

*Last Sunday of End Time  
Christ the King  
November 26, 2023*

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**Lisa Sargent & Connie Seefeldt**

**Dan Maedke, Randy & Brenda Polzin,**

**Lisa Sargent**

**Pastor**

**Organist**

**Greeters**

**Counting Team**

**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, page 38**

**Hymns**

**885(Blue Hymnal), 373, 351, 609**

**First Lesson**

**Ezekiel 34:11-16, 23-24**

**Psalm of the Day**

**Psalm 47 (page 85)**

**Second Lesson**

**1 Corinthians 15:20-28**

**Gospel Lesson**

**Matthew 27:27-31**

**Confession of Faith**

**Apostles' Creed**

**Sermon Text**

**1 Corinthians 15:20-28**

**Worship Theme**

**"He Reigns!"**

**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.

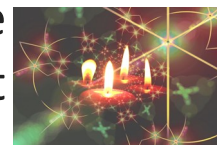
Also, if you would like a special prayer put in the bulletin, please contact Brenda Polzin or email the request to stjohngrover@gmail.com by Wednesday afternoon.



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

**WELS Connection** We will be viewing the November, 2023 WELS Connection at the end of the service today.

**Advent** There will not be “**Advent**” services held here at St. John Church. **Trinity, Coleman** is holding Advent Services at 6:00pm on November 29, December 6 & 13.



They will also have Advent meals at 5:00pm. **Grace, Crivitz** is holding their Advent Services on December 6, 13, 20 at 12 noon and 7 PM....supper served prior to evening service 6:15 to 6:45 PM.



**Church Christmas Potluck** On Sunday, December 10, following our worship service, all our St. John’s families are invited to a Church Christmas Potluck in the church basement. A roaster of chicken, along with beverages will be provided. Please bring your favorite holiday dish to share. Following the meal, stay to play Christmas Bingo (with prizes) and sing songs. **(There will be NO 9:00 am Bible Study that morning.)**


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

**Bible Study** Our Bible Study is called “**Grand Themes & Key Words**”. This Sunday we will look at what it means to have  “**Faith**”. Next Sunday we will look at what is meant by the term, “**Glory of the Lord**”. Please come and join us for this study at 9:00.

**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.

**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 *Grace, Crivitz*. The daily devotions on WOCO AM (1260) & FM (107.1) this week (Monday-Friday at 9:05 am) are hosted by *St. John, Grover by Pastor Daniel Sargent*.

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

Those Who Joined Us in Worship 11/19/2023	106
Live Stream Service 11/19/2023 (Households)	7
Sunday School/Bible Study 11/19/2023	17/14
Average Sunday Attendance for the Year (46 weeks)	141

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

Monday 6:30pm Zion Service  
Tuesday 6:30pm Joint Parent/Board of Education  
Wednesday 4:30pm Confirmation Class (4:30-6:00pm)  
Friday 8:15am School Chapel Devotion  
Saturday 9:00am Christmas Eve Program Practice 9-11am)  
Sunday 9:00am Sunday School/Bible Study  
10:00am Worship Service w/Communion

Next Sunday's Counting Team: Team "B" - Dave Kaus, Paul Marquardt, Darlene Nohr

Next Sunday's Greeters: Paul Marquardt & Jeff Behnke

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

General Fund Income for 11/5/2023	\$ 5,472.50
General Fund Income for 11/12/2023	\$ 5,329.75
General Fund Income for 11/19/2023	\$ 3,899.75
Total General Fund Income (21 weeks)	\$105,476.48
Church Offering Goal: Weekly@\$6,174.50 (21 weeks)	\$129,664.50
(Projection - \$321,074)	
Total Church Offering Goal <b>Deficit</b>	-\$ 24,188.02
Tuition/School Choice (Projection - \$253,424)	\$29,395.00/\$64,304.50

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

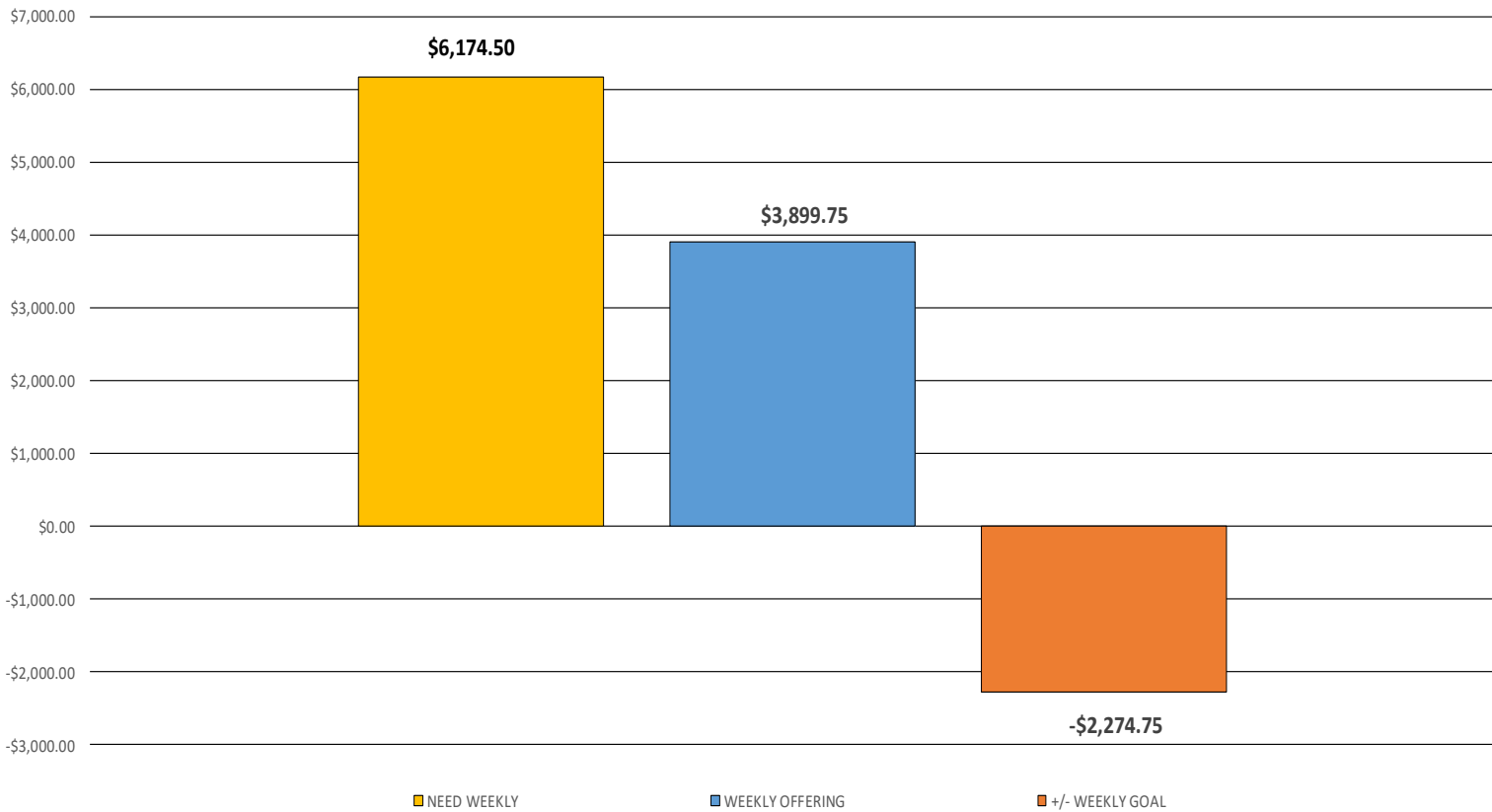
E-giving - \$1,576.75

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

Sunday School Missions - \$2; Ladies Aid/Meditation Books - \$56; Major Mtc/Capital Project - \$2,500; Future Church Workers(WELS Extension) - \$8.28; School Missions - \$60.83; Hot Lunch - \$83

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

WEEKLY OFFERING PROJECTION  
11/19/2023



**LADIES NIGHT OUT - FALL SCHEDULE 2023**

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH**

**BROWN'S CORNER IN PESHTIGO (4:30PM)**

**Anyone questions, please call Marquita at 715-582-3304**

**Sign up sheet is on the bulletin board!!**

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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****EZEKIEL 34:11-16, 23-24**

11 For this is what the LORD God says. Here I am. I myself will seek the welfare of my flock and carefully search for them. 12 As a shepherd searches for his flock when his sheep that were with him have been scattered, so I will search for my flock and rescue them from all the places where they were scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. 13 I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries and bring them to their own soil. I will shepherd them on the mountains of Israel, in the valleys, and in all the settlements of the land. 14 I will lead them into good pasture, and their grazing land will be on the high mountains of Israel. There they will lie down in good grazing land, and they will pasture on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. 15 I myself will shepherd my flock. I myself will let them lie down, declares the LORD God. 16 I will seek the lost. I will bring back the strays. I will bind up the injured. I will strengthen the weak. I will destroy the fat and the strong, and I will shepherd them with justice. 23 Then I will raise up over them one shepherd, and he will tend them. My servant David will tend them, and he will be their shepherd. 24 I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David will be the prince among them. I, the LORD, have spoken.

**PSALM OF THE DAY****PSALM 47(PAGE 85)****SECOND LESSON****1 CORINTHIANS 15:20–28**

20 But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. 21 For since death came by a man, the resurrection of the dead also is going to come by a man. 22 For as in Adam they all die, so also in Christ



they all will be made alive. 23 But each in his own order: Christ as the firstfruits and then Christ's people, at his coming. 24 Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has done away with every other ruler and every other authority and power. 25 For he must reign "until he has put all his enemies under his feet." 26 Death is the last enemy to be done away with. 27 Certainly, "he has put all things in subjection under his feet." Now when it says that all things have been put in subjection, obviously that does not include the one who subjected all things to him. 28 But when all things have been subjected to him, then the Son himself will also be subjected to the one who subjected all things to him, in order that God may be all in all.

**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**

**MATTHEW 27:27-31**

27 Then the governor's soldiers took Jesus into the Praetorium and gathered the whole cohort of soldiers around him. 28 They stripped him and put a scarlet robe on him. 29 They twisted together a crown of thorns and put it on his head. They put a staff in his right hand, knelt in front of him, and mocked him by saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" 30 They spit on him, took the staff, and hit him repeatedly on his head. 31 After they had mocked him, they took off the robe and put his own clothes on him. Then they led him away to crucify him.

**HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!!!**

## ***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 1780 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 pot-luck meal after the service.

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

