

St. John's News

Sharing a changeless Christ in a changing world



This week at St. John's:

Sun. 10/9	Prayer Team	7:27 AM
	Worship	8:00 AM
	Bible Basics Milestone Class	9:15 AM
	Education Hour	9:15 AM
	Worship	10:30 AM
	Men's Game Day Event	11:30 AM
Mon., 10/10	Quarterly Reports Due	
Tue., 10/11	Head Start Socialization	9:30 AM
	Sewing Group	10:30 AM
	Women in Mission Bible Study	1:00 PM
	Women's Book Club	5:30 PM
	Elders Meeting	6:30 PM
Wed., 10/12	CBS Leaders	9:00 AM
	Women's Bible Study	9:15 AM
	Hosanna/Bethlehem Study	10:00 AM
	Staff Meeting	11:00 AM
	Worship Choir	6:00 PM
	Outreach Committee	6:00 PM
	Confirmation	6:30 PM
	Sr. High Youth Group	6:30 PM
	Gospel Ringers Ensemble	7:00 PM
	Larson Life Group	7:15 AM
Thur., 10/13	Men's Bible Study (Perkins)	7:00 AM
	Community Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Al-Anon	10:00 AM
	Lifemark Life Group	6:00 PM
	Jed & Del Larson Life Group	6:30 PM
	Pastor Ryan Life Group	6:30 PM
Fri., 10/14		
Sat., 10/15	Worship Team Practice	3:45 PM
	Worship w/Holy Communion	5:00 PM
Sun. 10/16	Prayer Team	7:27 AM
	Worship w/Holy Communion	8:00 AM
	3rd Grade Bible Basics Class	9:15 AM
	Education Hour	9:15 AM
	Worship w/Holy Communion	10:30 AM
	The Amazing Chemistry Show	4:00 PM

**This weekend's broadcast on KRWC is sponsored by
Herb & Doris Neske in memory of their son Michael.**

Bulletin deadline—Tuesday at midnight

October 8-9, 2022

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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Help the kids served at Wrapped in Love go "shopping" for their siblings and caregivers!

Items needed: Christmas gift bags, tissue paper, gift tags. **Women/teens:** fun socks, lotions, wallets, jewelry, bath bombs, shower gels, perfume, tea/coffee, pj's, winter hats/mittens. **Men/teens:** fun socks, regular socks, wallets, shower gels, cologne, coffee & mugs, sweatpants, pj's, t-shirts. **Children:** books, coloring books, activity books, colored pencils, board games, small toys (not stuffed animals), hair accessories, hooded sweatshirts, winter hats/mittens



We will meet at Special Forces Paintball on Saturday, October 29th at 10:30 AM for gearing up and getting instructions. We will play from 11 AM-1 PM. A signed parent waiver is required and the cost is \$15 pp. You will need costumes and padding! **Please sign up by Oct. 23rd.**

MEN'S GAME DAY EVENT!



Sr High Mission Trip Informational Meeting

Wednesday, October 26th at 6 PM

Haven't gone on a mission trip? Want to learn more about where we are going this next summer? Parents and youth are welcome to join us for an informational meeting about our **2023 Mission Trip**. Join us in the Youth Room. Contact Paul with any questions!

New Life Group Beginning Thursdays at 6 PM in the Board Room.

Facilitators: Leann Fremo & Dixie Abrams

Experience our status as adopted sons and daughters of God through the true-life story of 18 year old David, whose birth mother reaches out to him. Cameron's unique 5-session Bible study links scenes from the Lifemark movie with our own Biblical narrative, exploring how themes of adoption, love, and reconciliation define his situation—and ours.



Nursery Attendant Needed

If you are interested in being a Nursery Attendant for our Education Hour and Sunday 10:30 AM service (9:00-11:30 AM).

* Must be age 16 or older. If interested, please contact Kelly Thole.

Quarterly Voter's Meeting



**October 23rd at 9:15 AM
in the Fellowship Hall**
(Reports are due October 10th)

- ADMIT ONE -



Sunday, October 23 at 6 PM

St. John's Lutheran Church
Family Life Center (Door #4)
302 NE 2nd Street, Buffalo, MN 55313

One of the premier Bluegrass Bands in the nation! MONROE CROSSING performs an electrifying blend of classic bluegrass, bluegrass gospel, and original bluegrass.

Tickets: \$10 in advance/ \$15 at the door
Available at the church office,
Setterberg Jewelers and iTickets.com



**Friday, Oct 28
6 PM
at the Kramber's**

**FREE FLIER'S
FALL INTO FUN
NIGHT!**



**SERVING
Opportunities**

@St. John's



- **Coffee Fellowship**—See Tonya Russell
- **Fellowship Team**—Contact Tonya Russell
- **Greeters during the Sunday School hour** this school year at **Doors 4 & 7**—Contact Todd Jones or use QR code
- **Donations for Country Fair** (canned items, crafts, etc.)—Contact Chris Husom
- **Setup/Unloading for the Amazing Chemistry Show** on Oct. 16—Contact Kelly
- **Help with Trick-or-Treat Outreach** on October 29 at 2 PM—See Katherine

55th Annual

**COUNTRY
FAIR**



for Mission Outreach

**Saturday,
November 12th
8 AM to 1 PM**

Quiche Brunch 8 AM
Chow Mein, Sloppy Joes
& Tacos 10:30 AM



Prayers of Celebration

Birthdays:

- 10/8 Lue Graham, Harland Headley, Trevor Kaufman
- 10/9 Briella Ave-Lallemant, David Berg, Russ Hill
- 10/10 Brice Bauer, Vivian Bauer, Roy Chabot, Phyllis DeBoer, Jan Larson, Gavin Megaw, Sebastyn Ungaro
- 10/11 Marcus DeWitte
- 10/12 Kash Atkinson, Krista Lambert, McKenna Lindsley
- 10/13 Rosie Bergemann, Ashley Field, Maynard Rolfes, Jennifer Schick, Ashleigh Strenge
- 10/14 Lori Mussell

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

10/1	Saturday 5:00 PM	84
10/2	Sunday 8:00 AM	162
	Sunday 10:30 AM	175
Total Weekend Attendance:		421

Offering Gifts Received

10/2	\$ 17,587.00
<i>Needed Weekly: \$18,848.00</i>	
Year-to-Date Offering:	\$ 699,847.00
Year-to-Date Budget:	\$ 753,920.00

The Altar Flowers are provided by Richard & Marie Marquette in celebration of their 55th wedding anniversary on Oct. 14th.



Our Church Family in This Week's Services

Pianist: Josiah Clark

Ushers: 8:00 AM Bill Elletson, Brian Jans, Mark Ordorff, Ken Yager

10:30 AM Todd & Steven Jones, Beau Schmidt, Ben Schmidt, Matt & Tonya Russell

Readers: Saturday 5 PM Lee Claseman

Sunday 8:00 AM Ryan Rutten

Sunday 10:30 AM Bridget Sturgeon

Sound: Saturday 5:00 PM Tim Berteau & Dixie Abrams

Sunday 8:00 AM Milt Hagen

Sunday 10:30 AM Jill Marketon & Dave & Cindy Korbel

YouTube Team: Ludovic Marquette, Tom Kortisses, Dan Headley, Bobbi Lindgren-Stevens

Welcome Center: Nancy Zumbusch & Diana Ashwill

Coffee Fellowship: Sue Moore