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Website: stjohnstjames.com

Times of Worship: Sunday—8:00 am & 10:15 am

Send Bulletin Information to kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com—Thursday Deadline

Sunday, January 8, 2023

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK—**Sunday, January 8 8:00 am Ushers**—Jim Matznick, Tom Sebo, Norman Pantzlaff, Gary Bernhardt **10:15 am Ushers**—Andy/Zac Bubolz, Ray Bubolz, Adam Bubolz, Bill Hillmann, Matt Hillmann, Nick/Jonathan Schrubbe **Church Cleaners—1/9-1/22** Yvonne Wenzlaff and Gail Denor **Flower Committee**—Jennifer Janke and Judy Mangin **Communion Set-Up/Take Down**—Suzanne Bubolz, Amanda Schrubbe and Michaela Bubolz

SERVING YOU NEXT WEEK—**Sunday, January 15 8:00 am Ushers**—Jim Matznick, Tom Sebo, Norman Pantzlaff, Gary Bernhardt **10:15 am Ushers**—Andy/Zac Bubolz, Ray Bubolz, Adam Bubolz, Bill Hillmann, Matt Hillmann, Nick/Jonathan Schrubbe **Church Cleaners—1/9-1/22** Yvonne Wenzlaff and Gail Denor **Flower Committee**—Jennifer Janke and Judy Mangin

CALL UPDATE—Phil Stuebs, who currently serves as SJSJ's 3-5 grade teacher/Athletic Director, has accepted a divine call from MLHS to serve as their industrial arts and STEM teacher. Please keep Phil and his family in your prayers as he finishes out the school year with SJSJ and moves on to a new chapter with MLHS. SJSJ has been blessed to have Mr. Stuebs for all the years he has served here, and MLHS will now be blessed with his great gifts of reaching young Christians and helping them grow into Christ-fearing adults.

MINISTRY RESERVE FUND—We have started a fund for our Second Pastor to help defray costs involved in adding another Pastor. If you wish to give to the Ministry Reserve Fund, please place your offering in an envelope and clearly mark it as **Ministry Reserve Fund** or **2nd Pastor Fund** and place it in the offering plate. As of November 30th we have \$38,854 in the Ministry Reserve Fund.

USHER SCHEDULES—Hard copies of the usher schedules are available in the west office of church. Any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to Katie Janssen kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com or Randy Denor rdenor@stjohnstjames.com

BUDGET SHORTFALL—We are holding a special offering to pay back our budget shortfall to Charities within our church. We thank you very much for your offerings. We are doing better with offerings now. Given—\$30,435.00.

HEATING SYSTEM—Present amount given—\$30,262.00

The Heating System has arrived! Mark Behnke and Lyle Lannbrecht installed the unit on the roof on December 10th. Nick Bubolz is doing the electrical work for the unit. Payment for the Heating System will be due in January. Thank you to Nick, Mark, and Lyle for all their work in getting the heating system set up for us.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED—Looking for an AV booth coordinator. Coordinator will be responsible for managing and coordinating a schedule to cover the AV booth for our weekly services. More details available for anyone interested, please contact Randy Denor-rdenor@stjohnstjames.com.

LWMS MISSIONS—Monetary Gift boxes are located at each entrance of the Church. \$17.00 was collected for the month of December. Money donated goes toward World and Home Missions. Thank you for your support!

THANK YOU— Thank you to Gene and Char Wagner, who gave a gift to the Building Fund in memory of Ron Reis.



OUR FATHER'S BUSINESS



Today	Preacher, Pastor Darin Aden Music Today—Messengers Sunday School, CREW & Adult Bible Study @ 9:05 am
1/9	A-Girls BB @ Wayside vs. NEWCHA @ 6:00 Church Council Meeting @ 6:30
1/13	BB @ SJSJ vs Maribel (B-Girls @ 5:00; B-Boys @ 6:00; A-Boys @ 7:00) A-Girls BB @ Wayside vs Morrison @ 7:00

OFFICE ASSISTANT POSITION—St. John—St. James is still in need of additional office help. Hours are flexible—approximately 10-15 hours/week. If you are interested, please pick up a job description and application in the School Office or West Office in church. If you have any questions regarding this Office Assistant position, please contact Pastor Aden (920) 277-0101, Dan Duchow (920) 860-9379 or Amanda Schrubbe (920) 754-4432.

VOTER'S MEETING—There is a Voter's Meeting coming up on Sunday, February 5th at 9:00 am. Items on the agenda include: elections, cemetery association meeting, Ministry Plans, call meeting, and Messengers' platform.

OFFERING ENVELOPES—Offering envelopes are available to be picked up in the West Office of the church, They are in alphabetical order to ease in picking up. **Please stop in and pick up your envelopes as soon as you can. Due to the high cost of postage, we will not be mailing them out this year if you don't pick them up.**

KIDS' OFFERING ENVELOPES—There are extra kids' offering envelopes available in the West Office of the church for children who don't attend SJSJ but would like to give offerings.

CAMP PHILLIP 2023—We have fliers for Camp Phillip's summer camps for the summer of 2023 available in the West Office of Church. Feel free to stop in and grab one!

ST. PETER'S THANKS—On behalf of St. Peter's congregation we would like to thank you and your congregation for giving to our food drive and money assistance. With everyone's generous hearts we helped out 3 families with food and 5 military families with the money. Thank you, St Peter's Congregation.

BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION—St. John-St. James recently received a check from the Boxtops for Education Program in the amount of \$22.60. Thank you to everyone who supports our school through this program! Do you want to learn how you can participate? Download the Boxtops for Education app, scan your receipts, and SJSJ earns money! Go to boxtops4education.com to learn more.

CLEANING SCHEDULES—Church cleaning schedules should have been received via email last week, but for anybody who would like a paper copy, they are available in the West Office of church, or let Katie Janssen know and she can email you a new copy.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE—DECEMBER 28, 2022-JANUARY 3, 2023

Church Attendance: New Year's Eve Service-Saturday, December 31 1:00pm—66

Offerings: General Fund—\$5,766.75 ■ Synod—\$600.00 ■ MLHS—\$600.00

Special Offerings: Building Fund: \$1,950.00 ■ Ministry Reserve—\$1,000.00

■ Heating System—\$25.00 ■ SJSJ Tuition Assistance—\$6,000

Sunday, January 1 9:00am—131

Offerings: General Fund—\$4,762.00 ■ Synod—\$47.00 ■ MLHS—\$57.00

Special Offerings: Building Fund: \$325.00

TOTAL OFFERINGS: General Fund—\$10,528.75 ■ Synod—\$647.00 ■ MLHS—\$657.00

Special Offerings: Building Fund: \$2,275.00 (needed each week \$2,312)

■ Ministry Reserve—\$1000.00 ■ Heating System—\$25.00 ■ SJSJ Tuition Assistance—\$6,000