

THE WELCOME

THE NEWSLETTER OF ST. JOHN'S

September 2018

St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church

Juneau, Wisconsin

"BY SCRIPTURE ALONE"

2018-2019 School Year Theme



St. John's Lutheran Church—September 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Altar Guild: Sue Contreras Char Lober Pennae Schultz	Pastor Brandt 608-343-2206 Pastor Schupmann 920-344-9839					1 Leissring/ Osantoski Wedding Worship in Horicon 5pm
2 Pentecost 15 Worship Services 8:00 & 10:30am Bible Class 9:15am	3 Labor Day	4 Jesus Cares 1:30pm Trustees 6:30pm	5 Faith & Fitness 6pm	6 Worship w/ Communion 6:30pm Ladies Aid 6:30pm	7 Pastor's Day at LLHS	8 Worship w/ Communion in Horicon 5pm Euchre Night 6:30pm
9 Lord's Prayer Address Worship with Communion 8:00 & 10:30am NEW Bible Class at 9:15am Sunday School Begins at 9:15am Confirmation 9:15 AM Elders 11:30am	10 Pastors in Circuit Meeting Church Council 7pm	11 Bible Class 7pm	12 Faith & Fitness 6pm Choir 7pm	13 Worship 6:30 PM	14 Pastor Brandt turns 40!!!!!!	15 Worship in Horicon 5pm
16 Petition 1 Worship Services 8:00 & 10:30am Bible Class at 9:15am Sunday School at 9:15am Blood Pressure Screening 9:15am	17 Board of Education 7pm	18 Jesus Cares 1:30 PM	19 Matthew's Place 9am Clearview 10am Mid-Week Communion & Shut-In Meeting 11am Faith & Fitness 6pm Choir 7pm	20 Discipleship - PS Worship w/ Communion 6:30pm	21	22 Worship w/ Communion in Horicon 5pm
23 Petition 2 Worship with Comm. 8:00 & 10:30am Bible Class & S.S. 9:15am Fellowship with Laura Maertz's Retirement & Sunday School 9:15am	24	25 Horicon Committee 6:30 Bible Class 7pm	26 Faith & Fitness 6pm Choir 7pm	27 Worship 6:30 PM	28	29 Worship in Horicon 5pm
30 Petition 3 Worship 8:00 & 10:30am						

Mentor Training - PS

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St. John's Lutheran Church & School

400 S. Main St. -- Juneau, Wisconsin

St. John's Church 920.386.3313

St. John's School 920.386.4644

Regular Worship Schedule

Thursday Worship 6:30 PM

Saturday Worship 5:00 PM (Koepsell-Murry Funeral Home, Horicon)

Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Sunday School & Bible Class 9:15 AM

Pastors at St. John's Church

David Brandt

Paul Schupmann

Faculty of St. John's School

Richard Cody – Principal

Crystal Schultz

Matthew Lober

Edna Noldan

Nichole Gunst

Michel Krebs

Suzanne Colantonio

Rebecca Zellmer

Television Broadcast of our Services

St John's Service @ Cable 97

Mondays 11 AM

St John's Service @ Cable 97

Tuesdays 6:30 PM

St John's Service @ Cable 991

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God's Encouraging Word ... *when I'm worried*

Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. – 1 Peter 5:7

Erma Bombeck once told about Donald. Donald was worrying about going to school. Here is how he expressed his anxieties: “My name is Donald. I don't know anything. I have new underwear...a loose tooth...and I didn't sleep last night because I'm worried. What if a bell rings and a man yells, ‘Where do you belong?’ and I don't know? What if the trays in the cafeteria are too tall for me to reach? What if my loose tooth comes out when we have our heads down and are supposed to be quiet? Am I supposed to bleed quietly? What if I splash water on my name-tag and my name disappears and no one knows who I am?”

Worry about big things and little. Worry about the future. Worry about the past. Worry about your finances...your family...your marriage. What is it that transforms normal basic human prudence into worry? Just this: the gut-level urge to assume the worst in every possible outcome. Worry seems to have an office in hearts. It never leaves and continues to send out reports about how things are going. Its reports always paint the darkest pictures and project the worst.

You are literally worrying yourself sick over some situation over which you have no control. How can you shut down the office of worry? What can be said to help you lighten your load today? First, you need to understand that worry is not based on an outer circumstance...but on an inner condition. Worry comes not from what is happening to you on the outside...but from how you process it on the inside.

Shutdown worry by living in the present. **“Cast all your anxiety on him.”** You aren't God. You don't know the future. You may be worrying about something that will never happen. You may be worrying about something that will resolve itself. Focus simply on today. Are you healthy this moment? Do you have enough to live on this moment? Are your children well this moment? Try not to anticipate what may never occur.

Here is the key. **“Cast your anxiety on him...because he cares for you.”** Shutdown the office of worry remembering Jesus cares for you. How can you trust his care? The righteousness that he wove in his perfect life...colored with his blood from the cross...was guaranteed to you the moment he rose victorious over death. Like all people, you have failed so many times and so many ways to be who God wants you to be. You could worry every minute of every day over your guilt! But Jesus wants you to remember his righteousness! That forgiveness and peace with God that you were given through Jesus' death and resurrection! You are forgiven! At peace with God! Going to heaven! Focus on this foremost thought: Jesus cares for you.

News from St. John's

Ladies Aid: The September Ladies Aid meeting will be on Sept 6th, with fellowship starting at 6:30 and the meeting starting at 7:00. All ladies of the congregation are invited to join us. Pastor Brandt will share with us the assimilation and fellowship events that have happened and any that are upcoming. Also k-groups will be discussed and explained. Please plan to attend to have an enjoyable night out with other ladies of our congregation. **And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another Hebrews 10:24-25**

Euchre Night Resumes September 8th!

Euchre Night will resume in September! This school year we will plan to meet the 2nd Saturday of each month at 6:30 pm in the church basement. We will alternate snacks again by last name. So for September if your last name begins with A-M, we would ask you to bring a snack to share. For October, if your last name begins with N-Z, we would ask you to bring a snack to share. In November, A-M again and so forth. We hope to see many of you there. If you don't like to drive at night but would like to come, please talk to Mary Weinheimer 920-296-0341, who would love to arrange a ride for you.

Fellowship Sunday Resumes September 30th!

The Bible Class hour between the Sunday services will be used for meeting, greeting and fellowshiping with each other. We will put a spread out of snacks and coffee and encourage people to stay around after the early service or come early for the late service. Introduce yourself to someone you don't know! Catch up with someone you haven't talked to in a while! Enjoy each other's company! Show one another your love and concern for them. John 15:17 "This is my [Jesus] command: Love each other."

Fellowship Sundays will happen when there is a 5th Sunday in the month during the school year. We will use the September Fellowship Sunday to say thank you and God's blessings to Laura Maertz as she retires from 17 years of service as our Church secretary. Please take a moment on that Sunday (or any other time) to thank her.

Public School Catechism

We will resume Public School Catechism with our first meeting/class between services at 9:15 am on Sunday, Sept. 9. We encourage our students to start attending as 6th graders. We've typically held this class on Wednesday evenings from 5:00-6:00 pm. Due to some people's schedules and location, we will talk about offering the class continually on Sunday mornings if that works better. If you have any questions, please talk to Pastor Brandt – 608-343-2206 or pastorbrandt@live.com.

YOU'RE INVITED TO A
Paint Party K-Group



Step-By-Step Painting!
 Please Register by Sept. 14 at
www.facebook.com/

Sunday, Sept 16
 1:00 - 3:30

\$30
Painter's Choice
 Beginners Welcome

Mary Weinheimer's
 W7153 Co Rd KW
 Juneau



St. John's Greeters for September

Early Service

1st Sunday – 9/2
 Bob & Mary Rist
 Bob & Karen Bischoff

2nd Sunday - 9/9
 Betty Schultz
 Dave & Connie Meister

3rd Sunday – 9/16
 Paul & Sharon Schmidt
 Carol Soldner

4th Sunday – 9/23
 Bonnie Sell
 John & Samantha Hoffman

5th Sunday – 9/30
 Rick & Ellen Bassette
 Bob & Karen Bischoff

Late Service

Mel Seager
 Gary & Jen Thiel

Rob & Amy Feller
 Lance & Shayna Vick

Geraldine Bischoff & Elaine Cox
 Mary & Bev Weinheimer

Delores Gentz
 Russ & Barb Ridge

Chad & Lori Minnema
 Don & Linda Behring

IDOLS WE NEVER KNEW WE HAD

**Begins September 9th
at 9:15 in the Church
Lower Level**



Idol worship. That means bowing down to stone statues or golden images of gods, right? No, we all worship something or someone every day. In doing so, we make people and things our gods. Join us in this study as we identify many present-day idols and become equipped by God's Word to avoid falsely worshipping them.



New Bible Study!

Ezra & Nehemiah

Come join us for Tuesday night Bible Study as we continue in the Old Testament. We have finished the Book of Daniel and now are looking at the Book of Ezra.

Have you ever started a new project, changed locations, got a different job, or attended a new school? God's people moved from Babylon back to Jerusalem after many years of exile. It was exciting, but also scary. God's people learned that God was with them and would always remain their helper and Savior.

As we contemplate the Books of Ezra and Nehemiah, we too can be filled with courage and hope, comfort and faith because God is with us and loves us.

Join us! We meet upstairs in church. Use the church bulletin and calendar as guides for time and days we meet.

**Happy birthday to those
celebrating
September Birthdays!**

9/1 Darius Minnema
Steven Weinheimer
9/3 Kevin Hill
Jacki Schaalma
9/4 Kari Kjornes
Joe Roberts
Wendy Schoebel
9/5 Jonathan Jensen
9/6 Robert Schwandt
Tim Tallmann
Tim Weisensel
9/7 John Hoffman
Greg Raube
9/8 Rick Leissring
Katie Poch
9/9 Sara Fehrman
Annabelle Ockerlander
9/10 Noah Hirschfeld
Mary Krueger
Mason Ockerlander
9/12 Colton Neis
9/13 David Brandt
Delores Hundt
Ruth Ockerlander
Erin Thomsen
9/14 Otto Clark
Jessica Nehls-Rennhack
Tara Schaalma
Joshua Voigt
9/15 Jon DeVries
Emily Tisdale

9/16 Hadley Etter
Brenda Saugstad
Jen Thiel
Harvey Wolter
Gary Zimmerman
Donna Zuehlke
9/17 Lee Bruni
Dave Meister
Jill Winter
Amy Wolter
Laura Zank
9/18 Peyton Milfred
Audra Schultz
9/19 Jonathan Fude
Braylen Martin
9/19 Kathy Pauly
Aaron Saeger
9/20 Caitlin Condon
Alton Maas
Mel Saeger
Karen Schwandt
Nicholas Voigt
9/21 Andrew Buelter
Krista Hill
Justin Jacobs
Barb Lepple
9/22 Dale Hammann
Steve Kranz
Samantha Minnema
Tom Schuster
9/23 Beth Guenther
9/24 Trewyn White
9/25 Brenda Aellig
Jami Guenther
9/26 Brenda Schaalma
9/28 Linda Fehrman
Julie Stutz
Peyton Vande Streek
Phyllis Wegener
9/29 Alyssa Condon
Barb Ridge
9/30 Delmer Hundt
Andy Payton

Happy Anniversary to those celebrating September Anniversaries!

September 1, 2007	Tyler & Heather Stensaas
September 2, 1984	Tim & Michele Pieper
September 3, 2005	Chad & Shana Haase
September 7, 1996	Gary & Dana Braun
September 8, 2012	Shawn & Tracy Lepple
September 10, 1994	Steve & Dawn Day
September 10, 1966	David & Pennae Schultz
September 13, 2008	Luke & Jennifer Hirschfeld
September 14, 2012	Justin & Nicole Clark
September 14, 2002	Adam & Stacey Kuehn
September 15, 2001	Andrew & Erin Thomsen
September 17, 1977	Darrell & Bonnie Krause
September 20, 1997	Chad & Jami Guenther
September 22, 2001	David & Mary Lynn Justmann
September 22, 1962	Art & Ann Mittelstadt
September 22, 2001	Riek & Jacki Schaalma
September 23, 2017	Tyler & Chelsa Knippel
September 24, 2005	Ross & Katie Winter
September 25, 1993	James & Brenda Aellig
September 25, 1982	Kent & Brenda Saugstad
September 27, 2008	Mike & Audra Gentz
September 28, 2013	Eric & Michelle Bruni
September 28, 1968	Bob & Grztechon Last
September 28, 1963	Don & Carol Muegnehow
September 29, 2007	Curtis & Jessica Kast
September 30, 2000	Tom & Jess Schuster

Memorials

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Fund</u>
Jerry Beier	\$25.00	Debt
Don Cartledge	\$25.00	General
Ken Foch	\$500.00	School
	\$200.00	Missions
	\$200.00	Debt
	\$100.00	Improvement
	\$1815.00	Undesignated/Hymnals
	\$100.00	General
James Kuhn	\$50.00	General
Judy Lavin	\$20.00	Debt
Lois Nass	\$20.00	General
Dean Peterman	\$30.00	General
Laila Pickhard	\$20.00	Debt
Sue Stolzman	\$25.00	General
Francis Whelan	\$20.00	General

Gifts

A gift to the General Fund from Harold & Marianne Zastrow in celebration of their 51st Wedding Anniversary.

A gift for the General Fund given by Jerry Stolzman in memory of his wife Sue.

Sacred Acts

Baptism

McKinley Grace Jensen - 6/10/2018

Kasper Adam Rupprecht - 8/28/2018

Baptism Affirmation

Bentley Robert Weinheimer - 8/05/2018

McKinley Grace Jensen - 8/19/2018

Wedding

Dean Will & Gail O'Donnell - 8/18/2018

Fall Faith and Fitness

Check us out this Fall! Faith and Fitness is on Wednesday evenings from 6:00-6:45pm. Come for a fun and energizing workout. We begin with a short devotion and then go into the workout – appropriate for all levels of fitness. We meet at the school gym (if the gym is being used for school activities we meet in the lower level of the church). Wear comfortable workout clothes and shoes. Bring your friends along for some fellowship and fitness – members and non-members of St. John’s welcome! FREE to all!



Blood Pressure Checks

The St. John’s Parish Nurses do blood pressure checks every 3rd Sunday between the services – next clinic is **Sunday, September 16th**. We have FREE BP record cards, informational handouts on how to control blood pressure, as well as FREE Medication Cards. Or just stop by to ask us your health related questions. Hope to see you at the clinic!

St. John’s 5K?

The parish nurses have been talking about putting together a 5K Walk-Run-Roll. Zion Columbus has expressed an interest in possibly doing this as a joint venture. We are looking for volunteers to help with coordinating this event. If you are interested in organizing or if you have any ideas please call Karen Greenwald at 920-386-2419.

PEANUT BUTTER AND CRANBERRY PROTEIN BARS *(From Blue Zones recipe file)* Legumes, including peanuts and peanut butter are a great source of plant based protein and fiber. They’re also rich in vitamins A and C and minerals like magnesium, phosphorus, and zinc. Perhaps one of their best benefits is that of resveratrol, an antioxidant known for its disease preventing characteristics.

INGREDIENTS

- 3/4 cup walnut pieces (or other type of nut)
- 1 1/4 cup old-fashioned rolled oats (not quick-cooking or instant)
- 1 cup dried cranberries or other dried fruit (or a combination)
- 1/2 cup semisweet chocolate chips
- 1/2 cup pure maple syrup
- 3 tbsp peanut butter
- 1 tbsp butter, melted
- 1 tsp vanilla extract

DIRECTIONS

1. Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Grease an 8-inch-square baking pan.
2. Place the walnuts in a dry skillet and toast over medium heat until light brown and fragrant, 3 to 4 minutes, shaking often. Transfer them to a food processor.
3. Add the oats, dried fruit, chocolate chips, maple syrup, peanut butter, vegan butter and vanilla to the food processor, and pulse until crumbly. Continue to process until the mixture is well combined. Add a little water, a tablespoon at a time, if the mixture is too crumbly to stick together. Press the mixture evenly into the prepared pan.
4. Bake until lightly browned, about 20 minutes. Remove from the oven and set aside to cool, then refrigerate until completely cold. Cut into 2- by 4-inch bars. Wrap each bar individually in plastic wrap for easy transport.

Makes a great snack for kids!

News from Outside of **St. John's**

TOUR: You are invited to join a 10 tour to Greece..."In the Footsteps of Paul". The tour, May 27 - June 5, 2019, includes a 3 day Mediterranean Cruise. Places of special interest include Phillippi, Corinth, Ephesus, Athens, Meteora, and Santorini. There is also an optional 3 day extension to Rome. For details, contact retired WELS pastor Eugene Kock at pastorkock@yahoo.com.

UNITED WAY: Save babies' lives and transform families through your United Way gift to WELS Lutherans for Life, Metro-Milwaukee. WLFL operates a pregnancy medical clinic in Milwaukee providing free services to mothers at risk for abortion and people suffering from post-abortion trauma. Ask your employer for a "Donor Choice" form and designate WELS Lutherans for Life, Metro-Milwaukee, 8501 W. Lincoln Ave, West Allis, WI 53227. WLFL is a registered non-profit 501(c)3 tax exempt organization (EIN 39-1436085) and is an eligible recipient of the United Way "Donor Choice" option. For information or details visit <http://www.alife2.com/united-way.html>, email Contact@ALife2.com, or call 414-727-8176.

September 2018 Twice is Nice News

Tuition for a LL federation student runs about half of what it costs to educate that student at LLHS. Who fills the gap? Federated congregations are crucial partners, but this is also where the Twice Is Nice Resale Store (TiN) steps up for our students. Twice is Nice supports Lakeside Lutheran by gifting the school much of its profits. In less than 8 months of 2018, this has amounted to over \$216,000. Thank you to all who are a part of this wonderful partnership, through volunteering, donating and/or shopping!

Volunteer: Find out how easy and fun it is to help! We are eager to host you in a "no-pressure" visit to explore the store, meet some volunteers and learn about opportunities for you to have fun and feel productive making a vital difference for Lakeside Lutheran. Come with a friend! Call 920-674-6868, ask for a manager.

Shop: September brings all things fall and winter, since our season changeover happened late last month. We're easy-to-find and open Mondays--Saturdays from 9-5 PM: just a minute east on the Hwy 18 exit off the 26 bypass at 907 W. Racine St., next to the Jefferson Piggly Wiggly.

Donate: Another reminder that we appreciate your "saleable" donations (i.e., clean and in good working order). We accept items in the back of the building from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. any day we're open. The only items we cannot accept are TVs and monitors, console pianos/stereos/sewing machines, mattresses/box springs, organs and paint.

WELS CAMPUS MINISTRY: Heading to college can be exciting, stressful, and everything in between. WELS Campus Ministry can help! Let us help you stay connected to God's Word. To begin go to wels.net/campus-ministry and click the button "College students register here." You can register for free subscriptions to *Forward in Christ* magazine and *Meditations* devotional booklets and will be connected to the campus pastor for your school. Students who have previously registered for WELS Campus Ministry are encouraged to check your profile and preferences and make any necessary updates. For questions please contact Ginny Mundstock at the WELS Campus Ministry office, ginny.mundstock@wels.net or 414-256-3279.

New WELS high school opens

2018/08/21/in Together

On Aug. 8, a new WELS high school began its first school year. Kingdom Prep Lutheran High School (KPLHS) is serving young men from Milwaukee County, most of whom qualify for the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program, a government school voucher system.

“There is a huge mission field right here in Milwaukee,” says Mr. Kevin Festerling, the school’s founder and principal. “Hundreds of students graduating from WELS grade schools in the area could not pursue Christian secondary education due to the scarcity of voucher seats available in the existing area Lutheran high schools. I felt like we as a church were turning our back on the Great Commission by turning students away who wanted a Christian education.”

Festerling recognized that building a Lutheran high school to serve this new group of students’ needs wouldn’t be easy. The school has deliberately focused on providing young men with a kingdom-first mindset. The statistics are grim for boys who are raised in urban areas in the United States, and Milwaukee’s statistics are even worse than most. According to Festerling, many young men in today’s families are navigating the most critical years of their lives without active fathers. To help reverse that trend and build Christian leaders, Kingdom Prep’s vision is for “young men to develop their God-given gifts to lead in the home, serve in the church, engage in meaningful work, and transform community.”

Daily small-group Bible studies focus on what it means for a man to seek God’s heart with his whole life. Assigned projects help the young men solve real community problems with godly solutions. School decisions are placed in the hands of student leaders. Each facet of the school is focused on helping it accomplish its mission of “building a brotherhood in Christ for lives of purpose.”

Rev. Dr. Paul Steinberg, executive director of Chaplains in Schools and one of Kingdom Prep’s spiritual advisors, is helping the school’s leadership maintain its focus on its mission to disciple the next generation of Christian male leaders. He says, “My work will be to spiritually assess each of the freshmen and connect them with a strong Christian mentor. Kingdom Prep students and their mentors will aim to meet weekly for spiritual check-ins, prayer, and Bible study.”

In 2018-19, Kingdom Prep is serving 60 freshmen boys. Each school year, a grade will be added, along with space for 60 more boys. Each Kingdom Prep student is invited to commit to the school’s mission, carrying the KPLHS vision through brotherhood in Christ and hard work.

“We are there to walk alongside the brothers as they grow,” says Festerling, “celebrating the way each takes responsibility for his own growth.”

Mr. Jim Rademan, director of the Commission on Lutheran Schools, notes, “The Christian love and commitment of the called teachers and staff, led by founding principal Kevin Festerling, is clear. The teachers are sharing with the students the power of the Holy Spirit and the opportunity they have to learn the skills to be leaders in their homes and community.”

For more information on Kingdom Prep Lutheran High School, visit kplhs.org. The October issue of *Forward in Christ* magazine will also share comments from students in Kingdom Prep’s first freshman class.

Lutheran Women's Missionary Society

Lutheran Women's Missionary Society - LWMS is women dedicated to serving Jesus by increasing awareness of, interest in, and support of the mission outreach of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod.

It is time to start thinking about the upcoming LWMS Fall Rally of the Beaver Dam Circuit. The saying goes, "variety is the spice of life" and the fall rally is packed with informative and fun activities! Get together with your girlfriends and head to St. Paul's, Manchester, October 20th, 2018. You will not want to miss it! Detailed information will be shared in the October WELCOME. Don't delay; make your plans to attend today!

Now, let's learn about the two mission projects that were selected for our circuit congregations to support. Watch for our free-will offering opportunity in September!

HOME MISSION: Campus Ministry New Start - This project would target specific areas where we know there are WELS college students, but there currently is not an active campus ministry at the local congregations to help to start an active WELS Campus Ministry. Gifts to this project would permit the Campus Ministry Committee to identify and approach specific congregations with the goal of assisting them to begin a sustainable local campus ministry. As blessings are realized, the local congregation would eventually cover any annual costs that occur.

WORLD MISSION: Haiti Projects - The missionary and national pastor in Haiti have been working with orphanages in Haiti by training the headmasters on Christian doctrine so the headmasters will in turn teach God's Word to the orphans in their care. This project would support the work of the national pastor, provide nutritional and hygiene supplies, transportation of items to Haiti, and produce and transport Lutheran religion curriculum materials to them.

The Service Project selected for the 2018 Fall Rally is: New Beginnings Home for Mothers, Milwaukee. A "wish list" is included in this newsletter. Totes will be available during the month of October to collect your donations.

Please prayerfully consider these mission offering opportunities and see how you may support them from the blessings the Lord has given you!

NEW BEGINNINGS WISH LIST

General Household Items:

Toilet Paper

Paper Towels

Febreze

Cleaning Products

Storage Bins for Basements/Garage

Residents'/Children's Needs:

Gift Cards: \$25 Walmart, Amazon,

Target, Pick 'n Save, etc.

Lanolin

Baby Wash, Shampoo

Shampoo, Conditioner, Deodorant,

Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Razors,

Feminine Products

Wipes

Notebooks and Pens

Baby Monitors

Hand Towels, Wash Cloths, Bath Towels

Printer Paper

All Monetary Donations accepted

*****ALL ITEMS IN BOLD ARE IN GREAT NEED AT THIS TIME*****

Lutheran Mobile Clinic

August 2018 Newsletter

It's the dry season in Malawi, and temperatures are gradually warming up, though the early mornings are still cool. The hills are more brown than green, and our ambulance leaves a cloud of red dust as we travel to clinics. The distant mountains are blurred with smoke and dust, but the sky is blue every day. Sunny days make for more light in our Msambo clinic building, where we had been bringing battery or solar-powered lights so our staff could see to do their work on cloudy days. This week we didn't need them, and we were thankful.

The outpatient numbers are going down a bit, mainly due to far less patients having malaria this past month. Mosquitos are not as prevalent when there isn't rain, so there are less around to spread the parasite. The children seem to be the sickest with malaria, and we test them and give them the medicine, but we are seeing only about two thirds as many as in previous months. There are plenty of patients with respiratory illnesses and skin rashes but less very sick patients to refer to the hospital, and I'm thankful.

The lines of mothers with children coming to under-fives clinics are still long most days, and there is the constant sound of crying babies getting their life-saving immunizations. We were able to give moms the handmade baby hats and washcloths given by women in the US, and they were thankful.

Four members of the CAMM committee spent 6 days here visiting Gary and me in Malawi at the end of July- Shelly Sievert, Cindy Fietzer, Cheryl Valus and her husband Mike. They brought needed clinic supplies like rolls of gauze, orthopedic equipment, and ambu bags as well as another essential, chocolate chips! They came out to clinics to observe, count pills, meet our staff and see the clinic buildings. They even helped unpack pill bottles and put them in bags, all ready to pack in the ambulance. Gary and I had good meetings with them and had their input with important decisions. We had some enjoyable gatherings with them and much of the mission family here. God granted them good health and safe travels on to Zambia and then home. We are thankful.

The Lord allows this medical mission work in Malawi to continue through many volunteer hours, monetary donations and answered prayer. We thank God for the means to continue serving the people of Malawi with medical care.

Your sister in Christ,
Beth Evans, Nurse in Charge

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"By Scripture Alone"

"I am not ashamed of the Gospel because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes."

Romans 1:16a

Board of Education News

- After Home Visits and Registration Day, our school enrollment is projected to be near 100 students for the start of the 2018-19 school year. (We ended the previous year with 106 students.)
- Due to a surplus in the Milk Fund, the yearly cost for milk has remained at the reduced price for the students and faculty.
- The Family Fee was increased by \$100 to \$400 and the Enrollment Fee was increased from \$365 to \$385 for the 2018-19 school year.
- Pastor Brandt reported that the Youth Group trip in June went very well. Eighteen total people were on the mission trip and four went to the International Youth Rally at Bowling Green University.
- Mrs. Shannon Schmidt ran the volleyball camp in the start of July. There were a total of twenty-nine campers that participated in this year's activities. Thank you Mrs. Schmidt for your work!
- The Board of Education approved a recommendation proposed by the music directors from LLHS to support a new program to better compensate the elementary band directors.
- The Board of Education approved the purchase of fifty-five new Chrome books for grades 5-8. Scrip funds will be used to purchase these non-budgeted items for the school that totaled over \$12,000. Thank you to Scrip and everyone who participates in this program for helping support our school!
- The Board approved a new copier lease from Oshkosh Office Systems for the school. This lease will take effect in October.
- The Board was informed of some of the challenges of trying to make changes to our Spectrum account and bill. Mr. Bob Paplham was given approval to represent our school in trying to negotiate better services and charges.

Some Important Information –

- Mrs. Noldan has made an announcement that this school year will be her last school year teaching at St. John's. She plans on retiring following this school year. We wish Mrs. Noldan the Lord's richest blessings as she faithfully serves the Lord this school year and as she plans for retirement.
- First day of school for PK(4)-8 was Wednesday, August 22. Faculty, students, families, and members of St. John's attended the Opening Service that was led by Pastor Schupmann. PK-3 had their first day on August 23.
- Mr. and Mrs. Paplham and family assisted Mr. Cody in getting the new Chrome books and the teachers' computers ready for the start of the school year on August 8 and 19. Thank you for their help and time!

- Please continue to save General Mills Box Tops, Kwik Trip milk caps / tops, and aluminum cans for school.
- At the start of the school year, we were able to forward over \$4,000 in assistance to the families that are at LPS and LLHS through the High School Student Assistance Program. This program is supported by your donations through the aluminum cans and your gifts that are designated through the SCRIP program.
- Over the summer, SCRIP forwarded these funds to be used by our families: \$317.23 for St. John's Student Assistance, \$224.59 for High School Student Assistance, and \$5,123.97 for the families of St. John's for their Enrollment Fee payments on Registration Day. We are very thankful for the support of our families here at St. John's and for the faithful work of the SCRIP Committee!

Start of 2018-19 School Year

PK-3	4	Mrs. Schultz
PK-4	9	Mrs. Schultz
Kindergarten	8	Mrs. Gunst
First Grade	9	Mrs. Noldan
Second Grade	7	Mrs. Noldan
Third Grade	3	Mrs. Colantonio
Fourth Grade	11	Mrs. Colantonio
Fifth Grade	10	Mr. Krebs
Sixth Grade	9	Mr. Krebs
Seventh Grade	14	Mr. Lober
Eighth Grade	16	Mr. Cody / Mrs. Zellmer
Extended Learning		Mrs. Zellmer



**WINE
& DINE**
NEW BEGINNINGS 1ST ANNUAL

YOU'RE INVITED
benefiting New Beginnings

WHEN: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2018
WHERE: HUBBARD PARK LODGE |
 3565 N. MORRIS BLVD. SHOREWOOD
TIME: 6:00-8:00PM

EVENT DETAILS

Join us for an evening of wine and beer samples, delicious appetizers, desserts, and a silent auction

EVENT COST

\$40 per attendee

HOW TO REGISTER

WWW.HOMEFORMOTHERS.COM/EVENTS



St. John's Lutheran School

September 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
E-mail: school@stjohnsjuneau.org Church: 920-386-3313 School: 920-386-4644						
2 8:00 A.M. Gr. 8 Sings 11:30 A.M. B VB Tournament @ St. Paul's, Ixonia	3 No School Labor Day	4 SP 4:00/5:00 P.M. VB Here vs. Dodgeland	5 7:15 A.M. Faculty Mtg. CHAPEL (Missionary John Roebke) MISSION OFFERING Hot Lunch: Wendy's CC 4:00/5:00 P.M. VB Here vs. Zion, Columbus	6 AVB/BVB/FP	7 CEF Stamps Hot Lunch: SP St. John's SP 4:15 P.M. CC Meet @ Janesville—CC Team Excused @ 2:30 P.M.	1 8:30 A.M. A VB Tournament @ St. Paul's, Ixonia Soccer Tournament @ Eastside, Madison
9 10:30 A.M. Gr. 8 Sings 11:30 A.M. B VB Tournament @ St. Paul's, Ixonia	10 7:15 A.M. Faculty Mtg. Hot Lunch: Village Garden Pizza Principal's Conference @ LLHS CC 4:30/5:30 P.M. VB @ St. John's, Pardeeville	11 AVB/BVB SP/FP	12 7:15 A.M. Faculty Mtg. CHAPEL/MISSION OFFERING Hot Lunch: McDonald's 4:00/5:00 P.M. VB @ St. Peter's, Helenville	13 AVB/BVB	14 CEF Stamps Band Lessons Start SP 4:15 P.M. CC Meet @ St. Paul's, Lake Mills (Korth Park)	15 B Girls VB Tournament @ St. Mark's, Watertown Soccer Tournament @ LPS
16 8:00 A.M. Gr. 7 Sings	17 7:15 A.M. Faculty Mtg. Hot Lunch: Wendy's CC 3:15 P.M. Faculty Mtg. 7:00 P.M. BOE Mtg.	18 SP/FP 4:00/5:00 P.M. VB Here vs. St. John, Waterloo	19 7:15 A.M. Faculty Mtg. CHAPEL/MISSION OFFERING Hot Lunch: Dominos 4:00/5:00 P.M. VB @ St. Paul's, Lake Mills	20 AVB/BVB 4:15 P.M. CC Meet @ Peace, Sun Prairie (Sheehan Park) 6:30 P.M. Gr. 1&2 Sing <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> Book Fair September 20-28 Open After School until 3:30 P.M. </div>	21 CEF Stamps LPS Visit Here for Gr. 3-8 SP	22 9:00 A.M. School Cleaning BLAC Conf. Soccer Tournament
23 10:30 A.M. Gr. 5&6 Sing Book Fair open after both services	24 7:15 A.M. Faculty Mtg. Hot Lunch: Village Garden—Breakfast <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> School Pictures </div>	25 AVB/BVB/SP 4:15 P.M. CC Meet @ LLHS 6:30 P.M. P.T. 5 Mtg. Gr. 3&4 Serve	26 7:15 A.M. Faculty Mtg. CHAPEL/MISSION OFFERING Hot Lunch: SubWay FP 4:00/5:00 P.M. VB Here vs. St. Paul's, Ixonia <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> Book Fair Open After School until 3:30 P.M. 9/24 to 9/27 </div>	27 CC 4:00/5:00 P.M. VB Here vs. St. Stephen's, Horicon	28 No School Faculty In-Service	29 A Girls BLAC VB Tournament @ LLHS
30 8:00 A.M. Gr. 3&4 Sing Book Fair open after both services	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> 3-5:00 P.M. AVB—A VB Practice 3-4:30 P.M. BVB—B VB Practice 3-4:00 P.M. CC—Cross Country Practice 3:30-4:30 P.M. SP—Soccer Practice 3-3:30 P.M.—FP—Forensics Practice </div>					
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> Pastor Paul Schupmann: 920-344-9839 Pastor David Brandt: 608-343-2206 Principal Richard Cody: 920-386-9676 </div>						