

St. Mary's Lutheran Church ELCA

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WE ARE HAPPY YOU ARE HERE IN WORSHIP!

This weekend is Holden Evening Prayer & Contemporary led worship services. For Contemporary worship, the bulletin includes song sheets or printed music for 4 of the songs. We hope that this will help those who are learning the songs and hopefully making it easier to join in the singing!

Special Congregational Meeting Sunday, June 1st, 2025

You are invited to attend St Mary's Lutheran Church's special congregational meeting on Sunday **June 1**st, **2025**, following the 9:00am worship service. Grab a cup of coffee, a piece of Kringle and come back to the sanctuary.

The purpose of the meeting is to vote on two Pastoral Calls. Full time Lead Pastor, the Rev. Dr. Jordan Miller-Stubbendick and Part-time Associate Pastor, Rev. Debbie Hartfield. A quorum of 66 people is required. Two separate votes will be taken by written ballot and will require a two-thirds majority.

Note: Due to the special congregational meeting there will not be a Saturday May 31st afternoon service. We will only have one service on Sunday, June 1st at 9am.



The calendar is getting close to School's Out! But, we are not done! There are still plenty of Youth Group & Sunday School gatherings! Check in with Kendra (Youth@stmaryslutheran.org) and

Joan (<u>KidMin@stmaryslutheran.org</u>) for changes in the May schedule and fun events you won't want to miss!

Including—SUNDAY, MAY 18TH is SS Game Day! No class—just lots of fun and games to kick off Summer Break! Starts at 9:00am!

Also on **SUNDAY**, **MAY 18TH**—St. Mary's sanctuary will be filled with special music AND the holy spirit! Mark your calendars and you do NOT want to miss this 9:00am Sunday morning service! It is Confirmation Sunday! Joining us in worship will be the St. Paul's Brass Ensemble, under

the leadership of John Whyte. St. Mary's own youth choir "A Chord with the Lord" will also sing!

JUNE 8TH AT 9:00AM— SENIOR SUNDAY in our sanctuary. St. Mary's will celebrate and recognize graduating seniors—please submit names of your graduates (can be any high school, college, masters or doctoral graduates) to the church office for including in that weekend's announcements! The youth choir will sing this service as well!

ST. MARY'S COUNCIL CONNECTIONS & YOU

Each month, St. Mary's schedules a Church Council member as the "Council Connection" where people can share ideas, questions, concerns or suggestions directly with someone in leadership. That person will confidentially speak with you and share that conversation at the next council



meeting. One such request that has been shared is that St. Mary's members **DO NOT** to wear heavily fragranced products when attending worship, i.e. aftershave, perfume/ colognes, scented lotions or hair products, as many people are sensitive and allergic. The Council Connection for May is Patricia Mason p.721-8065 or

godslittlesinger71@gmail.com. If you have anything to share, you can contact her directly. We thank you for your attention to this communication reminder.

Worship Attendance: Sat. 5/3: 33 & Sun. 5/4: 117

True North Vacation Bible School (VBS) is scheduled for mornings on Monday July 28—Thursday, 31st here at church!

St. Mary's Coordinator of Children's Ministry, with any questions and sign up online using this QR code!



The altar flowers are sponsored by Bob & Gue VanBendegom. The left side is in honor of mothers on Mother's Day. The right side arrangement is in celebration of the anniversary of our daughter & son-in -law. The centerpiece is honor of our 52nd wedding anniversary.

Please sponsor altar flowers by calling the church office. There are many options and flowers are available to take with you or can be delivered to someone in our faith community that might need their day brightened. 658-3555.



Dick Sjoerdsma is assembling special music ensembles & soloists for Summer Worship Services! Reach out to him if you

would like to share your musical gifts (vocal or instrumental): rsjoredsma@carthage.edu or call (262)883-4041.



Deadline for next grant applications is THIS THURSDAY, May 15th. All applications must be POSTMARKED by May 15th to be considered. For **ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION** guidelines and directions click HERE.

Scan this QR code to give your weekly or one-time offering easily and quickly! Thank you!



Electronics

Recycling—Open to the Public: Saturday, May 31st 9AM-Noon @ Lord of Life, 5601 Washington Road, Kenosha. **RAIN OR SHINE—recycle anything** with a PLUG! **B3 RECYCLING 920.246.7143**

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Sun. May 11th	Mon. 12 th	Tues. 13 th	Wed. 14 th	Thurs. 15 th	
9:00am Contemporary Led Worship (S) Immediately Following is Coffee Kringle Mingle in Fellowship Hall	9:00am- 3:00pm Office Open 9:00am Quilters (G) 12:30pm Lydia Circle (Lo) 2:00pm	9:00am-3:00pm Office Open 1:00pm GRIEF SHARE (Lo) 1:00pm Miriam Circle (Li) 6:00pm WMA Mtg. (Lo) 6:30pm BSA	7:00am Prayer Breakfast (Marina Garden)	9:00a-3:00p Office Open FRIDAY, 16 TH HAPPY BIRTHDAY WILLY! 9:00a-Noon Office Open	Sunday, 18th AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM SUNDAY (CONFIRMATION) 9:00am Traditional Worship (S) St. Paul's Brass Ensemble Join
9:00am Sunday School during worship 6:00pm Southport 12x12 (1W)	WELCA Board Mtg. (Lo) 6:30pm BSA #533 (D) 6:30pm FISH (YR)	Troop Mtg (D) MEETING	Noon-6:00pm Office Open 6:30pm Adult Choir Reh. (CR) 7:00pm Fusion (YR)	SATURDAY, 17 TH 4:00pm Traditional Worship w/Pr. Jordan Immediately Following is Coffee Kringle Mingle in Fellowship Hall	Us in Worship LAST SUNDAY FOR ADULT CHOIR! 9:00am SUNDAY SCHOOL GAME DAY! 1:30pm SA! Pickleball (G) 6:00pm Southport 12x12 (1W)