

Trinity Sunday
May 26, 2024

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Pastor

Organist

Greeters

Counting Team

PRAYER OF THE DAY Almighty God and Father, dwelling in majesty and mystery, filling and renewing all creation by your eternal Spirit, and manifesting your saving grace through our Lord Jesus Christ: in mercy cleanse our hearts and lips that, free from doubt and fear, we may ever worship you, one true immortal God, with your Son and the Holy Spirit, living and reigning, now and forever.

Order of Service

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Hymns

**National Anthem(choir v. 2), 270, 623,
Battle Hymn of the Republic(choir)**

First Lesson

Isaiah 6:1-8

Psalm of the Day

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Second Lesson

Romans 8:14-17

Gospel Lesson

John 3:1-17

Confession of Faith

Apostles' Creed

Sermon Text

Romans 8:14-17

Worship Theme

"We Belong!"

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.

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 stjohngrover@gmail.com by Wednesday afternoon.

WELS Connection We will be viewing May, 2024 WELS Connection at the end of the service today.



New Calendar The June, 2024 calendar is available on the pedestal.

***New* Mom's** Bible study at St. John's. We would like to start a Bible study for Moms. Our first meeting will be Tuesday, June 11th at 10 am in the church basement. This will include a short devotional and fellowship time after with light snacks and coffee. Children are welcome. Activity/toys and light snack will also be provided for children. Please let Erin Pape know if you are able to attend or interested in future meetings (262) 352-8762. Future meeting times and dates to be determined.

Car Wash Your Car Is Dirty! The Youth Rally Kids have the answer. Drop your car keys off in the parking lot and when you come out of church your car will be sparkling clean. They are asking for a donation to their trip to the Colorado Youth Rally at the end of June. Help them out and get a clean car in return. What a deal! They will be washing cars at St. John on Sunday, June 2nd and Zion on Sunday, June 9th.



Special Voters' Meeting A special voters' meeting will be

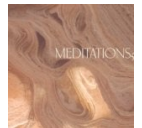
held Sunday, June 9 in church after the 10:00am service to act on the proposed fiscal 2025 budget and the “Church painting” quote of \$7,900.

ALL voters of our congregation are encouraged to attend this meeting.



Lawn Cutting The Church Council has budgeted funds (new budget starting 7/1/2024) for cutting the lawn at the school. We have two riding lawnmowers for that purpose. The areas that need cutting are the school as well as the athletic field. We have the amount of up to \$200/each mowing time 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.

Meditation Books The new meditation books starting June 2, 2024 are available on the table. A free-will offering is greatly appreciated to help defray the costs of production.



Summer Softball Men, women, and teens are invited to play church softball this summer to enjoy some fun and fellowship with our area churches. You don't have to be good, but just an opportunity to get together to enjoy some time outside this summer with fellow Christians. The first game will be at 1 p.m. on Sunday, June 2 at St. John's Lutheran in Grover. Other dates are July 14 (Grover), July 28 (Coleman) and Aug. 11 (Crivitz). Talk to Minister Dan if interested.

Vacation Bible School Zion and St John will once again be hosting Vacation Bible School this summer! It is a week earlier than in the past!!



Save The Date for Monday July 8th through Thursday July 11th,

2024. Come and enjoy Bible Stories, snacks, games, songs and a ton of summer fun! Don't forget to bring a friend! More information coming soon.

NOTE: We will be in need of volunteers to help with this Summer's Vacation Bible School.



Seroogy Candy Bars St. John Lutheran Youth Group is selling Seroogy candy bars once again at the cost of \$2.00 each.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!

Sunday School/Bible Study We begin the summer break and will resume after Labor Day.

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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2024 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 5/19/2024	129
Live Stream Service 5/19/2024 (Households)	12
Sunday School/Bible Study 5/19/2024	11/9
Average Sunday Attendance for the Year (20 weeks)	180

This Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran

Monday	NO SCHOOL NO Zion Service HAVE A SAFE & HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY
Tuesday	6:30pm Board of Education
Thursday	6:00pm Grief Share Group @ Grace, Crivitz 6:30pm St. John(4K & 8th)School Graduation Service
Friday	8:15am School Chapel Devotion

12:00pm Early Release - Last Day of School

Sunday **NO** Sunday School/Bible Study until after Labor Day

10:00am Worship Service w/Communion

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

Next Sunday's Greeters: Paul Marquardt & Jeff Behnke

Offerings for the Lord's Work

General Fund Income for 5/5/2024 \$ 6,020.50

General Fund Income for 5/12/2024 \$ 6,323.06

General Fund Income for 5/19/2024 \$ 3,807.12

Total General Fund Income (47 weeks) \$288,154.30

Church offering Goal: weekly @ \$6,174.50 \$290,201.50

(47 weeks) (projection-\$321,074)

Total Church Offering Goal **DEFICIT** -\$ 2,047.20

Tuition/School Choice (projection-\$253,424) \$41,874.29/\$192,913.50

Included in General Fund Income Total:

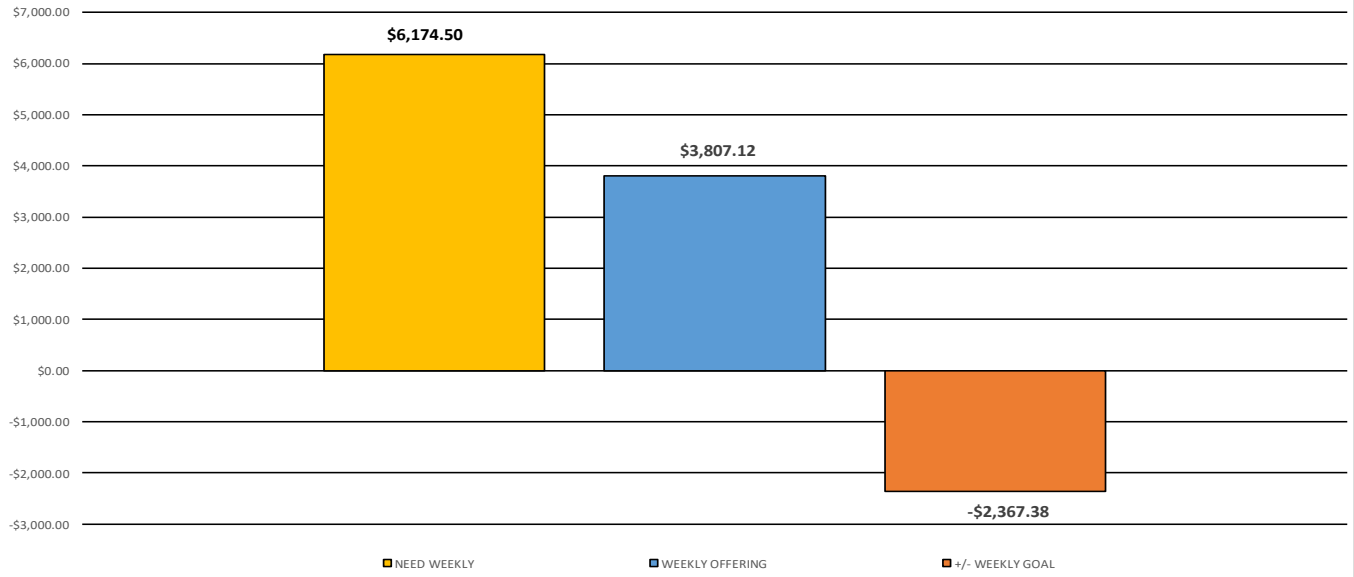
E-giving - \$1,676.06

Special Gifts & Offerings:

Sunday School Missions - \$5; CMO - \$10; Future Church Workers (WELS Extension Fund) - \$34.57

Memorials & Special Gifts Received

WEEKLY OFFERING PROJECTION
5/19/2024



School News

- ⇒ The CEA will hold a brief, end of the school year meeting on Tuesday, May 28th at 5:45 pm at school. The main discussion will be how to use the funds that were raised this year. All our school parents are invited to attend.
- ⇒ Our Graduation service for the 4K and 8th grade students will be this coming Thursday, May 30th at 6:30 pm. All children in Grades 4K - 8 will be singing in this service. A cake reception will be held in the basement following the service. The congregation is invited to attend this worship service.
- ⇒ Friday, May 31st will be the last day of school for this year. The morning will begin with a chapel service, followed by fun games and activities and ending with a picnic/potluck for the students and their families. Dismissal will be at 12:00 noon.

**Link to Electronic giving page.
Just scan with your phone.**



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Office hours @ St. John School

Wednesday 7:30am-2:30pm

Thursday 7:30am-2:30pm



FIRST LESSON

ISAIAH 6:1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple. 2 Above him stood the seraphim. Each one had six wings. With two they covered their faces. With two they covered their feet. With two they flew. 3 One called to another and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the LORD of Armies! The whole earth is full of his glory! 4 The foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of the one who called, and the temple was filled with smoke. 5 Then I said, “I am doomed! I am ruined, because I am a man with unclean lips, and I dwell among a people with unclean lips, and because my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of Armies!” 6 Then one of the seraphim flew to me, carrying a glowing coal in his hand, which he had taken from the altar with tongs. 7 He touched my mouth with the coal and said, “Look, this has touched your lips, so your guilt is taken away, and your sin is forgiven.” 8 Then I heard the Lord’s voice, saying, “Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?” Then I said, “Here I am. Send me!”

PSALM OF THE DAY

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SECOND LESSON

ROMANS 8:14–17

14 Indeed, those who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. 15 For you did not receive a spirit of slavery so that you are afraid again, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we call out, “Abba, Father!” 16 The Spirit himself joins our spirit in testifying that we are God’s children. 17 Now if we are children, we are also heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, since we suffer with him, so that we may also be glorified with him.

VERSE OF THE DAY Alleluia. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory. Alleluia. (Isaiah 6:3b cf.NIV)

GOSPEL

JOHN 3:1–17

There was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a member of the Jewish ruling council. 2 He came to Jesus at night and said to him, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God, for no one can do these miraculous signs you are doing unless God is with him.” 3 Jesus replied, “Amen, Amen, I tell you: Unless someone is born from above, he cannot see the kingdom of God.” 4 Nicodemus said to him, “How can a man be born when he is old? He cannot enter a second time into his mother’s womb and be born, can he?” 5 Jesus answered, “Amen, Amen, I tell you: Unless someone is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God! 6 Whatever is born of the flesh is flesh. Whatever is born of the Spirit is spirit. 7 Do not be surprised when I tell you that you must be born from above. 8 The wind blows where it pleases. You hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” 9 “How can these things be?” asked Nicodemus. 10 “You are the teacher of Israel,” Jesus answered, “and you do not know these things? 11 Amen, Amen, I tell you: We speak what we know, and we testify about what we have seen. But you people do not accept our testimony. 12 If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how will you believe if I tell you heavenly things? 13 No one has ascended into heaven, except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man, who is in heaven. 14 “Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, 15 so that everyone who believes in him shall not perish but have eternal

life. 16 “For God so loved the world that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish, but have eternal life. 17 For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.”

HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!!!



OUR MISSION:

St. John Lutheran Church exists to nurture our congregation with God’s Word and Sacraments, share the Gospel in our surrounding communities and the world, and serve others in Christian love.

150th Anniversary of the Ev. Lutheran Church of St John

Rev. Carl Heubner from the Wisconsin Synod was sent to serve Lutheran immigrants who had organized congregations in Marinette County. One group was started in 1870 called the German Lutheran Congregation of Peshtigo and Surrounding Territory. On October 8, 1871 the Peshtigo Fire devoured all of Peshtigo and the surrounding territory. The homes, barns, cattle, belongings, and the church building of these members were reduced to ashes. Many lost husbands, wives, and children. Those who survived took courage and wanted a new start for their church. On January 1, 1874 a new congregation was organized. The name they chose was the Ev. Lutheran Saint Johannes Gemeinde. (Ev. Lutheran Church of St. John) It was decided to build a church on three acres donated by Fred Warnecke. In August of 1876 a wooden church building was erected on the very site of our present sanctuary.

We will be remembering this **150th Anniversary** with special prayers on Sunday, December 31, 2023. The Church Elders have set aside the date of **October 13th, 2024** for a special Anniversary Service to be held at 4:00pm with a potluck meal after the service.

The Elders are asking for volunteers to help form an Anniversary Committee for this special service.

