



# ST. JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Lutheran Hour: Sundays at 6:30 a.m. 600 WMT

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April 19, 2026

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Organist:	Debbie Pladna
Elders Early:	Dave Reynolds, Kurt Flathers
Ushers Early:	Calvin Lange, Rick C., Jon M.
Acolyte Early:	Elder
Elders Late:	Tom Hardersen, David Becker
Ushers Late:	Tom McHugh, Kevin M., Peter Sirna
Acolyte Late:	Ben Leslie

## WELCOME TO ST. JOHN

We welcome all visitors in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. May God bless our time together. We ask that you sign our guest register in the entryway.

## ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers today, are to the Glory of God from Mark & Patti Schroeder in thankfulness for family.

## PASTOR'S SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

We meet Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome.

-April 19: Eliphaz Accuses: Job 15 (Second Cycle)

## PRESCHOOL SOURDOUGH FUNDRAISER

A fundraising opportunity brought to you by Jaime Schmidt and her business Blessings Garden Sourdough! **Orders are due TODAY.** Please plan to pick up your items after service on Sunday, April 26th.

## TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY WITH PASTOR

Our Tuesday Bible study is working through Paul's Epistle to the Romans. We have two class options at 9:30 a.m. or 7:00 p.m.

-April 21: It Depends on Faith Romans 4:13-25

## BAPTISMS

Kinnick Robert Edward, Carver Elbert Ron, and Kinlee Ann Marie Rodriguez were baptized into God's family yesterday. They are the children of Cole & Erica Rodriguez.

## BAPTISM

Today at late service, Barrett Floyd Thomas will be baptized into God's family. Barrett is the son of Mark & Alisse Thomas.

## OUR SCHEDULE FOR WORSHIP, STUDY AND WORK:

- Sunday - **Third Sunday of Easter**  
- 7:45 & 10:15 Divine Service, Holy Communion  
- 9:00 Sunday School, Adult Bible Class, PWYK Class  
- 9:00 Pastor Pool's Class
- Tuesday - 9:30 Tuesday Bible Study with Pastor  
- 7:00 Tuesday Bible Study with Pastor
- Wednesday - **Camil is Out of the Office**  
- 5:30 Family Night  
- 7:00 Confirmation Class
- Thursday - **Camil is Out of the Office**
- Friday - **Camil is Out of the Office**
- Saturday - 8:30 LWML Spring Rally at St. John
- Sunday - **Fourth Sunday of Easter**  
- 7:45 & 10:15 Divine Service, Holy Communion  
- 9:00 Sunday School, Adult Bible Class, PWYK Class  
- 9:00 Pastor Pool's Class

## OUR WORSHIP, STUDY, AND GIVING LAST WEEK:

Church Attendance Last Sunday: Early 50; Late 75: Total 125  
Staff 7; Sunday school 17; Bible Study 2; Pastors Class 15; Total 41  
Offerings: Current \$6,016.55; District & Synod \$85; Building Fund \$175; Scholarship \$10; Script \$3,725; Higher Things \$529; Other \$212.50

## FAMILY NIGHT

Family Night meets on Wednesday, April 22 at 5:30 p.m. Donations of food and help in the kitchen are needed. You can find more information and a volunteer sign-up sheet in the fellowship hall. Thanks!

## CONFIRMATION

The last two Confirmation classes for this year are on Wednesday, April 22 & 29 at 7:00 p.m. Confirmation Sunday will be on Sunday, May 3 at the 10:15 a.m. service.

## LWML CLINTON ZONE SPRING RALLY

The Lutheran Women Missionary League Clinton Zone Spring Rally is this Saturday, April 25. Registration and fellowship begin at 8:30 with rolls, coffee, and juice. The Bible Study will be led by Pastor Pool. The speaker, Rebecca Ernst, will be sharing her experiences serving with MOST Ministries on a short-term mission trip distributing eyeglasses in Belize. For the In-Gathering we will be collecting used eyeglasses for adults and children in good condition, non-prescription sunglasses, and soft eyeglass cases or monetary donations. All ladies are welcome.

## CAMIL OUT OF THE OFFICE

Camil will be out of the office on Wednesday, April 22, Thursday, April 23, and Friday, April 24 for her daughter, Erica's wedding.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday Nolan Lange, Darrell Jackson, Rachele Susie, Darlene Paysen.

## FREE CONCERT

You are cordially invited to attend a complimentary musical performance by Mark Hagen this Saturday, April 25 at 1:00 p.m. at the church pavilion. The event will showcase a medley of 50s, 60s, soft rock, bluegrass, country, and pop gospel. An additional microphone will be available for you to sing along. Some seating is available but feel free to bring a lawn chair.

## HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

If you have a senior who will be graduating from high school this year, please let Camil know. Also, please bring in a senior picture and any other graduation info that you would like to share on a bulletin board.

## HAVE YOU REGISTERED FOR THE 2026 LWML CONVENTION?

The convention will be held at the Graduate Hotel, 210 S. Dubuque St. in Iowa City on June 12-13. Join your LWML Iowa District East sisters to participate in your choice of servant activities, hear inspirational speakers, help fill the Mite Water Bucket and more! Registration is through May 1. <https://lwml-ied.org/2026-iowa-east-district-convention>

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR – ALL CHURCH POTLUCK MAY 3

The Board of Evangelism will be hosting an all-church potluck after late service on Sunday May 3. The Board will be providing coffee and lemonade. Members are asked to bring a hot and cold dish to share. There will also be a sign-up sheet for volunteers in the fellowship hall soon.

## LIFE QUOTES FROM LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

“Sin has made an impact on human conception: Babies are conceived that the parents do not want, and parents who desperately want children do not conceive. Yet, I do not believe for one moment that there is ever an unplanned pregnancy. God personally knows every child even before conception. He has a plan to create, redeem and call that child into a relationship with Him.” *Barbara Lane Geistfeld, DVM*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Sunday, April 26: Acts 2:42-47; 1 Peter 2:19-25; John 10:1-10