

St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church

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Mission Statement: We are called by God to be the light of the world. We are to go forth and show Jesus' love and forgiveness through loving care for all God's creation.

Youth Express Their Thanks

The following weekday school students were awarded a \$100 camp scholarship from the Youth Board/Board of Education to attend Camp Luther this summer: Evan Swen, Mitchell Prange, Dylan Rosenthal, & Chloe Whitrock.

Evan said, "Thank you church. I hope to learn about God and Jesus."

Mitchell said, "Thanks. I can't believe I'm going to camp. Thank you very much."

Dylan responded, "Thank you very much for the Camp Luther Scholarship. I will enjoy another year at camp thanks to you."

Chloe said, "Thank you, because I am excited to go to camp because I've never been there. And I want to go and learn about Jesus and make friends and swim."

Weekday School Recognition



On May 8th, during weekday school recognition Sunday service, Bibles were given to the parents to present to their

2nd grade child:

Aburee Plante, Mitchell Prange, Emma Snodgrass
Evan Swen, & Bailey Twinn

On May 8th, during weekday school recognition Sunday service, Catechisms were given to the parents to present to their 4th grade child:

Cassie Kiedrowski, Austin Plante, Dawson Rosenthal, Robert Snodgrass, Jillian Staven, & Maggie Weiland

The following students received attendance awards:

Ashtyn Doescher, Brooke Dove, Cassie Kiedrowski, Cody Kiedrowski, Aubree Plante, Austin Plante, Lucas Prange*, Mitchell Prange*, Dawson Rosenthal, Dylan Rosenthal, Hannah Rosenthal, Emma Snodgrass, Carter Swen, Evan Swen, Elizabeth Weiland, Leah Weiland, Maggie Weiland, Carley Whitrock, & Chloe Whitrock

* **Designates PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

Singing Participation Winners

The following youth were winners for their singing participation:

Nursery-2nd Grade

Chase Jensen & Mitchell Prange

3rd-7th Grade

Tanna Dorshorst & Dylan Rosenthal

Each child received a gift card to Subway.

When Subway heard about what St. John was doing to honor the students with their participation in singing, Subway donated an extra \$5.00 gift card for one more winner. At the end of the drawing we combined all the names and Leah Weiland was our winner.

But most of all a special thank you to "ALL" of our youth Nursery-7th Grade who beautified our services the last nine months with their voices and parents thank you for supporting them.

Singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord
--Ephesians 5:19

Thank you--Sandra Sweeney



Ascension Service at Immanuel



A joint Ascension Day Service will be held on Thursday, June 2 at 6:30 PM at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Wisconsin Rapids. All are invited to attend.

Installation Of Officers

Installation of **all** officers will be the weekend of June 11 & 12.

Beach Blast Vacation Bible School

When: June 20-23 from 5:30-7:30 PM
For: Children 3 years old thru 5th grade



Registration forms are available in the narthex or by calling the church office. Please have forms in by June 1.

Thank You

The Board of Ed would like to thank everyone who helped make our Brat Fry a success. We know with your support we can help share God's love with all the children attending this year's VBS. Thanks for braving the weather!

Thank You

The Rumble Family would like to thank you for the cards and words of comfort during our loss. It was deeply appreciated and may God Bless You in your journey.

—Sincerely, Marge.

Thank You

We would like to thank everyone who helped make the Mother-Daughter Banquet a big success! Thank you to those who helped set-up, brought food donations, served and worked in the kitchen. Thank you to all our members and guests who came and joined in the fun & festivities.

--Mother-Daughter Committee.

Congratulations Graduates



We would like to congratulate the following Senior Class 2011 Graduates:

Ariel Anderson, Tyler Hansen, Mariah Reber ,
Molly Snodgrass , & Apryl Zimmerman

College and Military Address Requests

If you have a student attending a campus this coming fall please call the church office with the following information:

Students name, address & phone number, school attending, and class/year.

If you have a child or relative serving in the military overseas and you would like to share their address with us we would like to hear from you as well.

Fellowship Sign up Notice

If you would like to serve for Fellowship Sunday after church services (The 2nd Sunday of each month) please sign up on the sheet located on the north bulletin board. We still have openings in June, August, September, November & December. Please bring bars or cookies and serve coffee.

Thank you.



Reflection Sunday Brunch

Plans are being made for our Reflection Sunday Brunch on July 10.

To assist us in updating our honoree guest list please notify the church office if you know of anyone 80 years of age or older who is not on the following list:

Chuck Behn, Mabel Behn, Harriet Brandt, Grace Gilman, Harriet Hanneman, Robert Hanneman, Laura Hanneman, Eva Helke, Florence Helke, Gilbert Hofschild, Helen Jensen, Neil Knoll, Ernie Neinfeldt, Laura Neinfeldt, Elaine Punzel, Lester Rabska, Harold Rickman, Gladys Sawaska, Helen Schoenick, William Schoenick, Howard Schuldt, John Tomesek, Marion Swen, Pearl Zeman, Fred Zimmerman, Dorothy Zimmerman

Thanks for your help.

Evangelism

Let nothing disturb you,

Let nothing frighten you.

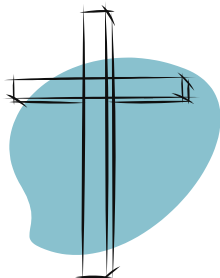
All things are passing,

God never changes.

Patience gains all things.

Who has God wants nothing.

God alone is sufficient.



Bethesda Thrift Shop

Bethesda Thrift Shop in the Rapids Mall will have several special sales in June such as colored tag sales, School's Out sale, etc. Watch your weekly bulletin announcements for more information or sign up for the Rapids Mall E-Buzz weekly e-mail announcements of all special sales in the Mall including Bethesda. Stop by soon – we always have the lowest prices in town. We will be open Memorial Day with 50% off many items. Your donations are always appreciated.

Thanks for supporting the folks at Bethesda.

Golf FORE KICS



Immanuel Lutheran School is excited to announce its 5th Annual "golf FORE KICS" (Kids in Christian Schools) which will be held on Saturday, June 18th at Bull's Eye Country Club. Cost is \$80.00 per player, and includes 18 holes with a cart, dinner, and lots of fun and prizes! All proceeds will support student scholarships, student activities and technology which will benefit all students at Immanuel Lutheran School. Not a golfer...there is a \$2,500 matching challenge for this event. If you would like to make a donation of any kind to support this event please send your check to the school and we can apply it towards this challenge. Thank you for your support. More information and registration forms are available on the table in the narthex. **Registration deadline is June 10.**



DAVID

Fireside Theater in Ft. Atkins, WI Sat, July 30

Bus leaves St. Luke's at 2:30 pm

Dinner at 5:30 p.m., show at 8 p.m.

St. Luke's is sponsoring a bus trip to the Fireside Theater on Saturday, July 30. We will enjoy a new Christian musical on the life of **David** by the creators of the Rock & the Rabbi & The Child. We have a Lamers Coach bus for our transportation - **\$89** covers show, bus, and dinner. Deposit to reserve your ticket is \$20. Meal is orchard salad, fresh baked breads, Chicken Vienna, sweet potatoes & asparagus, and Lemon chess tart. Final payment of \$69 is due July 1st.

Contact Martha Strong for more info at the St. Luke's office:

715-423-5990.

