



# SAINT JOHN THIS WEEK



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## LEADING IN WORSHIP ON MAY 13 & 14, 2017

	<u>5:30 p.m.</u>	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>	<u>11:00 a.m.</u>
<b>Ushers</b>	Bob Hansen, Bill Taylor	Gary Woods Crew, Tye Nebel	Ross Jensen Crew
<b>Lectors</b>	Linda Fisher	Ryley Nebel	Ben Brougham
<b>Greeters</b>		Edie Goodwin, Marie Neal	Shelly Graham, Thomas Graham
<b>Acolytes</b>			Connie Brougham

**ALTAR FLOWERS** - In loving memory of my best friend, my mother Bette Hansen, given by Nancy & Tim Chew.

**PEOPLE WE HAVE BEEN PRAYING FOR:** Tracy Doebelin, Nancy Andersen, Leola Poppen, Kent Madison, Mary Gittins, Jenny Grap, Robin Jastorff, Larry Gittins, Susan Minchin, Heidi Taylor, Ed Ebersold, Lynn Bertelsen, Jack Freese, Glenn Tuttle, Eloise Hayes, Jean Vuagniaux, Faye Wiig, Sue Mize, Lynne Hannon

*\*Names will be kept on the Prayer List for 2 weeks unless the church office is notified otherwise.*

**SYMPATHY** to the families of ...

Arthur Hays, father of Russ Hays, who passed away on May 2.

Richard Needham, who passed away on May 8.

Delbert Rueschenberg, uncle of Larry Gittins, who passed away on May 9.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**—July 10-13, 5:00-8:00 pm. Please join us for VBS registration on May 14 and May 21 at 9:45 am in the Faith and Life Center. We will have computers available if you would like to register online or paper copies if you would prefer that. We will also have volunteer sign-ups for those of you who would like to help during VBS.

**CHILDREN'S HOUR** – Sunday, May 21 will be the last day of Children's Hour.

**SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE** beginning on weekend of May 27/28: Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and **Sunday at 9:30 a.m.**

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** – A “Congregational Meeting has been scheduled for Sunday, May 21 at 9:45 a.m. to vote on extending a letter of call to Lisa Johnson for the position of Children, Youth & Family Minister.

**CAPITAL APPEAL UPDATE – Wonderful News!**

So far \$653,984 of our \$750,000 goal has been pledged towards our “Rooted In Faith” capital appeal. If you have not yet made a pledge, please use a card from the pew or obtain a card from an usher or at the church office. To this amount \$45,000 can be added over the next three years from the Iva Heuwinkel bequest. Thanks be to God! I

**PARTNER OF THE MONTH** - For the month of May, Saint John will be partnering with the Western Iowa Synod, together with Global Health Ministries in collecting misc. medical supplies and equipment for use in Lutheran medical facilities in Tanzania. Our delegates will take donations to Synod Assembly on June 9th in Sioux City. Please place items in the labeled boxes at church. See the bulletin board for a list of things needed.

**GOOD TIME GROUP** -The Good Time Group will be meeting at the home of Barb & Gary Woods, 12 Westlake Village, on Saturday, May 20th at 7:00pm. They will provide the chicken, and ask that if your last name starts with A-N to please bring a side dish, hot or cold, If your last name starts with O-Z please bring a dessert. Water, iced tea, coffee, and soda will be available. Please RSVP either to 712-322-2288 or 402-651-6691 or in person at church.

**APPLICATIONS** for the **Alfred E. and Diane Welch Scholarship** for 2017-2018 will be accepted beginning April 15 and are due by May 15. Some specifics about this scholarship are: **1.** Any member of Saint John who has demonstrated an on-going involvement in the life and mission of the church and is attending a post-high school institution of learning is eligible. **2.** Student must have achieved a high school GPA of 3.0 or above. This scholarship of \$2,000.00 will be awarded each year, 1,000.00 per semester, made payable to the school. If you, or someone you know, are interested in applying for this scholarship, contact the church office or simply pick up an application.

**APPLICATIONS** for the **Joseph Kaltenborn Scholarship** for 2017-2018 will be accepted beginning April 15 and are due by May 15. Some specifics about this scholarship are: **1.** Any member of Saint John who has demonstrated an on-going involvement in the life

and mission of the church and is attending a post-high school institution of learning is eligible. **2.** Student must have achieved a high school GPA of 2.6 or above. **3.** Preference is given to students who have not previously received this scholarship, though, depending upon number of applicants, previous recipients may reapply. **4.** Scholarship amounts range from \$500 - \$1000. If you, or someone you know, are interested in applying for this scholarship, contact the church office or simply pick up an application.

**STEPHEN MINISTRIES** -Do you, a family member, or someone you know have a need or a care? If so, contact Pastor Benson (323-7173), Mary Lou Hansen (322-7248, Debbie Plugge (256-5310) or Alan Meilike (328-1671) and a Stephen Minister will be assigned to you. Please note that all communications are always **CONFIDENTIAL**.

**Last Week's Attendance:**

Saturday, May 6	5:30	45
Sunday, May 7	8:30	139
	11:00	<u>267</u>
	Total	451

**From the Finance Committee:**

Last week's offering was \$8410 or 106.46% of weekly budget.  
Year-to-date offering is \$148,194.89 or 98.73% of year to date budget.

**SAINT JOHN CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**SATURDAY, MAY 13**

- 1:00 p.m. Wedding – Kelsey Benson & Jacob Bang
- 5:30 p.m. Worship**

**SUNDAY, MAY 14 - Happy Mother's Day**

- 8:30 a.m. Worship**  
*Blessing of Graduates*
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 9:45 a.m. Confirmation Reception
- 11:00 a.m. Worship**
- 12:30 p.m. Sudanese Worship**

**MONDAY, MAY 15 – Caller Deadline**

- 6:00 p.m. Stephen Ministers Training

**TUESDAY, MAY 16**

- 9:00 a.m. Golden Oldies ChristCare
- 1:30 p.m. Prayer Shawl
- 4:30 p.m. Finance Committee
- 5:00 p.m. Executive Committee
- 6:00 p.m. Property Committee
- 6:30 p.m. Praise Team

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 17**

- 9:00 a.m. Adult Study
- 9:00 a.m. Sewing Group
- 6:30 p.m. Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. Bell Choir
- 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

**THURSDAY, MAY 18**

- 11:30 a.m. Life Group
- 11:30 a.m. Men's Club
- 6:00 p.m. Police Memorial Service
- 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministers Meeting

**SATURDAY, MAY 20**

- 5:30 p.m. Worship with Communion**
- 7:00 p.m. Good Time Group

**SUNDAY, MAY 21**

- 8:30 a.m. Worship with Communion**
- 9:45 a.m. Last Day of Sunday School
- 9:45 a.m. Special Congregational Meeting**
- 11:00 a.m. Worship with Communion**
- 12:30 p.m. Sudanese Worship**

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<b>Ushers</b>	Bob Hansen, Bill Taylor	Gary Woods Crew	Ross Jensen Crew
<b>Lectors</b>	Sue Mize	Phyllis Damgaard	Kristine Docken
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Katie Comley, Becky Taylor	Phyllis & Mike Damgaard	Marlys & Paul Lien
<b>Greeters</b>	Katie Comley	Edie Goodwin, Marie Neal	Lois Biggs
<b>Acolytes</b>		Ryley Nebel, Tye Nebel	

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:** Acts 17:22-31; 1 Peter 3:13-22; 1 Peter 3:13-22

**ALL "LOOSE OFFERING"** on the first weekend of each month will be added to Pastor Jon's discretionary fund.

**NAME TAG SUNDAY** - Name Tags are available on the first Sunday of each month to help worshipers meet and greet one another. Names can be difficult to remember and name tags help us learn names and invite us to get to know one another.

**SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE** – Beginning on Sunday, May 28 there will be one service at 9:30 a.m.

#### **FIRST WEEKEND OF EACH MONTH:**

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**Volunteer and Spiritual Life Tea-** *"Never doubt that a small group of committed people can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has."* – Margaret Mead. We are proud of our Volunteers, Sponsoring Congregations, Pastors and Secretaries. We want to say thank you to you. Whether you've served as a Key Lady; led worship; helped out with Bingo, a Birthday Party or the Auxiliary; baked a pie, cake or have helped out at the Ice Cream Social; whether you've contributed or helped at the Salad Luncheon; whether you have provided volunteer time visiting Residents and Tenants or helping with an Activity or anything else; we want to recognize and thank you. Invitations will be sent out so please join us as we recognize our volunteers on **Sunday, April 30th at 2:00 p.m. at Bethany Lutheran Home, 7 Elliott Street.** Join us for an afternoon of fun, fellowship and entertainment as we say thank you for what you have done for Bethany Lutheran Home and Bethany Heights. We look forward to seeing you on April 30th.

**Auxiliary Meeting and Bake Sale** -Please note that the April meeting of the Bethany Auxiliary will be held on **April 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.** This will be the quarterly meeting and bake sale. This year the bake sale will be held at both Bethany Lutheran Home and Bethany Heights. Individuals are encouraged to donate baked good items for the sale. (Items packaged in smaller quantities are always appreciated by the Residents and Tenants). *Please do not price your items.* Thank you for your support of this fundraiser. Supplemental funds are being provided by Thrivent Financial Pottawattamie County Chapter.

**Bethany Heights Apartments Available-** Bethany Heights currently has multiple one bedroom apartment selections available for seniors. Come experience the companionship and devoted care Bethany has to offer! Please contact Paula Fandry for inquiries or to schedule a tour at 712-328-8228.

**Employment Opportunities at Bethany-** We encourage you to check out our available positions on our website at [www.bethanylutheranhome.org](http://www.bethanylutheranhome.org). For further information, please contact Brenda Hennigs at 712-328-9500.

**General Store Donations Needed!**- The residents at Bethany Lutheran Home greatly have been enjoying

shopping for free items at the General Store. However, the General Store supply is running low and in need of your donations. For a listing of items that are needed to restock the General Store, please call Kaily Stanley at 712-328-9500. Thank you all for your support!

**ALTAR FLOWERS** – If you would like to provide altar flowers in memory of, or in honor of someone, please call the church office, 323-7173.

*All weekends in **January and February** are still open.*  
Altar flowers (set of 2) are \$25.68 and Chancel flowers (1) are \$21.40

**PRAISE TEAM** – Do you play an instrument and/or love to sing? The Praise Team now practices every Thursday night at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome, come join us. You don't have to commit to singing every week. We are going to have 5-6 singers commit to each weekend and rotate singers.

**STEPHEN MINISTRIES** - Do you, a family member, or someone you know have a need or a care? If so, contact Pastor Benson (323-7173), Mary Lou Hansen (322-7248, Debbie Plugge (256-5310) or Alan Meilike (328-1671) and a Stephen Minister will be assigned to you. Please note that all communications are always CONFIDENTIAL.

**BETHANY ANNUAL MEETING-** The Annual Meeting of Bethany Lutheran Home will be held on Sunday, January 8, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. in the Skyrise Dining Room (Upper Dining Room) at Bethany, 7 Elliott Street. All Sponsoring Congregation Delegates are encouraged to attend. Visitors are also welcome. The meeting will include various department reports, financial report and election of Board Members for 2017. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Brenda Hennigs at Bethany Lutheran Home 712-328-9500. ***In the event of inclement weather or our need to postpone the meeting due to flu, please contact Bethany at 712-328-9500 and/or tune to your local television station if appropriate, before heading to Bethany.***

**CHURCH PHOTOS** - The 125 anniversary committee is in the process of planning activities for all of 2016 as we celebrate this significant anniversary. We would like to use any pictures of the previous church that you might have. We will scan and return them to you. Please drop pictures off in the office or give them to Patricia on the weekend. Thanks so much.

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**GIFT** – Growing in Faith Together – Wednesdays, 5:30-6:00 p.m. GIFT is designed to equip homes and families with various faith practices, teach Bible stories, and create community. Hands-on activities are geared towards birth- 8 years old, though all ages are invited to be a part of this learning together. Dinner at church following GIFT is a wonderful way to finish your day together.

**BLOOMER SCHOOL** - If you're interested in becoming part of the bridge between Saint John and Bloomer Elementary school please contact Annie Vorthmann for more information. Call or text 816-646-9431 or email at [avorthmann@cbcsd.org](mailto:avorthmann@cbcsd.org). The Bloomer/Saint John neighborhood kids need you!

**REMEMBER THE HUNGRY** – Food is needed for the pantry. Please place your food donations in the grocery cart in the Welcome Center.

**READ THE BIBLE IN ONE YEAR** – With this Bible Reading Schedule you can start reading today and finish the entire Bible a year from now. Look on the table in the Narthex or the rack by the office door for your copy.

**PRAYER CHAIN** – If you want to submit a name for the Saint John Prayer Chain please call the church office any time on Monday or by 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, if possible.

**ALTAR FLOWER DELIVERY** – Help is needed to deliver altar flowers in January and February to our members who are homebound, in a nursing home or a hospital. Flowers can be picked up following the 11:00 service or on Mondays. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board by the office.

**PERSONAL AMPLIFIERS** are available in the Narthex. Ask an usher for assistance if needed.

**SAINT JOHN WARMLINE 328-8898** – A daily recorded message of encouragement. Have **YOU** called it lately?

**CARE NOTES** - If you or a loved one is having difficulties, please stop by the Care Notes display in the Welcome Center.

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**ALTAR GUILD** is in need of a few new members. We are looking for women, men and couples who would enjoy serving God in this manner. Altar Guild is responsible for preparing the altar area for all services. We are divided into teams with 3 people on each team. Each team is responsible for one week a month. Usually the week-end services are our only work for the week but there are some exceptions. Please call the church office at 712-323-7173 or Altar Guild president, Mary Lou Burke at 712-322-003 if interested or you may have questions but might be interested

## **CHILDREN IN WORSHIP & RESOURCES AVAILABLE**

Children are most welcome to participate in the worship service. We do recognize that sitting for a long period of time can be difficult for young children, thus we have lots available for both children and parents. Blessing bags with books and coloring items can be found in the narthex by the entrance doors. Children's Hour is offered during the 8:30 service where following the children's sermon Miss Judith will lead them in activities and learning in the Noah's Ark Room (nursery). The nursery is also staffed and available for babies and toddlers. If a child needs some space to move but parents want to still be part of the service, televisions show the service in the Welcome Center.

**CHANCEL CHOIR** - Do you like to sing? Are you looking for a way to be involved in Saint John Lutheran? Everyone is welcome to join this fun and inviting worship experience. Please email Eric Wyler for more information! ([wylere.eric@gmail.com](mailto:wylere.eric@gmail.com))

**JUICE CANS NEEDED:** Please bring your empty 64 oz. juice cans to church for the Altar Guild. They are needed to transport altar flowers to homebound or hospitalized members.

**CHILDREN IN WORSHIP** – Children are always welcome in worship and Saint John. We encourage children and families to sit near the front so the kids can see better and actively participate in the service. Blessing Bags are available in the narthex for their learning enjoyment. Children's Hour is also available at the 8:30 service with Judith Devereaux and 11:00 with Kaylen Anderson in the Noah's Ark Room (nursery).

**OFFERING ENVELOPES** – If you don't use your personalized offering envelope, please write your envelope number on the envelope you are using to ensure proper credit to your account.

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**INKJET PRINTER CARTRIDGE RECYCLING** – Empty inkjet cartridges can be recycled and remanufactured. Look for the recycle box under the table by the office.

**PRAISE TEAM** – Do you play an instrument and/or love to sing? The Praise Team practices every Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. Please come join us. Everyone is welcome.

**REMEMBER THE FOOD PANTRY**– Please consider donating to the Food Pantry. You can place your donations in the shopping cart in the entry hallway.

**ADULT PRAISE TEAM** – For those who are high school or older who love to sing Contemporary Christian music. This group will lead the Contemporary Service once a month on the second Sunday. We need singers, guitar, bass guitar and keyboard players, and drummers. We practice the Thursday before the Contemporary Service weekend from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

**THE SCRIP PROGRAM** is proving to be a winner. After just two months of buying SCRIP the congregation has realized \$2000.00. While the holiday buying season is over, we can still realize a healthy monthly profit if we continue to buy grocery, home improvement and other cards as needed. Most cards result in a 3% or better profit for Saint John. If you haven't participated join us in the New Year by using SCRIP and help to purchase the convection oven for our new kitchen. Scrip will be for sale after the Sat. 5:30 service and after the 8:30 and 11:00 Sunday morning services. Look for us in the Narthex.

**THRIVENT MEMBERS:** To direct your designated choice dollars, go to [www.Thrivent.com/choicedollars](http://www.Thrivent.com/choicedollars), or call 800-847-4836 and state "Thrivent Choice."

**CONSIDER ELECTRONIC GIVING** - Saint John thanks those individuals and families that support the church throughout the year with their time, talent and financial contributions. We also extend a warm welcome to many new and returning congregation members and hope that you, too, will be generous with your time and contributions in support of our work here at Saint John. To assist everyone in making the consistent offerings that are so important to Saint John, we ask you to consider making automatic, electronic donations. Please contact the church office for more details.

**INVITE SOMEONE TO WORSHIP WITH YOU** – All of us know someone who needs the Lord and a place to worship and serve. In your circle of influence, be an influence for Jesus Christ. Your invitation will make a difference in that person's life!

**ELECTRONIC GIVING** – Would you find it helpful to have your offerings debited directly from your bank account as you probably do with other obligations? Saint John offers electronic giving for those of you who wish to have your contributions transferred electronically to the church's account. If you travel, this is particularly helpful in keeping up with your intended offerings. One simple easy-to-use authorization form can begin or change your electronic contribution amount. Call the church office for more details.

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**TO ALL WHO ASSIST WITH WORSHIP SERVICES:** Thank you for serving the Lord and His people as they worship!

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**AUTOMATIC GIVING** - We want to remind you that we offer electronic giving as a way to automate your offerings. Electronic giving offers convenience for individual congregation members and provides much-needed donation consistency for our congregation. For more information and the authorization form please contact the church office, 712-323-7173.

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Blankets (twin to full size preferred)  
Bed sheets (twin to full size preferred)  
Pillowcases  
Towels & washcloths  
Crutches, Walkers, Canes, Wheelchairs  
Dressings (BandAids, gauze, Kerlix)  
Gloves (household & examination)  
Soap, regular size bar  
Personal protective equipment—gloves, face shields, eye protection  
Examination gloves, especially sizes M & L  
Surgical gloves, especially sizes 6.5- 8.0  
Syringes, especially sizes 5 and 10 ml  
Auto-disable syringes with needles  
Sutures, especially sizes 0-3 and 4-6

Dressings & gauze IV catheters & administration sets  
Surgical blades and handles  
Surgical sponges  
Surgical instruments  
Surgical masks and caps  
Surgical gowns, scrubs, drapes - cloth only  
Ultrasonic gel, lubricating jelly  
Disinfectant sponges & swabs  
Twin or hospital-size bed sheets, flat & fitted  
Dental surgery instruments—forceps, elevators  
Dental palliative materials—IRM, etc.

Also -

\* Newborn kits

\* Hospice kits

(\* Call the church office for details.)