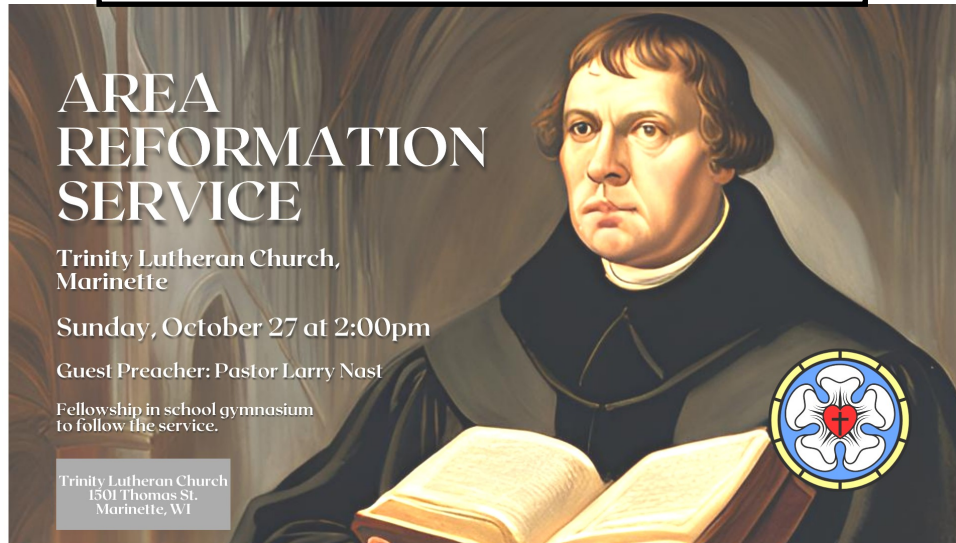


THIS AFTERNOON



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Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod



ST. JOHN LUTHERAN
CHURCH & SCHOOL

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.

Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost
October 27, 2024

Pastor Daniel Sargent

Jim Seefeldt

Bob & Kim Pelky

Aaron & Erin Pape, Joel & Laura Rohde

Pastor

Organist

Greeters

Counting Team

PRAYER OF THE DAY God, our refuge and strength, have mercy on your Church, as we come in prayer before you. Answer us not in judgment on our sins, but in peace and forgiveness; 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

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Hymns

399, 438, 405, 294

First Lesson

Jeremiah 31:7-9

Psalm of the Day

Psalm 126, page 113

Second Lesson

Hebrews 5:1-10

Gospel Lesson

Mark 10:46-52

Confession of Faith

Apostles' Creed

Sermon Text

Mark 10:46-52

Worship Theme

"We Are All Beggars!"

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, the collection plates will be passed during the service after the Creed. Thank you!!

Large Print Bulletins Large print editions of today's bulletin are available from one of the ushers. Please request one if it is needed.

sitting by the road begging. 47 When he heard that it was Jesus the Nazarene, he began to shout, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" 48 Many told him to be quiet, but he kept shouting all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" 49 Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." They called the blind man, saying, "Cheer up! Get up. He is calling you!" 50 He tossed aside his outer garment, jumped up, and went to Jesus. 51 "What do you want me to do for you?" Jesus asked him. The blind man replied, "Rabboni, I want to see again." 52 Jesus told him, "Go. Your faith has made you well." Immediately he received his sight and began following Jesus on the road.

HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!!!

FIRST LESSON

JEREMIAH 31:7-9

7 This is what the LORD says. Sing with joy for Jacob, and shout for the greatest of the nations. Make your praises heard and say, "LORD, save your people, the remnant of Israel!" 8 Watch, I will bring them from a land in the north and gather them from the ends of the earth. The blind and the lame will be there, the pregnant woman together with the woman in labor. They will return as a huge community. 9 They will come weeping. They will pray as I bring them back. I will lead them beside streams of water, on a level path where they will not stumble. For I am a father to Israel. Ephraim is my firstborn.

PSALM OF THE DAY

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SECOND LESSON

HEBREWS 5:1-10

To be sure, every high priest is chosen from the people and is appointed to represent the people in the things pertaining to God, so that he may offer gifts, as well as sacrifices, for sins. 2 He is able to deal gently with those who are ignorant and going astray, since he himself is also weak in many ways. 3 And for this reason he is obligated to offer sacrifices for his own sins, just as he does for the people. 4 No one takes this honor on himself, but he is called by God, just as Aaron was. 5 In the same way, Christ did not take the glory of becoming a high priest on himself, but God said to him: You are my Son. Today I have begotten you. 6 He also said the same thing in another place: You are a priest forever, like Melchizedek. 7 In the days of his flesh, he offered prayers and pleas with loud cries and tears to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverence. 8 Although he was the Son, he learned obedience from the things he suffered. 9 After he was brought to his goal, he became the source of eternal salvation for everyone who obeys him, 10 because he was designated by God as a high priest, like Melchizedek.

VERSE OF THE DAY Alleluia. The Lord will rescue me from every evil and will bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. Alleluia. (2 Timothy 4:18 cf. NIV)

GOSPEL

MARK 10:46-52

46 They came to Jericho. As Jesus and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, a blind man, Bartimaeus the son of Timaeus, was



Prayer Requests Please remember the following in your prayers:

*Leni Leeann Lemke as she receives the blessing of Holy Baptism

*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 October, 2024 WELS Connection at the end of the service today.

New Calendar The November, 2024 calendar is available in the racks before entering church



Baptism Leni Leeann Lemke, daughter of Tyler and Danielle Lemke, will receive God's washing of Holy Baptism after the service today. May the Lord bless and keep this child in his baptismal grace.

Disaster Relief Door Offering Hurricane Helene struck on September 26 bringing a huge path of destruction from the Big Bend region of Florida all the way to North Carolina. It brought widespread destruction and the death toll from this terrible storm stands at 120 and is rising. Two weeks later, Hurricane Milton hit southwest Florida on October 9. WELS Christian Aid and Relief has been in contact with district leaders and pastors in the impacted areas. Many of our church members and their neighbors experienced extensive damage to their properties. Some even lost their homes entirely. The committee is working with our pastors to provide immediate financial assistance to those who need it. Many people are asking how they can help. Currently, the best way to help is to give a donation through the Committee on Aid and Relief. Our congregation will be having a door offering for disaster relief the **next two Sundays(October 27, November 3)**. Please consider donating to help our brothers and sisters and their neighbors.



Quarterly Voters' Meeting We will be having our Quarterly Voters' Meeting **TODAY**, Sunday, October 27, after the service. All voting members are encouraged to attend. There will be an

Open Forum for any questions or concerns anyone from the congregation may have.



Mom's Bible Study Our next Bible Study will be **Tuesday, October 29 at 9:30am** in St. John church basement. 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.

St John Quilting Group The Quilters' group meets every Tuesday. If you would like to join the group, come at 9:00am and bring a lunch because they meet until 2:00pm. Pastor joins the group at times for a question-and-answer Bible Study while the ladies work on the quilts. You don't have to know how to sew to join. There are other things you can help with that would be appreciated. The quilts they make are donated to our St. John shut ins, Bellin Health Marinette for cancer patients, Veterans at the home in Iron Mountain, Rainbow House for mothers and children from trouble homes, the homeless shelter in Menomonie and area nursing homes.



Bible Study We will be looking at the **"Book of Jonah"** in this study. It will be at 9:00 am in the front of the church. All are welcome.

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!!

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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SCHOOL NEWS

- ⇒ This Tuesday, October 29, is the end of our first quarter of the school year. We are grateful for the blessings the Lord has given to our students, teachers and staff thus far and pray for His continued blessings throughout the remainder of the school year. Report cards will be sent home the following week.
- ⇒ Parent Teacher Consultations will take place on Wednesday and Thursday, November 6 and 7. Our school parents are reminded to sign up to meet with the child(ren's) teacher(s) on one of those afternoons/evenings.
- ⇒ There will be a Board of Education meeting on Tuesday, October 29 at 6:30 pm. All St. John school parents are encouraged to attend.
- ⇒ The next Lutheran Pioneers meeting will be Wednesday, November 6 at Zion, Peshtigo from 5:30 - 7:00 pm. Children from our congregation in Grades 1-8 are invited to attend.
- ⇒ Our weekly chapel services will be held in church on Fridays at 8:15. Parents and visitors are always welcome to attend. We will also post the recording of these devotions on both our school and church Facebook pages.

**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



Many workplace giving programs, such as United Way, have begun to organize their 2024-2025 campaigns.

As a 501(c)(3) social service charitable agency, Christian Family Solutions (under our legal name of Wisconsin Lutheran Child & Family Service - WLGS) is one of the donor choice program options to which employees can designate funds. Through this option, you can support organizations and causes that closely align to your own Christian values.

Each year, Christian Family Solutions heals and helps thousands of people through Christian counseling and services. In 2023, our providers logged over 80,000 sessions of Christian counseling! That is 80,000 opportunities for the hope of the Gospel to be shared with a hurting soul. In addition, our valuable mental health resources offer Gospel-motivated healing to anyone in their time of need.

Consider supporting our ministry through your workplace giving.

If you have questions about your participation in such a program, check your employer's guidelines. You can also contact 888.685.9522, or e-mail info@wlgs.org for more information.

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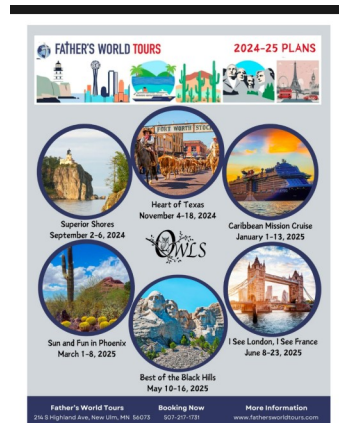


2024 Altar Flowers Sign Up A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board to donate flowers for special dates in memory of a loved one or for another special occasion.

Weekly Bulletins You can 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 *Trinity, Marinette* by Pastor Josh Frailing.



THERE'S A LARGER
POSTER VIEW ON THE
BULLETIN BOARD

Last Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran

Those Who Joined Us in Worship 10/20/2024	132
Live Stream Service 10/20/2024 (Households)	20
Sunday School/Bible Study 10/20/2024	19/11
Average Sunday Attendance for the Year (42 weeks)	169

This Week at St. John Ev. Lutheran

Monday	6:30pm Zion Service
Tuesday	9:30am Mom's Bible Study
	6:30pm Board of Education
Tues-Wed	Pastor's Conference
Wednesday	NO Confirmation Class
Thursday	HAVE A SAFE HALLOWEEN
Friday	8:15am School Chapel Devotion
Sunday	DAYLIGHTS SAVINGS TIME ENDS(turn clocks back 1 hour)
	9:00am Sunday School/Bible Study
	10:00am Worship Service w/Communion

Next Sunday's Counting Team: Team "A" - Dan Maedke, Randy & Brenda Polzin, Lisa Sargent

Next Sunday's Greeters: Becky Rohde & Lissa Seefeldt

Offerings for the Lord's Work

General Fund Income for 10/6/2024	\$ 6,472.74
General Fund Income for 10/13/2024	\$ 7,187.06
General Fund Income for 10/20/2024	\$ 4,746.06
Total General Fund Income (17 weeks)	\$ 96,556.15
Church offering Goal: weekly @ \$6,282.33	\$106,799.61
(17 weeks) (NEW projection-\$326,681)	
Total Church Offering Goal DEFICIT	-\$ 10,243.46
Tuition/School Choice (NEW projection-\$279,546)	\$32,013.44/\$58,862.75

Included in General Fund Income Total:

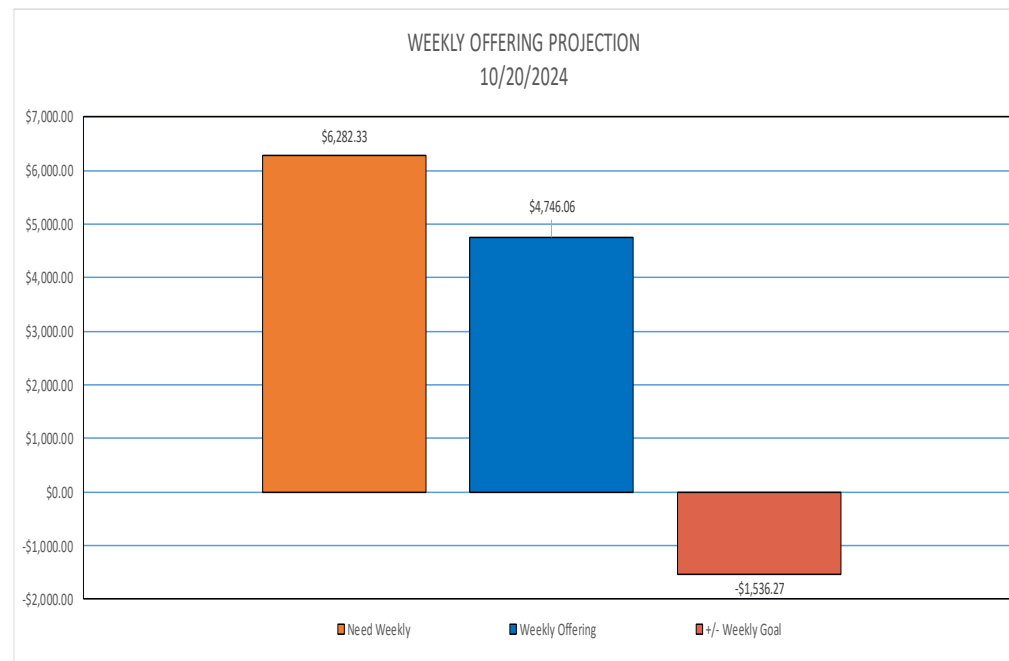
E-giving - \$2,096.06;

Special Gifts & Offerings:

School Missions - \$53.28; CMO - \$250; Sunday School Missions - \$5; LYG - \$130; Major Mtc/Capital Project(Mursau's round-up) -\$3,374.21

Memorials & Special Gifts Received

LARGER VIEW OF THIS BAR GRAPH IS ON THE BULLETIN BOARD



Ladies Night Out Fall Schedule 2024

SIGN UP SHEET IS ON THE BULLETIN BOARD

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14

THE WINDJAMMER NEAR MARINETTE (4:30PM)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

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

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

4:30pm Social - Dinner 5:00pm