar. 23, 30 & Apr. 6— 5 PM Supper, 6 PM Service

April 14—Maundy Thursday

6 PM Maundy Thursday Worship

April 15—Good Friday

12 PM Devotional Service,

6 PM Good Friday Worship Service

April 16—Easter Saturday

5 PM Easter Saturday Celebration Service

April 17—Easter Sunday

6:30 AM Liturgical Easter Sunrise Service,

7 AM Easter Breakfast.

8 AM and 10:30 AM Resurrection Celebration Worship Service



VBS Summer 2022: July 25-28

Ladies! The spring edition of the Lutheran Women's Quarterly magazine is here for you to pick up! They are located by the office, in the Narthex, and back of the FLC.



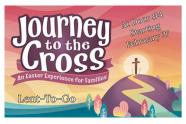
Project Compassion

(Sign Easter cards for our shut-ins on Mar. 22 at 6:30 PM)



Easter Decorating (Saturday, April 16 at 10 AM)

Please contact the church office or Katherine Clark if you are interested in serving in any of these areas.



Journey to the Cross Lent-to-Go Bags are available at Door #4. This will be a great Easter experience for families! If you have questions, feel free to contact Kelly.



To my Church Family:
Thank you for prayers, cards,
and well wishes as I went
through my leg surgery. All is
going well and I praise God for
His work through the doctor &
nurses that I had. Love you all.
Peace & blessings, Kathy Klemz



St. John's Lutheran Church:

Thank you for being such a huge support for our family! Many of you have emailed, Facebooked, and even called us! These encouragements always come at the right time. Thank you for your love, prayers, and financial support! This is helping us to move forward where God wants us. Thank you for being beside us on this journey!

God bless, The Smiths—Josh, Whitney, Jordyn, Jayda and Jonah

Dear Members of St. John's:

You are all blessed to have Pastor Ryan Clark. His words of comfort were at our time of great sorrow. We thank Lynnette Smith and her great group of volunteers for serving funeral lunch and the organist, Penny—you are all angels.

God bless, The Jim Karie family—Doris, John, April, Alic, Sissy, and Jim's 4 year old nephew L ucas. Jim is now fishing in the heavenly waters and free of pain.





Eligible members of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans who have designated Choice Dollars:

If you haven't already done so, be sure to direct your designated Thrivent Choice Dollars to St. John's or Noah's Ark Preschool by March 31st.

Please check out our Lost &
Found table in the Narthex. The
table will be set out until
March 28th and then remaining
items will be donated.





Prayers of Celebration

Birthdays:

3/19	Paiton Harvey, Theresa Henson, Morgan Holland, Anora Korbel, Matt Russell
3/20	Jim Marty, Claire Strege
3/21	
3/22	Adelyn Ebeling, Tom Gerold, Duwayne Hagen, Jenna Huikko, Lee Jochum
3/23	Lois Muelich
3/24	Shane Bertsch, John Bremmer, Mark Bremmer, Paul Henning, Terri Kenmir, Millie Lambert, Hailey Loebertmann, Mateo Zea
3/25	Millie Lindsley

Appointments for counseling, weddings and baptisms may be made by calling the Church Office at 763-682-1883.

*Please also call the church office if you desire prayer from pastors or elders.

Information

Attendance

3/9	Midweek Lenten Worship	191
3/12	Saturday 5 PM Worship	65
3/13	Sunday 8:00 AM Worship	109
	Sunday 10:30 AM Worship	<u>147</u>
Total Weekend Attendance:		321

Offering Gifts Received

3/13	\$ 20,105.00
Needed Weekly: \$18,848.00	
Year-to-Date Offering:	\$ 203,503.00
Year-to-Date Budget:	\$ 207,328.00

The altar flowers this weekend are sponsored by Roy & Tia Chabot and Lou Biederman in memory of husband & father Perry Biederman.



Our Church Family in This Week's Services

Pianist: Lois Borner

Ushers: 8:00 AM Greg Buttenhoff, Don Lardy,

Lee & Cody Ryan

10:30 AM Todd & Steven Jones, Beau

Schmidt, Ben Schmidt, Russ, Jenny & Isaac Hill, Matt &

Tonya Russell

Readers: Saturday 5 PM Lee Ryan

Sunday 8 AM Lynnette Smith Sunday 10:30AM Matt Russell

Sound: Saturday 5:00 PM Tim Berteau

Sunday 8:00 AM Trent Johnson Sunday 10:30 AM Connor Spadgenske

YouTube Team: Ludovic Marquette, Tom

Kortisses, Dan Headley, Bobbi Lindgren-Stevens

Welcome Center: Doreen Claseman &

Diana Ashwill

Coffee Fellowship: Women in Mission—Mites