



ST. JOHN NOTES

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of November 26, 2017

SERVING THIS MONTH

Head Elder:	David Lutz	715-344-6296
Altar Guild:	Mona Heindl	715-423-3962
	Marion Oleson	715-421-2162

SERVING THIS WEEKEND

	Saturday	Sunday
Elders	Chuck Peters	Jerry Strack
Organist	Sharon Coley	Sharon Coley
Readers		Sandy Sippl
Greeters:		Jerry & Darleene Swen

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS AND MEETINGS AT ST. JOHN

Sunday:	Worship for Shut-Ins	6:30 a.m.
	Adult Bible Class	8:05 a.m.
	Lutheran Hour	9:00 a.m.
	Worship Service	9:30 a.m.
	St. John Broadcast	5:00 p.m.
Saturday:	Communion Service	6:30 p.m.

Daily Catechism Readings

Every Day
Morning &
Evening Prayer

Monday
Ten
Commandments

Tuesday
Creed

Wednesday
Lord's Prayer

Thursday
Baptism

Friday
Lord's Supper

Saturday
Table of Duties

Sunday
Christian
Questions
&
Confession

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS AT ST. JOHN

Monday:	Choir	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday:	Bible Class @ Ross's	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:	Weekday School	6:30 p.m.
	Memorial Committee Meeting	6:30 p.m.
Thursday:	A-Men Bus Trip to Fireside	7:30 a.m.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those who battle with cancer and other chronic illnesses.

Continued healing and strengthening for: Leo Bruce, Sue Dallman, Alex Dove, Ronald Geiger, Scarlett Griffith, Ken Hamm, Barbara Lundquist, Ray Monje, Doug Newby, Darlene Rickman, Karen Ross, Nancy Saeger, Craig Scharlau, June Terrill, Ray Weber, Anita Westfall and Tom Winkels.

Celebrating their birthday this week: Ethan Sweeney, Dylan Cook, Kevin Lau, Aaron Zimmerman, Oscar Rainville and Michael Dixon.

Celebrating their anniversary this week: Leroy & Flora Bottensek

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Announcement Deadline Announcements should be in to the church office by Wednesday noon for inclusion in the upcoming week's issue. Announcements can also be emailed to the office at office@stjohnkellner.org.

Worship for Shut-Ins and The Lutheran Hour scheduled topics can be found in the monthly newsletter. Additional copies of these schedules are available in the narthex.

Memorial \$50.00 was given to the memorial fund to be used for the lighted cross by Gerald & Pat Rickman in honor of Larry & Judy Shepard's 50th Wedding Anniversary.

Children's Devotions The Winter "My Devotions" for children is now available in the rack in the narthex.

Carpet Information Dear Friends, The Carpet Committee would like to thank everyone who completed the Carpet Survey. A total of 76 members responded with 48 of those or 63% were in favor of new carpeting. There were 5 additional responses suggesting replacing only the narthex, basement or combination thereof. Several members added comments and questions which the committee reviewed and discussed. With that said, the committee has decided to initiate put together a campaign to raise money to pay for the project. Contributions totaling \$7,500, have already been received for this project. It is planned to kick off this campaign at the annual meeting in January. In the meantime, feel free to share comments or any ideas to any committee member. Thank you Jeanine Arneson, Chuck & Gail Bossingham, Judy Monje, Judy & Larry Shepard, Darlene & Jerry Swen and Gene Timm. PS; Summary of Survey Results will be included in the newsletter.

Advent Devotions The 2017 Advent Devotions “Love came Down” are available on the table in the narthex.

Bazaar Thank You Saturday morning, October 28th was the date for the Annual Fall Harvest and Bake Sale. The day was cool and cloudy, and when the doors opened, the waiting shoppers were greeted with a wide variety of homemade bakery and top-quality crafts, plus a great selection of home-canned goods and homegrown produce! All of these items were accompanied by the Youth Group’s “Soup in-a-Jar”. Raffle tickets for the amazing baskets were a popular item! Baskets were prepared by individuals and families of the congregation as well as groups and organizations of St. John. Shoppers were invited to partake of the Bar-B-Que luncheon topped off with a delicious slice of pie prepared by the ladies Aid. The Church-wide Fall Harvest and Bake Sale, organized by the Evening Guild, extend “**THANKS**” to all the congregational and community members who donated in any way to make this annual tradition a huge success! Special **THANKS** to David and Dorothy Cook for their donation of the many bushels of Apples used for applesauce and pies! **THANK YOU** is also sent to the Mortenson Brothers Farms for their generous donation of Beets! The monies raised at this event will be used to enhance the Lord’s work in the congregation, community, and the world! **THANK YOU** again, whether you donated items, purchased goods, placed the information on a bulletin board, marquee or sponsored an advertisement in the newspaper, your support is greatly appreciated!

Bethesda Thrift Shop & Christmas Shop The store are open today (Sunday) noon to 4:00 p.m.) Special sales this week include 50% off everything in the main store; 25% off everything in the Christmas Shop; and 75%off everything in the Main Store Dec. 1-2. In December our store hours will change to 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday-Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and (Noon to 4:00 p.m. on Sunday to Dec. 17).

LAST WEEK AT ST. JOHN

ATTENDANCE IN THE LORD'S HOUSE

Last Week	45	44	89
Last Year	73	53	126

OUR GIFTS IN RESPONSE TO HIS BLESSINGS

Weekly Envelopes	\$	1611.00
Improvement Fund	\$	17.00
3-04 Building Fund	\$	5.00
Scrip Profit	\$	45.10

