

Announcements ~ October 15-18, 2026

Can you Help Support Christian Education?

We have a family that could use some assistance this school year with covering school expenses and bills. If you are willing to help, please send a donation to the school or place it in the offering plate and label it 'SJ Family Assistance'. The financial need is just short of \$2,500.



School Praise Concert and Social Studies Fair

Come see the kids show off their musical gifts at the school praise concert on October 20th at 6:30 PM at school. New this year: we will be welcoming Branches Band who will add their talents to the performance! Don't forget to stop by and view the kids' social studies projects that will be on display!

Council is Looking for Trustees

We need three men that are willing to serve of the Board of Trustees at St. John's. If you have gifts or talents to serve, please contact Church President Darris Wasmund at 920-485-2086 or Trustee's Chairman Scott Bilgrien at 920-362-0199.

Area Reformation Service

Join WELS Lutherans from the surrounding area to worship Jesus at Lakeside Lutheran High School on Sunday, October 25, 2026. Pastor Keith Wessel will preach about Luther's *Bondage of the Will*, and musicians from the area will edify the worship. The Area Reformation service will start at 4 pm in the west gym, with light refreshments served afterwards.



Lowell Altar Guild

The Lowell altar guild will meet on Sunday, November 1 after the 10:15 AM service.

Ladies Aid Game Night

Our Ladies Aid invites all the ladies and young ladies of the congregation to a game night on November 2. There will be a short meeting first at 6:30 PM and games will be played afterward. Refreshments and snacks provided!

Blood Drive on November 13!

Sign up to donate blood on November 13th, 1:00-6:00 PM, at our Juneau campus, hosted by the Red Cross. Visit RedCrossBlood.org or scan the QR! All who donate, will get up to \$20 in Gift Cards: a \$10 Amazon Gift Card by email PLUS 500 bonus points, redeemable for a \$10 e-gift card through Blood Donor Rewards. Successful donations will also get free A1C testing (one result per calendar year). Reward terms and additional details can be found at RedCrossBlood.org/Maze.



LOWELL DATE CHANGE~

Our annual Trunk or Treat will be on October 25th, 3:00-4:00pm in Juneau and on October 25, 4:00-6:00pm in Lowell. Let your family and friends know! We can't wait to see you there!



The flowers on the Juneau altar and in front of the church are in loving memory of Ron (18th) and Rosie (19th) Zank's October birthdays. Given by their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.



October is Pastor Appreciation Month!

We will have card boxes at our Juneau and Lowell campuses for you to write words of encouragement for your pastors and/or why you are thankful for them and the work they do. Cards can be dropped off throughout the month of October! If you attend our Horicon campus, please drop your cards in the offering plate.

Also remember to keep Pastor Lindemann, Pastor Gumm, Pastor Walther, Pastor Papenfuss, Pastor Ferch, and their families in your daily prayers!

Storm Damage Fundraising Updates

Thank you to all the generous donors who contributed to our fundraising efforts to cover the deductible costs from the storm damage that occurred in May 2025. Work on the roofs is scheduled to begin on Oct. 19th, pending weather. If you have any questions, please contact Ryan Justman 920-988-5818 or Scott Bilgrien 920-362-0199.

Statistics 10/1-10/4

Offerings given to our Lord ~

General:	\$ 15,894.00
Debt:	\$ 425.00
Improvement:	\$ 135.00
Lakeside:	\$ 135.00
Missions:	\$ 520.00
Total:	\$ 17,109.00
<i>Line of Credit:</i>	<i>\$ 29,230.00</i>

Attendance~

327 (52, 30, 190, 55)

NEXT WEEK'S Volunteers! (10/22-10/25)

This week's volunteers now listed in the bulletin

Greeters

6:30 PM Paul & Sharon Schmidt

8:00 AM Carol Leissring, Suzi Colantonio, Deanna McLain

Communion Assistant

6:30 PM Pastor and Paul Schmidt

8:00 AM Pastor, Dave Gerbitz, Chuck Wolfram,
Darris Wasmund, Dale Tietz, Marty Weinheimer

10:15 AM Pastor and Matt Smith

Ushers

6:30 PM Bob Gerbitz & Ken Wolfram

8:00 AM Rick Leissring, Steve Weinheimer, Tony
Colantonio, Bob McLain

10:15 AM William Borth, London Rennhack, Paul Metzger,
Matt Smith

This Week at St. John's

J= Juneau, L= Lowell, H= Horicon

Sunday (10/18)

Worship 8:00 AM (J) & 10:15 AM (L)

19-minute BC after the L service

Bible Class 9:15 AM- J

Sunday School 9 AM (L) & 9:15 AM (J)

Board of Ed. Mtg. 9:30 AM- J

Elders Mtg. 6:00 PM- J

Monday (10/19)

Bible Study 6:30 PM- J

Tuesday (10/20)

Jesus Cares 1:30 PM- Clearview

Praise Concert 6:30 PM- School

Wednesday (10/21)

Midweek Worship

- Clearview 10 AM
- Juneau 11 AM
- Hillside Manor 2 PM

Public School Catechism 5:15 PM- J

Choir 6:30 PM- J

Thursday (10/22)

Worship 6:30 PM- J

19-minute study after the service

Saturday (10/24)

Worship 5:00 PM- H

19-minute BC after the service

Sunday (10/25)

Worship 8:00 AM (J) & 10:15 AM (L)

19-minute BC after the L service

Bible Class 9:15 AM- J

Sunday School 9 AM (L) & 9:15 AM (J)

Trunk or Treat 3-4 PM- J

Trunk or Treat 4-6 PM- L