OUR FATHER'S BUSINESS



Preacher, Pastor Thadeus Flitter

Music — Kristen Hillmann

Adult & Teen Bible Study / Sunday School 9:05am

05/04 Examination/Confirmation 10am

05/05 Messengers

05/09 Ascension Service 6:30pm (Start of Thursday evening services)

05/12 Ascension Service 9am Sunday / Bible Study 10:15am in the commons

OFFICE ASSISTANT POSITION--SJSJ is still looking to fill our part-time Office Assistant position. 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, please contact Pastor Aden, Pastor Flitter, Gary Bernhardt or Amanda Schrubbe.

DIVINE CALL—Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Avery have returned the calls to serve as our principal & teacher for grades 6-8 and part -time call (75%) to teach grades 6-8 (Administrative Release) & Exceptional Learners. We pray that God will continue to bless Mr. & Mrs. Avery as they continue to shepherd God's lambs in Colorado.

DIVINE CALL—Pastor & Karla Aden received calls to serve at Our Savior Lutheran Church & School in Wausau. Please keep Pastor & Karla in your prayers as they deliberate this call. Feel free to reach out to them with words of encouragement.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY—We have an immediate opening for an individual who enjoys children and the school setting. This position runs from 6:30 AM to 12:45 PM every day. There is the possibility of sharing the position. Duties would include: supervising children, assisting children with drop off and morning routines, tidying the classroom, and assisting the afternoon caregiver with supervising lunch and preparing the room for naptime. Hourly pay starts at \$13.25 and increases based on education, past work experience, and the ability to take on additional responsibilities. Employees also receive paid time off based on their weekly hours. Please contact the school office or Karla Aden with any questions or to pick up an application.920-754-4432 aschrubbe@stjohnstjames.com or kaden@stjohnstjames.com.

MLC/MLHS—This fall Josh Aden will be attending MLC in New Ulm, MN. He plans on being Called Worker in our Synod. Next school year the cost of attending MLC will be \$30,095. We have established a Scholarship Fund to help fund his education. If the student's home congregation gives each student \$1,450, MLC will match it.

We will have 7 students at MLHS who would benefit from financial assistance. Tuition at MLHS is \$7400.

We are running this special offering from March $^{\rm 31st}$ to June $2^{\rm nd}$.

We have set a goal of \$2000 for the MLC Scholarship. We have set a goal of \$14,000 for the MLHS Scholarship.

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 can't cash checks made out to MLC or MLHS Scholarship Fund

MLC Scholarship, Goal, \$2000, Received \$1000, Still needed \$1000 MLHS Scholarship, Goal, \$14,000, Received \$1050, Still needed, \$12,950

BLUEJAY BULLETIN - All school families already receive the Bluejay Bulletin (school newsletter) emailed to them on a weekly basis. If any church members would like to stay informed of school events and receive our weekly Bluejay Bulletin in your inbox, please email Amanda Schrubbe at aschrubbe@stjohnstjames.com and let her know what email address to send it to. If you prefer a paper copy, they are available in the tract rack near the church office in the back of church or in the vestibule near entrance "A".

MEMORIAL RECEIVED—Bill & Marilyn Wunrow gave a memorial to the Building Fund in memory of Erwin Waack. Thank you!

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED—MLHS will have 15 international students this coming school year! Host Families are needed for the 2024-2025 school year. These students are coming from China and Spain. This is one-way MLHS carries out its mission in God's Kingdom. We have an international mission field right here in our own backyard! In order to carry out this mission, it is important to have host families who are willing to love, care for, and share their faith with these international students. The international students' families value the experience their children have in your homes and provide a substantial stipend to offset the costs of the experience with you. Are you interested in becoming a Host Family or learning more about the International Student Program at MLHS? If so, please contact Nathan King. Email: nking@mlhslancers.org / Phone: (920) 682-0215 x 420

EXAMINATION/CONFIRMATION—Saturday, May 4th at 10am here at St. John St. James the following 8th graders will be examined & confirmed in their faith; Hadley Bastian, Fredrick Busse II, Madeline Keil, Robert Krepline II, Zachary Prochnow, Tyler Ross, Adeline Schisel, Evelyn Schrubbe, Ryan Zimmerman, Christopher Zuberbier. We pray that God will continue to guide these young men & women on their confirmation day & always!

ASCENSION SERVICES—Ascension Services is on Thursday, May 9th at 6:30pm and Sunday, May 12th at 9am.

SUMMER SERVICE HOURS—Summer Worship Services will begin the week of May 9th(Thursday)/May 12th(Sunday). Thursday night services take place at 6:30pm and Sunday morning summer services take place at 9:00am in the sanctuary thru August.

BIBLE STUDY—Bible study will begin on Sunday, May 12th at 10:15am in the commons and continue each Sunday after for the next couple of months.



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Times of Worship: Sunday 8am & 10:15am ~ Adult Bible Study /Teen Bible Study /Sunday School 9:05am

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Wednesday Deadline

SCHOOL OFFICE INFORMATION: School Office Phone: 920-754-4432

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School Office Hours: 7:30am – 3:00pm M-F Scrip available for purchase during office hours.

Sunday, April 28, 2024

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK ■ 8:00am Ushers — Dan/Paula Bubolz, Gene Wagner, Eugene Rosera, Nathan Rosera, Jeff Doemel 10:15am Ushers—Glen Behnke, Roger Bubolz, Dan Bratz, Jim Bubolz, Alex Bubolz, James Kenneke Flower Committee—Suzanne Bubolz, Rebekah Bubolz ■ Church Cleaners 04/15-04/28—Sarah/Rick Zimmerman, Carissa Hillmann, Vicky Rolf 04/29-05/12 Shawn/Melissa Behnke, Sheri Lau ■ Communion Set-up/Take-down— Suzanne Bubolz, Amanda Schrubbe, Michaela Bubolz

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Ascension Service ■ Thursday, May 9 6:30pm Ushers—Andy/Rebekah Bubolz, Zac Bubolz, Joe Bubolz, Jon Winkel

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY— Thursday morning bible study has resumed. A wood-carved animal figurine. A chiseled stone statue. A golden goddess. Do you have an idol-worship area set up in your home? We would say "Definitely not! I don't bow down to idols!" But sometimes we do worship idols and make them our gods, not even realizing they are there. Our upcoming study will bring to light these idols that hide themselves so easily in our homes and hearts, and through God's guidance and power we'll get help to avoid worshiping these false gods. Join us this Thursday at 9 am; all levels of learners are welcome.

SJSJ CAMP OUTING—The annual church/school camp outing held at Devil's River Campground is being planned for July 12th-14th. If you would like a campsite for this year's SJSJ Camp Outing, please contact Karie Robley at 920-772-4959 or email her at robley@tds.net.

UPCOMING CELEBRATION—The school year opening service and the kickoff for the school's 150th Anniversary will be held on Sunday, August 18th. The children's games will be games that the children played in 1874. More details will follow. As part of the anniversary, the MLC Choir will present a concert in our church on Saturday evening, October 12th at 7pm. More details to follow.

SIGN INTERPRETER – Immanuel, Manitowoc, is seeking an individual to serve as a full or part-time sign interpreter. This individual will work with one of our 7th grade students throughout the school day. An Associates Degree in Sign Language, along with an EIPA certification, is preferred. Please call Principal David Wilson at 920-684-3404 or email him at **dwilson@ilutheran.org** if you or someone you know is interested in the position.

SEALING GYM FLOOR—We will be sealing the Gym floor this summer and cost estimates are ~\$3,600. If you would like to donate to this project please label your offerings "Gym Floor". Current amounts received for this project are \$1,455, amount still needed \$2,145. Thank you for your continued support of our financial needs.

NORTHWESTERN PUBLISHING HOUSE—From confirmation to Mother's Day to wedding celebrations, there are so many reasons to celebrate God's grace this spring. Northwestern Publishing House's Christ-centered books and gifts provide encouragement and guidance for you and your loved ones as you grow ever closer to your Savior, Jesus! Sign Up for NPH EXTRA—NPH EXTRA is a free program that lets you designate your church or school to receive 1 percent of the dollars you spend at NPH. Your purchases benefit you spiritually and help support how gospel ministry is carried out at your church or school! Learn more about this exciting program and sign up today at nph.net/extra.

Church Attendance

Sunday, 04/21 8:00am — 89 10:15am — 199 TOTAL — 288

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE				
4/21/24				
FUND	NEEDED WEEKLY	GIVEN THIS WEEK	WEEKLY Over/(Under)	FISCAL YTD Over/(Under)
General Fund	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 6,682.75	\$ (4,317.25)	\$ 6,237.09
Synod	\$ 538.00	\$ 192.00	\$ (346.00)	\$ (2,880.00)
MLHS	\$ 452.00	\$ 113.00	\$ (339.00)	\$ (2,359.00)
Building Fund	\$ 2,312.00	\$ 2,410.00	\$ 98.00	\$ 32,982.20

Building Fund Memorial — \$ 100 MLHS Scholarship Fund—\$ 850 MLC Scholarship Fund—\$ 950 Gym Floor—\$100 LYA—\$100