

## THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING

### **SUNDAY April 26th**

7:45 Worship H/C  
9:00 Education Hour  
10:15 Worship H/C  
11:30 Voter's Meeting  
6:00 Bible Study

### **MONDAY April 27th**

### **TUESDAY April 28th**

12:00 Senior Club

### **WEDNESDAY April 29th**

10:40 Chapel  
6:30 Confirmation/JAM/Youth Group

### **THURSDAY April 30th**

7:00 Worship H/C

### **FRIDAY May 1st**

8:00 Celebration of Learning  
at school

### **SATURDAY May 2nd**

### **SUNDAY May 3<sup>rd</sup>~Confirmation Sunday**

7:45 Worship H/C  
9:00 Education Hour  
10:15 Worship H/C

**REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS IN PRAYER**  
Marlys Zemke-Wellington Place Assisted Living



## **THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK IN THE LORD'S HOUSE**

### **ELDERS FOR APRIL**

John Christensen, Lyle Juedes, Rick Borchardt

### **ALTAR GUILD FOR APRIL**

Lorraine Christensen & Donna Baumann

### **USHERS THIS WEEKEND**

Kyle Borchardt~ 7:45  
Sean & Seth Baumann

Steve & Carol Kunze~ 10:15  
Luke Walters, Ashley Borchardt

### **ACOLYTES THIS WEEKEND**

Annabelle Marquardt~ 7:45  
Parker Rogalla~ 10:15  
April 30th~ Annabelle Marquardt

### **CLEANING TEAM**

April 10<sup>th</sup>-May 2nd~ Lyle & Lana Kunze

A cry room is located by the choir loft steps.

## **Happy Birthday this week to:**

Bristol Maszk (4/27)  
Magdaline White (4/28)  
Mary Marquardt (4/29)  
Lowell Block (4/29)  
Tayvia Allcox (5/1)  
Steven Roble (5/2)  
Lindsey Mueller(5/2)



## **Happy Anniversary this week to:**

Rick & Kim Borchardt (4/26)  
Jeff & Carla Borchardt (4/26)  
Kevin & Nancy Thorson (4/27)  
Arlo & Sue Prah (5/2)



God's Blessings on your special day!

## **The Week April 26th-May 3rd 2026**

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### **Church Office Hours**

Monday & Wednesday 10:00-2:00

### **School Office Hours**

Monday-Friday 7:00 AM-3:00 PM

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## **Our Mission Statement**

"St. John Lutheran Church and School is dedicated to worship, love, teach, reach out and care through the love of Christ Jesus."

Please have announcements to the office by 8:30 A.M on Wednesday

ATTENDANCE REPORT	2025	2026
Thursday, April 16th	21	18
Sunday, April 19th	109	126

#### OFFERING LAST WEEK

Envelope & Plate

Week of April 19th, 2026 \$6674.00

Tuition-\$1185.00 Extended Care-\$0.00

Debt Reduction (Line of Credit Only)-\$50.00

Loose change collected for Camp Luther - \$35.65

#### Electronic Giving for week of April 19th

General Fund-\$2568.00

There will be a St. John's Voters Meeting on April 26<sup>th</sup>. All members are encouraged to attend.

**Brat and Turkey BBQ Fundraiser:** Mark your calendar! May 9<sup>th</sup> at Sunset Country Store from 9:30 A.M. until sold out. This fundraiser is for Three Trees Outdoor Ministry. Three Trees is a Christian camp focusing on "Jesus" through outdoor adventures in God's creation, service projects, leadership training, and worship time. The camp became a nonprofit in 2021 after Trevor Kunze felt God was calling him to start a camp in Colorado. God continues to bless this ministry in amazing ways. Brats, turkey BBQ sandwiches, chips, homemade cookies and soda will be served. All proceeds will go Three Trees Outdoor Ministry. All monthly donors receive a free homemade cookie! Make sure to ask. There also will be a drawing for a Three Trees sweatshirt. Any questions please call Lana Kunze 715-581-9803

**Attention Seniors,** on April 28th you are invited to join the Senior Club for pot-luck lunch and a presentation from Brainard Funeral Home on Pre-Planning Funerals. Lunch starts at noon with the presentation to follow.

**Clear Your Clutter for Kids Sale** – May 15-16, 8:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M. St. John Lutheran School is excited to partner with **Goodwill Industries** for our *Clear the Clutter for Kids Sale (Garage Sale)*! This special fundraiser turns gently used items into meaningful support for our students—**all proceeds from the sale will go directly toward purchasing school and supplies for our classrooms.** This event is also a valuable learning opportunity for students. Through hands-on involvement, students will practice organizing items, working alongside adult volunteers, and building real-life math skills by helping handle sales and make change during the event. We will need some adult volunteers to help with the sale on Saturday, May 16. Contact Mrs. Goetsch if you are able to help for a few hours.  
**Drop-Off Items May 1-14: (brought to St. John Lutheran School) Monday–Friday: 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Sunday, May 10: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**  
**Donation Guidelines:** To ensure a successful sale, please note that we **cannot accept:** Electronics, Exercise equipment, Non-functioning or broken items, Items with excessive wear and tear. Thank you for helping us clear out clutter, support student learning, and equip our classrooms with essential supplies. **Your generosity truly makes a difference for our students and our school!!!!**

**St. John School Fundraiser** – Growing with our Community: April 6-27. We're excited to partner with HSU Growing Supply for a fundraiser that supports **St John School** and the work we're doing in our community ❤️ These are products you're already buying for your yard... now they give back. 🌱 30% of every participating purchase goes directly to **St John's**, so while you're getting your yard ready, you're also helping our organization grow and thrive. Here's how easy it is: ✓ Free delivery on orders \$75+ ✓ \$25 delivery under \$75 ✓ OR free in-store pickup 📍 237502 Co Rd W, Wausau. 📅 Pickup available May 4–23 🛒 Shop here: [www.hsugrowingsupply.com/fundraising](http://www.hsugrowingsupply.com/fundraising) or in store 📍 237502 Co Rd W, Wausau OR Turn in Order Form sent home with students. ORDER FORMS Available on the CHURCH INFORMATION TABLE 📅 Fundraiser ends April 27. **Our Goal is to raise \$250 to use toward purchasing Student School Supplies for the 2026-27 school year.** Thank you for supporting local; your home, your community, and what matters most. Thank you for supporting St Johns—we couldn't do this without you ❤️

**The last day** of Sunday school before summer break will be May 3.

**Sportsmen of St. John** will be holding our 2nd annual Brat and Hamburger Fry, Saturday, May 7 starting at 9:00 AM at the Sunset Country Store. This fundraiser supports the various ministries we do throughout the year. Bring your family, friends, neighbors and even folks you may not even know. Come hungry! See you there!

**24 Hours of Prayer:** 1 Peter 3:12 "For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their prayer." On May 7th we will have 24 hours of prayer. All the time slots have been filled! Praise God! Thank you to all of you who have signed up to take an hour to pray. The church is going to be open for the whole 24 hours of May 7th starting at 12:00 midnight to 12:00 midnight. If you would still like to come and pray, feel free to do so whenever you wish. Someone will be there in case you have any questions. There will be packets with suggested prayers available for your convenience. Also do not forget the 9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Prayer Chapel Service. (The schoolchildren will be attending.) Everyone is welcome! There will also be a special prayer service from 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in the evening. Plan now to attend! Prayer packets can be picked up in the narthex on the prayer table on Sunday May 3rd.

**Adult Fellowship Fish Fry Challenge,** initiated by Gerry Marquardt. Goal: To challenge 25 donors at \$100 each. Purpose: The funds raised will be used to cover the costs of devotionals, communion supplies, and other church and school needs that proceeds from the fish fry covered. Who: The challenge is open to anyone who has previously volunteered, donated, provided desserts, attended the fish fries, or you simply want to support the causes the fish fry funded. How: Put it in the offering plate or put it in mailbox #26. Please put your name and fish fry challenge on your envelope. Questions: Call Susie Borchardt 715-551-2868.