

ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 3, 2024

Church
News

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Prayer
Request 

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First Week of March

Sun. March 3	Worship Service	10:00 am
	Children's Church	During Worship
Wed. March 6	Soup & Sandwich	6:00 pm

Second Week of March

Sun. March 10	Worship Service	10:00 am
	Children's Church	During Worship
Tue. March 12	Lion's Club	6:30 pm
Wed. March 13	Soup & Sandwich	6:00 pm
Sat. March 16	Clean Up Day	9:00 am-finished

Third Week of March

Sun. March 17	Worship Service	10:00 am
	Children's Church	During Worship
	BYOB	7:00 pm
Wed. March 20	WELCA	11:00 am
	Prayer Shawl	12:00 pm
	Soup & Sandwich	6:00 pm
Thur. March 21	Council Meeting	6:00 pm



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!

As of print time March flower donors are:

March 10, Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN

March 17, Vase 1, Amy & Dave Kullerd, in memory of Winona Barrow's birthday, Vase 2, James & Noreen Heck, in memory of James' brother Bobby Heck

March 24, Vase 1, Richard Kolonko, in memory of mom Wilhelmina Kolonko's birthday 03/21, Vase 2, Beverly Kolonko, in memory of mom Martha Voldan's birthday 03/21

March 31, Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN

Soup & Sandwich Meals 6:00 pm

On Wednesdays through Lent (February 21-March 20) we will have a mid-week devotional led by Pastor Pete while sharing in fellowship with a Soup & Sandwich meal at 6:00 pm. If you would like to bring soup, sandwiches or a dessert there is a sign up on the credenza.

Clean Up Day Saturday March 16

Mark your calendars to help with a clean up day here at the church. Beverly & Richard will be coming up with a list of things that need attention around the church grounds. Bring whatever tools and/or gloves you think might be useful.



The Friends of the Food Pantry needs



As the Friends of the Food Pantry distribution is on hold right now they will still be collecting non-perishables. They are in need of Rice-a-Roni, canned chili, canned chicken, canned tuna, soups and jelly. Bring your donations and place in the purple cart. As usual if you would like to make a monetary donation make it out to Friends of the Community Food Pantry.

PayPal



If you would like to make your offering to the church through PayPal we have good news. Through PayPal Giving Fund donations can be made without PayPal taking a fee out of what you give to the church. Just use your phone to scan the QR code to the left.

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.*
- Seth Collard, Lt. Carl Cringle, Kenny Hankins, CSM Robert Hartzog, Alex Hernandez, Jose Hernandez, CSM Robert Hartzog, Tracy Jones, Johnny Ruttan, Drake Smitherman, ETSN Jason Smitherman, Kyle Stahlecker, Garrett Wandel
- Prayers for Jose Hernandez, he is being deployed for the next 6 months

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

- Debra Rodriguez, who is still dealing with her back problems.
- *Carol Sebesta, had minor surgery to remove a cyst on her back.*
- Stan Singer, has been diagnosed with congestive heart failure and had a stent put in.

FAMILY: of St. John Lutheran Church

- **Updage* Denice Bailey, sister-in-law of Preston & Judy Brown, has now been placed on hospice.*
- Carolyn Benkula, sister-in-law of Connie Brewer, had back surgery to correct discs rubbing and back pain.
- Kurstie Barnes Davis, goddaughter of Carol Sebesta, has been hospitalized with small blood clots in her lungs.
- Peggy Dodson, JoAnn Fuch's sister, had hip replacement surgery on Thursday 02/22, prayers for healing.
- Wayne Dodson, brother-in-law of Don & JoAnn Fuchs, receiving treatments for severe back pain.
- Ronnie Kaiser, cousin of Charles Schulze, has stage 4 prostate cancer.
- David Mattson, Ruth Brown's brother, after finishing cancer treatments he found out his cancer has returned and metastasized and is now stage 4, prayers for strength and comfort through more treatment.
- 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.

- Tim Pedigrew, uncle of Allison Carter, now has stage 3 kidney cancer, continue prayers of healing.
- Maudine Nevill, Charles Schulze's mother, is now in rehab after an infection.
- Tommy Vacek, cousin of Beverly Kolonko diagnosed with MS.
- J.R. Vasek, cousin of Beverly Kolonko, who was diagnosed with lung cancer.
- **Update* Earl Vicars, Andrea Schulze's dad, got to go home and is doing well.*
- **Update* Mike Vicars, Andrea Schulze's brother, is having less pain and is doing better after the accident.*
- 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.
- *Jackie Walters, Patrick Walters mom, please continue to pray for improvement of her health and strength.*

FRIENDS: of St. John Lutheran Church

Condolences:

- *Donnis Ellis, friend of the Schulze's, passed away last Saturday, prayers of comfort for the family.*
- Allen Ahrens, former member of St. John, had a little toe removed due to infection, has a long road to recovery, please continue prayers.
- Anjanette Barger, friend of Beverly Kolonko, is battling breast cancer.
- Steve Bradford, former member of St. John was hiking in Utah and broke his ankle, had to have surgery and hopes to put weight on it by February.
- *Norman Brown, friend of Beverly Kolonko, had a lung biopsy and part of his lung collapsed. Also has Parkinson's and other health issues, prayers for relief and strength.*
- Carla Gager, friend of Beverly Kolonko, who has pancreatitis, hasn't been able to eat, and is bed ridden.
- Howard Heckathorn, friend of Alice Harrington, multiple hospitalizations with multiple systems.
- *Beth Kern, employee at ACS, had surgery this last Monday*

with a long recovery from Crohn's disease.

- **Update* Margo Masters, friend of the Kolonko's, found a cancerous mass between her gall bladder and liver, was successfully removed and not aggressive, she is doing well.*
- Levi Murphey, friend of Caden Fuchs, his cancer has returned.
- Mabel Silverstein, friend of Beverly Kolonko, who has liver cancer and is receiving chemo.
- Payton, Pat Hines friend's 13 year old daughter, has attempted suicide twice recently and is now under psychiatric care.
- Sunday Strickler, friend of Beverly Kolonko, wasn't able to have a stent put in due to lack of viable tissue, needs lots of prayers.
- Louise Stohr, her cancer came back and is doing chemo.
- Shelly Stroud, daughter of Everett & Delores Stovall, is 50 years old with lots of medical issues.
- 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.
- Carolyn Weatherly, fell and broke her arm on Friday, prayers for healing.
- Peggy Widaman, friend of Beverly Kolonko, possible liver and upper intestines cancer, will be having tests done.

Ministry of Music

Ruth Brown, Music Director

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Beverly Kolonko, Coordinator

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Altar Guild

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