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### **St. John-St. James Lutheran School 150th Anniversary**

1. Kickoff Sunday, August 18, 2024 Schedule of events
2. 9:00 Students and parents bring the students school supplies to their classrooms
3. 10:00 Outdoor Worship Service
4. 11:15 Potluck meal in commons, food donations and signup will be coming soon
5. 12:00 Children games from 1874, gunny sack race, hoop race, 3 legged race, horseshoes and croquet. We invite everyone to participate or come and watch these games from 1874
6. Our anniversary memento is a Christmas ornament. It is a flat ceramic ornament that will not break very easily. It about 3" in diameter with a picture and writing on each side.
7. The cost will be \$10.00 apiece or 3 ornaments for \$25.00. We will start selling them at the Kickoff Sunday
8. We will also be selling 150th Anniversary T shirts, long sleeve T shirts and sweatshirts. The order form will be available soon.
9. We will also have postcards with all the anniversary events on them. Our members can give them to family members and friends who now live somewhere else.
10. We will also have an Anniversary Booklet which will be available on our big day which is March 2, 2025
11. We are asking members and former members to share their memories of SJSJ school to be put in the Anniversary booklet. If you didn't attend SJSJ school but had family members who did, we'd like to hear your stories also. You can email your story to Amanda at [aschrubbe@stjohnstjames.com](mailto:aschrubbe@stjohnstjames.com) or Dan at [dduchow@stjohnstjames.com](mailto:dduchow@stjohnstjames.com)
12. If you don't have email or can't type, submit a written copy to Amanda or Dan. We will type it up for you so it gets in the Anniversary Booklet
13. We have started a 150th Anniversary fund to pay for the expenses associated with the Anniversary. If you would like to contribute to this fund, mark your envelope "Anniversary Fund"

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