

*10th Sunday after Pentecost*  
*August 14, 2022*

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**Pastor**  
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**PRAYER OF THE DAY** O Lord, your ears are always open to the prayers of your humble servants, who come to you in Jesus' name. Teach us always to ask according to your will that we may never fail to obtain the blessings you have promised; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

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<b>Confession of Faith</b>	<b>Apostles' Creed</b>
<b>Sermon Text</b>	<b>Luke 11:1-13</b>
<b>Worship Theme</b>	<b>"Teach Us How to Play!"</b>

**Welcome to All** Thank you for joining us in worship today, and a special welcome to our guests who are with us. May the Word and promise of our Lord's love for us in Jesus fill your heart and soul with his peace. If you are a guest with us today, please sign our guest book in the entrance area.



**Offering** If you wish to give an offering, it can be placed in

the plates on the usher table in the narthex.

**Prayer Requests** Please remember the following in your prayers:

\* Birthday and wedding anniversary celebrations this week.

Contact Pastor Sargent for any prayer requests and to inform him of any family members entering the hospital.

Also, if you would like a special prayer put in the bulletin, please contact Brenda Polzin or email the request to [stjohn-grover@gmail.com](mailto:stjohn-grover@gmail.com) by Wednesday afternoon.

**Meditations** The new meditation books starting August 28, 2022, are available on the table. A free-will offering is greatly appreciated to help defray the costs of production.



Please bring along a side dish or a dessert. Tables and chairs will be set up for eating but bring along a lawn chair if you want to sit to watch the softball and other games. There will be a jumping castle for the children, games, softball, and BINGO that will be set up in one of the school classrooms.

Come and join us for food, fun and fellowship. It will start at 11:00 after services on Sunday and go till the afternoon.

**Church Service Time Change Survey** Pastor Sargent will present the PowerPoint slides **TODAY** and then



there will be a survey taken before any change is voted on. If you have any questions on this feel free to contact Pastor Sargent.

A survey form is enclosed in your bulletin today and on the table. Please return to any usher **TODAY**, if possible.



**Lawn Cutting** The Church Council has budgeted funds for cutting the lawn at the cemetery and the school. We have two riding lawnmowers for that purpose. The areas that need cutting are the cemetery, and the school as well as the athletic field. We have the amount of up to \$200 budgeted for the cost of fuel and a gratuity for those who are interested. Please contact Pastor Sargent if you would like to make an offer to help with the cutting.

**Church Softball** Play some church softball this summer for fun & fellowship with brothers and sisters from WELS churches in the area! Men, women, and teens are invited to play. We will be playing throughout the summer. We will play at 1 p.m. **TODAY**, August 14 (St. John). Put these dates on your calendar and plan to come! It is for any male or female of all ages. You don't have to be good to come and play. Talk to Pastor Sargent if you are interested in playing!



**Luther Prep Summer Camps** LPS Summer Camps are in FULL planning mode and we hope to see more of your children join us! We offer Day Camps & Overnight Camps for a variety of sports **AND** for the 2nd year in a row our *\*new\* Phoenix Adventure Camp!*

Go to [https://www.lps.wels.net/apps/pages/summer\\_camps](https://www.lps.wels.net/apps/pages/summer_camps) for all the details & sign up info!



**Seroogy Candy Bars** St. John Lutheran Youth Group is selling Seroogy candy bars at the cost of \$1.50 each.

*At the request of congregation members, we will continue to sell candy bars for future events of the Youth Group!*

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!**



## **Sunday School/Bible Study**



Sunday School/Bible Study will be on the summer break. We will begin again on Sunday September 11th.

**We are still looking for Sunday School Teachers. If you are interested in helping let Pastor Sargent know.**

**Homebound/Shut-ins** Please take note of our members who are not able to be with us at our Sunday services. Remember them in your prayers and if you are able, reach out to them with a card or a letter.

“We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, so that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ.” (1 John 1:3)

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**Livestream Volunteers** We are still in need of volunteers to help with the live-streaming. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Sargent.

**2022 Altar Flowers Sign Up** A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board to donate flowers for special dates in memory of a loved one or for another special occasion.



**Weekly Bulletins** You can now find the weekly bulletins on our website(stjohnpeshtigo.org). Go to the website, click on “weekly bulletins”, then click on the link for the bulletin.

**Changes** To better help us keep our records up to date (address changes, landline disconnection, cell phone numbers, family members move, etc), it would be greatly appreciated if you could fill out a form which is located in the rack in back of church. You may return to any usher, Brenda Polzin, or Pastor.

**Worship & Daily Devotions on WOCO** The worship broadcast on WOCO AM 1260 today (11:00 am) is hosted by Our Savior/St. Mark, Lena/Spruce. The daily devotions on WOCO AM (1260) & FM (107.1) this week (Monday-Friday at 9:05 am) are hosted by Calvary, Abrams by Pastor Matthew Stuebs.

**Last Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran**

Those Who Joined Us in Worship 8/7/2022	109
Live Stream Service 8/7/02022 (households)	13
Average Sunday Attendance for the Year (32 weeks)	136

## ***This Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran***

**TODAY**                    11:00am St. John/Zion Church Picnic  
                                  1:00pm Area Churches' Softball Game  
Monday                    6:30pm Zion Service  
Tuesday                    10:00am Board of Elders  
Sunday                    9:30am Worship Service w/Communion  
Next Sunday's Counting Team: Team "E" - Scott & Sue Schonfeld,  
Dave & Patti Bornick

### ***Offerings for the Lord's Work***

General Fund Income for 7/24/2022	\$ 5,747.75
General Fund Income for 7/31/2022	\$ 4,362.75
General Fund Income for 8/7/2022	\$ 5,973.75
Total General Fund Income (6 weeks)	\$ 33,095.25
Church Offering Goal: Weekly@\$6,000.00 (6 weeks) (Projection - \$312,000)	\$ 36,000.00
Total Church Offering Goal <b>DEFICIT</b>	-\$ 2,904.75
Tuition / School Choice (Projection - \$188,632)	\$ 2,600/

**\*Note: In the past, tuition was included as part of the general fund figures. Now with the School Choice program, it is a separate figure with its own projection.**

### ***Included in General Fund Income Total:***

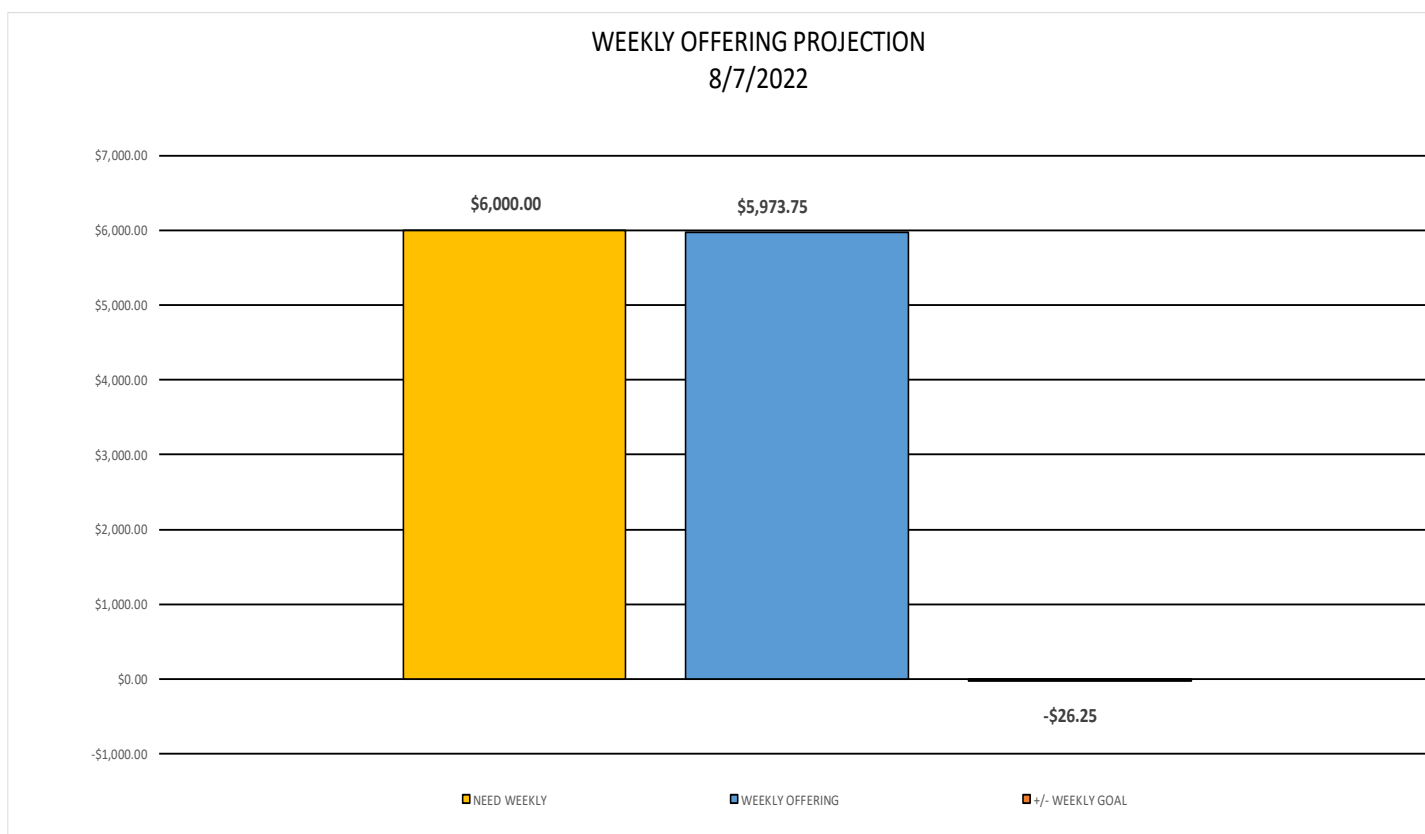
E-giving - \$2,816.75;

### ***Special Gifts & Offerings:***

CMO - \$100; LYG—\$21

### ***Memorials & Special Gifts Received:***

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## **FIRST LESSON**

## **GENESIS 18:20–32**

20 So the LORD said, “Because the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah is great, and because their sin is very flagrant, 21 I will go down now and see if what they have done is as bad as the outcry that has come to me. If not, I will know.” 22 The two men turned from there and went toward Sodom, but Abraham remained standing before the LORD. 23 Abraham approached him and said, “Will you really sweep away the righteous along with the wicked? 24 What if there are fifty righteous people in the city? Will you really sweep them away and not spare the place for the sake of the fifty righteous who are in it? 25 You would never do such a thing, killing the righteous along with the wicked, treating the righteous the same as the wicked. You would never do such a thing. The Judge of all the earth should do right, shouldn’t he?” 26 The LORD said, “If I find fifty righteous people within the city of Sodom, then I will spare the entire place for their sake.” 27 Abraham answered, “See now, I who am but dust and ashes have taken it on myself to speak to my Lord. 28 What if there are five fewer than fifty righteous? Will you destroy the entire city if the number is five short?” He said, “I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there.” 29 He spoke to him yet again and said, “What if only forty are found there?” He said, “I will not do it for the sake of the forty.” 30 He said, “Please, do not be angry, my Lord, but I will speak again. What if thirty are found there?” He said, “I will not do it, if I find thirty there.” 31 He said, “See now, I have taken it upon myself to speak to my Lord. What if there are twenty found there?” He said, “I will not destroy it for the sake of the twenty.” 32 He said, “Please, do not be angry, my Lord, but I will speak just once



more. What if ten are found there?" He said, "I will not destroy it for the sake of the ten."

**PSALM OF THE DAY**

**PSALM 6 (page 66)**

**SECOND LESSON**

**COLOSSIANS 2:6–15**

6 Therefore, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to walk in him, 7 by being rooted and built up in him, and strengthened in the faith just as you were taught, while you overflow in faith with thanksgiving. 8 See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, which are in accord with human tradition, namely, the basic principles of the world, but not in accord with Christ. 9 For all the fullness of God's being dwells bodily in Christ. 10 And you have been brought to fullness in him. Christ is the head over every ruler and authority. 11 You were also circumcised in him, with a circumcision not done by human hands, in the putting off of the body of flesh, in the circumcision of Christ, 12 when you were buried with Christ in baptism. And in baptism you were also raised with him through the faith worked by the God who raised Christ from the dead. 13 Even when you were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive with Christ by forgiving us all our trespasses. 14 God erased the record of our debt brought against us by his legal demands. This record stood against us, but he took it away by nailing it to the cross. 15 After disarming the rulers and authorities, he made a public display of them by triumphing over them in Christ.

**VERSE OF THE DAY** Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. (John 6:68 cf. NV)

**GOSPEL**

**LUKE 11:1–13**

On another occasion, Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, “Lord, teach us to pray, just as John also taught his disciples.” 2 He said to them, “When you pray, say, ‘Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. 3 Give us each day our daily bread. 4 Forgive us our sins, as we also forgive everyone who sins against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.’” 5 He said to them, “Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and tell him, ‘Friend, lend me three loaves of bread, 6 because a friend of mine who is on a journey has come to me, and I do not have anything to set before him.’ 7 And the one inside replies, ‘Don’t bother me. The door is already locked, and my children and I are in bed. I can’t get up and give it to you.’ 8 I tell you, even if he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, yet because of his bold persistence, he will get up and give him as much as he needs. 9 “I tell you, keep asking, and it will be given to you. Keep seeking, and you will find. Keep knocking, and it will be opened to you. 10 For everyone who asks receives. The one who seeks finds. And to the one who knocks, it will be opened. 11 “What father among you, if your son asks for bread, would give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, would give him a snake instead of a fish? 12 Or if he asks for an egg, would give him a scorpion? 13 If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?”

**Have A Blessed Week!**