

## THIS WEEK THE LORD WILLING

### **SUNDAY, February 7**

7:45 Worship/Communion  
9:00 Education Hour  
10:15 Worship  
Youth Group cancelled tonight.

### **MONDAY, February 8**

6:00 Puppets in church basement  
6:30 Boy Scout parents in Vineyard Room

### **TUESDAY, February 9**

11:15 Preschool Storytime  
6:00 Board of Christian Education  
6:30 Boy Scouts in church basement  
7:00 Finance  
7:00 Christian Women's Group

### **WEDNESDAY, February 10**

8:15 Chapel  
6:00 Confirmation  
6:30 Midweek  
6:45 Care Ministry  
7:00 Elders

### **THURSDAY, February 11**

7:00 Worship  
7:30 Open Gym

### **FRIDAY, February 12**

3:45 Dance Class in gym  
7:00 YAP

### **SATURDAY, February 13**

9:00 IMOMS - Valentine's Day activities

### **SUNDAY, February 14**

7:45 Worship  
9:00 Education Hour  
10:15 Worship/Communion  
11:30 Proposed Building Use Forum  
6-7:30 Bow the Knee Choral Rehearsal at Zion

**90TH BIRTHDAY** Some of you may remember Phyllis Hollenger Abbot. She will be celebrating her 90th birthday on February 13th. Cards may be sent in care of her daughter Sherri Abbot to 1201 S. 7th Avenue, Wausau, WI 54401.

## SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY

### **ELDERS FOR FEBRUARY**

Terry Peterson and Bob Prael

### **ALTAR GUILD FOR FEBRUARY**

Marie Juedes and Janice Michalski

### **USHERS**

Kyle Borchardt, Scott, Sean & Seth Baumann ~ 7:45 am  
Steve & Carol Kunze, Scott & Matthew Hansen ~ 10:15

### **ACOLYTES**

Callie Wesenick ~ 7:00 pm Thursday  
Wyatt Thompson & Logan Seliger ~ 7:45 am Sunday  
Brett Breitenfeldt & Eric Breitenfeldt ~ 10:15 am

### **NURSERY VOLUNTEER**

Laura Ramthun

(Nursery is available during second service  
and is located in the church basement)

### **REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS IN PRAYER**

Colonial Manor—Dorothy Ramthun  
At Home—Gertrude Juedes  
Alison House—Margie Zahrt

### **BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK!**

**"HAPPY BIRTHDAY"** to Matthew Rohde (2/7), Janet Felch (2/8), Ronda Marten (2/10), Carol Fraedrich (2/11), Marvin Matthiae (2/11), Chelsea Schulz (2/12), Gerry Marquardt (2/12), Dawn Hahn (2/13)!

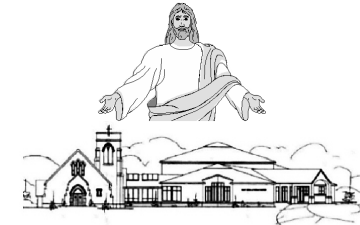
***God Bless you all on your Special day!***

### **RECYCLE YOUR USED DEVOTION BOOKLETS!**

There is a box in the back narthex that you can put your used Devotional Booklets in - *Portals of Prayer, Our Daily Bread, and My Devotions*. They will be distributed to others who would like to read them or anyone attending St. John can take them also. Thank you.

### **CAMP LUTHER FUNDRAISER**

Are you planning on sending a child to Camp Luther this summer? Would you like to work with other families to raise money to help pay for it? Contact Kathe Breitenfeldt at 571-5503 if you are interested in participating in a fundraiser. We will meet at 8:45am on Feb 21st in the Vineyard room to begin planning.



Connecting People To Jesus

**February 7 - February 14, 2010**

**St. John Lutheran Church and School**

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Rev. Tim Coppersmith - Pastor; Res. = 298-0980

Pastor's e-mail: stjohnluth1pastor@verizon.net

Church Office = 842-5212

Ginny's e-mail address: ggolchert@mailstjohn.com

Karen's e-mail address: stjohnluth1@verizon.net

### **Church Office Hours**

**Monday, Wednesday & Friday—8:00-1:00pm**

**Tuesday & Thursday—8:00-3:30pm**

Mr. Don Abel - Principal  
School Office = 845-7031  
school@mailstjohn.com

### **School Office Hours**

**Monday—Friday 8:00-noon**

Church and School  
Fax Number = 849-9558  
Website: [www.stjohnofwausau.org](http://www.stjohnofwausau.org)

## **Our Mission Statement**

**“St. John Lutheran Church and School is dedicated to worship, love, teach, reach out and care through the love of Christ Jesus.”**

**SCRIP UPDATE**— Scrip profit for week ending 1/124/10 was \$78.73. Total Sales were \$2,092.00. Hollywood Video gift cards will no longer be available as of February 5, 2010. Any questions, please call Lori Seliger at 446-2453. Scrip is available in the church office during office hours.

**CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S GROUP** All women of the congregation are invited to join us the second Tuesday of each month at 7pm for Christian Women's Group, a circle of the LWML. We are a Bible study group for women of all ages with a focus on studying God's word, praying for mission work at home and abroad and participating in small service projects. Additionally, we support mission work by collecting mites. Mite boxes are available on the information table in the narthex for anyone who wishes to contribute. Our next meeting is Tuesday, February 9th from 7-8:30pm. You may contact Carol Raczek at 571-4244 with any questions. We hope to see you there!

**CLEANING TEAM NEWS** Welcome and Thank you to our latest volunteers to our cleaning teams: Greg, Amy, Briana, Logan & Emma Lund; Joshua, Nicole, Ben, David & Ethan Parker; Luke, Wendy, Grayce Schulta & Ethan Graper; Renee, Winter & Ahrieonna Carlson & Devin Wadzinski; Travis Knoblock & Nicole Osswald, Tristan, Tyler & Braden Knoblock; Tracy Marten; Dean & Kathy Kunze. We look forward to serving the Lord here at St. John by keeping His house clean and neat.

**PROPOSED BUILDING USE FORUM** A Forum to answer any questions/provide clarification of any items in the Proposed Building Use Policy will be held from 11:30-12:30 pm after the late service on Sunday, February 14th. **NO VOTE** on the policy will take place at the Forum. The vote on the policy will take place at the next Quarterly Voter's Meeting on February 21, 2010. Modifications made to the policy as a result of the Forum will be provided prior to the Voter's Meeting. Please bring your copy of the Proposed Building Use Policy to the Forum and the Voter's Meeting. Thank you for your attendance at these important meetings.

*Building Use Committee*

## BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

**Bible Study between services**—Join us in the gym at the Faith Café from 9:00-10:00 am.

**Sunday School** meets on Sunday mornings during the school year from 9:00 to 10:00 for children in preschool through eighth grade. We will start each week with an opening in the sanctuary and then move to classrooms. Here is the schedule of upcoming topics:

February 7: Paul and Silas in Prison (Part One)  
 February 14: Puppet Presentation by C.A.S.T. (Large Group Meeting)  
 February 21: Paul and Silas in Prison (Part Two)

### **MIDWEEK February 10**

#### **6th-12th Grades**

Bible study: Pastor Coppersmith  
 Games: Ginny Golchert

#### **1st-5th**

Special Craft/Bible devo  
 Susie Borchardt, Carol Raczek & Dorothy Wilton  
 Games: John Raczek

**THINK PINK** Continue to use your THINK PINK GivingPlus envelopes in 2010! You may have heard the Thrivent GivingPlus program was ending in 2009. I am pleased to inform you that St John School and St John Preschool are eligible for a one-time GivingPlus phase out challenge grant. The amount of the grant is based on a percentage of funds we received from past years. To be eligible for the grant we need to raise twice the amount of the calculated grant. Money raised is NOT limited to Thrivent members, so **anyone can give**. *NO Thrivent GivingPlus enrollment form is required.* The deadline for our St John grant applications is June 2010. We need to raise \$4000-9000 dollars before June to get the full grant. (When we get the exact dollar amounts we will pass the information along) Please continue to use your Pink Envelopes for GivingPlus. If you have questions, please contact Alan Breitenfeldt 848-9302. Thrivent Choice is a new giving program that Thrivent will be launching later this year. Thrivent members should be receiving Thrivent Choice enrollment packets soon.

## BUILDING FUND FINANCIAL STATUS



CHECKING BALANCE as of 1/26/10	\$4,854.36
LCEF STEWARD ACCT as of 1/26/10	\$9,367.60
AMOUNT LOANED TO GENERAL FUND	\$50,428.70
AMOUNT OWED ON LOAN (Mar Savings)	\$645,369.78
Next payment due 3/1/10	
NET AMOUNT OWED	\$588,719.12
Contributions received this past week	\$2,162.00

### **OFFERING LAST WEEK**

Envelope & Plate  
 Sunday, January 31, 2010 - \$2,833.00  
 Thrivent - \$1,620.00  
 Tuition - \$2,703.92

<b>ATTENDANCE REPORT</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2009</b>
Thursday, January 28, 2010	23	51
Sunday, January 31, 2010	201	189

**CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS** If you would like a 2009 contribution statement printed, please contact Karen or leave a message in the church office.

**SPAGHETTI LUNCHEON THANK YOU** Thanks to everyone who attended our Adult Fellowship Club's spaghetti luncheon last week. You made it possible to pay for all the devotional booklets - *Portals of Prayer, My Devotions & Daily Bread*, for those who request them.

**Sign-up sheets** for the devotional booklets provided by the Adult Fellowship Club are in the back narthex. You may also call Mike Block at 573-2894 to sign up.

**PEDAL TRACTOR** Does anyone have a pedal tractor to borrow or donate to PTL for use in the Rodeo Round-Up Tractor Pull at the end of February???