



News and Notes

Sunday, January 8, 2023



SUNDAY (01-08)	WORSHIP	9:00 am
	LIVE STREAMING & RADIO	9:00 am
	CONGREGATION MEETING	10:00 am
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	10:00 am
MONDAY	QUILTERS	9:00 am
	BOY SCOUTS	6:30 pm
TUESDAY	WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY	1:00 pm
	HANDBELL REHEARSAL	5:00 pm
	CHURCH COUNCIL	7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY	CUB SCOUTS	6:30 pm
	YOUTH GROUP	7:30 pm
THURSDAY	SOCIAL MINISTRY	9:00 am
	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY	5:00 pm
	CUB SCOUTS	6:30 pm
	BLOOD DRIVE 12 - 6	
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY		
SUNDAY (01-15)	WORSHIP w/ COMMUNION	9:00 am
	LIVE STREAMING & RADIO	9:00 am
	BIBLE STUDY	10:00 am
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	10:00 am

**Office Hours: Monday –
Thursday 8:30 – 12:00**

Holy Communion

For us at St. John's the Lord's Supper is a very sacred and Holy Meal.

If you would like to join us at this Sacramental Supper, please read the [laminated invitation](#) in the seat pocket.

Tithes and Offerings

If you are a guest visiting with us today please do not feel obligated to contribute to the offering plate when it is passed. Tithes and offerings are part of being a member of a church. This congregation would like to honor you as our guest today.

Notes for the Lord's Supper

For those with sensitivities to alcohol, non-alcohol wine is offered in the light colored cups in the center 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 this can be available.

Pastor Krusemark can be called
for emergencies at
507-450-2012

Worship Services

Sunday

9:00 am Worship (Traditional)

10:00 Adult Bible Study

The **live radio broadcast on KAUS 1480 AM** of this Sunday's worship service is sponsored by Stan Rasmussen in thankfulness to God for the radio broadcast. To God be the Glory!

January's internet streaming is sponsored by Dick & Karen Wuertz "In Loving Memory of our parents, Lorenz & Velma Wuertz and Glenn & Bernice Hovland."

Sponsor the Internet broadcast. If you would like to sponsor a month of St. John's church services over the Internet (\$117 a month) contact Dave Watkins at 507-458-5018.

If you would like to sponsor a radio broadcast the fee each week is \$150.00, contact Ellen Petersen for sponsorship, 507-422-6626. Thank you!

Scrip Orders – Thinking about ordering Scrip cards to help the congregation? Order blanks are on the Scrip table. Check out the new list of businesses available. Orders, with payment, must be in by **Sunday, January 15th**. Place your order and check on the Scrip table or bring it to the office. **We will still have the usual cards available after service.**

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 email Miriam.Luehmann@icloud.com

Please sign the *Record of Fellowship*

located in your pew. Thank you!

Reminder: The tree is up in the west entry. If you, or anyone you know, have a need for a cap, mittens or scarf feel free to take what is needed. Also, we have prayer shawls and lap robes to give to someone in need of extra care and love. Please contact one of the quilters or the church office.

Please pick up your 2023 **offering envelopes** from the table
located at the east side of the sanctuary

Austin Blood Drive

St. John's Lutheran Church
1200 13th AVE NW
Austin, MN 55912

Thursday, January 12, 2023
12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Call for appointment: Red Cross 1-800-733-2767
Or register online at RedCrossBlood.org
and enter: Austin MN to schedule an appointment.

Call Update

The St. John's call committee has completed a "summary form" for each of the two pastors that we will be recommending to the congregation at our congregational call meeting on 8 January (approximately 10 AM in Schleicher Hall). If anyone would like to see this summary before the meeting please contact Lana in the church office or any of the call committee. (The committee members are our officers and elders – Dale Siegfried, Dick Heuton, Doraine Graff, Richard Kiehne, Dave Watkins.)

AV tech-Sunday	Joanne Miller
Organist Sunday	Annette Kiehne

Wanted – Volunteers for ushering.

If this is something you are interested in
please contact an Elder.

Scrip Every Sunday we have a manned table at the West entrance. *(FYI: the organ is on the west side of the sanctuary!)* You can purchase a variety of gift cards. St. John’s receives 3-10% of the sale price. This money goes to projects like congregational t-shirts, choir chairs, picnic expenses, in-door nativity set, and books and shelves for the library. Feel free to purchase any of the following Scrip cards after the service (**or purchase them from the office secretary during the week**):
Perkins: \$25 Kwik Trip: \$25, \$50, \$100
Culvers: \$10 Hy-Vee: \$50, \$100

Shoe Away Hunger If you have gently used shoes you no longer need consider placing them in the box near the office. One pair of shoes can supply a family with seven days of essential groceries. Damaged shoes can no longer be accepted.

**Deadline for weekly News & Notes is Tuesday evening.
Newsletter deadline is the 15th of each month.**



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