

**St. Matthew's Church & School Announcements**  
**October 13 & 14, 2018**



**Preacher & Presiding Minister:** Pastor Matthew Schoell

**Organist:** Linda Berg

**Hymns:** 355, insert, 559 v. 1-2, 421, 125, 416

**Altar Committee:** Sue Gannaway & Sue Berg

**Councilmen on Duty:** Saturday— Bruce Volkmann

Sunday— Jesse Meyer

Next Saturday— Cory Putz

Next Sunday— Jerry Klein

**Ushers:** Saturday – Matt Rupprecht

Sunday – Dennis Rislov

**Greeters:** Saturday — John & Sue Berg

Sunday— Arv & Jan Fabian

Next Saturday— Roger & Mindy Moger

Next Sunday— Bob & Bev Frank

**Last Week**

Attendance: Saturday & Sunday—242

**This Week**

Sunday	9:00 AM	Worship/Communion/Children's Church
	9:00 AM	Worship Service broadcasted on HBC Channel 20
	10:15 AM	Bible Class & Sunday School
	10:15 AM	Handbells
	11:00 AM	Worship Service Radio KAGE 1380AM or 101.5FM
	11:30 AM	Lunch & Cards
Monday	6:30 PM	Congregation Conversations
	7:00 PM	Worship Service broadcasted on Charter Channel 986
	2:30 PM	Sing-a-long at Sauer Healthcare
	6:00 PM	Women's Fellowship Spa Night
Tuesday		Finance #2
	11:00 AM	Communion Service at Sauer Healthcare
	7:00 PM	Senior Choir
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Worship Service broadcasted on Charter Channel 986
	4:00 PM	Public School Catechism
	6:15 PM	Board of Christian Education
	7:00 PM	Worship Service broadcasted on HBC Channel 20
Thursday	8:00 PM	WSU Campus Ministry
		No School
Friday	6:30 AM	Men's Bible Class
		No School
Next Saturday	6:00 PM	Worship
Next Sunday	9:00 AM	Worship
	10:15 AM	Bible Class & Sunday School
	10:15 AM	Handbells
	4:00 PM	Fall Fest

**Financial News**

Weekly Budget for Envelope Offerings: \$7,500

Envelope amount received last week: \$7,230

**St. Matthew's Announcements**

**Baptism** This weekend, Millie Corbyn Bork will be baptized. Millie is the daughter of Justin & Amber Bork. We thank God for making Millie his own dear child.

**Quarterly Voter's Meeting** The Quarterly Voter's Meeting will be on Monday, October 22 at 7:00pm in the church fellowship area. \*\*\*This date is a week later than normally scheduled.

**Club 3:16** will meet on October 21 at 11:30AM in the Club 3:16 room.

**Bookstore** The bookstore now has Thanksgiving cards available for purchase! As always, just 55¢ per card. Please use the drop box for payment.

**Mark Your Calendar for Fall Fest!** St. Matthew's welcomes you, your family, and friends to its Tenth Annual Fall Fest. Please join us on Sunday, October 21, at 4:00 PM. We will carve pumpkins in the boy pioneer room (lowest level of the school) and then have pizza and an ice cream treat. We have fun games and activities planned as well! Please bring carving tools for your pumpkins. The cost is just \$2 per person! This event is sponsored by our Adult Discipleship Committee. If you are interested volunteering your time to help with this event, please contact Robbie Brown.

**LWMS Spa Night** Gals of all ages (children included) please join us for our "Spa Night" on Monday, October 15th at 6:00 in the church basement. Treat yourself to mini manicures, pedicures, and massages after hearing about LWMS and the Apache mission work. Snacks will be served, and a craft will be available. A free will offering will be taken for the Apache Missions. Please sign up in the church narthex if you are interested in coming. We look forward to a fun evening of fellowship!

**LWMS Fall Rally** Everyone is invited to join us for the LWMS Fall Rally at St. John's Lutheran Church in Caledonia on Saturday, Oct. 20th. Registration and coffee is from 8:00-9:00. We will hear from Pastor Sadler about their Mission Journey's trip to Quito, Ecuador. Lunch will be served. If you are interested in carpooling, please sign up in the church narthex. Hope to see you there!

**Adult Fellowship is inviting any St. Matthew's members:** On **Saturday November 3rd** will be traveling to Caledonia for lunch at **The Farmhouse**. We will carpool from church at 10:00 with seating for lunch at 11:00. Sign up on the sheet in the church entryway for a new and fun experience.

**Trunk or Treat** Come join us for the 3rd Annual Trunk or Treat! It will be held in the St. Matthew's parking lot and High Street on Wednesday, October 31 from 3:30pm-7:00pm If you would like hand out candy, you can sign up in the back of church. You can bring your vehicle or use one of our tables. Everyone welcome!!! We are gladly taking donations of candy; there is a bin in the back of church where they can be put. Questions or need more info? Contact Chad Dobberstein @ 715-563-2833 or cjdobberstein@gmail.com.

**Annual Fall Fundraiser** Starting Monday, October 15th, St. Matthew's School will be having their annual Pastry Puffin fundraiser. These tasty treats are \$14 per dozen and come in cinnamon, strawberry cream, blueberry cream, apple, or cherry. We are also selling breakfast and pepperoni pizzas. A box of two pizzas is \$14.50. St. Matthew's School will receive \$6 for

every box of pastries or pizzas that is sold. Profits will go toward technology, classroom funds, & PTO. Order forms are in the office in case you are interested in ordering any of these delicious items! Must be ordered by October 23.

### **Ways to Serve**

**Tuition Assistance** St. Matthew's Student Aid is a fund that is set up to assist the families of our congregation that are in need of financial assistance to attend St. Matthew's Lutheran School. Did you know every quarter, there is a designated envelope in your offering envelopes for St. Matthew's Student Aid? You can use this envelope or any envelope, marked with your name and envelope number, to put in your gift towards Christian education. Thank you for your consideration and support!

**Hurricane Relief** There is considerable damage to churches of the WELS in Florida from the recent storm. If you would like to make a gift to assist rebuilding, you can go to WELS.net and click on Give a Gift. You will be able to direct a gift toward hurricane relief.

### **WELS Announcements**

**Southeast MN OWLS** (Organization of WELS Seniors) will meet on Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at 5:00 PM at Christ Lutheran Church (555 East Ave, Zumbrota, MN 55992) There will be a presentation with pictures by Ken Ebert on a trip to Germany sponsored by Southeast Minnesota OWLS Chapter 76. The meeting will begin at 5:00 PM with pot luck refreshments provided by OWLS members. RSVP is not required. There are no age or membership restrictions for this meeting. Attend if interested. Bring a friend! We look forward to seeing you

**The Berenstain Bears on Stage** is the Luther HS fall Children's Theatre production. Public performance is Sunday, Oct. 14 at 2 PM General Admission seating: \$3 Children and \$5 Adults.

**WELS Seniors Dinner** Area Seniors are invited to Grace Lutheran of Ridgeway on Thursday, October 18, for a potluck dinner. The meal starts at noon. After the dinner and devotion, Terry Stremcha of Stremcha Orchards near Dakota will talk about varieties of apples. All are welcome to come and learn about this familiar local crop. Grace is located on the east side of Ridgeway, right on Highway 12.

**The Coulee Region OWLS** (Organization of WELS Seniors) will be holding their monthly meeting on Thursday, October 18, 2018 at First Ev. Lutheran Church, 400 West Avenue South, La Crosse at 12:00 Noon for a potluck luncheon. Please bring a dish to pass and your own table service. Coffee will be provided. The program will be 316 NOW speaking about our work in China. All church members – men and women age 55 or older – are welcome. Please come for a visit, enjoy the friends you meet, a good lunch, and an excellent program. There will be a free will offering