



OUR FATHER'S BUSINESS



Today	Preacher, Pastor Darrin Aden Music Thursday Evening —Kristen Hillmann Music Sunday Morning — Judy Mangin
05/26	Last Day of School
05/30	Senior Adult Bible Study 9:30am in the Commons
06/01	Thursday Evening Church Service 6:30pm

MLC/MLHS—This fall Josh Aden, Michaela Bubolz and Hailey Marohn will be attending MLC in New Ulm, MN. They plan on being Called Workers in our Synod. Next school year the cost of attending MLC will be \$29,350. We have established a Scholarship Fund to help fund their education. If the students home congregation gives each student \$1,350, MLC will match it.

We will have 3 students at MLHS who do not receive financial assistance. Tuition at MLHS is \$6,000. **Because we are short of our goal, this special offering will be extended to June 11th.** If you wish to make a contribution, please mark your envelope, either MLC Scholarship. or MLHS Scholarship. If you wish to contribute to both funds mark your envelope MLC/MLHS Scholarship. Please make out checks to St. John-St. James. We cannot cash checks made out to MLC or MLHS Scholarship Fund. MLC Scholarship goal \$9,000, received \$3,982.00; still needed \$5,018.00. MLHS Scholarship goal \$6,900, received \$3,732.00; still needed \$3,168.00. **As you can see we are short of our goal. We pray that our Gracious God will bless this offering for our MLC and MLHS students.**

HOUSING FOR THE FLITTERS - Pastor Flitter and his family will be moving from a parsonage to buying their first home when they come here. We are looking for potential homes that they could consider. The Flitters have two children, so they would probably need three bedrooms. If you know of any houses in the area that are available or will be soon, please contact Pastor Aden, Gary Bernhardt or Dan Duchow.

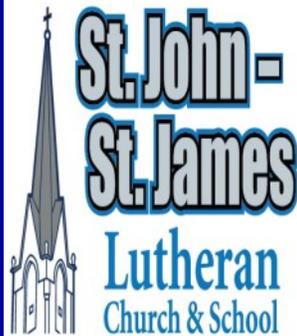
BREWERS GAME—St. Peter of Collins is inviting SJSJ members to join them in attending the WELS Brewers game Friday, July 7th, 7:10pm. St. Peter's is taking a bus or two to the game. The cost of the trip is \$45 per person and includes: your ticket, bus ride, tailgating for 2 hours and a tip for the bus driver(s). NO REFUNDS. Tailgating includes: a sub sandwich, chips, drinks, noodle salad and cookies, bring your own drinks for the bus ride. Bring your own lawn chairs if you want to sit while tailgating. Bus will leave the St. Peter's church parking lot between 2:00pm-2:30pm. Be at church by 2:00pm to load the bus. Sign up by contacting Nancy Zutz 920-901-4674 or Brian 920-905-1664, deadline to sign up is May 28th. Go Brew Crew!

VOTERS MEETING HIGHLIGHTS— Special voters meeting was held on Sunday, May 21st. There were 16 voting members and 26 total members present. A call was made for Mrs. Abby Flitter to be our 3-5 grade teacher. The voters voted to go ahead with the \$33,000 South wing bathroom project/evacuation doors in the 1961 addition, to be funded from SCRIP (\$10,000), designated funds for school (\$11,000), and remainder from different funds from charities.

SJSJ CAMP OUTING—Mark your calendars for July 7th—9th for the annual church/school camp outing held at Devil's River Campground. If you would like a campsite for this years SJSJ Camp Outing, please contact Karie Robley at 920-772-4959 or email Karie at robley@tds.net. Deadline to register is July 1st.

LADIES AID—The Ladies Aid donated \$100 to Befriend A Missionary, \$300 to MLHS & \$300 to MLC. Thank you to the secret donor for your donation to Ladies Aid. See you on September 18th for SJSJ Ladies Night-Out. More info to come.

OFFICES CLOSED—Church/School offices will be closed on Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day.



Church Office Information: Darin Aden, Pastor, Cell Phone: 920-277-0101,

Email: daden@stjohnstjames.com

School Office Information: Rick Zimmerman, Principal,

Cell Phone: 608-350-6646, Email: rzimmerman@stjohnstjames.com

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: Thursday — 6:30pm & Sunday—9:00 am

Send Bulletin Information to kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com;

jsheahan@stjohnstjames.com—Wednesday Deadline

Thursday, May 25, 2023 and Sunday, May 28, 2023

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK ■ **Thursday, May 25 — 6:30pm Ushers** — Scott Bubolz, Brian/Susie Bubolz, Bill Voeltz ■ **Communion Set-up & Take Down** — Pat/Arlie Olp, Mary Fenlon ■ **Sunday, May 28 9:00 am Ushers** — Jim Matznick, Tom Sebo, Norman Pantzlaff, Gary Bernhardt ■ **Church Cleaners—05/15-5/28—** Sarah/Rick Zimmerman, Carissa Hillmann, Vicky Rolf ■ **Flower Committee—**Ida May Krepline, Carol Bubolz ■ **Communion Set-up & Take Down** — Pat/Arlie Olp, Mary Fenlon

SERVING YOU NEXT WEEK ■ **Thursday, June 1 — 6:30pm Ushers** — Scott Bubolz, Brian/Susie Bubolz, Bill Voeltz ■ **Sunday, June 4 9:00 am Ushers—**Jim Matznick, Tom Sebo, Norman Pantzlaff, Gary Bernhardt

Church Cleaners 05/29-6/11— Shawn/Melissa Behnke, Sheri Lau ■ **Flower Committee—**Judy Mangin, Jenny Jahnke

8th GRADE GRADUATION—Congratulations to the 2023 graduation class of St. John St. James: Paige Busse, Addison Christensen, Rosalyn Hills, Ethan Marohn, Ava Stuebs, & Elijah Zurberbier. God's Blessings!

COMMUNION REGISTRATION—We will be transitioning to a new communion sign up/registration. There will be a single sign-up sheet on the communion podium requiring your name. Communion cards will still be available for a short period of time.

OUR SYMPATHIES—Margaret Brodtke, age 96, was called home by her Lord and Savior on Monday, May 22nd. Our deepest sympathies to her son/daughter-in-law ; John & Carol Brodtke and all of her family members and close friends. The visitation and funeral service will/was held here at St. John St. James on Saturday, May 27th. Visitation at 9:00a.m.—10:45a.m. and funeral service at 11:00a.m. Officiating by Rev. Darin Aden.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS—The Church & School Offices will be open from 8:00am—12:00pm daily during the months of June, July & August. Scrip will be available to purchase during these hours.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE—MAY 18TH & MAY 21, 2023

Church Attendance

Thursday 5/18 6:30pm — 61

Sunday, 5/21 8:00am — 101 10:15am — 108 Total Attendance — 209

Ascension Offerings 5/18: General Fund—\$830.25 ■ MLHS—\$1. Total \$831.25

■ Building Fund \$50.00

Sunday Offerings 5/21: General Fund—\$6,158.50 ■ Synod—\$213 ■ MLHS—\$133. Total \$6,504.50

Special Offerings: Building Fund: \$2,085 (\$2,312 needed each week)

■ MLHS Scholarship Fund \$1,400.50 ■ MLC Scholarship Fund \$1,400.50 ■ Ministry Reserve Fund \$40

■ Befriend a Missionary \$460