

Lord

Open Our Hearts

May 24th & 25th, 2025

St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church, School, & Childcare

(Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod)

(Church) 450 Bridge Street, Mayville, WI 53050

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Web site: www.stjohnsmayville.com

Saturday Worship Service: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday Worship Service: 8:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Monday Worship Service: 5:30 p.m.

Child Care - Pre-Kindergarten - K through Grade 8

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6th Sunday of Easter

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Children of God, siblings of Christ: The Holy Spirit has called and gathered us here. Let us worship together.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 5:30pm Saturday Praise and Worship Service, at the 8:15am Traditional Sunday Service; the 10:30am Contemporary Service.

There will be NO 5:30pm Monday Evening Worship this week.

[The Sunday Contemporary, Saturday Praise and Worship and the Monday Night Service offer 'Walk Through' Communion and 'Rail' Communion at the 8:15am Sunday Service.]

We invite all who are members of THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD congregations to join us at the Lord's Altar for Holy Communion this day. If you have not previously communed at St. John's, please read our statement on Close(d) Communion on the back of the bulletin, if you have further questions please direct them to the Pastor(s), or an Elder prior to communing. Please fill out a communion Registration card, including the name of your home church, and hand it to the usher as you go up to Communion.

OUR WORSHIP THIS WEEKEND

WORSHIP NOTES	Sat. 5:30pm	Sun. 8:15am	Sun. 10:30am
Order of Service:	Power Point	Divine Service I; p. 151	Power Point
Opening Hymns:		LSB 826 Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying	
Hymn of the Day:		LSB 842 Son of God, Eternal Savior	
Distribution Hymns:		469, 490, 556	
Closing Hymn:		LSB 680 Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise	
The Lessons:	The First Reading:	Acts 16:9-15	Pew Bible p. 925
	Epistle:	Revelation 21:9-14, 21-27	Pew Bible p. 1041
	Holy Gospel:	John 5:1-9	Pew Bible p. 890

Serving in the Lord's House:

Preacher: Rev. Joshua Frazee: "The Lord Opens Our Hearts" *Acts 16:9-15*

Liturgist: Rev. Mark Culter:

	5:30pm	8:15am	10:30am
Elders:	Lloyd Breslow	Douglas Johnson	Douglas Johnson
Ushers:	(5:30) Team 3 J. Dobbratz, C. Brockhaus, B. Christian, G. Gassner, N. Gassner, G. Margelofsky (8:15) Team 4 C. Wendorf, L. Breslow, R. Schroeder, D. Hintz, J. Moede		

Music Leaders: Pastor Cutler

Video Taping: Anna / **Power Point Presenters:** Dave

Altar Guild: May 24-30 Team 4 – S. Krapfl, R. Krapfl, C. Schellpfeffer, C. Rosin

For those who need listening assistance: St. John's has head phones and a wireless device that works with hearing aids, Ushers will be of assistance. Large print additions of the worship service are also available. Contact an usher Please return LARGE PRINT worship folders to the ushers. *changed weekly. Rest rooms are located in the church Narthex, downstairs in the Fellowship Hall hallway; and in the office complex. Baby changing stations are located in the Narthex restroom and downstairs in the Fellowship Hall Hallway next to the bubbler in the Ladies restroom.

Reaching, Teaching & Sharing the GOSPEL

Acts 16:9 – “And a vision appeared to Paul in the night: a man of Macedonia was standing there, urging him and saying, ‘Come over to Macedonia and help us.’ ” God does all the saving of the Macedonians, but He does it through the ministry of St. Paul who was called to go and help them out. How is the Lord calling you to use your gifts for His work?

In our prayers we remember:

Because of ongoing health conditions please keep the following people in prayer:

Mike Bonnett, Lilian Zagar, Emily Rassmann, Christine Zimmel, Jeanine Streblow, Elaine Finke, Marie Pusateri, Diane Moede, Nancy Zastrow, and all those we hold dear in our hearts.

We pray for our shut-ins, and all those unable to attend worship services ~ *Phyllis, Joyce, Janice, Margareta, Karen, Phyllis, Elinor, Jerry, Gloria, Jeanine, Eunice, Dale and Betty.*

We pray for our nation in crisis; including all those bombarded with the controversial non-biblical culture in today's world; all those on the front lines – teachers, medical personnel, EMT's, firefighters, law enforcement, including: *Officers Joshua Stuckenberg, Matthew Howell, and Jared Feucht*

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The people and humanitarians affected by war and weather travesties.

We pray for the family and friends of Sig Semrau (father of Heidi (Dale) Weiss), who entered his eternal home, May 18, 2025.



As the world honors this Memorial weekend, we remember the cost of it all: their great sacrifices for freedom. We thank you for the brave men and women who have fought, and continue to fight, so courageously for our nation.

Wishing ‘Birthday Blessings’ to those celebrating their Birthdays this week

May 25	Susan Stark, Robert Schroeder, Anthony Giese
May 26	Kay Koenitzer, Jaxson Reklau, Briggs Legas
May 27	Angelika Bender, Marie Pusateri, Natasha Bertel, Leah Lagerman
May 28	Ardis Puls, Jason Liebenow
May 29	Lois Hintz, Karen Wendt, Dawn Wiseman, Jaime Puls, Olivia Krueger, Dutch Machmueller
May 30	Eugene Gassner, Philip Krueger
May 31	Kristy Gourlie, Ella Tilloou

Praise and Thanksgiving for all those celebrating Wedding Anniversaries

May 25	Megan & Richard Sexton (1)
May 27	Richard & Julie Roemer (19), Kathleen & Michael Vey (8)
May 31	Dave & Arlesse Groth (39)

generations will be Told the Good News About Jesus at St.
John's Lutheran Church & School.

JOYFUL JOURNEY BIBLE READNGS ~ (Reading the Bible in One Year all the way through)

Sunday	May 25	Nehemiah 4-6	Monday	May 26	Nehemiah 7
Tuesday	May 27	Nehemiah 8-9	Wednesday	May 28	Nehemiah 10-11
Thursday	May 29	Nehemiah 12-13	Friday	May 30	Esther 1-5
Saturday	May 31	Esther 6-10	Sunday	June 1	Job 1-4



Guests about Holy Communion



WE PRACTICE CLOSE(D) COMMUNION ~ St. John's is a member of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod which practices Close(d) Communion. We strive to follow the Scriptural teachings of the Sacrament of the Altar as closely as possible. The practice of Close(d) Communion attempts to make sure that all those who come to this Altar publicly confess **ALL** that is believed and taught at this congregation

Out of love for everyone partaking of the Sacrament, we attempt to put into practice the words of St. Paul in 1 Corinthians 11:27-30, *"Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of profaning the body and blood of the Lord... For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself."*

St Paul also says in 1 Corinthians 11:26 *"For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes."* Attending the Lord's Table is a public confession of what you believe. St. John's acknowledges the difference in beliefs and respects those of different denominations. If you are of a different confession or do not know our confession, we ask you to respect our practice of Close(d) Communion and please refrain from partaking at this time.

Attempting to stay faithful to the scriptures, the center cups in each communion tray contains heavily diluted wine for those who may struggle with alcohol. Individually wrapped gluten free wafers are available for those with gluten intolerance. If you are in need of a gluten-free wafer or have a severe physical reaction to any alcohol, please let the pastor (s) know so that they can show loving pastoral care and adequate preparation for your participation in the sacrament.

Please place your communion card in the receptacle (plate) as you walk through the communion line. IF you are a pew communicant, please hand to an Usher or the Elder as you enter church.

Our Love for the Savior Monthly Attendance

April attendance 2025 = 1253 (4 Sat / 4 Sunday 8:15 & 10:30-Includes Palm Sunday, Easter Sunday special times / 3 Mon)

April attendance 2024 = 943 (4 Sat / 4 Sunday 9:00; 4 Mon)

Our Love for the Savior Last Week Attendance * () indicates Communion attendance

Saturday 5:30 – 139 (63)

Sunday 8:15 – 230 (121)

Sunday 10:30 – 26 (14)

Monday 5:30 - 34 (34)

=429

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May Memory Verse

“All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord, and all your saints shall bless you!” ~ Psalm 145:10