
ST. JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH



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Mother Daughter Banquet

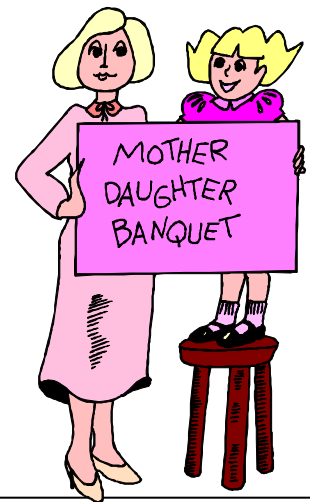
Mission Statement

We are called by God to be the light of the world. We are to go forth and show Jesus' love and forgiveness through loving care for all God's creation

The Mother-Daughter Banquet will be on
May 14 at 6:00 PM.

Tickets: Adults \$5.00, children (12 & under) \$2.25,
Under 5 free.

Dinner is planned along with fun, fellowship and
entertainment by Jerry Strack.



Weekday School

Weekday School students will be singing
Sunday, May 4 at the 9:30 AM service.

Bibles and Luther's Small Catechism will be presented.

Attendance awards and teacher recognition will also be part of the service.

Weekday School Fun Night will be Wednesday, May 7 at 6:30 PM.

This will be the last night for Weekday School.

LWML Prayer Service

The Ladies Evening Guild invites you to join them for a LWML Prayer Service on Thursday, May 22 at 7:00 PM
All are welcome to attend!

Human Care Ministry Board

We are asking for your help with the annual collection of items needed by the Beth-Birei Second Chance Maternity Home in Wisconsin Rapids. A designated box for donated items will be located in the Narthex during the first three weeks of May. Needed items include: disposable & cloth diapers, baby wipes, pacifiers, onesies & sleepers, baby lotion & shampoo, teething rings, crib sheets, infant bibs and infant toys. Also, cleaning supplies and paper products are always needed.

Your donations will be greatly appreciated.

To All Of St. John Congregation Membership

I know that not all of you are aware of changes in our church, so I would like to let you know about a change in our spring election procedure.

Our old process was an election to church board's by a ballot process. We (our counsel) feel that we would like to try a new method of choosing our leaders.

This is a selection process. We would still have a nominating committee to ask for your talents to be leaders in our church. (Much needed)

Please prayerfully consider your talents for our selection! The selection process is to collect all nominees for each board position. During a worship service a prayer for spiritual guidance and blessing is given. A name is drawn for each position and announced followed by a prayer for those who have been drawn. (Selected) Chosen officers shall assume their duties for terms specified by our constitution and by laws.

The spiritual precedent is given in Acts 1:23-26.

So they put forward two men, Joseph called Barsabbas and Matthias. And they prayed and said, "You Lord, who knows the hearts of all men, show which one of these two you have chosen." And they drew lots for them, and the lot fell to Matthias; and he was added to the eleven Apostles.

This selection has been approved by our Counsel and at our Voters Annual Meeting.

I hope this process is not confusing and if you have any questions please call your board/counsel leaders or myself. Thank You! —Jon Sandberg 424-2432

Names will be coming out shortly. Selection of officers will be held during the services on Saturday, May 24 & Sunday, May 25.



Be Shepherds of the Church of God Acts 20:28

Your church needs a special effort to offset the 2007 shortage of \$5,438.81. Prayerfully consider a donation to lift up your church and give Glory to our Lord through His bride the church. As we give to support our church put your donation into the little church then take a small stone and place your name on it with marker, if you wish. Place your stone in the basket provided. The stones with your name will be attached to the foundation and as more donations and stones are added you'll see your church raised up!!! May God Bless you and your family for your sacrifice!

Thank You

Thanks to all for your care, support and love during Lucille's illness and after she went home to be with her Lord. Her church family held a very special place in her heart. Your words of encouragement, cards, hugs, shared memories, the meal and joys shared in celebrating her life comfort us—Jerry, Darlene, Nicole, Brian & Kylie Swen

Thank You from SWEPS

Dear St. John:

The South Wood Emergency Pantry Shelf gratefully acknowledges and thanks you for your donation of 15 bags of food delivered on March 11. Your gift will help to provide necessary food for the hungry people in our community and area. We appreciate your faithful concern and support! On behalf of the families who will benefit from your gift, thank you—

Judy Steele

Kellner Area Rummage Sale

Saturday, May 10

The Board of Education is again renting spaces to congregation members for the Saturday, May 10 Kellner Area Rummage Sale. You will be able to rent 3 parking spaces for \$5.00. There are 22 spaces to rent. Come and sell your rummage items, craft items or other treasured items and keep your own profits.

The Board of Education, with the help of the youth, will also be selling Walking Tacos. Proceeds earned by the Board of Education will go towards books and supplies for our Weekday School Program.

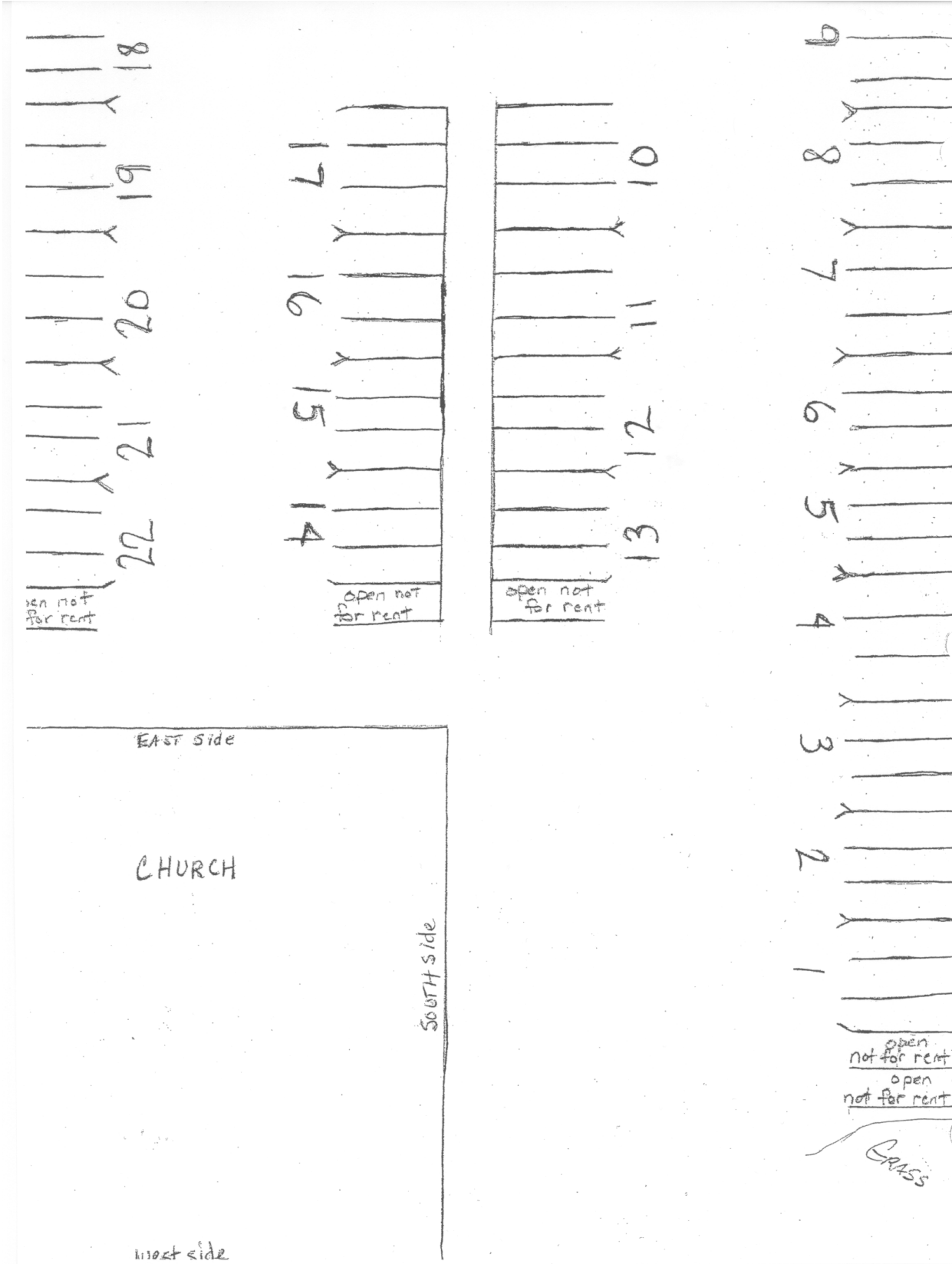
**HELP SUPPORT ST. JOHN BY
EATING—SELLING—BUYING**

Contact Rollie Ashbeck 423-8491 or Karen Ross 421-2970 to rent a parking lot space.

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PARKING LOT RENTERS:

You will have to provide your own set-up. Not responsible for weather elements and must be gone from the church parking lot by 5:30 p.m. for the evening church service. Parking spaces will be marked the morning of the sale.



Son Harvest County Fair

Vacation Bible School

Place: St. John Lutheran Church - 8020 S. Park Rd. - Kellner

Date: June 28th (ONE DAY ONLY- SATURDAY)

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (lunch will be served)

For ages 3yrs - 5th grade

To register, fill out the information on the VBS registration card and return it to the church on or before

June 1st.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION CARD

Name _____

Birth date _____

Last grade completed _____

Parent's name _____

Home ph.# _____

Parent's Work ph.# _____

Address _____

Known allergies or other medical concerns:

In an emergency and parents cannot be reached contact:

Phone _____

Physician's name _____

Phone _____

Parent's church name _____

Bother's and sister's (names and ages) _____
