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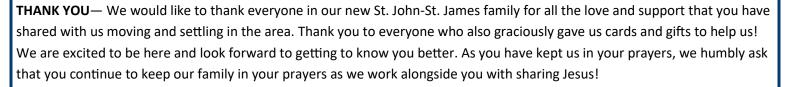


Preacher, Pastor Thadeus Flitter

Music — Charmaine Wagner

08/17 Thursday Evening Worship Service 6:30pm

08/19 SJSJ Declutter Day 9am



Pastor, Abby, Ellie, and Piper Flitter

SWEET CORN FEST 2023 - The sweet corn will be available inside entrance "A" before or after church on Sunday, August 13th. Your free will offering will go to support the MLHS Voucher Program. To date, the MLHS Academic Voucher Committee has awarded 1867 vouchers to students in grades 5-8 that participate in the MLHS Academic Fair. Each voucher is worth \$200 of tuition to Manitowoc Lutheran High School. This program has been around for 15 years and much of the money raised has been through the "Sweet Corn Fest" each summer. Thanks for your support in the past and we hope you make plans to participate in this great program.

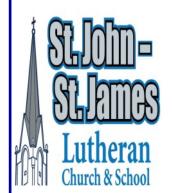
SEPT/OCT NEWSLETTER—Please submit any information/reports for the upcoming newsletter to Katie Janssen by Thursday, August 17th. **kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com**

MISSION BOXES—The Mission boxes are at each entrance/exit for our monthly freewill donations toward World and Home Missions to be designated by the Lutheran Women's Missionary Society. July donations amounted to \$30.00. Thank you for your support.

SJSJ Building Fund Account July 2023					
07/01/2023		\$20,237.96			
Deposits					
In Honor Of/Memorials	\$390.00				
7/5/2023	\$2,105.00				
7/12/2023	\$2,160.00				
7/19/2023	\$1,040.00				
7/25/2023	\$1,725.00				
Electronic Offerings	\$1,080.00				
Total Deposits	\$8,500.00				
Withdrawals					
Member Loan Interest Payments	\$0.00				
Transfer to Loan (July Payment)	\$4,685.00				
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Total Withdrawals	\$9,370.00				
Ending Balance		\$19,367.96			

Outstanding Bank First Loan Balance for Building Project \$703,473.41

Outstanding MEMBER Loan Balance for Building Project \$380,000.00



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School Office Hours: 8:00am—Noon M-F June, July, August

Website: stjohnstjames.com Times of Worship: Thursday — 6:30pm & Sunday—9:00 am

Send Bulletin Information to kjanssen@stjohnstjames.com;

<u>isheahan@stjohnstjames.com</u>—Wednesday Deadline

Thursday, August 10, 2023 and Sunday, August 13, 2023

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK ■ Thursday, August 10 — 6:30pm Ushers - Jeff/Jellane Schneider, Arlie/Pat Olp ■ Sunday, August 13 9:00 am Ushers— Jim Matznick, Tom Sebo, Norman Pantzlaff, Gary Bernhardt ■ Flower Committee —Ida May Krepline, Kay Pantzlaff ■ Church Cleaners 08/07-08/20-Nancy Hillmann, Sarah Miller, Roger/Judy Hoida ■ Communion Setup/Take down—Arlie/Pat Olp, Mary Fenlon

SERVING YOU NEXT WEEK ■ Thursday, August 17 — 6:30pm Ushers - Gary Bernhardt, Dave Hoeppner, Randy Denor ■ Sunday, August 20 9:00 am Ushers—Andy/Zac Bubolz, Ray Bubolz, Adam Bubolz, Bill Hillmann, Matt Hillmann, Nick/Jonathan Schrubbe ■ Flower Committee —Ida May Krepline, Kay Pantzlaff ■ Church Cleaners 08/07-8/20—Nancy Hillmann, Sarah Miller, Roger/Judy Hoida

SJSJ DECLUTTER WORK DAY - We are looking for volunteers to help with cleaning out and organizing the two garages, church basement and the offices/meeting rooms. We will start at 9:00 on Saturday August 19th. There is a signup sheet in the west office for those able to help out.

BACK TO SCHOOL/CHURCH PICNIC—Back-to-School Night has become Back-to-School Sunday! Join us on Sunday, August 27th at 10:15am. School families are requested at 9:00am. **9:00am-School families to meet in the sanctuary for orientation with Mr. Zimmerman at 9:00. There will be time before the worship service at 10:15 to deliver school supplies to classrooms and chat with teachers. BRING YOUR SCHOOL SUPPLIES! **10:15-The OUTDOOR worship service will begin at 10:15 in the south east grassy area behind the east parking lot. MESSENGERS will be leading us in music. Bring your lawn Chair! **11:30—Church picnic and potluck!! Pray for nice weather, but rain or shine, the fun will go on!

POTLUCK SIGN-UP & VOLUNTEERS NEEDED—Food donations are needed for our potluck lunch on August 27th. We are also in need of pop-up canopies/tents, kitchen helpers on Sunday, volunteers to set up Saturday and clean up on Sunday. Please visit the West Office in Church for more details and to sign-up!

Church Attendance

Thursday 8/03 6:30pm — 64 **Sunday, 8/06** 9:00am — 121 Total Attendance — 185

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE					
Thursday, August 3rd & Sunday, August 6th					
FUND	NEEDED WEEKLY	GIVEN THIS WEEK	WEEKLY Over/(Under)	FISCAL YTD Over/(Under)	
General Fund	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 7,646.00	\$ (3,354.00)	\$ (12,443.25)	
Synod	\$ 538.00	\$ 244.00	\$ (294.00)	\$ (654.50)	
MLHS	\$ 452.00	\$ 129.00	\$ (323.00)	\$ (300.50)	
Building Fund	\$ 2,312.00	\$ 1,305.00	\$ (1,007.00)	\$ (2,067.00)	