

OUR FATHER'S BUSINESS



Preacher, Pastor Darin Aden

Music — Charmaine Wagner

05/12 Bible Study 10:15am in the commons 05/13 Piano Recital in the sanctuary 6:00pm

05/15 School Office Closed (3K –4th No School; 5th-8th grade students at LLL Track Meet)

05/17 School Office Closed - No School

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.

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 ^{31st} to June 2nd.

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 \$1,875, Still needed \$75 MLHS Scholarship, Goal, \$14,000, Received \$3,245, Still needed, \$10,755

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".

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

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE—Our Summer Worship Schedule will begin this Thursday, May 9th & Sunday, May 12th. All Thursday evening services will be held @ 6:30pm. One service will be held on Sunday mornings @ 9:00am. All summer worship services will be held inside the sanctuary with the exception of August 18th (service will be held outside along with the Back-to-School Picnic). This summer schedule will continue through Labor Day weekend.

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.

BEFRIEND A MISSION—Our annual Befriend A Mission door collection will be taken on Thursday, May 16th, and Sunday, May 19th. Our assignments are Living Hope Ev. Lutheran Church -Chattanooga, TN, Pastor Eric Melso; Christ the Rock - Mission Being Established, Canton, GA, Pastor Cale Mead; Asia One Team, Eagan, MN, Pastor Wei Zhao. Addresses are listed in the May/ June Newsletter. Please pray for these missions, and if possible, send cards of encouragement. If anyone would like more information on each of these missions, please pick up an assignment sheet from the west office.

SYMPATHIES—Ruth Ann Prochnow, age 92, of Green Bay, formerly of Reedsville, passed away peacefully on Tuesday evening, April 30th. Our most sincere condolences to her brother-in-law Terry & Karen Prochnow of our congregation, and all other family members and close friends. Visitation and funeral services were held here at St. John St. James on Monday, May 6th, with Pastor Aden officiating.

DIVINE CALL—At our recent call meeting, our voters extended a one year call to Mrs. Kelly Loberger to teach grades 4-5. Mrs. Loberger is currently serving at First German Lutheran School in Manitowoc. Please keep Kelly and her family in your prayers as she deliberates what path God has planned for her future.

SCHOOL OFFICE CLOSED—The school office will be closed all day on Wednesday, May 15th and Friday, May 17th.

MEETING—Ladies Aid next meeting is scheduled for May 20th at 6:00pm in the commons. Ladies, let's have a recipe swap! Bring one of your favorite, simple-to-make snacks to share, along with the recipe.



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Times of Worship: Summer worship schedule—Thursday 6:30pm & Sunday 9am Bible Class 10:15am on Sundays

Send Bulletin Information to aschrubbe@stjohnstjames.com; jsheahan@stjohnstjames.com
Wednesday Deadline

SCHOOL OFFICE INFORMATION: School Office Phone: 920-754-4432 Rick Zimmerman, Principal Cell Phone: 608-350-6646

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

Scrip available for purchase during office hours.

Ascension Services Thursday, May 9 & Sunday, May 12, 2024

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK ■ Ascension Services Thursday, May 9 6:30pm Ushers—Andy/Rebekah Bubolz, Zac Bubolz, Joe Bubolz, Jon Winkel ■ Communion Set-up/Take-down—Pat/Arlie Olp, Mary Fenlon Ascension Service Sunday, May 12 9:00am Ushers—Dan Duchow, Jeff Herzog, Brad Busse, Jade Busse, Marshall Kirkpatrick Flower Committee—Ida May Krepline, Carol Bubolz ■ Church Cleaners 04/29-05/12 Shawn/Melissa Behnke, Sheri Lau 5/13-5/26 Terry/Karen Prochnow, Dale Barnard, Rod Bubolz ■ Communion Set-up/Take-down—Pat/Arlie Olp, Mary Fenlon

SERVING YOU NEXT WEEK ■ Thursday, May 16 6:30pm Ushers—Scott Bubolz, Brian/Susie Bubolz, Bill Voeltz Sunday, May 19 9:00am Ushers—Paul Kiekhaefer, John Brodtke, Jeremy Foytik, Delton Kasten, Nathan Kasten Flower Committee—Ida May Krepline, Carol Bubolz ■ Church Cleaners 04/29-05/12 Shawn/Melissa Behnke, Sheri Lau 5/13-5/26 Terry/Karen Prochnow, Dale Barnard, Rod Bubolz ■ Communion Set-up/Take-down— Pat/Arlie Olp, Mary Fenlon

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.

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.**

PIANO RECITAL—Please join us to listen and enjoy the piano recital of our St. John St. James students on Monday, May 13th at 6:00pm in church.

MISSION BOXES—The LWMS Mission Boxes are located at each entrance of the church. The offering given for April was \$61.27. The total amount given for October through April was \$313.27 and designated toward Tools for Outreach, which was submitted to the Shoreline Circuit at its Spring Rally in April. Thank you so much for your support.

MEMORIAL RECEIVED—Pastor Harlyn & Ellen Kuschel gave a memorial to the building fund in memory of Erwin Waack.

Church Attendance

Sunday, 05/05 8:00am — 115 10:15am — 70 TOTAL — 185

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE				
5/5/24 & Electronic Funds				
FUND	NEEDED WEEKLY	GIVEN THIS WEEK	WEEKLY Over/	FISCAL YTD Over/
General Fund	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 9,729.75	\$ (1,270.25)	\$ (1,119.41)
Synod	\$ 538.00	\$ 400.00	\$ (138.00)	\$ (3,416.00)
MLHS	\$ 452.00	\$ 571.00	\$ 119.00	\$ (2,531.00)
Building Fund	\$ 2,312.00	\$ 2,815.00	\$ 503.00	\$ 32,268.20