

Announcements

St. John Lutheran Church, ELCA

701 N. 6th St., Beatrice, NE 68310

www.stjohnbeatrice.org

22nd Sunday after Pentecost- All Saints

November 9th-10th, 2019

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- This weekend's bulletins and radio broadcast are given by Dennis & Gail Meier and Robin Dorn & Jennifer Dorn in remembrance of Virgil (Virg) & Evie Dorn's wedding anniversary, November 7th.
- We extend our sympathy to Harm Huls at the passing of his brother John Huls.
- We extend our sympathy to the family of Dorothy Thompson whose funeral was this week.
- We would like to congratulate Emily Niedfeldt and Derrick Vanover who were married here at St. John on Saturday.

November calendars are available or check out the new printable calendar on our church website:

www.stjohnbeatrice.org/calendar

Remember in prayer

Jennifer Schmitz (granddaughter of Margie Waltke), Kevin Spidle, and Gary Langford.

The best strategy for giving is a 2 fold approach: a basic plan combined with a willingness to consider spontaneous giving when unique opportunities arise. ~ Andy Stanley

November Memory Verse: He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell. Colossians 1:17-19



Thanksgiving Eve Service: 7:00 on November 27th.

This special service will be led by St. John youth. All are welcome!



Wednesday Night Meal: Join us each week for a hot meal and wonderful fellowship. Contact Heidi Price if you are willing to volunteer or donate food. **Wednesday, Nov. 13th:** Roast with vegetables, salad, and dessert



2020 WELCA Officers installed Sunday, November 10th:

President: Janet Byars

Secretary: Gwen Steffens

Treasurer: Kathy Epp

Mission Action: Alvera Bade and Karen Probst

Mission Community & Growth: Shirleen Fritz and Ruth Parde

Thankofferings this week are sent to the Churchwide Women of the ELCA in support of the ministries and mission of our women's organization. The Women of the ELCA collects more than \$1 million in Thankofferings annually.

WELCA General Board will meet on November 18. This is for all outgoing and incoming officers of the Board and Circles.

WELCA Advent Devotional: Last chance to submit Advent stories. A sign-up sheet is available in the Narthex. Please help us complete this special devotional for our church family!



Hanging of the Greens will be December 1st from 4:30-5:30. Soup and Sandwich supper to follow. Come help us prepare for the Christmas season!



The next Camino Walk meeting will be November 17th at 12:30 in the Fellowship Hall. If you are committing to the trip, bring your \$300 deposit to secure a spot.

Serenity Blankets for Sale! The youth are selling fleece tied blankets for \$20. Please contact Heidi Price to purchase a soft, cuddly, & warm blanket.

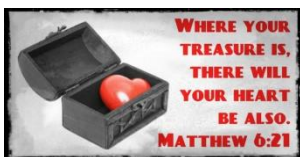
The 2020 Nebraska Synod Middle School Gathering is January 11-12.

All youth ages 6th-8th grades.

Register before Nov 13: \$65

Register by Dec 6: \$70

See Heidi for more information or to register.



Sunday School offering for this fall is going to ELCA Good Gifts. Our goal is to purchase 3 family farms by Christmas - we already have one covered and we're close to our second! Take a barn home today!



Week Beginning Nov. 10th

Sunday (10)

- 9 AM Worship
- 10:10 AM Adult Forum (FH), Sunday School, B3 Group
- 11:15 AM Worship/Communion
- 5 PM Cub Scouts 85 (FH)
- 7 PM Sunday Night Fellowship

Monday (11)

- 9 AM Food Pantry (B1)
- 9 AM Blanket Sewing
- 1:30 PM Anna Circle (Samaritan Springs)
- 3:45 PM FUEL Gr. K-2 (U7)
- 7 PM Beatrice Garden Club (FH)
- 8 PM Al-Anon (B4)

Tuesday (12)

- 9 AM Ruth Circle (Samaritan Springs)
- 10 AM Cluster Text Study
- 3:45 PM FUEL Gr. 3-4 (U7)
- 6:30 PM Narcotics Anonymous (B9)
- 7 PM Administration Committee

Wednesday (13)

- 9 AM Staff Meeting (Library)
- 9:30 PM Naomi Circle
- 2 PM Revelation Bible Study (Library)
- 2 PM Crochet Group (Kitchen)
- 5 PM Wednesday Night Meal (FH)
- 5:30 PM Cherubs (U7)
- 5:30 PM Choristers (Chapel)
- 5:30 PM Praise Ringers (Stage)
- 5:30 PM Yoga (BC)
- 6 PM Jubilate (Chapel)
- 6 PM Bells of St. John (Stage)
- 6:44 PM Confirmation Event (FH)
- 7 PM Tabitha Circle
- 7 PM Chancel Choir
- 7 PM Youth Group (HS YR)

Thursday (14)

Committee Minutes Due

- 9 AM Food Pantry (B1)
- 9:30 AM Announcements Deadline
- 9:30 AM Sarah/Rachel Circle (Samaritan Springs)
- 3:45 PM FUEL Gr. 5-6 (U7)
- 5 PM Mother to Mother Craft Night
- 7 PM Martha Circle

Friday (15) Office Closed

Saturday (16)

- Food Pantry Ingathering - All Day
- 6 PM Worship/Communion (Chapel)

Sunday (17)

- 10:10 AM Adult Forum (FH), Sunday School, B3 Group
- 11:15 AM Worship/Communion
- 12:30 PM FF4A (Resource Room)
- 12:30 PM Camino Walk Meeting (FH)
- 5 PM Cub Scouts 85 (FH)



Check out the display of quilts in the Narthex made by St. John's blanket sewers.

These ladies cut, stitched, and sewed over 200 blankets and quilts for Lutheran World Relief.



In 2019 St. John's blankets were sent to Bosnia and Peru, school kits were sent to Syria, and personal care kits were received in Bosnia.

Thank you, Blanket Sewers, for your hard work and dedication in this important mission!

SOLE to SOUL is giving out shoes on November 16th at the Beatrice Church of Christ on 10th and Grant from 9 AM to 12 PM. Shoes for all ages are free.



Serving in Worship

| Nov. 10 | Sunday 9 a.m. | Sunday 11:15 a.m. |
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| Reader | Cathy Wertman | Verneal Dodge |
| Children's Message | Pr. Leah | Pr. Leah |
| Acolytes | Austin Rhoden Bladen Bayless Mackenzie Barnard | Alexis Schwartz Austin Schwartz Evan Coon |
| Greeters | Don & Verdella Vetrovsky Jeff & Jenny Frerichs | Roger & Julie Harris Randy & Cindy Kempf |

Cantor— John Francis

Communion Assistants— Jodi Berke & Linda Sturgill

Sun. Office Duty—Jodi Berke & Diane Courtney

Sat. Musician— Donna Miller

Worship Attendance Last Weekend

† Saturday 6 p.m. Nov. 2 ... 35

† Sunday 9 a.m. Nov. 3 ... 145

† Sunday 11:15 a.m. Nov. 3 ... 93

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