



## St. John Lutheran Church

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PASTOR LARRY R. YAW

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10, 2025 9:00AM



*“For all the nations of the world seek after these things, and your Father knows that you need them. Instead, seek His kingdom, and these things will be added to you.”*

**St. Luke 12:30-31**

## WELCOME to the House of our Lord!

Rejoice, for the Lord comes to you here in this place to give you His gifts of forgiveness, life, and salvation through His precious means of grace — His Holy Word & Sacraments. We pray the Lord's richest blessings as you receive these Divine gifts. Please fill out the **Record of Fellowship Pad** located on the pew or scan the QR code below so we can note your presence.



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Record your attendance scan  
the QR Code with your phone

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Tithe online by scanning  
the QR Code with your phone



**If you're visiting with us today**, we're overjoyed that you're here. Please make your visit known to us by introducing yourself to the pastor and elders. After the service, please sign the guest book that is located in the narthex. We also have a gift for all first time visitors. The Lord be with us all in Divine Service today!

**TAKE EVERY  
ANXIETY  
AND GIVE  
THEM TO  
GOD.**

**AS WE GATHER...** Sometimes one simple word can have two meanings that are complete opposites. The word anxious is one of them. In English, it comes from the old Latin verb *angere*, "which means to "take hold of" or "to give pain." When Jesus says, "Do not be anxious," He is inviting us to let go of that which causes us pain and to trust in God's complete and loving care. And yet the flip side of "angere" describes a positive sense of eagerness. In the Advent hymn "Come, Thou Precious Ransom, Come" (*LSB 350*), we pray to our Savior: "Come, Thy beauty let us see; anxiously we wait for Thee" (*st. 1*). May our faithful worship reflect that hopeful kind of anxiety as we celebrate the presence of the Lord among us.

**~ THOSE SERVING US TODAY ~**

***Sunday 9:00 am***

**Pastor** Rev. Larry R. Yaw

**Organist** Kaleb Kohlmeyer

**Elder** Mike Stone

**Acolyte** Christopher Maroszek

**Ushers** Brad & Stacey Hibbard

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 10TH, 2025  
NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
DIVINE SERVICE SETTING FOUR



HYMN OF INVOCATION

*'Come, Thou Almighty King'*

Hymn #905

INVOCATION

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

Liturgy pg 203

INTROIT

Psalm 33:12-22

- P** *Blessèd is the nation whose God is the LORD,  
the people whom He has chosen as His heritage!*
- C** The LORD looks down from heaven; He sees all the children of man;
- P** *from where He sits enthroned He looks out on all the inhabitants  
of the earth,*
- C** He who fashions the hearts of them all & observes all their deeds.
- P** *The king is not saved by his great army;  
a warrior is not delivered by his great strength.*
- C** The war horse is a false hope for salvation,  
and by its great might it cannot rescue.
- P** *Behold, the eye of the LORD is on those who fear Him,  
on those who hope in His steadfast love,*
- C** that He may deliver their soul from death and  
keep them alive in famine.
- P** *Our soul waits for the LORD; He is our help and our shield.  
For our heart is glad in Him, because we trust in His holy name.*
- C** Let Your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us, even as we hope in You.
- A** *Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.*

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Liturgy pgs 204-205

✠ Kyrie

✠ Gloria in Excelsis

✠ Salutation

COLLECT OF THE DAY

- P** *Almighty and merciful God, it is by Your grace that we live as Your  
people who offer acceptable service. Grant that we may walk by faith,  
and not by sight, in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus  
Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy  
Spirit, one God, now and forever.*
- C** Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING



Genesis 15:1-6

**EPISTLE READING**

Hebrews 11:1-16

**ALLELUIA AND VERSE***Liturgy pg. 205***HOLY GOSPEL**

St. Luke 12:22-40

**NICENE CREED***Liturgy pg 206***SERMON HYMN***‘Have No Fear, Little Flock’***Hymn #735****SERMON****PRAYER OF THE CHURCH***Liturgy pg 206***OFFERING****SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT***Liturgy pgs 208-210*

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| ✠ Preface                | ✠ Lord’s Prayer         | ✠ Pax Domini |
| ✠ Sanctus                | ✠ The Words of Our Lord | ✠ Agnus Dei  |
| ✠ Prayer of Thanksgiving |                         |              |

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS***‘If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee’***Hymn #750***‘What Is the World to Me’***Hymn #730***‘O God, My Faithful God’***Hymn #696****CLOSING OF THE SERVICE***Liturgy pg 211-212*

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| ✠ Nunc Dimittis         | ✠ Benedicamus |
| ✠ Post-Communion Prayer | ✠ Benediction |

**CLOSING HYMN***‘Oh, That I Had a Thousand Voices’***Hymn #811****vs. 1 & 5**

**✠ *Soli Deo Gloria!* ✠**

**NOTE FOR THOSE DESIRING TO COMMUNE**

Our practice of close communion is the Biblical & Historic practice of the Christian church. It is prompted by love, both for God’s Word & for His people since it seeks to prevent spiritual damage to those who do not recognize the true body & blood of Christ in, with, & under the bread & wine in this Holy Supper (1 Cor. 11:29).

Furthermore, it does not deny that members of other denominations are Christians. Rather, it bows the knee to the Bible’s deep concern for doctrinal truth (Rom. 16:17) & the Bible’s witness that the Lord’s Supper is the highest expression of fellowship & doctrinal unity (Acts 2:42). For this reason, guests who are not a member of a sister LCMS church are asked to please speak with our pastor or an elder before communing.

If you’re not communing this morning, but still desire to come forward for a blessing; please indicate by crossing your arms over your chest so the pastor may give you a blessing.

# WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEK OF AUGUST 10TH

## WORSHIP FOR SHUT-INS & SENIORS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 19TH AT 11:00 AM

Join us at our worship service for seniors and shut-ins. The service is geared toward our seasoned members providing an opportunity to worship together in a smaller setting in which they can hear the Word of God and receive the blessed Sacrament. Following worship, we will provide a **FREE Luncheon meal** in the fellowship hall for all who attend. A time for visiting is always welcomed following the meal. The worship service and meal are open to all members who would like to visit with our shut-ins.



## I.T. HELP NEEDED:

We are looking for someone who is good with computers and technology to help us better utilize our computer set up, live streaming, social media, etc. If you have experience and are willing to help serve in this way, please contact the church office or Pastor Yaw.

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## DINNER AND A CONCERT

Saturday, November 15, 2025

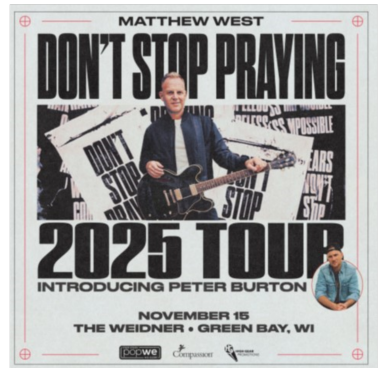
Dinner - Pizza Ranch (East Green Bay)

Concert - Matthew West (Weidner Center)

\$50 per Person

\*Only 20 Tickets Available\*

(See sign-up in Social Hall)



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## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR OUR ST. JOHN'S OKTOBERFEST

**A community event coming this fall.**

***Saturday, September 20th from 3-7pm***

Please join us for some food, fun and fellowship. It's open to the public so invite some friends. Lederhosen optional! Watch for further details coming soon.



**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE  
WHO HELPED MAKE THIS YEAR'S  
VBS ANOTHER SUCCESS FOR  
SHARING THE WORD OF GOD AND  
HIS LOVE FOR US ALL.**

**ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS  
& PARENTS OF COLLEGE STUDENTS**

If you have a child who is in heading off to or returning to college for the 2025-2026 school year, please let us know in the church office so we don't think they are just skipping church.



We also hope to be able to connect them with a local Lutheran pastor / congregation so they can receive God's gifts while away from their home church. We also would like to know their email & snail mail addresses, as we desire to send them a care package and a letter of support and encouragement. Pastor Yaw is also hoping to make a college visit with as many of our WI students as possible at some point during the school year.

**USE SCRIP CARDS FOR ALL YOUR BACK TO SCHOOL NEEDS!  
REMEMBER TO PLACE YOUR SCRIP ORDERS**



Whether you use the gift cards for your own shopping or give the cards as gifts, you can help out our youth in the process. A percentage of each card purchased comes back to the church. The best part of all—it cost those participating absolutely nothing!! See Jean Kohlmeyer to see what cards she currently has on hand or if you or if you have any questions. Order forms are available upon request.

**Please check out the Bulletin Board for information about other upcoming events at area churches and the surrounding communities.**







## **BACKPACK & SCHOOL STAFF BLESSINGS**

August is here! For many families that means school is just around the corner! Shopping for school supplies, books, and fall clothes becomes a part of everyone's schedule. Here at St. John, on **Sunday, August 24th**, we want to celebrate and bless the beginning of another school year.

Students, preschool through adult, bring your backpacks or lunch boxes to **worship at 9:00am**. The service will lift up children and students of all ages, asking God to let His glory rest upon all as we begin a new school year.

Teachers, aides, principals, administrators, secretaries, cooks, librarians, janitors, board members, and bus drivers...come to church to be blessed, affirmed in your vocation, and encouraged as you serve children and families in your daily work!

All children will receive a special gift to place on their backpacks for the school year. Do you know a child in need of school supplies or a backpack? Reach out to the church as we have a limited number of backpacks available.

**DON'T FORGET YOUR BACKPACK!!**

**Join us for this Celebration Sunday, August 24th!**

### **Prayer for School Staff**

Lord,

Bless our teachers and school staff.

Thank you for calling them to work with our children.

Give them a spirit of grace and compassion always.

Bless them with strength and endurance

to perform their many tasks,

and may they know and feel the deep gratitude

of those whom they teach.