

CONNECTIONS

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH

NOV 23- 29

THANK OFFERING:

Our **Thank Offering** is Today during **worship**. We are so thankful for each and every one of our members. Thank you for your generosity. Your support makes a big difference.

HANGING OF THE GREENS:

Next **Sunday, Nov 30th** will be our **Hanging of the Greens Service!** Please feel free to spread the word! **All are Welcome** to come enjoy this beautiful service.

MORE QUILTS TO LOVE:

St. John's Quilter Ladies would like to say **Thank You** to everyone who has purchased a Quilt this so far this year! If you didn't find the quilt you loved, don't worry, **more quilts are being adding weekly!** Check back in to see if you find your match!

GIVING ENVELOPES SIGN UP:

It's that time of year again! **Sign up for your 2026 Giving Envelopes are on the table in the Narthex.** Please update us on what kind of Envelopes you would like next year, or if you don't want any.

THE STORY

Have information that you would like communicated in the monthly newsletter? Please send items to Mary Larson at thestory.stjohnlutheran@gmail.com

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We Hold In Prayer

Ashlyn Bennett	Marvel Peterson
Ron Swift	Kirsten Becker
Larry Albrecht	Sybil Solting
Darlene Miller	Deb Herber

Hearing Device

Need a personal hearing device? Inquire with one of the Ushers and they will be able to assist you.

Event Pictures

If you have pictures from Church or Community Events that you would like to share, please email them to Anna in the Office!

Homebound Members

David Treanor
Cheryl Bergemann
Audrey Annis
Lynn Simonson
Cathy Pluym

More on
Back!

Upcoming Events

11/23 - Sunday Worship, 9:30am
Thank Offering
11/26 - No Confirmation
11/30 - Sunday Worship, 9:30am
Hanging of the Greens
12/14 - **Christmas Program**

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KIDS AGAINST HUNGER:

Our community will be hosting a **Kids Against Hunger Meal Packing Event** to help feed families in need. We're looking for volunteers to help pack meals and for monetary donations to cover the cost of food ingredients.

Saturday, Nov 29 9am - Noon

Maple River School Commons

Every dollar makes a difference!

To get involved or donate, please contact *Bernie Langworthy 507-340-1671*.

CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS:

St. John's Lutheran is **collecting gifts & donations for Christmas Blessings**.

Checks can be made out to St John's with a memo stating "*Christmas Blessings*".

Thank you for your support!

Thrivent Members can receive a \$250 grant that can be used for things like this! Contact your Agent or Mary or Koni if you have questions.

HOMETOWN CHRISTMAS:

Minnesota Lake -- Saturday, December 6th

(2:00) Bake Sale, Caroling, Door Prize Sign Up @ The KREMER HOUSE

(3:00) Santa Arrives at the Old Mill Park

(4:00) Games, Snacks & Ice Skating at the Park

(4:30) Door Prize Drawings at the Park

(4:45) Tree Lighting at the Park

Sponsored by Mn. Lake Area Historical Society, Lion's Club & Peace Church