

10th Sunday After Pentecost
August 6, 2023

Pastor Daniel Sargent

Jim Seefeldt

Lisa Sargent & Connie Seefeldt

Kevyn Lange, Brent & Wanda Richlen

Pastor

Organist

Greeters

Counting Team

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.

Order of Service	Service of the Word & Sacrament, page 26
Hymns	221, 418, 310, 477
First Lesson	1 Kings 3:5-12
Psalm of the Day	Psalm 119b (page 110)
Second Lesson	Romans 8:28-30
Gospel Lesson	Matthew 13:44-52
Confession of Faith	Nicene Creed
Sermon Text	1 Kings 3:5-12
Worship Theme	"The Beginning of Wisdom(Myslik)!"

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.

Communion Announcements Those who desire to attend the Lord's Supper are asked to announce by having the ushers sign up for you. We follow the Bible based practice of communing those who are communicant members of our congregation and those who are members of a congregation in fellowship with the Wisconsin Synod. If you have any questions about attending the Lord's Supper with us, please ask to speak with our pastor before the time of service.


NOTE: VISITORS, PLEASE FILL OUT A CARD IF RECEIVING COMMUNION SO WE CAN LET YOUR HOME CHURCH KNOW OF YOUR ATTENDANCE. THANK YOU!!

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 by Wednesday afternoon.

 ***New Calendar*** The August, 2023 calendar is available on the pedestal.


Door Offering Our new teacher, Cassie Rawlings, will be installed on Sunday, August 13, and is settling down in her apartment and getting to work at school. There will be an opportunity for members to welcome her by assisting her with the things she may need for her apartment and pantry. We are recommending gift cards or a gift of money to help her get settled. A door offering will be taken on Sunday, August 13, for Cassie and her husband Dylan.

Teachers Installation On Sunday, August 13, we will have the installation of St. John Lutheran School Teachers during the service.



Electronics Recycling UW-Green Bay, Marinette Campus are inviting community members to drop off electronics to be recycled for **“FREE”**. It is on **THIS** Friday, August 11, 2023 from 12-3:00pm at the UW-GB Marinette Campus. A detailed list with more information is on the bulletin board.

Teacher’s Aide Opening- Trinity Lutheran School in Marinette, is looking for an individual to fill the part-time position of 2nd-4th Grade Teacher’s Aide (2 hours per school day), beginning at the start of the 2023-2024 school year. The hourly compensation rate is \$13/hour. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Amber McMahon by August 7 for more information (tlssecretary@tlsmarinette.com or (715) 732-2956.

Church Softball Play some church softball this summer for fun & fellowship with brothers and sisters from WELS churches in the area! We will play at 1 p.m. on **TODAY** Sunday: August 6 at Crivitz. 

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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The Cottages

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Apt 226

Marinette, WI 54143

BETTY SEEFELDT

N1683 County W

Peshtigo, WI 54157

HARRIET CHRISTECK

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Marinette, WI 54143

CECILE SEEFELDT

Rennes West

501 N. Lake St

Peshtigo, WI 54157

RON & LORETTA KAEMPF

W4358 County B

Peshtigo, WI 54157

Marinette, WI 54143

LOIS SEEFELDT

1637 Redtail Dr

Hartford, WI 53027

BETTY NISCHKE(NEW)

2909 Shore Dr Room #121

Marinette, WI 54143

CAROLINE TACKMIER

The Cottages

2006 Lake Park Dr. Room #19

Marinette, WI 54143



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

2023 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 *Zion, Peshtigo*. 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 7/30/2023	124
Live Stream Service 7/30/2023 (Households)	
Average Sunday Attendance for the Year (31 weeks)	142

This Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran

TODAY 1:00pm Area Church Softball at Crivitz

Monday 6:30pm Zion Service

Sunday 10:00am Worship Service

Installation of St. John School Teachers

Next Sunday's Counting Team: Team "G" - Aaron & Erin Pape, Joel & Laura Rohde

Next Sunday's Greeters: Wes & Ella Aguilar

Offerings for the Lord's Work

NEW FISCAL NUMBERS

General Fund Income for 7/16/2023	\$ 5,348.75
General Fund Income for 7/23/2023	\$ 4,162.75
General Fund Income for 7/30/2023	\$ 3,436.75
Total General Fund Income (5 weeks)	\$ 23,707.50
Church Offering Goal: Weekly@\$6,174.50 (5 weeks)	\$ 30,872.50
(Projection - \$321,074)	
Total Church Offering Goal Deficit	-\$ 7,165.00
Tuition/School Choice (Projection - \$253,424)	\$2,620.00/
Included in General Fund Income Total:	

E-giving - \$1,222.75;

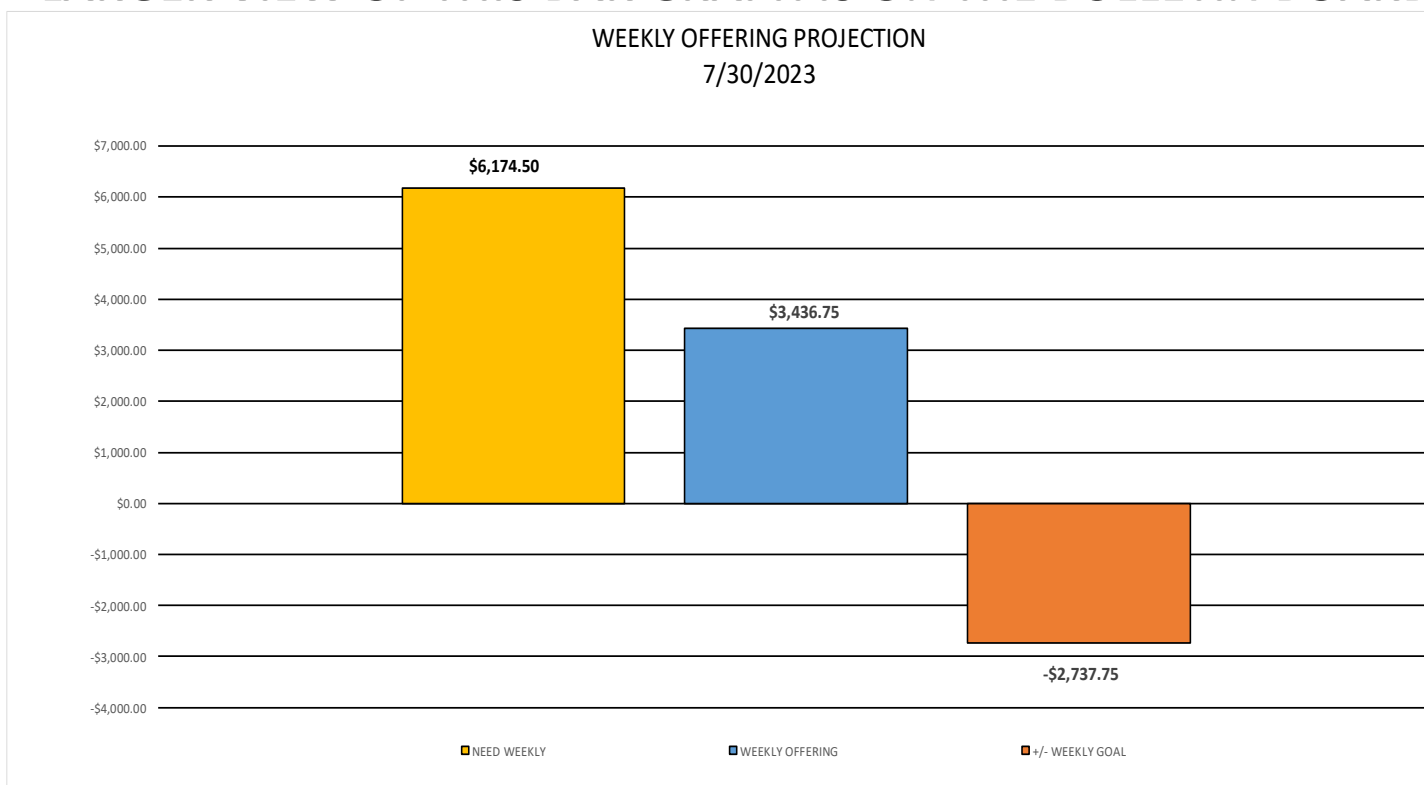
Special Gifts & Offerings:

Church Organ - \$100

Memorials & Special Gifts Received:

Church Organ - In memory of Leonard(Bud)Lemke from Jim & Connie Seefeldt

LARGER VIEW OF THIS BAR GRAPH IS ON THE BULLETIN BOARD



LADIES NIGHT OUT SUMMER SCHEDULE 2023

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 17TH
IRISH GREENS NEAR OCONTO (4:30PM)**

**Anyone questions, please call Marquita at 715-582-3304
Sign up sheet is on the bulletin board!!**

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Church/School Website www.stjohnpeshtigo.org

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Office hours @ St. John School

Wednesday 7:30am-2:30pm

Thursday 7:30am-2:30pm

Link to Electronic giving page.

Just scan with your phone.



FIRST LESSON**1 KINGS 3:5-12**

5 The Lord appeared to Solomon in Gibeon in a dream at night. God said, "Ask for whatever you want me to give you." 6 Solomon said, "You have shown great mercy and faithfulness to your servant, my father David, just as he walked before you in truth, righteousness, and uprightness of heart toward you. You have shown this great mercy and faithfulness to him and have given him a son who is seated on his throne to this very day. 7 O Lord my God, now you have made your servant king in the place of my father David, but I am a little child. I do not know how to go out or come in. 8 And I, your servant, am among your people whom you have chosen, a great people, who cannot be counted or numbered because they are so many. 9 Now give to your servant a perceptive heart to judge your people, to distinguish between good and evil, for who is able to judge this great people of yours?" 10 In the eyes of the Lord, Solomon's request was good. 11 So God said to him, "Because you have asked for this, and you have not asked for a long life, nor have you asked for riches, nor have you asked for the lives of your enemies, but you have asked for discernment to reach just verdicts, 12 therefore I will act according to your words. Yes, I will give you a wise and discerning heart, so that there will never have been anyone like you before you, nor will anyone like you rise up after you.

PSALM OF THE DAY**PSALM 119B (PAGE 110)****SECOND LESSON****ROMANS 8:28-30**

28 We know that all things work together for the good of those who love God, for those who are called according to his purpose, 29 because those God foreknew, he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, so that he would be the

firstborn among many brothers. 30 And those he predestined, he also called. Those he called, he also justified. And those he justified, he also glorified.

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

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 13:44-52

44 “The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and hid again. In his joy, he goes away and sells all that he has and buys that field. 45 “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant seeking fine pearls. 46 When he found one very valuable pearl, he went and sold all that he had and bought it. 47 “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a dragnet that was cast into the sea and gathered fish of every kind. 48 When the net was filled, they pulled it onto the shore. They sat down and gathered the good fish into containers, but threw the bad ones away. 49 That is how it will be at the end of the world. The angels will go out and separate the wicked from the righteous who are among them. 50 And they will throw the wicked into the fiery furnace where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.” 51 Jesus said to them, “Did you understand all these things?” They answered him, “Yes.” 52 He said to them, “Therefore every expert in the law who has been trained as a disciple in the kingdom of heaven is like the owner of a house who brings out of his treasure both new things and old things.”

Have A Blessed Week!

SUNDAY, 20TH AUGUST

WORSHIP | FOOD | FUN | GAMES

*Worship in
the park begins
at 10:00am*



Zion Lutheran and St John
Lutheran

CHURCH PICNIC

10 AM - 3 PM



Come and join us at Badger Park in Peshtigo for worship and fun. Worship will include music by Stephen Bautista. We will have a potluck meal and provide the main dish and beverages, bring a side or dessert to share. We will have games to play and a bounce house for the kids. Grab your favorite lawn chair and come join us.

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THERE ARE TWO SIGN UP SHEETS ON THE BULLETIN BOARD.

ONE IS: WE ARE LOOKING FOR HELP TO SET-UP/SERVE/CLEAN-UP

THE OTHER: SIGN UP FOR ATTENDING PICNIC