

# St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church



## June 2009

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**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.

## Reflection Sunday Brunch



Plans will soon be made for our Reflection Sunday Brunch which will be held on July 12 at our 9:30 AM service. All members who have reached the age of 80 years or older will be honored. A brunch will be served by the Ladies Evening Guild after the service.

**Please notify the church office if you know of anyone 80 years of age or older who is not on the following list.**

Chuck Behn, Alice Benner, Harriet Brandt, Grace Gilman, Harriet Hanneman, Robert Hanneman, Eva Helke, Florence Helke, Gilbert Hofschild, Loleta Hofschild, Helen Jensen, Neil Knoll, Ernie Neinfeldt, Laura Neinfeldt, Elaine Punzel, Lester Rabska, Gladys Sawaska, Helen Schoenick, Howard Schuldt, Hugh Stanton, John Tomesek, Marion Swen, Alice Timm, Charlotte Wick, Lydia Wittman, Fred Zimmerman

## St. John to Host LLL

We will be hosting Lutheran Laymen's League here at St. John on June 12 at 6:30 PM. Dinner will be chicken and the program will be Rev. Dennis Schwalenberg of Bethlehem, Nekoosa. Cost is \$7.50. For reservations call Duane Steinke at 423-2716 by Tuesday, June 9.

Evening Guild Baker Drive IGA Cookout  
Fundraiser for Micah McConaghy

June 6, 2009

Starting at 9:00 AM

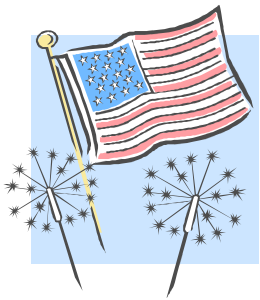
All proceeds from this cookout will go to  
Joline & Mike McConaghy  
to help with son Micah's hospital expenses

Matching funds from Thrivent 30944



## Please Take Note

Since Independence Day falls on a Saturday we will not be having services on that date. Instead we will have services on Thursday, July 2 at 6:30 PM and



Sunday  
July 5 at  
9:30 AM

## Door Collection For Parking Lot

Starting June 7 through the end of July we will have a door collection after services to help defray the cost of our parking lot renovation. Please place your donations in the "Church" in the narthex. Thank you!

## Neighborhood Table Thank You

Dear St. John Lutheran Church,

Thank you so much for the sandwiches and desserts given to the Neighborhood table. Thanks also for helping to serve our guests. Thank you—

The Neighborhood Table

## Bethesda Thrift Shop

We continue to encourage you to do your "rummage sale" shopping in one place where there never is any wind and rain - Bethesda Thrift Shop in the Rapids Mall. During the summer, we will offer various discounts and don't forget Senior Day on the 1st Wednesday of each month. We thank you for your support. All our workers are volunteers so all of the proceeds go to enhance the lives of people with developmental and intellectual disabilities at Bethesda.

## Personal Essentials Pantry

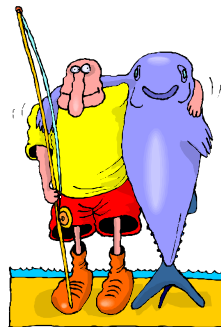
The Human Care is asking for your help in collecting items for The Personal Essentials Pantry. The Personal Essentials Pantry is a community outreach program that helps people in Wisconsin Rapids and surrounding areas. Our economy has caused a strain on household finances and many are in need of our help. **Items needed include:** toilet paper and facial tissue, laundry detergent, dish washing detergent, all-purpose cleaner, paper toweling, combs and brushes, dental floss, deodorant, toothbrushes & toothpaste, razors & shaving cream, garbage bags, hand lotion, sanitary napkins, shampoo, baby shampoo and hand soap.

A box for donated items is located in the narthex.

**Items will be collected throughout the summer.**

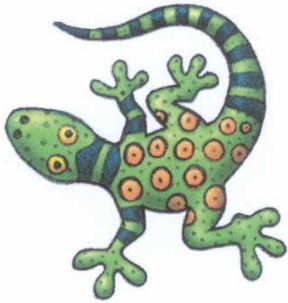
There will also be a small collection can available if you would prefer to give a monetary donation. Your donations will be greatly appreciated.

## 2009 North American Fishing Tournament



On June 1, Lutheran Hour Ministries' Men's NetWork will kick off its First Annual Men's NetWork North American Fishing Tournament. The contest is open to all guys in the United States and Canada who wet lines in fresh water.

There are ten categories of fish eligible for weekly prizes. There's even recognition for the "strangest non-fish thing" caught. For all the details, go to [www.lhmmen.com](http://www.lhmmen.com), and click on the shot of the guy sweet talkin' his bass. There you'll find registration information, contest rules, and assorted finny lore. So, come aboard...log on and register today!



Help Wanted  
 Youth & Parents of St. John  
 Got nothing to do on June 20, 2009

The 2009 vacation bible school needs you.

June 20, 2009 from 9:00am-1:00pm

We will be going Jungle Crazy at the Jungle Journey VBS Help us guide everyone on a fun filled day in the jungle.

We are looking for a few good people  
 So come join us for the day using your God given time and talents to serve the Lord.  
 The day is guranteed to be Jungle crazy.

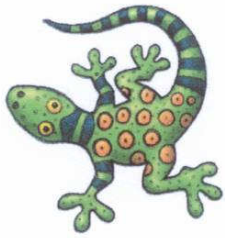
\_\_\_\_\_ yes I want to help

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



# Jungle Journey 2009

## VBS

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

Date: June 20, 2009

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm(lunch will be served)

For age 3 years old thru 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

To Register, fill out the  
VBS registration

Form and return it to the church

On or before June 1.

\*All donation/offerings will be going  
towards educational material for  
weekday school.

Name: _____
Birthday: _____
Last grade completed _____
Parent's Name: _____
Home phone # _____
Cell # _____
e-mail _____
Address _____
Known Allergies or Medical Conditions _____
Emergency Contact _____
Name: _____
Phone: _____
Parent's Church _____
Brother's & Sisters Attending _____
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