

**SATURDAY & SUNDAY JANUARY 05 & 06, 2019**

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**THE MISSION OF ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**



Through Jesus Christ, we  
Proclaim God's Word,  
Encourage one another in faith,  
Witness to God's love and  
Serve all people.



**To sponsor a radio broadcast**, contact Ellen Petersen at 433-6626 or 440-8070. The cost is \$142.00.

If you would like to sponsor a month of St. John's weekly church services over the internet/**Live Streaming** (\$109 a month).

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**WE ARE CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER THIS WEEKEND.** THE LORD'S SUPPER IS THE HIGHEST AND MOST HOLY PART OF OUR WORSHIP SERVICE. IT IS A SACRED MEAL GIVEN TO US BY JESUS WITH IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR ITS ENJOYMENT. A BROCHURE CAN BE FOUND IN EVERY HYMNAL. IT WILL EXPLAIN OUR UNDERSTANDING, TEACHING, AND PRACTICE OF THIS SACRED AND HOLY SUPPER. **GUESTS WHO WISH TO COMMUNE WITH US SHOULD READ THE BROCHURE AND THEN PLEASE SPEAK WITH THE PASTOR.** COMMUNION REGISTRATION IS ON THE ATTENDANCE SHEET TO BE FILLED IN DURING THE "OFFERING AND RITE OF CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP" TIME. FOR THOSE WITH SENSITIVITIES TO ALCOHOL, NON-ALCOHOL WINE IS OFFERED FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER. IF YOU DESIRE TO PARTAKE OF THIS, PLEASE CHOOSE THE LIGHT COLORED CUPS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE COMMUNION TRAY. ALSO, IF YOU NEED A GLUTEN-FREE WAFER, PLEASE CONTACT AN USHER, THE PASTOR, OR AN ELDER BEFORE THE SERVICE SO ONE CAN BE AVAILABLE.

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## THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S

Sunday 01/06	Worship service	9:00 am
	Prayer Ministry	10:00 am
	Fellowship time	10:00 am
	Education Hour	10:15 am
	Youth & Family	11:30 a.m.
Monday	Bible Study	9:30 pm
	Elders meeting	5:30 9m
	Stewardship mtg	6:30 pm
Tuesday	FROGS (men)	9:00 am
	Women's Bible Study	1:00 pm
	Handbell rehearsal	5:30 pm
	Church Council	7:00 pm
Wednesday	Seeker/Teaching service	4:30 pm
	CASE	4:30 pm
	Confirmation	5:30 pm
	Choir Practice	6:30 pm
Thursday	Bd of Evangelism	9:00 am
	Crossways	10:00 am
	Men's Bible study	5:00 pm
	Grey Matters	7:00 pm
Saturday	Worship service	6:00 pm
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**The live radio broadcast on KAUS am 1480 of this Sunday's worship service** is given by Allen Schulz of Trinity Lutheran Church Waltham, in memory of Marvin Moe and in honor of Florence Naatz, a shu-in and faithful listener of St. John's Radio Broadcast.

**LIVE STREAMING SPONSORS FOR JANUARY IS MARY SIEGFREID**

Audio-Visual tech	Tim Carlson
Reader	Dick Heuton
Ushers	Albie Gilsrud, Harold Rohne, Beth Saurer
Communion Servers	Dick Heuton, Larry Waters Nathan Wrdislavsky
Organist	Doraine Graff
Prayer Ministry	Carol Schleicher, Tim Carlson (Elder) Kathy Carlson



**C.A.S.E – Christian After School Education.** We will continue to teach the children the wonders of God’s Holy Word. There are Bible lessons, games, music and snacks! All for free! For children going into 1st—6th grade.

**Every Wednesday 4:30-6:30 p.m.**

**This week’s lesson:** God Calls Abraham

**Confirmation Lesson:** Lord’s Prayer – Seventh Petition

**Take It to the Lord in Prayer.** Do you have a prayer concern or thanksgiving? Commend it to the Lord through your own prayers, but also through the loving service of our Prayer Chain. If you have an item you would like included on the Prayer Chain, please contact Miriam Luehmann at 437-7619 or [Miriam.Luehmann@icloud.com](mailto:Miriam.Luehmann@icloud.com).

**Prayer Ministry . . .** will be right after worship service by the organ. We pray for others... we pray for you. All remains confidential. Bring your special needs or hurts and we will petition the Lord with you. Questions? Feel free to call Carol Schleicher at 396-8420.

## **Giving Tree**

The St. John’s Quilters now have a “giving tree” in the West entrance. There are mittens, hats, and scarves to be taken by anyone needing them or to be given to anyone you know who needs them. You do not need permission to take whatever you need to keep warm for winter weather. **Also, if you would like to donate anything to the tree, just hang it up!**

**Retired?** Check out **FROGs (Faithful Retired Old Guys)** Join us at 9:00 am, Tuesday, Dec 8<sup>th</sup>, for our monthly coffee, donuts, and maybe a small project to help around the church.

## Adult Bible Study

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**Sunday: Adult Bible Class at 10:25 a.m.** led by Pastor James. A new study “Everyone His Witness”

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**Monday morning Bible Class at 9:30 a.m.** led by Pastor James, is studying the lessons that will be read in the services the following weekend. Come and join us!

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**Tuesday: A women’s Bible study** on the book of **Amos** 1:00 p.m. at St. John’s. Led by Sandy Groleau, Lay Minister

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**Thursday: Crossways Bible Study** at 10:00 am. Study the entire Bible in two years. Led by Sandy Groleau, LCMS Lay Minister.

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**Gray Matters meets on Thursdays** at 7:30 p.m. at Perkins Restaurant. **Join us for a free-flowing discussion.**

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**Men's Bible Study** - at 5:00 pm every Thursday.

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Every Sunday we have a manned table in the west entry-way. (FYI: the organ is on the west side of the sanctuary!) **You can purchase a variety of gift cards. St. John’s receives 3-15% of the sale price.** This money goes to projects like congregational t-shirts, choir chairs, picnic expenses, in-door nativity set, books and shelves for the library. **Feel free to purchase any of the following Script cards after the service (or purchase them from the office secretary during the week):**

**McDonalds: \$10      Hy-Vee: \$50, \$100**

**Kwik Trip: \$25, \$50, \$100      Culvers: \$10      Perkins: \$25**

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THERE ARE PRINTED COPIES OF THE SERMONS AVAILABLE NEXT TO THE SERVICE BULLETINS.

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## YOUTH AND FAMILY MEETING

Youth and family is having a meeting on **Sunday, January 6th** at 11:30 to discuss going roller skating for our January activity. At this time, we are also going to start planning our Valentines Pasta Dinner, that we hope to schedule for February 17th. Parents are also invited to this meeting.

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**Breaking News! Apostle Paul has a beef with the church in Galatia.** A new video based study of the book of Galatians at Men’s Bible Study, Thursdays at 5:00 pm. Check it out.