

St. Matthew's Church & School Announcements
October 20 & 21, 2018



Preacher & Presiding Minister: Pastor Karl Gurgel
Organist: Tricia Bain
Hymns: 492, 194, 559 v. 1-2, 454, 484
Altar Committee: Sue Gannaway & Joyce Kastenschmidt
Councilmen on Duty: Saturday— Cory Putz
 Sunday— Jerry Klein
 Next Saturday— Don Matthees
 Next Sunday— Robbie Brown
Ushers: Saturday – Matt Rupprecht
 Sunday – Dennis Rislov
Greeters: Saturday — Roger & Mindy Moger
 Sunday— Bob & Bev Frank
 Next Saturday— Dan & Angela Bunke
 Next Sunday— Delores Rakstad

Last Week

Attendance: Saturday & Sunday—332 Communed—158

This Week

Sunday	9:00 AM	Worship
	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
	4:00 PM	Fall Fest
	7:00 PM	Worship Service broadcasted on Charter Channel 986
Monday	6:00 PM	Boy & Girl Pioneers
	7:00 PM	Quarterly Voters' Meeting
Tuesday	7:00 PM	Senior Choir
	7:00 PM	Worship Service broadcasted on Charter Channel 986
		Finance #3
Wednesday	4:00 PM	Public School Catechism
	7:00 PM	Worship Service broadcasted on HBC Channel 20
	8:00 PM	WSU Campus Ministry
Friday	6:30 AM	Men's Bible Class
		No School
Next Saturday	6:00 PM	Worship/Communion
		Men of His Word Conference
Next Sunday	9:00 AM	Worship/Communion/Children's Church
	10:15 AM	Bible Class & Sunday School
	10:15 AM	Handbells

Financial News

Weekly Budget for Envelope Offerings: \$7,500
 Envelope amount received last week: \$6,320

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\$20 given to General Fund Memorials from Gene & Luena Pruter in memory of Rev. David A. Fischer. \$100 given to General Fund Memorials from Bruce & Colleen Volkmann in memory of Rev. David A. Fischer.

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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.

It's Time to Play Cards Again! The lunch and cards group will be meeting again on Sunday, November 10, after Bible Class. Please sign up in the back of church. The hosts would appreciate you signing up by Sunday November 3 so they know how much food to prepare.

Luther High School Newsletter Recent copies of *Advocate*, Luther High's newsletter, is available in the back of church.

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

Fall Fest is Tonight! 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.

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 this past Monday, October 15th, St. Matthew's School is having their annual Pastry Puffin fundraiser. These tasty treats are \$13 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 \$13.50. St. Matthew's School will receive \$5 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. Thank you for your support!

Attention Veterans All our veterans are asked to sign the gold sheet in the back of church indicating your military service. We would like to honor our veterans on Veteran's Day.

Meditations The newest edition of Meditations is available in the back of church. Help yourself!

Having Trouble Hearing? St. Matthew's offers hearing assisted devices in the back of church for those who would like a little help hearing our services better. You'll find them to near the single entrance doors to the sanctuary. Headphones are provided but you may also bring your own.



Opportunity to Hear God's Word

New Class Beginning November 4, we will begin a new Bible Class studying the basic truths of the Christian faith through the way we worship. If you've ever wanted to review the basics, ask some questions, or wanted to more deeply understand why we worship the way we do, please join us! This class will also fulfill the requirements for people interested in membership.

Ways to Serve

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.

Church Cleaning is planned for Friday night, 11/09 beginning at 6:00PM until 8:00PM and Saturday morning, 11/10 beginning at 8:00AM until Noon. If you would like to help but cannot make one of those times, you may stop in any time, pick a cleaning item from the list, sign the slip and put it back on the table when you are done. Cleaning slips and supplies will be available starting Monday, November 5.

Like to Eat Pie? Like to Bake Pies? The annual Thanksgiving Pie Sale is coming up after services on November 17th & 18th. If you can bake a pie, please sign up on the sheet in the back of church. Finished pies may be dropped off in the kitchen on the days just prior to the sale. Profits go to our school's hot lunch program. Thank you in advance for supporting St. Matthew's School!

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.

Area Reformation Service
November 4, 2018 2:00 PM
Goodview Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church
Pastor: Pastor David Peters
Liturgist: Pastor Paul Jansen
Organist: John Hemmelman
Adult & Children's Choir
Refreshments & fellowship following the service

Today's bulletin is given by Rick Hauser in memory of Blake Hauser