

Last Sunday of End Times
Christ the King
November 20, 2022

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PRAYER OF THE DAY Lord Jesus Christ, by your victory you have broken the power of the evil one. Fill our hearts with joy and peace as we look with hope to that day when every creature in heaven and earth will acclaim you King of kings and Lord of lords to your unending praise and glory; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Order of Service	Service of the Word & Sacrament , page 26
Sunday School Song	“Jesus is My Shepherd”
Hymns	373, 351, 313, 358
First Lesson	Jeremiah 23:2-6
Psalm of the Day	Psalm 98 (page 103)
Second Lesson	Colossians 1:13-20
Gospel Lesson	Luke 23:35-43
Confession of Faith	Nicene Creed
Sermon Text	Luke 23:35-43
Worship Theme	“What Kind of King is This?”

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 by Wednesday afternoon.

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!!

Cards There are Thanksgiving & Christmas cards available in the church entry way.

Advent by Candlelight As many of you know, the Zion Fellowship Hall (specifically the kitchen) is under construction. While we are very excited to upgrade our kitchen fa-



cilities, it is not going to work to use the Zion Fellowship Hall for Advent by Candlelight this year. The Ladies of Trinity Lutheran Church in Coleman have kindly invited us to join them in their Advent by Candlelight on December 11 from 4:00-6:00pm. If you are interested in attending, please sign up on the sheets located in the entryway of the church. If you would like to host a table or bring a dessert or snack, there are sign-up sheets for that as well. We hope you will take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to join with our sisters in Christ and celebrate Christ's birth together!



Thanksgiving This year, Wednesday, November 23 @ 6:30 pm, we are holding a joint Thanksgiving Service in which members of Zion, Peshtigo are invited to worship with us. Following the service, coffee and donuts will be served while we have the opportunity to fellowship and see if some want to purchase items from the Thai Village display.

Meditation Books The new meditation books starting November 27, 2022, are available on the table. A free-will offering is greatly appreciated to help defray the costs of production.

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



Bible Study We are looking at a series called **19 Minutes with the Messiah**. This week's lesson is " **I AM the True Vine**" (John 15:1-8). Next week's lesson is "**The Woman in Labor**" (John 16:16-33). If you come in during the study, copies are available at the usher table. Come and join us in the church at **9:00**.



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!!

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 *Trinity, Marinette*. The daily devotions on WOCO AM (1260) & FM (107.1) this week (Monday-Friday at 9:05 am) are hosted by *Zion, Peshtigo by Pastor Luke Myslik*.

Last Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran

Those Who Joined Us in Worship 11/13/2022	178
Live Stream Service 11/13/2022 (Households)	7
Sunday School/Bible Study 11/13/2022	19/12
Average Sunday Attendance for the Year (46 weeks)	137

This Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran

Monday 6:30pm Zion Service
Wednesday 1:00pm School Early Release
NO CONFIRMATION CLASS
6:30pm Thanksgiving Service @ St. John

Thursday HAVE A SAFE & BLESSED THANKSGIVING
Thurs-Friday NO SCHOOL—THANKSGIVING BREAK
Sunday 9:00am Sunday School/Bible Study
10:00am Worship Service w/WELS Connection
Next Sunday's Counting Team: Team "E" - Scott & Sue Schonfeld,
Dave & Patti Bornick

Offerings for the Lord's Work

General Fund Income for 10/30/2022	\$ 3,428.75
General Fund Income for 11/6/2022	\$ 6,375.44
General Fund Income for 11/13/2022	\$ 9,481.10
Total General Fund Income (20 weeks)	\$114,407.04
Church Offering Goal: Weekly@\$6,000.00 (20 weeks)	\$120,000.00
(Projection - \$312,000)	
Total Church Offering Goal DEFICIT	-\$ 5,592.96

Tuition / School Choice (Projection - \$188,632)\$ 30,150.00/\$35,695.75

Included in General Fund Income Total:

E-giving - \$2,248.75; Thrivent - \$43

Special Gifts & Offerings:

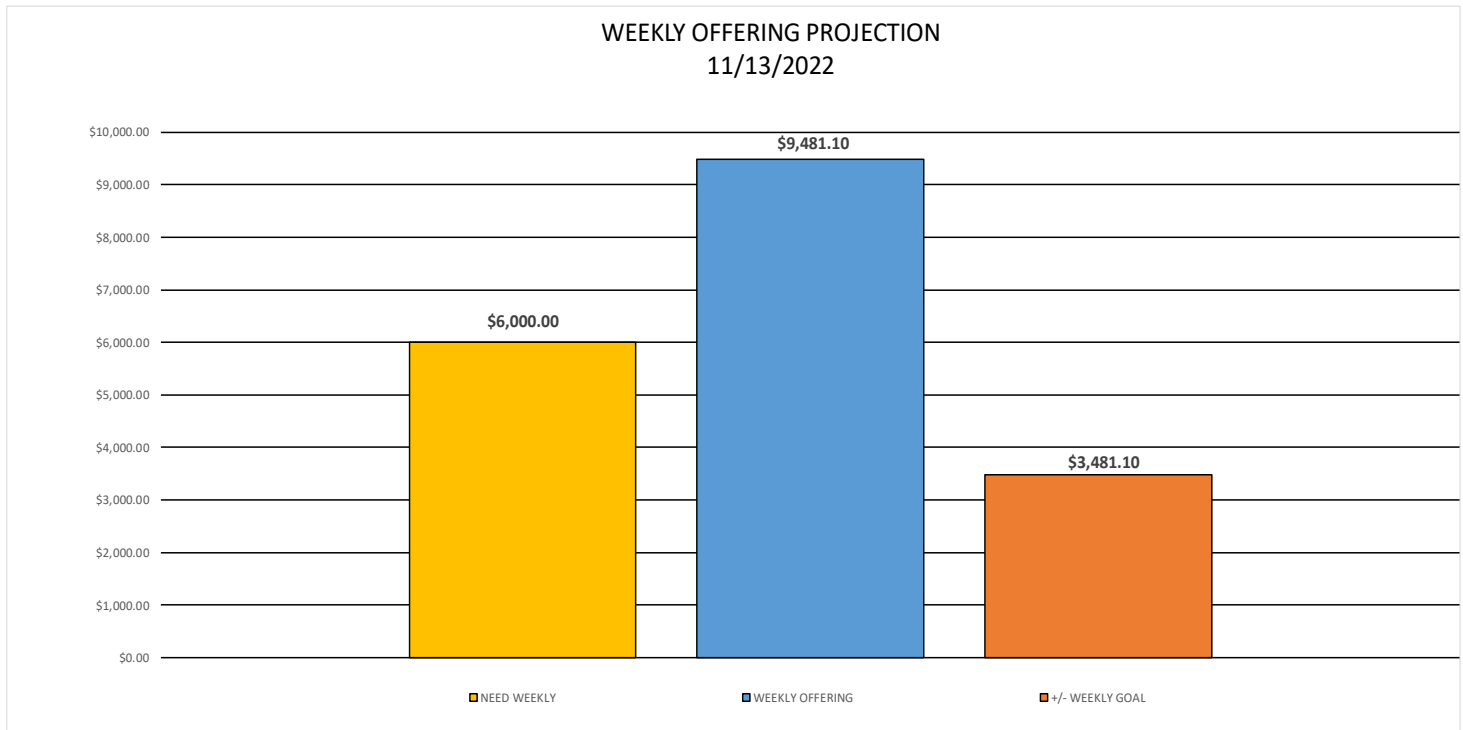
Sunday School Missions - \$65.20; CMO - \$300; Sunday School - \$50;
Ladies Aid/Meditation Books - \$40; School Missions - \$44.71; Hot
Lunch - \$84

Memorials & Special Gifts Received:

Sunday School - In Thanksgiving of Leo Seefeldt's 95th Birthday
from Joe & Ellen Liptak & Family

General - In memory of Lucille Schonfeld from Schonfeld Family
& Friends

LARGER VIEW OF THIS BAR GRAPH IS ON THE BULLETIN BOARD



School News

- ⇒ There will be no school November 24 and 25 for our Thanksgiving break, with an early dismissal on Wednesday, November 23 at 1:00 pm. Our faculty and staff would like to wish everyone a safe and blessed Happy Thanksgiving.
- ⇒ As part of our continuing support of our Mission Project for this semester, we are hosting a craft display and sale for Thai Village handicrafts, starting today, Sunday, November 20 through next Sunday, November 28. It will also be available on our Wednesday evening Thanksgiving worship service with refreshments also being served in the church basement.
- ⇒ There will be a Christmas Eve practice on Saturday, December 3 from 9:00 - 11:00 am.
- ⇒ Our weekly chapel services will be held in church on Fridays at 8:15. Parents and visitors are welcome to attend. We will also upload the services to our school and church Facebook pages.

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Office hours @ St. John School

Wednesday 7:30am-2:30pm

Thursday 7:30am-2:30pm

*You are
invited!*

Saturday,
December 10
3:00 PM

&

Christmas Eve
Saturday,
December 24
6:30 PM

DID YOU
KNOW?



Children's Christmas Service

St. John School is blessed to serve students from many congregations. Since many students are also part of their own Christmas Eve services at their home congregations, St. John School and Church wanted to provide them the opportunity to participate with their school family as well as their church family.

This year, St. John will be hosting two Children's Christmas Services. On Saturday, December 10, St. John School students will be leading the Christmas service. All St. John members, friends, and family are joyfully invited!

On Christmas Eve, St. John students and St. John Sunday School will lead the service. Again, please invite family and friends! Christmas is a wonderful time to share our faith and the peace we have in Christ.



Our school's first semester mission offering for this school year is going to the Thai Village Inc., a nonprofit organization that works with artisans in Thailand (Southeast Asia) to support economic self-sufficiency and Christian education.

During the month of September we had a mission presentation by Pastor Jud Krohn and his wife Barb, who served as missionaries in Thailand and were instrumental in helping establish the Thai Village organization. As part of our continuing support this semester, along with our weekly chapel offerings, we are having a display of some of the products that are made by the artisans at Thai Village which will be available for purchase. The display will be set up in the church narthex starting next Sunday, November 20 through Sunday, November 27. We will also have the display available for the joint Wednesday, Thanksgiving worship service on November 23. Coffee and donuts will be served after the Wednesday night service while you have the opportunity to browse and shop the craft display. All purchases must be done by cash, check or by using a QR code paid directly to the TVI website.



FIRST LESSON

JEREMIAH 23:2-6

2 Therefore, this is what the LORD, the God of Israel, says about the shepherds who shepherd my people. You have scattered my flock. You have driven them away. You have not taken care of them, but I will certainly take care of you, because of the evil things you have done, declares the LORD. 3 I will gather what is left of my flock out of all the countries where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their pastures. They will be fruitful and multiply. 4 I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them. They will no longer be afraid or terrified, nor will any be missing, declares the LORD. 5 Listen, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, who will reign wisely as king and establish justice and righteousness on earth. 6 In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will dwell securely. This is his name by which he will be called: The LORD Our Righteousness.

PSALM OF THE DAY

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SECOND LESSON

COLOSSIANS 1:13–20

13 The Father rescued us from the domain of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, 14 in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. 15 He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation, 16 for in him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, things seen and unseen, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him. 17 He is before all things, and all things hold together in him. 18 He is also the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that in all things he might have the highest rank. 19 For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell

in him, 20 and through him to reconcile all things to himself (whether things on earth or in heaven) by making peace through the blood of his cross.

VERSE OF THE DAY Alleluia. I am the Alpha and Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End. Alleluia. (Revelation 22:13)

GOSPEL

LUKE 23:35–43

35 The people stood watching. The rulers were ridiculing him, saying, “He saved others. Let him save himself, if this is the Christ of God, the Chosen One!” 36 The soldiers also made fun of him. Coming up to him, they offered him sour wine, 37 saying, “If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!” 38 There was also an inscription written above him: “This is the King of the Jews.” 39 One of the criminals hanging there was blaspheming him, saying, “Aren’t you the Christ? Save yourself and us!” 40 But the other criminal rebuked him. “Don’t you fear God, since you are under the same condemnation? 41 We are punished justly, for we are receiving what we deserve for what we have done, but this man has done nothing wrong.” 42 Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come in your kingdom.” 43 Jesus said to him, “Amen I tell you: Today you will be with me in paradise.”

Have A Blessed Week!