



Today

OUR FATHER'S BUSINESS

Preacher, Pastor Darin Aden

Music Today—Messengers

Sunday School, CREW, Adult Bible Study @ 9:05

2/5

Voter's Meeting @ 11:15 am, after 2nd Service

2/6

CEC Meeting 7:00 pm

2/10

Family BINGO Night @ 6:00-8:00 pm



POINSETTIAS—Thank you again to everyone who ordered. If you didn't purchase a poinsettia, you are welcome to take one home today. There are plastic bags to keep them safe in the cold. Please be sure to leave the trays.

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!

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.

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT—Friday, February 10, 2023, we will have a Family BINGO Night held in the commons from 6pm-8pm. Please join us for some free family fun! Please come and go at your family's convenience

MEN OF HIS WORD CONFERENCE—The Men of His Word conference will be held on Saturday February 18, 2023 in Oshkosh. There are 16 different sessions to choose from. You can pick 3 sessions to attend. For more information, go to www.menofhisword.org. Paper copies will also be available in the west office. If you would like more information or would like to attend this seminar, please contact Pastor Aden or Dan Duchow.

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.

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

CONGRATULATIONS—Congratulations to Alex and Emily Bubolz (son and daughter-in-law of Jim and Gloria Bubolz), who welcomed a healthy baby girl (Lennyn Patricia Bubolz) on January 31, 2023.

BUDGET SHORTFALL—Amount given—\$30,485.00.

MINISTRY RESERVE FUND—As of December 31st we have \$38,132 in the Ministry Reserve Fund.

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

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.

MID-WEEK LENTEN MEALS—We will once again be having mid-week Lenten meals and fellowship between our Wednesday Lenten Services, starting **February 22nd**. We are asking for groups and organizations that are willing, to sign up to bring and serve these meals. The sign-up sheet for groups/organizations is in the West Office of Church with available dates. Thank you.

SNOW FUN! EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY NIGHT—On February 15th from 6:00-7:30 pm we will be having our Early Childhood Preview and Family Night. We will have activities and snacks that are SNOW FUN! If you know anyone who may be interested in enrolling for the 2023/2024 school year, please invite them! All children in 3K-2nd grade and their families are invited. Prospective families with children who will be 3, 4, or 5 years old by September 1, 2023, are also invited! Come when you can and stay as long as you'd like.

LAKESHORE LUTHERAN CHILDREN'S CHORAL FESTIVAL—The Lakeshore Lutheran Children's Choral Festival, SHOUT FOR JOY will be on February 17, 2023 at 6:30. It will be hosted at Manitowoc Lutheran High School.

WELCOME—Joan Sheahan has started taking over some of the roles of the office assistant to take on some of Katie's current duties. Katie will begin helping Amanda in the school office in addition to retaining some of her current church office duties. Joan will begin work on the announcement pages, in addition to some other tasks. If you have information you'd like put in the bulletin announcements, please email Joan at jsheahan@stjohnstjames.com.

MLHS SPRING PLAY—Manitowoc Lutheran High School presents *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*. Performances will take place on Friday, March 10th at 7:00 pm, Saturday, March 11th at 7:00 pm, and final performance on Sunday, March 12th at 2:00 pm. All performances will take place at the MLHS gymnasium. Cost for the performances is \$10 for general admission and \$14 for reserved seating. Tickets and more information can be found at mlhslancers.org or at the MLHS main office.

OFFERING ENVELOPES—There are still some offering envelopes in the West Office of Church. As a reminder, they will not be mailed out this year. If you or someone you know still hasn't picked theirs up, please do so ASAP. Thank you.

WELS & ELS SINGLES UPCOMING EVENTS—Sprecher Brewery Tour-Saturday, February 18th at 2:00 PM in Glendale, WI. Cost for this event is \$12.00, payable at the door. The tour includes 4 samples and unlimited soda. Visit <http://sprecherbrewery.com/pages/brewery-tour> for more information.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS—In an attempt to keep the hours consistent, our church office hours have changed to better reflect when Katie will be here, while she continues working in the Early Childhood classroom. Our new hours are as follows: Monday-Thursday 1:00pm-2:45pm, Friday 11:15am-1:45pm. If you have any questions or concerns outside of these hours, feel free to contact Katie via email-kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com

OFFICE CLOSING EARLY—The church/school offices will be closing at noon on Thursday and Friday, February 9th and 10th.

VOTER'S MEETING—The Ministry Planning Voter's Meeting scheduled will be held today at 11:15am, after second service. Items on the agenda include: Elections, Cemetery Association Meeting, Ministry Plans, Call Meeting, and Messengers' platform. **The reports for this meeting are available in the West Office of Church.**

ELECTIONS

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| President -Gary Bernhardt | Elders Chairman -Brian Bubolz* |
| Administrative Secretary -Jesse Christensen | Evangelism Chairman -Corey Marohn* |
| Treasurer -Rod Bubolz | Spiritual Growth -Jeff Schneider* |
| Secretary -Randy Waack* | CEC -Nick Schrubbe |
| Charities Treasurer -Arlie Olp* | Buildings & Grounds -James Kiesow* |
| Worship Committee -Randy Denor* | Stewardship Chairman -Vacant |

** Denotes Councilman is running for reelection*

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE—JANUARY 25-31, 2023

Church Attendance: Sunday, January 22 8:00am—186 10:15—57 Total—243

Offerings: General Fund—\$8,833.75 ■Synod—\$821.00 ■MLHS—\$601.00

Special Offerings: Building Fund: \$10,470.00 (\$2,312 needed each week)

■Ministry Reserve—\$236.50



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Church Office Phone: 920-754-4568

Church Office Hours: 1:00pm—2:45pm M-TH 11:15am-1:45pm F

School Office Phone: 920-754-4432

School Office Hours: 7:30am—3:00pm, M-F

Website: stjohnstjames.com **Times of Worship:** Sunday—8:00 am & 10:15 am

Send Bulletin Information to kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com;

jsheahan@stjohnstjames.com—Wednesday Deadline

Sunday, February 5, 2023

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK—■**Sunday, February 5 8:00 am Ushers**—Dale Barnard, Joe Hoyer, Chuck Kiehn, Bob Baribeau ■**10:15 am Ushers**—Roger/Judy Hoida, Dave Hoida, and Deven Krepline ■**Church Cleaners—2/6-2/19**—Shawn/Melissa Behnke, Sheri Lau ■**Flower Committee**—Mary Busse and Karen Prochnow

SERVING YOU NEXT WEEK—■**Sunday, February 12 8:00 am Ushers**—Dale Barnard, Joe Hoyer, Chuck Kiehn, Bob Baribeau ■**10:15 am Ushers**—Roger/Judy Hoida, Dave Hoida, and Deven Krepline ■**Church Cleaners—2/6-2/19**—Shawn/Melissa Behnke, Sheri Lau ■**Flower Committee**—Mary Busse and Karen Prochnow ■**Communion Set-Up/Take Down**—Pat Olp and Mary Fenlon

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS—Anyone who has an email listed with SJSJ, should have received their contribution statement via email. If you didn't, please reach out to Katie Janssen-kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com and she will be sure to add your email and send you your contribution statement. Paper copies are also be available in the West Office of the Church, but they will not be mailed out if you don't pick up. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to reach out to Katie.

SUPPORT GROUP—Froedert Holy Family Memorial is offering Cancer Support Groups in February. Please contact Pastor Aden if you or a loved one has interest.

THANK YOU—Thank you to Leroy and Judy Stahl for their donation of \$8,910.00 to the Building Fund.

CHORAL FEST—Students in grades 3-8 will be participating in the grade school Choral Festival at MLHS on Friday, February 17th. The concert begins at 6:30 pm. Come out and enjoy hearing all the beautiful voices from our students as well as the area schools.