

## St. John's Lutheran Churches - Babbtown & Schubert

*Weekly Announcements - June 28, 2026*

**JULY NEWSLETTERS** are out now! Pick one up to see what's going on at St. John's and St. John's for the month of July.

**THANKS** to everyone who helped with Babbtown's VBS yesterday!

**TODAY AFTER CHURCH:** Please stick around to help with **Rummage Sale SETUP!**

**UPDATE FROM THE RUMMAGE SALE TEAM:** What we have all been waiting for is finally here. Please consider volunteering to help - it can be fun!

Items can be left under the kitchen counter before Wednesday, July 8. Please remember:

**NO TV's, school books, encyclopedias, VHS tapes, CD's, baby beds, or car seats.**

Before the sale we will need help cleaning, organizing and pricing. On the days of the sale (**July 10 & 11**) we will need cashiers, packers, carries, and of course **BUYERS**.

On Saturday the 11th at noon we can use lots of hands to pack/bag remaining items and return the basement to normal.

**Remember the sale dates: Friday 7/10 & Saturday 7/11!**

**CHOIR** will rehearse this Wednesday, July 1, at 6:30 p.m. They will be singing during worship at Schubert next Sunday, July 5. For more details, contact Kathy Bauer.

**NEXT MONDAY, July 6:** Babbtown Bible Study will meet at 9:00 a.m. There will be NO Men's Bible Study at Schubert.

**LOOKING AHEAD:** Next Wednesday, July 8, Church Council will meet at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, July 12, at Schubert we will have a Voters' Meeting followed by an Open House hosted by Pastor Groh and Grace!

**ORDER FORMS** for new St. John's T-shirts are now available in the foyer! By popular request, we're also going to offer the option to purchase sweatshirts and hoodies with the t-shirts! The Order Form specifically for the sweatshirts and hoodies is available now.

**SAVE THE DATE:** We will have Senior Member Sunday at Schubert on August 2!

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** teacher sign-up is now available in the foyer! Those who are willing to help teach between now and August 9 are invited to sign their names for Sundays.

### **WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS:**

- David Jones and his family, mourning David's dad who passed away from a heart attack.
- Cindy Williams, Jeanette Essen's niece, who has stage four kidney cancer.
- Carol Forbis, and thanksgiving for her successful surgery.
- Jim Forbis, who recently had a bone marrow biopsy.
- Teresa Wehmeyer, recovering from knee replacement surgery.
- Mary Kuhlmann's brother Gerald, who has been diagnosed with cancer.
- Brady Russell, son of Mark & Sherri Russell, for renewed health.
- Jennifer Murray, for continued healing.
- Chaplain Jim Mueller, for continued strength as he undergoes chemo.
- LCMS MO District President R. Lee Hagan, for continued recovery from his stroke.

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**LIFE THOUGHTS IN THE CHURCH YEAR:** Jesus said: "And whoever gives one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple, truly, I say to you, he will by no means lose his reward" (Matthew 10:42). God does not demand from us that we have success with everyone to whom we proclaim the Word of God. God knows the hearts of men. He knows that many have turned their hearts from hearing God's Word and desire death and not life. They desire to stay in their sins and not hear God's mercy and love for them. They will still kill their children, murder their elders, and seek to destroy life at every step because of who their father is. But we as God's children are to speak the truth even when it is received with hostility and even when it seems meager and worthless. For God says if we even give a cup of cold water, God will bless us. If we seek to save the life of a human being according to God's Word, God will bless us.

**ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY:** Babtown - 14; Schubert - 60.

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**Thanks be to God that we have the opportunity to gather in worship each week.**

**Make worship and Bible Study and the Lord's Supper a high priority in your life.**

**Babtown**

**8:00 a.m. Worship Service  
9:10 a.m. Sunday School  
and Adult Bible Study**

**Schubert**

**9:15 am. Sunday School  
9:30 a.m. Bible Study  
10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

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**SERVING IN CHURCH THIS SUNDAY**

PASTOR: Rev. Ryan Groh. ORGANIST: Kathy Bauer.

USHERS this week: Gary Stroup & Matt Belcher.

USHERS next week: Gene Walkenhorst & Andy Beach.

GREETERS this week: Mary Kuhlmann, side. Susan Nienhueser, front.

GREETERS next week: Mary Vida, side. Linda Brenner, front.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Jim Forbis & Gene Walkenhorst.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERING: Henry Householder.

**BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS:** Schubert - Russ Mueller, George Payne, Jaxon Tynes & Livia Tynes.

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### CALVARY NEWS

**RETREAT DONATIONS** – Calvary's Summer Retreat is held at Heit's Point Lutheran Camp in July. It is a favorite for our students and staff. This event would not be possible without the generosity of MANY! One way to help is by donating necessary food items used to prepare meals. If you are interested in what items are needed, please contact Sam Ziegelbein at (573) 638-0228 or [ziegelbeins@calvarylhs.org](mailto:ziegelbeins@calvarylhs.org).



**BE A LION!** – As we prepare for the 2026-2027 academic year, we look forward to greeting many new students on campus! We offer an awesome high school experience with our caring faculty, safe Christian atmosphere, strong academics, and numerous activities and athletics. If you know a family with a high school student that would thrive in this environment, please reach out to them and us! The NEXT new family orientation is Thursday, June 25 at 7 p.m. We would love to share more about Calvary! Contact our office at 573-638-0228 or [administrator@calvarylhs.org](mailto:administrator@calvarylhs.org).

**DON'T MISS OUT! YOUTH BASKETBALL CAMPS** – Coach Wehmeyer will be offering **TWO Boys Youth Basketball Camps** on Thursday & Friday, July 9 & 10. He and Coach Hagemeyer are excited to work with athletes on dribbling, passing, shooting and teamwork. Here is a rundown of times for the camps. These events are free of charge! Please RSVP by calling the Calvary office at (573)-638-0228.

**Grades 5 & 6 Boys** at 10-11:30am

**Grades 7 & 8 Boys** at 1-2:30pm

**YOUTH BOYS BASEBALL** – Incoming 4th through 8th graders are invited to join us from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30a.m. on July 14, 15 and 16th for Calvary's Youth Baseball Camp! Infield, outfield, hitting, pitching, and catching will all be covered. This event is free of charge! Please RSVP by calling the Calvary office at (573) 638-0228.

#### **SUMMER HOURS:**

**The office will be closed for MSHSAA "dead week" June 26 – July 3**

We are happy to serve Monday – Thursday, 8 AM to 4 PM. Summer hours extend through July.

**THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS** – Are you a Thrivent member and have Thrivent Action Team grants available? If you would like to help with projects at Calvary, we have a number of special summer projects that could be blessed by an action team grant! Contact John Christman to find out about upcoming projects.

**BE PART OF THE TEAM** – Calvary is seeking mission-minded individuals to serve in the roles of Assistant Volleyball Coach and teaching one period of Algebra 1. Applications can be submitted to John Christman at [administrator@calvarylhs.org](mailto:administrator@calvarylhs.org) or Kerri Morris at [morrisk@calvarylhs.org](mailto:morrisk@calvarylhs.org)

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OPEN HOUSE AT  
PASTOR AND  
GRACE'S!

SUNDAY

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AFTER VOTER'S  
MEETING

JULY

