

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*January 22, 2023*

Church  
News

AND

Prayer  
Request 

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### *Fourth Week of January*

Sun. Jan. 22	Worship Service	10:00 am
	Children's Church	During Service
	Confirmation Class	After Service
Mon. Jan. 23	Council Meeting	6:00 pm
Tue. Jan. 24	Lion's Club	6:30 pm

### *Week of January/February*

Sun. Jan. 29	Worship Service	10:00 am
	Children's Church	During Service
Fri.-Sat. Feb. 3-4	Remembering Nancy	

### *First Week of February*

Sun. Feb. 5	Worship Service	10:00 am
	Children's Church	During Service
	Annual Congregational Meeting	After Worship
Mon. Feb. 6	Food Pantry	10:00 am-12:00 pm
Sat. Feb. 11	VOW22 Hike	8:00 am-4:30 pm



### **As of print time January & February flower donors are:**

**January 29**, Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN

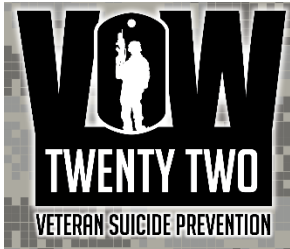
**February 5**, Vase 1, Richard Kolonko, in memory of Richard Kolonko Sr. birthday, Vase 2, Carol Sebesta, in memory of her mother Bobbie Freeman

**February 12**, Vase 1 Beverly Kolonko, in celebration of Super Bowl, Vase 2, James & Noreen Heck, in honor of granddaughter Elizabeth Hecks birthday

**February 19**, Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN

**February 26**, Vase 1, Richard Kolonko, in memory of Richard & Wilhelmia, Sr. wedding anniversary

Altar flowers are paid for by donations from members in celebration of birthdays, anniversaries, or in memory of loved ones. Please consider signing up to sponsor altar flowers throughout the coming year. You are welcome to take them home after the service when you sponsor the altar flowers. If you wish them to be donated please let the church office know. Thank you!



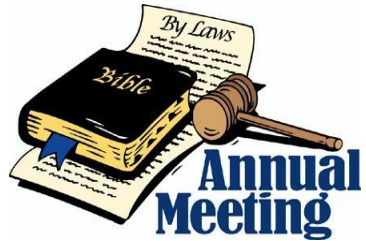
## **VOW 22 Veteran Suicide Prevention Hike**

Saturday February 11, 8:00 am-4:30 pm will be the annual Veteran Suicide Prevention Hike at the Lake Jackson Civic Center. Vendor and Veteran Resource booths will open at 8:00 am, Opening

Ceremonies at 10:00 am with Veteran only photo and step off following. This a family friendly event for all ages, including bounces houses, food trucks, career fair and live band at the after party. If you are interested in sponsoring this event or need more information contact Amanda Boykin at [amanda@vow22.org](mailto:amanda@vow22.org).

## **February 5, 2023 Annual Congregational Meeting**

Sunday February 5, after the worship service we will be holding our annual meeting where the Annual Report will be reviewed. Please submit your reports to the office as soon as possible for the Annual Report.



## **Giving Statements**



If you would like a copy of your giving statement for 2022 please email the church office. 2022 giving statements can be printed or emailed to you.

## Giving Envelopes

Giving envelopes are in! Please pick up your envelopes from the pink and purple baskets on the table in the kitchen. If you don't have envelopes and would like them please let Amanda Boykin know and she will get a set assigned to you. Thanks!



## WELCA Garage Sale



WELCA has picked Saturday April 1<sup>st</sup> as the date for the garage sale. Please let JoAnn Fuchs know if you will be able to help that day. We will be setting up the whole week before.

**January 29**

**READER**  
**ASSISTING MINISTER**  
**CANTOR**  
**USHERS**  
**COUNTERS**  
**SUNDAY SUPERVISOR**  
**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

Mary Schulze  
Patrick Henry  
Preston Brown  
Preston Brown & Don Fuchs  
Pat Hines & Becky Branch  
Preston Brown  
Amanda Boykin

### ***Please help us keep Saint John's prayer list current!***

*If you notice that any of the information in the Prayers or calendar is incorrect or missing please contact the office so that changes can be made and updated. Thanks for your help. Amanda Boykin*



- *Pray for our veterans struggling with PTSD, that they will find help & healing.*
- *Command Sargent Major Robert Hartzog, nephew of Cindy Ritz, is being deployed to Kuwait.*
- *Seth Collard, Lt. Carl Cringle, Kenny Hankins, CSM Robert Hartzog, Alex Hernandez, Jose Hernandez, Tracy Jones, Johnny*

Ruttan, Drake Smitherman, ETSN Jason Smitherman, Kyle Stahlecker, Garrett Wandel, Cpl. Nicolas White

### **Prayers for those in ministry**

- The congregation of St. John Lutheran Church, Pastor Pete and the congregation of St. Peter Lutheran Church in Bay City. Prayers for St. Peter Church in Bay City as they navigate their new direction.

### **Prayers for those in our community**

- First responders, fire fighters, police men and women to protect and serve the community with justice for all.
- Doctors, nurses, and EMT's; to find the courage to continue fighting this virus and to help keep all in need safe.
- Teachers, Staff, Students and School personnel to find a balance that will educate the next generation.

### **Prayers for our Country**

- National leaders
- State leaders
- Community leaders

***Italicized represents newly added or updated prayers.***



**MEMBERS:** of St. John Lutheran Church

- Jane Boehm, will be moving into an assisted living facility closer to family.
- Thomas Harris, doctors said everything is healing well and he now just has to wear a boot and keep his weight off of it.
- Jan Janosky, was able to return home, please keep her in your prayers for recovery and healing.
- Richard Kolonko, had a procedure done on 10/04 for prostrate treatment.

- Debra Rodriguez, who is still dealing with her back problems.
- Patrick Walters, prayers of thanks to the Lord for healing Patrick's surgery wound!

**FAMILY:** of St. John Lutheran Church

- Denice Bailey, sister-in-law of Preston & Judy Brown, receiving chemo for stage IV breast cancer.
- Carolyn Cernoch, sister of Beverly Kolonko, had her hysterectomy on 12/27 and is at home resting.
- Grace Hines, sister-in-law of Pat Hines she has bone cancer and is still receiving chemo, however she is now suffering with dementia.
- Maureen Huffman, grandmother of Marina & Madison, cervical cancer has potentially returned, surgery on heart is scheduled as well.
- Ronnie Kaiser, cousin of Charles Schulze, has stage 4 prostate cancer.
- *Henrietta Machacek, aunt of Beverly Kolonko, heart valve replacement procedure went well, prayers for rest and healing.*
- David Mattson, brother of Ruth Brown, who was diagnosed with liver cancer.
- Marlyn McClure, sister of Sharon Seibert, she is doing better but continues to need your prayers for health issues, she's confined to bed and can no longer walk.
- Kathy McManus, cousin of Richard Kolonko, who was diagnosed with breast cancer, prayers for the next steps with her doctors.
- Clinton McPhaul, nephew of Nancy & Richard Davis undergoing treatment of throat cancer. Prayers for healing & strength.
- Dustin Page, great nephew of Disa Schulze, is still in the hospital, having to learn to walk and talk all over, issues with his sight as well, has a long recovery road ahead of him, please continue prayers of healing.
- Oscar Trujillo, cousin of Beverly Kolonko, who injured his eye. Surgery was performed and a more may be needed to return his sight, prayers for healing.
- Tommy Vacek, cousin of Beverly Kolonko diagnosed with MS.

- Joy Vigers, mom of Andrea Schulze, blockage to her only kidney, prayers for healing.
- *Henry Voldan, brother of Beverly Kolonko, who is having an angiogram of his heart.*
- Danny Walters, brother of Patrick Walters, as he adjusts to the life of a widower with his cancer in remission and the unknowns of PTSD.
- Debra Ward, sister-in-law of Alice Harrington, is recovering from an accident.

**FRIENDS:** of St. John Lutheran Church

- *Steve Bradford and two workers were badly burned after a refinery explosion.*
- Ana Eberspacher, former student of Tessa Williams, has leg cancer.
- *Ray Eby, friend of the Henry's and former Angleton coach and teacher, is in ICU at Brook Army Hospital after a bad wreck.*
- Carla Gager, friend of Beverly Kolonko, who has pancreatitis, hasn't been able to eat, and is bed ridden.
- Moni Gekler, friend of Beverly Kolonko is still dealing with the loss of her eye sight.
- Robin Jennings, friend & co-worker of Tessa Williams, going through treatments for cancer.
- Lisa Menard, special friend of Disa Schulze, having bad side effects from chemo.
- Bill Olbrich, friend of Alice Harrington, coping with life conditions.
- Barbara Sharp, co-worker of Disa Schulze, illness of mom & mother-in-law.
- Rita Stallberg, friend of the Kolonko's, is back at St. Luke's Hospital but will be coming home to 24 hour care or a nursing facility soon.
- Jessi Stock, friend of Jacquelyn Boyd, has COPD and stage 4 cancer.
- Louise Stohr, her cancer came back and is doing chemo.
- Pat Sykora, friend of Beverly Kolonko, who was diagnosed with DCIS and had a lumpectomy.
- Adrian Tobar, friend of Beverly Kolonko, diagnosed with a brain tumor, is better but still needs prayers to help his health get better and better. Going from a vibrant 10 year old back to

an infant after his accident 4 years ago.

- Ray Villarreal, friend of Sharon Seibert, cancer is growing again in the colon. Doctors are trying to figure out what can be done if anything. He continues to need prayers.

**Ministry of Music**

Ruth Brown, Music Director

**Property Chair**

Richard & Beverly Kolonko

**Fellowship Chair**

Beverly Kolonko, Coordinator

**Congregational Care**

OPEN

**Prayer Ministry**

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**Mutual Ministry**

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**Altar Guild**

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**2023 Congregation Council**

President	Preston Brown
Vice-President	JoAnn Fuchs
Secretary	Amanda Boykin
Treasurer	Patrick Walters
At-Large	Carol Sebesta
At-Large	Tessa Williams
At-Large	Alice Harrington