



St. John's News and Notes

Sunday, April 13, 2025

	Palm Sunday	
Sunday (04-13) Worship		9:00 am
	Live Streaming & Radio	9:00 am
	Bible Study/Sunday School	10:15 am
Monday	Quilters	9:00 am
Tuesday	Women's Bible Study	1:00 pm
	Handbells Rehearsal	5:15 pm
Wednesday	Confirmation	6:00 pm
	Youth Group	7:30 pm
	Maundy Thursday	
Thursday	Men's Bible Study	5:00 pm
	Worship w/Communion	6:30 pm
	Good Friday	
Friday	Worship	6:30 pm
Saturday	Easter	
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	Live Streaming & Radio	9:00 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.

For our shut-in families desiring pastoral care or communion please contact Pastor Olana, (507) 438-3888, to set up a time. Pastoral visits typically take place Wednesdays and Fridays.

Worship Services

Sunday

9:00 am Worship

10:15 Education Hour

Tuesday

1:00 Women's Bible Study

Thursday

5:00 Men's Bible Study

The live radio broadcast on KAUS 1480 AM of this Sunday's worship service is sponsored by an anonymous donor, to God be the glory!

April live streaming is sponsored by **Ruth & Vance Oelkers** - Thankful for Easter Blessings!

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.

The Radio Broadcast is in need of sponsors: If you would like to sponsor a broadcast the fee is \$150.00 a week. Contact Ellen Petersen, or drop off a check in the church office. 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, April 20**. 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.

Pastor Krusemark can be
called for emergencies – **507-450-2012**

A special voters meeting will begin right after the worship service in the nave. The purpose is to hear about two pastors the call committee favors and to select one to whom a call will be extended. Following the brief meeting, fellowship time and Bible class will resume in Schleicher Hall. Pray for God's guidance in the decisions we will be making.

EASTER EGG HUNT



There will be an Easter Egg Hunt for the Sunday School students on Palm Sunday, April 13.

A reminder from the LWML: We have a great selection of greeting cards for sale in Schleicher Hall, west end. We have get well, birthday, thinking of you and holiday cards. Now is a great time to pick up your Easter cards! Just pick the cards you want and leave the money in the envelope and put it in the slot. The cards are very reasonable prices so have yourself a look! Thank you - St. John's LWML.

Hard of hearing? Headphones and receivers are available to assist in listening during our worship services. Talk to Rocky Schammel, David Ruhnke, or an usher for help.

AV Tech Sunday	Joanne Miller
AV Tech Thursday	Rocky Schammel
AV Tech Friday	Rocky Schammel
Organist Sunday	Doraine Graff
Organist Thursday	Doraine Graff
Organist Friday	Annette Kiehne

Deadline for weekly **News & Notes** is
Wednesday evening.

Deadline for monthly **newsletter** is the
15th of the month.

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, indoor 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.

April 13 – Palm Sunday

Luke 22:11 – “**Tell the master of the house, ‘The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?’**” Did Jesus really *need* this man’s Upper Room? If the man had refused to let Jesus use it, would the work of salvation have been derailed? Of course not. But what an honor for the man who owned this room! It is the same with us. The Lord needs none of us, but what an honor it is for God to choose to use our generosity in the work of His Church.



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