

**ST. JOHN'S
MISSION
STATEMENT**

As a family united in faith through the Holy Scriptures, we exist to give praise, honor and glory to the Triune God, to nurture and train the family of believers through God's Word and to reach out to the changing world with a changeless Christ.

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Music Information for the Area Reformation Service

Area Reformation Service
October 28
3:00 p.m.

Reformation Choir

Singers needed:

Rehearsals:
Thursdays, October 4, 11, 25 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 28 2:00 p.m.

Contact Amy Bohme at 651.212.3964

Laudamus Ensemble

Instrumentalists Needed

Rehearsals:
Thursdays, October 4, 11, 25 6:30 p.m.
Sunday, October 28 2:00 p.m.

Contact Annie Jonas at 651.347.9103

LWMS Fall Rally

LWMS Fall Rally
October 25
1:00 p.m.

Lutheran Women's Missionary Society's Fall Rally

Thurs., October 25th
Our Savior's in Kasson.

12:30 pm-Registration
1:00 p.m.-Rally Begins

The speaker is John Wiederhold, a retired International Volunteer Coordinator for WELS Kingdom Workers.

Mission offerings are due by October 1st.

Please send to the circuit treasurer: Mary Ann Henderson at 46175 190th Ave Way, Zumbrota, MN 55992.



Wise Penny Thrift Store Annual Meeting

Wise Penny Annual Meeting
October 14
1:00 p.m.

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October 14, 1:00 p.m.
St. John's, Red Wing
Speaker: Tessa Pierson

Refreshments will be served after the meeting. Our churches and schools get generous gifts from Wise Penny.

Let's show some great support and find out how the new store is doing.

Notes from the Ladies Guild

Pastor Lucht opened the fall Ladies Guild meeting with devotion on feasting. A new volunteer was needed to handle the Campbell soup coupons and Lois Plitzuweit has agreed to do it.

Altar Guild is looking for another volunteer to replace someone who decided to quit because

of health reasons. If you are interested, contact Darcy Gunhus.

It was brought up that volunteers are being sought for Kid's Count lunch program. It is on the second Friday of each month and food needed for 15 kids. The only change is now the food needs to be something that doesn't need

to be cooked--cheese and crackers, fruit, juice, dessert. If you are interested, talk to Janet Gehlhar.

Pastor Lucht stated that we are hosting the area Reformation service this year on October 28 and the Guild will be in charge of refreshments.

Darcy Gunhus
Ladies Guild, president

Pastor's Report—July 2012

SUNDAY CHURCH ATTENDANCE:				1,297
AVERAGE FOR THE MONTH:				260 (-33 June '12, -16 July 11)
COMMUNION ATTENDANCE:				428 (+45 June '12, +13 July '11)
BIBLE CLASS ATTENDANCE:				172
MEMBERSHIP:	6/30/12	BAPTIZED:	856	COMMUNICANT: 676
MEMBERSHIP:	7/31/12	BAPTIZED:	857	COMMUNICANT: 677

BURIALS

NAME	DATE DIED	DATE BURIED
Cushing, Phyllis	June 27, 2012	July 2, 2012
Strusz, Irene	July 14, 2012	July 19, 2012

TRANSFERS

NAME	DATE	IN/OUT
Steffenhagen, Pam	July 5, 2012	IN from St. John's, Hastings, MN
Thorne, Everend & Virginia	July 5, 2012	IN from Grace, Glendale, AZ

Gifts & Memorials

CHAPEL OF THE AIR FUND

In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Family & Friends	\$	120.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Judy Thumann	\$	20.00

COMPUTER FUND

Special Gifts	\$	325.00
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ENDOWMENT FUND

Special Gift	\$	25.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Wayne & Bonnie Dicke	\$	25.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Family & Friends	\$	90.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Lowell & Carol Gran	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Jim & Audrey Horn	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Harold & Lora Henn	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by John & Doris Kohrs	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Jack & Darlene Tomhave	\$	20.00

GENERAL FUND

Thrivent Choice Dollars given by the following.....	\$	833.00
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(Marlene Dankers, Patricia Dicke, Harold Henn, James Horn, Rebecca Mitchener, Carol Olson, Elswin Amyx, Wanda Amyx, Donald Bruemmer, Jean Bruemmer, Richard Callstrom, Bonnie Dicke, Todd Dicke, Wayne Dicke, Glen Diercks, Clarence Glander, Marilyn Glander, Donald Heins, Nathalie Kohn, Kenneth McClellan, Dorene Pearson, Edna Rundquist, Sherrie Rundquist, Bernice Schwartau, John Schwartau)

In memory of Irene Strusz given by Family & Friends	\$	20.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Family & Friends	\$	600.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Sharon Krie	\$	20.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by John & Bernice Schwartau	\$	20.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Donald & Ina Dammann	\$	20.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by David & Arlis Meincke	\$	20.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Julie Von Barga	\$	15.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Lori Schlichting	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Clarence & Marilyn Glander	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Marie Tipcke	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Marlys Alms	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Lois Kask	\$	5.00

IMPROVEMENT FUND

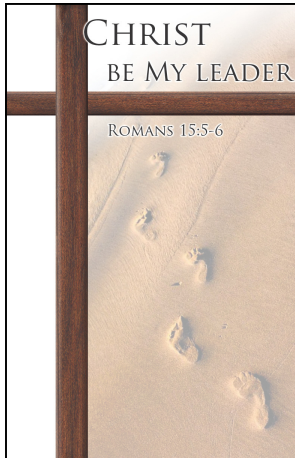
Special gift	\$	300.00
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ORGAN FUND

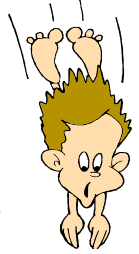
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Family & Friends	\$	10.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Family & Friends	\$	20.00
In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Joyce Burkel	\$	5.00

SCHOOL FUND

In memory of Gladys Siewert given by Family & Friends	\$	170.00
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St. John's School News



WELCOME! WELCOME! One and All!

May God Bless Our Work as We Plunge Into a New School Year!

September 4 began with an exhilarating chapel service based on our theme for this year—*Christ Be My Leader*. Then everyone got down to business. There were friends to greet, questions to be answered, and studies to begin.

The close of the first week brought a fun, fabulous time at the potluck supper! Our families joined for good food and fellowship. The kids enjoyed the Pine Valley Park. Thank you to the Kevin Smith family for again inviting our school families to this welcoming event!

Go Tigers! ★

Now We Are Ready to DIVE Into the Adventures This Year Holds!

Our Tigers have been involved in fall sports. Volleyball has always been on our list, but this year our Athletic Director, Mr. Justin Hansen, added soccer too!

Our soccer team practices on their own and then joins with Lake City for games.

Our teams are sometime the winners, sometime the losers, but these outdoor games are

always fun! Our final week's schedule of games follows:

Tuesday, September 25

Soccer Game

Home vs. Winona

4:30 PM

Thursday, September 27

Volleyball Game at

Christ Zumbrota

3:15 PM

Friday, September 28

Soccer Game at

Resurrection Rochester

3 PM

Friday, September 28

Volleyball Tournament at

St. John's Goodhue

3 PM

Come, cheer! Bring a jacket!

It does get **WINDY!**



*Students from Mrs. Denise Steffenhagen's Kindergarten class toured Struss Optical as part of their study of **SIGHT***

The School Year Has Just Begun and We Have Already...

...celebrated Christian Education Week through various activities and song. Our special CEW services will be Sunday, September 23.

...had a visit from Mr. Jeff Lemke and students of St. Croix Lutheran High School to invite us to their homecoming activities.

... began organizing BoxTops for Education to be mailed in. Bring yours in soon!

...received a thank you note from WELS Kingdom Workers for the \$604 we collected in mission money last school year. It went to their *Faith in Action* program.

Many Thanks

Thank you to the Wise Penny for the continual support they give to our *God's Children Fund*. We recently received \$500 from the board.

Shop Wise Penny frequent-

ly! Their inventory changes every day as they receive donations from our community.

Thank you, Robert Pearson and Lavonne Frazier, for your continued support through Thrivent Choice Dollars.

Scrip Program

Scrip is ordering gift cards for purchasing items at the merchants listed. We receive a percentage of each card sold. We have just a sampling of merchants on our order forms, which are available on the table in the back of church or in the school office. Check out the Great Lakes Scrip Center website to view all participating merchants. If you see a merchant you would like to patronize, write in the name and amount on the bottom of our scrip form. Orders are placed Monday mornings and cards are delivered to church/school the following Monday.

A major THANK YOU to Margaret Hernlem and her family members for being our "go to" people in charge of scrip.

Econo Foods Receipts

Bring in year around. For every \$150,000 in receipts we receive \$1000.

Campbell's Product Labels

UPC labels from over 1200 Campbell's products are redeemed for FREE quality education equipment.

Our Family Labels

These labels are redeemed for cash.

BoxTops for Education

Bring in the *BoxTops for Education* seal that you will find on many products.

Target Take Charge of Education

Target donates 1% of Target Visa Card or Target Guest Card purchases made at their stores or online at target.com, and ½% of Target Visa

October Highlights

Sep 24-Oct 5

Terra Nova Testing Grds 3-8

Oct 2 Soccer Day Grds 1-5

Oct 3 Soccer Day Grds 6-8

Oct 8 NO SCHOOL

Oct 15-16

Parent/Teacher Conferences
2:30-8 PM

Oct 18-19

NO SCHOOL

Oct 25 Power Hour

Parent Bible Study 4-5:30 PM

Oct 28 K-8 Sing 3 PM

Reformation Service

Oct 29 K-8 Picture Retakes

Little Blessing Picture Day

School Fundraisers

Thank You for
Your
Support!

Card purchases made elsewhere to schools designated. You must designate our school. Our Target ID # is 00929.

Kwik Trip Card

Check out their website to learn how to designate up to 5% of your gas car rewards to our school.

Kemp's Give 'Em Five or Kwik Trip's Milk Moola or Land O' Lakes Nickles

Save the participating milk tops.

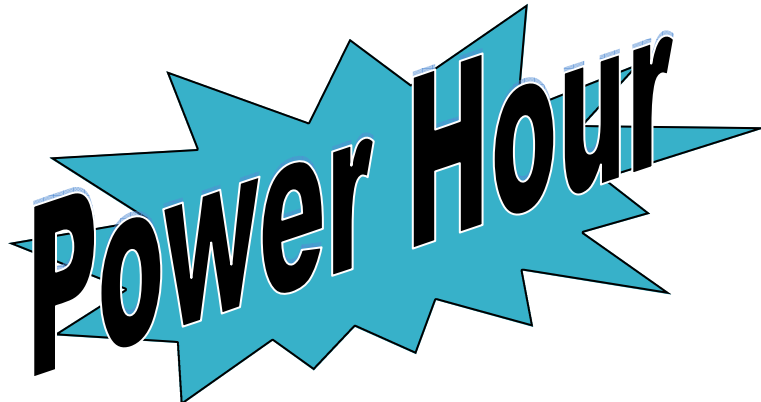
Thrivent Choice

Thrivent members are able to give through their Thrivent accounts. Check out the Thriven website for more information.

Ink Cartridges

We receive up to \$3 for each ink jet cartridge.

**Parents with children newborn - Kindergarten,
join us for**



Looking for some new ideas how you can help your young child learn and grow? Want to spend some time discussing parenting ideas with other Christian parents?

Bring your family for some fun and educational activities.

Each of the sessions will include time for families to do things together, as well as time for parents and children to separate and learn.

Time: 4-5:30 PM

Dates: Oct 25, Nov 15, Dec 13, Jan 24, Feb 21, Mar 21

Cost: \$20 per family (to defray materials costs)

Registration Deadline: October 17

To register, email either

Ben Bain (principalbain@stjohnsredwing.org) or

Denise Steffenhagen (mrssteffenhagen@stjohnsredwing.org)

Church Cleaning Groups


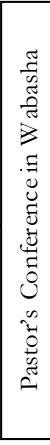


10/6/2012	10/13/2012	10/20/2012	10/27/2012	11/3/2012
Group #9	Group #10	Group #11	Group #12	Group #13
*Benidt-Grave, Sarah	*Henn, Lora	*Jonas, Annette	*Korsten, Mary	Lohmann Adams, Leah
*Grave, Gene	Bohme, Amy	*Jonas, Bradley	*Korsten, Niles	Lohmann, Lee
Buchholtz, Amy	Bohme, Shannon	Kiecker, Christopher	Gernentz, Andrea	Longendyke, Donna
Gadient, Braham	DeHaven, Carol	Kiecker, Ellie	Gernentz, April	Longendyke, Earl
Glander, Clarence	Gerken, Alice	Kiecker, Emma	Korsten, Kacie	Lounsbury, Delores
Glander, Marilyn	Gerken, Anthony	Kiecker, Janice	Korsten, Kim	Lounsbury, Donna
Goelzer, Linda	Gerken, Marc	Kiecker, Leonard	Krass, Carole	Lucht, Loren
Goelzer, Mark	Gilbertson, Darlene	Kiecker, Samantha	Krass, Dale	Lucht, Lynne
Goeman, John	Henn, Char	Kiecker, Stephanie	Krie, James	Matthees, John
Gran, Lowell	Hernlem, James Sr.	Kirchner, Kandace	Krie, Kim	Matthees, Sandy
Grave, Aaron	Hernlem, Margaret	Kirchner, Kayla	Krie, Kurt	McClellan, Jean
Grave, Alicia	Holst, Joan	Kirchner, Mark	Krie, Sharon	McClellan, Kenneth
Hadler, Corey	Jagusch, Paul	Kirchner, William	Leurquin, Charlotte	McDonough, Donna
Hadler, Katelyn	Jagusch, Pauline	Klatt, Kyle	Leurquin, Duane	McDonough, Paul
Hase, Helen	Johnson, Jessica	Klatt, Pam	Leurquin, Jack	Mitchener, Becky
Hatfield, Trevor	Johnson, Rhonda	Madsen, Beth	Leurquin, Jamie	Mitchener, Chelsey
Mauel, Katie	Johnson, Sean	Madsen, Derek	Prall, Kelsey	Mitchener, Lindsey
Quade, Jeremy	Kuehni, Ruth	Madsen, Keith	Thorne, Everend	Mitchener, William
Quade, Lori	Molnar, Ben		Thorne, Virginia	Mueller, Amanda
	Reese, Richard			Mueller, Michael
	Hernlem, James Jr.			Mueller, Pam
	Hernlem, Veronica			Mundale, Marion
				Mundale, Ron
				Schoengarth, Hunter



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October 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 7:00 pm Worship with Communion 7:00 pm LES Committee	2 8:00 am Moms' Bible Study 6:00 pm Bible Information Class	3 10:00 am Bible Study 3:30 pm Catechism Class 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	4 6:30 pm Laudamus Ensemble 7:00 pm Choir	5	6 8:00 am Cleaning Group #9  Lawn Mower - Taylor
7 8:00 am Worship 9:15 am Bible Study Sunday School 10:30 am Worship	8 NO SCHOOL 7:00 pm Worship  Pastor's Conference in Wabasha	9 8:00 am Moms' Bible Study 6:00 pm Bible Information Class 7:00 pm Ladies Guild	10 10:00 am Bible Study 3:30 pm Catechism Class 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	11 6:30 pm Laudamus Ensemble 7:00 pm Choir 7:00 pm Council Meeting	12	13 8:00 am Cleaning Group #10  Lawn Mower - Nelson
14 8:00 am Worship with Communion 9:15 am Bible Study Sunday School 10:30 am Worship with Communion 1:00 pm Wise Penny Annual Meeting -Fellowship Hall	15 7:00 pm Worship	16 8:00 am Moms' Bible Study 6:00 pm Bible Information Class	17 10:00 am Bible Study 3:30 pm Catechism Class 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	18 NO SCHOOL	19 NO SCHOOL	20 8:00 am Cleaning Group #11  Lawn Mower - Nelson

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
21 8:00 am Worship 9:15 am Bible Study Sunday School 10:30 am Worship	22 7:00 pm Worship	23 Reporter Articles Due 8:00 am Moms' Bible Study 4:30 pm Worship at the Cross (Lucht) 6:00 pm Bible Information Class	24 10:00 am Bible Study 3:30 pm Catechism Class 7:00 pm Voters' Meeting	25 12:30 pm LWMS Rally- Kasson 6:30 pm Laudamus Ensemble 7:00 pm Choir	26 Parent Transport Day--No PM Bussing 5:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal	27 8:00 am Cleaning Group #12 9:00 am Mailing Committee 4:00 pm Wedding
28 Reformation Observed 8:00 am Worship with Communion 9:15 am Bible Study Sunday School 10:30 am Worship with Communion 3:00 pm Area Reformation Service-RW Grades K-8 Sing	29 7:00 pm Worship with Communion	30 8:00 am Moms' Bible Study 4:00 pm Special Communion 6:00 pm Bible Information Class	31 10:00 am Bible Study 3:30 pm Catechism Class 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	1 Sneak Peek into November	2 Sneak Peek into November	3 8:00 am Cleaning Group #13
4 8:00 a.m. Worship 9:15 a.m. Bible Study Sunday School 10:30 am Worship	5 7:00 pm LES Committee 7:00 pm Worship	6 8:00 am Moms' Bible Study 6:00 pm Bible Information Class	7 10:00 am Bible Study 3:30 pm Catechism Class 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	8	9 NO SCHOOL	10 8:00 am Cleaning Group #14

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Service Requested**

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October 2012

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

(September through May)

WORSHIP: 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

MORNING BIBLE CLASSES: 9:15 a.m.

MONDAY EVENING WORSHIP: 7:00 p.m.

(Excluding Advent & Lent)

SUMMER HOURS

(June through August)

WORSHIP: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

BIBLE CLASS: 9:15 a.m.

MONDAY EVENING WORSHIP: 7:00 p.m.

ALL EVENING SERVICES during the year are at 7:00 p.m.

COMMUNION is served on the
SECOND and **LAST SUNDAYS** of the month.