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for June 2 & 3, 2018

St. John's Lutheran Church  
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### Welcome Visitors!

If you are visiting St. John's, please fill out a [purple visitor slip](#) found in the back of the church seats. Prayer request forms are on the back of the slips. Completed forms may be placed in the offering plate or handed to an usher. If you would like to know more about St. John's and our ministries be sure to stop at the Welcome Desk in the lobby.

### Enhancing Worship

- large print bulletins  
A limited number of large print bulletins are available for all services.
- personal listening devices  
We have 4 personal listening devices available.  
Please ask the ushers for assistance.



### Annual Meeting is June 3

The 2018 annual meeting is scheduled for Sunday, June 3 at **11:15 am**. All voting members of St. John's are encouraged to attend to vote on the budget, vote on the welcoming statement, elect new council members, and more. Your voice is important. Copies of the annual report are in the lobby, by the nursery.

### Directories and Annual Reports Available in the Lobby

New member directories and Annual Reports are available in the lobby under the black board, near the nursery. (One per family, please.)

Please take a moment to look over your personal information in the directory. Is there a phone number or email that is missing? Is there a phone number or email that is listed but shouldn't be? Do you have children still listed in your home that have grown and moved? Do you have kids missing? Please submit all corrections to the office (office@makedisciples.com).

### Call Committee Update

The Call Committee met with Rev. Kristin Nielsen from the Greater Milwaukee Synod last week and received names of potential pastor candidates. We ask that you keep the call committee and candidates in your prayers as we begin to prepare for the interview process.

### Photo Directory

Get ready to smile! Photos for a new picture directory will be taken in September. Watch for information this summer.

### Summer Service Opportunities

Looking for a service project? Need something for your kids to do over the summer? Looking for a way to "give back"? Then check out the sign ups on the bulletin board in the lobby - many opportunities are available right here at St. John's!

### Outdoor Worship This Weekend

It's back! During the summer, our later Sunday worship moves to 10:00 am. Beginning June 3, it also moves outside! (Weather permitting, of course.) Chairs are available but you are encouraged to bring your own comfy lawn chair.

### Music Camp Volunteer Training

There will be an informational/ training meeting on June 10 during the 11 am picnic. If you are unable to attend please let us know and we will forward materials.

### Summer Picnics

Join us for Summer Food, Fun and Fellowship following the 10:00 outdoor worship!  
*Pack a sandwich.*  
*Watermelon, lemonade and games provided!*  
June 10 | July 15 | August 12

### next steps for this week

June 3	8:30a	worship
	10:00a	worship* (*outside, weather permitting)
	11:15a	annual meeting
	3:00p	Kannada Kali
	6:30p	Al Anon
Jun 4	9:00a	yoga
	11:30a	Hope Center meal
	6:30p	Al Anon
Jun 5	10:00a	staff meeting
	10:30a	AA
	6:00p	quilters
	6:00p	TOPS
	7:00p	boy scouts
Jun 6	9:00a	quilters
	6:00p	AA
Jun 7	8:30a	retired men's breakfast
	6:30p	Al Anon
Jun 8	10:00a	prayer shawl ministry
Jun 9	8:00a	men's group
	8:30a	diakonia
	5:15p	worship
June 10	8:30a	worship
	10:00a	worship* (*outside, weather permitting)
	11:00a	picnic
	11:00a	Music Camp leader training
	12:30p	Loaves and Fishes
	3:00p	Kannada Kali
	6:30p	Al Anon

### future opportunities

Jun 11-14	music camp
Jul 17	newborn kit assembly
Jul 30-Aug 3	VBS

### please pray...

blessings upon our graduates as they begin the next chapter in their lives  
for these immediate needs of healing and strength  
Beverly, Carolyn, Dennis, Frank, Gary, Jim, Karen, Maggie, Matt, Nate, Paul, Sharon  
for ongoing treatment and recovery  
Barb, David, Doris, David, Jerry, Ray, Tim  
for our shut-ins  
Gretchen Brueske, June Carlson,  
Virginia Degenhardt, Dolores Hartman,  
Alice Ladewig, Helen Ranum, Lois Rosholt  
for our partner churches  
Los Héroes, Akeri Parish, All Peoples  
for all those serving in the military  
Tech. Sgt. Rick Bachtell; Michael Beasley;  
John Bruschi, Jr.; Michael George;  
Adam Kaczmarek; Cody Kallin; Austin Klemm;  
Maj. Nathaniel Lauterbach; Drew Malicki;  
2nd Lt. Stuart McConnell; Taylor Rouse;  
Lt. Cmdr. Bartholomew Sievenpiper;  
Pvt. Kacey Slater; Maj. Rick L Strickroot;  
Todd Westhauser; 1st Lt. Madeline Wilcox;  
William Wright

### altar flowers

Altar flowers were sponsored today by Coleen Marshall in memory of John.

### looking ahead

The Sunday sermon series "Gifts to Renew Your Relationships" next week is based in part on Philippians 4:4-7 ... Rest.

Please submit your announcements by  
**Wednesday at noon.**

The staff and pastors review and make final decisions based on space, timing and needs of the community.

Please submit announcements to Pam at email address: office@makedisciples.com.



## caring & serving next steps

### Focus of June Outreach Offering: Care Kits for Hope Center

Our June local outreach emphasis is on behalf of Hope Center. We are collecting the following personal and/or regular size items: toothbrushes, toothpaste, disposable razors, bars of soap, deodorant, shaving cream, body lotion, shampoo, body wash, or conditioner. Thank you for your generosity. These items go along way to provide assistance and dignity to many Hope Center Clients.

### Newborn Kits

Newborn kits contain items used by midwives, birth attendants, and new moms in developing countries to welcome the newly born.

To complete the kits, we need donations of:

- \* receiving blankets,
- \* baby shirts/onesies,
- \* baby hats,
- \* Ivory bar bath soap,
- \* money to purchase diapers & towels in bulk (less expensive in bulk)

(See the poster in the fellowship hall for a complete list of items and for quantities needed.)

Please put all items in the fellowship hall on the service cart at the end of the counter. All monetary donations should be put in the lockbox by the staff mailboxes.

The kits will be assembled on July 17 after we share a meal. Help is also needed in planning the assembly night and meal. If you have questions or are willing to help, please contact Mickey Fank at 262-548-9542 or mickeyfank@gmail.com.

### Outreach for Hope Bike Ride

Join in the fun, food and fellowship of the Outreach for Hope Family Bike on Saturday, September 8. Hundreds of riders will enjoy the beautiful scenery of the Glacial Drumlin Trail (Waukesha Ride) or the Interurban Trail (Ozaukee Ride) while pedaling to raise funds for ministries throughout the Greater Milwaukee Synod.

All ages and abilities are welcome to participate. For information and to register visit the website [ofhbikeride.com](http://ofhbikeride.com)

### Loaves and Fishes

*A few spots still are open!*

St. John's will be serving the Loaves and Fishes meal at Hope Center on Sunday, June 10. Sign up to help prepare the meal (12:30-2:30 pm) or to serve and clean up (2:00-4:00). Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the lobby. If you are not familiar with this program and would like more information, please contact Dawn Williams at 262-309-9333 or [dwilliams@intrivest.com](mailto:dwilliams@intrivest.com).



### Garden Time is Here Again!!

Do you like to get your hands dirty? Do you like to garden? Do you like to provide food for the hungry? If so, the Garden Team would welcome your participation to help with the St. John's garden where we grow produce for the Food Pantry of Waukesha. Help is needed to plant the garden with seeds and set plants, to periodically weed and thin seedlings, to harvest produce and take it to the Food Pantry. Once the planting is complete in early June, a coverage schedule of gardeners is implemented, based on each individual's availability. Coverage is scheduled in 1-week blocks from mid-June to Labor Day weekend in September. For more information, please contact Jerry Hanson at 262-785-8098 or [jerryhansonrhp@gmail.com](mailto:jerryhansonrhp@gmail.com).

### Your Help is "Sew" Needed

Can you sew? Please pick up one of the new "Quilt-to-go" ziplock bags in the lobby. Just sew the fabric into a piece measuring 63"x83". Make it simple or be as creative as you'd like—it's up to you. Then return the completed item in the ziplock. We have made 72 quilts thus far since October. With your help can we get these done by the end of summer? Questions? Contact Klaudia Hollander (262)951-8287 or Jennifer Cranfill (262)786-2619.



## children, youth & families next steps

### Summer Camps for Kids

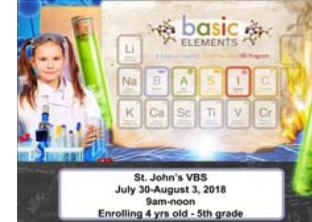
Registration forms for both Music Camp and VBS are available on the bulletin board in the lobby or online at [www.makedisciples.com](http://www.makedisciples.com). Cost for each camp is \$15 for the first child, \$10 for additional children from the same family. *Scholarships are available.*

#### Music Camp



"All God's Children Have a Place in the Choir"  
• June 11-14  
• 9:00 am - 12 noon  
• A music experience for all kids currently in 4K to 6th grade.

#### Vacation Bible School



"B.A.S.I.C Elements of the Faith"  
• July 30-August 3  
• 9:00 am - 12 noon  
• Preschool (4 by the first day of camp) to completed 5th grade.



## music & worship next steps

### Banner Help Needed

Help is needed for three separate types of work:  
**1.** hanging banners, **2.** repairing banners and **3.** a committee to decide on replacements or new banners & paraments. Paraments follow our church year schedule. If you have interest in this special ministry, contact Carol Schulz by June 6 at [ceschulz1945@yahoo.com](mailto:ceschulz1945@yahoo.com), home phone (262-782-4448) or text her cell (414-651-7927.)