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Worship: Saturday at 5:30pm ~ Sunday at 8:30am & 11:00am

Senior Pastor: Rev. E. Jon Benson ([JonBenson@SaintJohnELCA.org](mailto:JonBenson@SaintJohnELCA.org))

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**LEADING IN WORSHIP ON NOVEMBER 30, & DECEMBER 1, 2024**

7:00 p.m.

Linda Hahn

8:30 a.m.

David Craighill

11:00 a.m.

Marlys Lien

Lectors

Communion Assistants

Acolytes

Jordyn S., Nathan S.

Angela N., Zoey C.

Marlys

Micah P.

Attendance last week

49

106

68

Online - 42

**PEOPLE WE HAVE BEEN PRAYING FOR:**

Arlene Walch, Dawn Heininger, Jon Peterson, Mel Satnan, Traci Wilken, Nathan Strenge, Stephany Sanborn, Tim Wegner, Bonnie Kral, Cog Anderson, Jeanne Blunk, Doni Gregory, Dave Baker, Pat Knudsen, Beth Lucy, Wade Kalskett

**A BIG THANK YOU TO**

\* Those who helped with the Pie Social.

**GIFT TAGS FOR NEW VISIONS 'GIVE HOPE' –**

Bring a new, unwrapped gift for New Vision's gift give-a-way! \*NOTE: New Visions deadline is SUNDAY, December 1!

**POINSETTIA ORDERS** – Are being taken now through December 8. You can find a dedication form on the welcome table with the bulletins.

**Please come and participate in the creation of our St. John's Tribute Tree and Rock Garden!**

Ornament materials will be available in the FLC between services today! You can make an ornament to show your favorite memory, photo, or message of gratefulness. (*Bring photos for the tree to share the memories of loved ones*). We will also create a Memorial Rock Garden where the name of a loved one can be written on a rock to share with others.

**PLAYERS** – Will meet on Thursday, December 5 at 5:00pm at Tish's. Hosted by Elaine von Gillern and Cookie Johnson. Contact one of them if you would like to join the Players on the 5<sup>th</sup>!

**GOOD TIME GROUP** – Will meet here at Church in the FLC on Friday, December 13 at 6:30pm.

A - H please bring an Appetizer

J – Z please bring a Dessert.

Also, bring your favorite beverage.

RSVP to Becky Henkel.

**MISSING BOWTIE** – We have a member who left behind a child's brown bowtie on top of a hymnal a couple of weeks ago. This is a family piece worn by generations of men in their family, and they would really like it back. If you have seen it, please let us know.

**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.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY** – Will meet at 6:00pm during Advent

**WEDNESDAY ADVENT SERVICES: 7:00pm**

December 4, 11, and 18

**CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES**

3:30pm, 5:30pm & 10:30pm

**OFFICE CLOSED** – The office will be closed for Christmas on December 25 - 27. and closed on January 1.