

SAINT JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH

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THE WEEK OF APRIL 28 – MAY 5, 2024:

- SUNDAY:** 9:00 am Worship: Holy Communion (Sanctuary)
10:15 am Fellowship (Friendship Hall)
1:00 pm Crop Walk (Cargill Methodist)
- MONDAY:** 9:00 am Staff Meeting
10:00 am Chair Yoga (Friendship Hall)
12:00 pm Bible Study (Conference Room)
- TUESDAY:** 7:00 pm Al-Anon Meeting (Friendship Hall)
7:00 pm Scout Troop #7419 (Room 113)
- WEDNESDAY:** 9:00 am Yin Yoga (Friendship Hall and on-line)
11:00 am Worship: Holy Communion (Sanctuary)
11:45 am Fellowship (Narthex)
- THURSDAY:** 9:00 am Pastor's Pericope (Pastor's Office)
6:30 pm Al-Anon Meeting (Friendship Hall)
- SATURDAY:** 8:00 am Outdoor Spring Work Day at St John
(Meet in upper parking lot to get started.
Please bring your work gloves and any hand tools
you would like to use.)
- SUNDAY:** 9:00 am Worship: Holy Communion (Sanctuary)
10:15 am Fellowship (Friendship Hall)

OPPORTUNITIES FOR VIEWING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE:

A live-stream of our worship service can be viewed on Sundays at 9:00 am on the congregation's YouTube Channel, accessible from the congregation's web-site, www.sjlc-elca.org/worship-online/ .

Video recordings of worship services are available for viewing at the congregation's web-site, www.sjlc-elca.org The Sunday worship service is broadcast one week delayed on JATV, cable channel 994, on Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

PRAY FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF THE CONGREGATION:

Fran B., Les M., Fran The Family of Jennifer McClelland, Kenny, Greg V., Dawn K., Bruce B., Gloria W., Judy, Chris R., Kate, Fran, Mavis, Bud, Sue M., Patty M., Joan W., Shelly V., Alex L., Melissa, Mary S., John A., Skip, Rachel D., Terrin, Kealy, Tom W., Shawn, Boyd C., Dave K., Buck W., Bob W., Billie B., Susan H., Jennifer H., Lori B., Penny J., Blaine, Judi M., and all of our brothers and sisters in need of prayer.

📞 Please call the congregation office if you or family members are hospitalized. The hospitals cannot be relied on to inform us.

MESSENGER



Due to technical problems with our computers, internet, and copier, the mailing of the April Messenger was delayed. You should receive a combined April-May issue of the Messenger shortly. We apologize for any inconvenience caused by this delay.

WELCOME!

During our Worship service today, we welcome Judy Berna as the newest member of our congregation. We pray that God keeps us all close together in His Spirit as we walk together in the days ahead.



SPRING OUTDOOR WORK DAY

We will have a Spring Outdoor Work Day on May 4, 2024 from 8:00 am until noon. We will be doing outdoor brush trimming, removing air conditioner covers, raking, weeding, mowing, and preparing for summer. Please bring your work gloves and any hand tools that you would like to use. If the weather does not cooperate, we will have indoor projects to complete (i.e., painting, etc.). We hope that you can join us! Many hands make light work and make our outdoor environment welcoming and ready for summer!



CROP HUNGER WALK

ENDING HUNGER ONE STEP AT A TIME



**Today is the Janesville CROP Hunger Walk!
Walkers will register at
Cargill United Methodist Church starting at 1:00 p.m.
The Walk starts at 1:30 p.m.
There is still time to join the Walk or to sponsor a Walker.
See Lori Haldeman to sign up.
Thank you to all the Walkers and their sponsors
for participating!**

FIRESIDE TRIP COMING IN AUGUST!

We're going to the Fireside again! This year's trip will be held on Wednesday, August 7, 2024. The performance is scheduled for noon and features the Grammy nominated band, High Road. Tickets are \$43.00 each and include the performance, a fish and chicken buffet, and the gratuity. Reservations and payment need to be made to Diana Winger (608-756-3748) by July 1, 2024.



DIFFERENT EMAIL ADDRESS:

Please notice that our email address has changed. ATT "lost" our previous email address, so if you want to talk to us, please use:

saintjohnlutheran1890@gmail.com

Or call us at 608-752-3159!



Sunday Apr 28 – Fifth Sunday of Easter

Readings:

Acts 8:26-40, Psalm 22:25-31, 1 John 4:7-21, John 15:1-8

Prayer of the Day:

O God, you give us your Son as the vine apart from whom we cannot live. Nourish our life in his resurrection, that we may bear the fruit of love and know the fullness of your joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Mon - Apr 29

Isaiah 5:1-7

Galatians 5:16-26

Psalm 80

Tue – Apr 30

Isaiah 32:9-20

James 3:17-18

Psalm 80

Wed May 1 – Philip and James, Apostles

Readings:

Isaiah 30:18-21, Psalm 44:1-3, 20-26, 2 Corinthians 4:1-6, John 14:8-14

Prayer of the Day:

Almighty God, you gave to your apostles Philip and James grace and strength to bear witness to your Son. Grant that we, remembering their victory of faith, may glorify in life and death the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Thur – May 2

Isaiah 49:5-6

Acts 10:1-34

Psalm 98

Fri – May 3

Isaiah 42:5-9

Acts 10:34-43

Psalm 98

Sat – May 4

Deuteronomy
32:44-47

Mark 10:42-45

Psalm 98

Sunday May 5 – Sixth Sunday of Easter

Readings:

Acts 10:44-48, Psalm 98, 1 John 5:1-6, John 15:9-17

Prayer of the Day:

O God, you have prepared for those who love you joys beyond understanding. Pour into our hearts such love for you that, loving you above all things, we may obtain your promises, which exceed all we can desire; through Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.