

OUR ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

Weekend Worship.....	300
Adult Bible Class	15
Sunday Lighthouse.....	8
Wednesday Lighthouse.....	5
Sunday School Students.....	36
Guests	1
Sunday School Teachers/Helpers	6

FROM THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP:

Thank you for supporting God's work through St. John's. Our offering received last weekend:

General Fund: \$ 7,861.76

Building Fund: \$10.00

Simply Giving General Fund: \$1, 856.00



COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, October 16
at 7 p.m.

*(Reports should
be in the office*

before Friday, October 12)

VOTER ASSEMBLY

Tuesday, October 23 at 7 p.m.

Election of Officers and approval of the 2019 budget is also on the agenda.

SAMPLE BALLOT FOR ELECTION OF OFFICERS 2019

President – Todd Martin

Vice-President – Jeff Weis

Treasurer – Sarah Mellendorf

Secretary – Linda Marxmann

Early Childhood – Shawn Bourland

**Elders – Howard Janis, Jim Schroeder,
Jeff Stremming**

Social Ministry – Lonni Weis

Trustees – Adam Bohnhoff

Christian Ed – Kiley Bohnhoff

Evangelism – Dave Worman

Board of Stewardship – Wade Bloemer

Board of Youth – Carolyn Wendte

THE EAGLE

St. John's Newsletter

October 7, 2018

Church Office Hours

Monday–Friday 8:00–11:30/12:30–4:00

Email: saintjohnslcms@gmail.com

Website: stjohnslcms.net

IT'S LWML SUNDAY!

Join us in remembering the mission of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League and honoring their efforts to be God's hands and feet in service. If you would like to give a donation to the LWML, there are envelopes on the Welcome Center, by the Mite Box.

Our Lydia Guild Guest Meeting will be

Tuesday, October 16 at 6 p.m.

We will serve a meal with a featured guest speaker following.

Names beginning with

A-M bring casseroles

N-Z bring salads

Officers will bring desserts.

**OUR FIRST SUNDAY BREAKFAST on
October 7**

will help Lutheran Care Center purchase new recliners for their residents. The goal is to buy 20 chairs for \$379.00 each.

So far, the door offerings have brought in \$2492.00. St. John's is on the way to providing 6 and more residents with new, recliners!

**ALTAR GUILD meets Tuesday,
October 23 at 5 p.m. If you cannot
come, please contact Lois at 342-
4665 or Lisa at 347-7008.**

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SUNDAY, 9:15 A.M.

A study in Philippians by Pastor Gall
Trinity A/B

Sunday School classes meet in church
Lesson: "Moses and the Burning Bush"

Lifelight in Conference Room

WEDNESDAY

10:00 a.m. - Lifelight in Conf. Room

3:30 p.m. - Confirmation

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD
will soon begin at St. John's!
Watch for our display of shoe
boxes in the near future!

CORRECTION!

The Men's Bible Study group have
changed their meeting place and date. All
men of St. John's are invited to join them...

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13
AT NIEMERG'S**

SCRIP SHOPPING!

(A scrip is any substitute for [legal tender](#).)

**There are new order forms available at
the scrip table in the Atrium as well as
updated retailer lists. Ask for a copy so
you can shop from the comfort of your
easy chair! Just a reminder: We buy gift
cards at a reduced price while our
customers pay face value. We keep
adding up the surplus until we can write a
check to our FOOD PANTRY!**

THE
JOY
OF THE
LORD
IS MY
STRENGTH
- NEH 8:10 -

Fellowship Potluck Meal
Sunday, October 21
Following the 10:30 service



Meat and drinks provided.
No cost to attend!

*It's a good time to get together just for
the pleasure of sharing a great meal and
visiting with friends!*

Homefires Orientation
October 14 at 9:15 in Trinity Room C

**Food Pantry Collection Items for
OCTOBER**

**Chunky Beef Soup
Peanut Butter**

**We appreciate donations to stretch
our Food Pantry dollars. We are
seeing a marked increase in the
number of families we serve.**



THIS FALL please consider signing up to visit a few of St. John's AMAZING senior members who are homebound or in the assisted living apartments. Our visiting

ministry team is looking for friendly folks willing to donate just 4-5 hours per month going to someone's home for some Christian fellowship.

We catch up on current events, find out what's happening in their lives and share a simple devotion and prayer.

Please sign up on the main hall bulletin board if you're willing to spend a pleasant hour (or more) with a fellow believer – both you and that person will reap the rewards!!

If you'd like more information as you pray about helping this ministry, please contact Dana Keller at 217-246-5373.

***Our next blood drive is Sunday, October 28, 8 to Noon
Plan now for your donation!***

**SIGN UP
TODAY!!!!**

THE ADULT FELLOWSHIP GROUP will be attending the FACE Dinner Theatre "Steel Magnolias" on Saturday, October 20.

Please sign up on the main floor bulletin board or call Nancy Johnson at 821-2531 by SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7 to reserve your tickets!

***GOLDEN EAGLES
Thursday, October 25 at NOON
In the fellowship hall***

youth news!

ATTENTION PARENTS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDENTS

The classes are planning a trip to St. John's Cemetery on October 21 during the Sunday school hour to help with clean up prior to Veteran's Day. Please plan for this upcoming off-campus event.

YOUTH OF ALL AGES!

All St. John's youth and their parents are invited to a wiener roast/hayride at Jim and Kathy Schroeder's on October 21 from 4-7 p.m.

Please bring lawn chairs.

Food will be provided by the Youth Board!

LYF FUNDRAISER - Our Jr. High students have catalogs with cards and other holiday gifts for sale. See one of the salespersons below, or take a catalog from the table in the Atrium!

Aiden Hanks A.J. Radloff
Andrew Lotz Camille Zeigler
Evan Pryor Katie Zeigler

Orders are due OCTOBER 21. After that, cards are available for purchase from the display. **Money earned from these sales is used for attendance at church events!**

**EAGLE'S NEST OPEN HOUSE
MONDAY, OCTOBER 15
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.**

Students will get a chance to show off their classrooms and some of their work to their families!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS**October 7-13, 2018**

SUNDAY	7	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES
			LWML SUNDAY
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
FIRST SUNDAY BREAKFAST – 7:30 TO 9:00 A.M.			
MONDAY	8	6:00 P.M.	EVANGELISM MEETING
NO SCHOOL MONDAY, OCTOBER 8			
TUESDAY – THURSDAY PRESCHOOL CLASSES 8:30 -11:30 A.M.			
TUESDAY	9	5:30 P.M.	BOARD OF SOCIAL MINISTRY
		6:15 P.M.	BOARD OF CHRISTIAN ED
WEDNESDAY	10	3:30 P.M.	CONFIRMATION
		6:00 P.M.	PRAISE AND WORSHIP CHOIR
		6:00 P.M.	JUBILATE RINGERS
THURSDAY	11	1:00 P.M.	PRAYER SHAWL
		6:30 P.M.	BOARD OF ELDERS
FRIDAY	12	1:00 P.M.	STAFF MEETING
SATURDAY	13	5:30 P.M.	WORSHIP WITH HOLY COMMUNION
SUNDAY	14	8:00 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP WITH HOLY COMMUNION
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 10/7 Sandra Bernhard, Delanie Hinton, Zach Keitel, Neal Mellendorf, Richard Newlin
- 10/8 Brianne Boggs, Dana Keller, Sonja Martin, Jacob Miller, Jean Slifer, Quinn Ziegler
- 10/10 Joanna Davies, Alex Baughman, Michael Kennedy, Meredith Richards
- 10/11 Kayla Darling, Jerry Lankford, Sandra Mietzner, Sheryl Radloff, Evan Smith
- 10/12 Linda Wells
- 10/13 Timothy Bailey, Mark Giesler, Darren Tabbert, Velma Wagner

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

- 10/8/11 Tyler & Brittney Royse
- 10/9/18 Nick & Lindsey Stewart
- 10/10/81 Jerry & Cathy Bloemer
- 10/10/81 Kal & Renee Keitel
- 10/10/08 Benjamin & Stephanie Sams
- 10/10/92 Kevin & Becky Wenthe
- 10/11/97 Timothy & Tabitha Bailey
- 10/11/08 Brent & Jessica Budde
- 10/12/13 Jordan & Ariella Grupe
- 10/13/07 Ron & Tammy Phillips



**October is
Pastor
Appreciation
Month**