St. John's Lutheran School
School News
2026-2027 School Year
"Rooted in Christ"

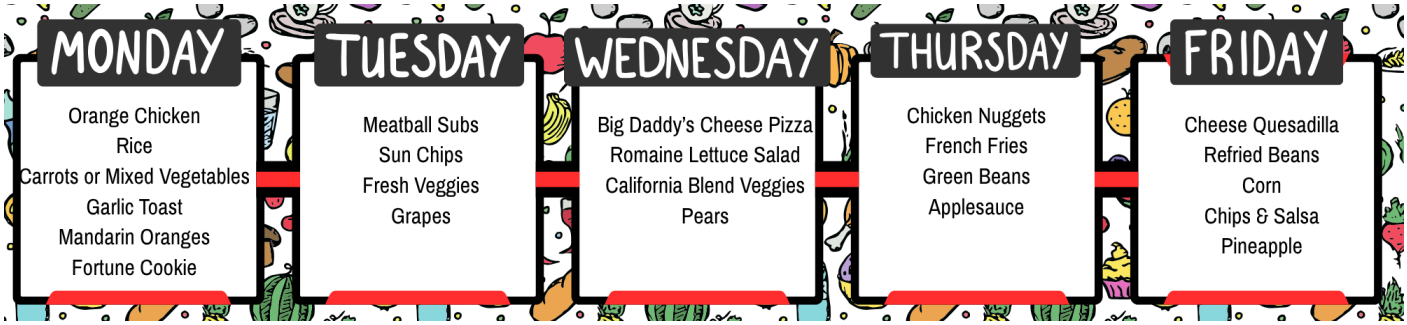
November 13th, 2026



Upcoming Events:

November 17 - OCC Packing Party (5:30-7:00 pm)
November 18 - Camo/Neon Colors Dress Up Day
November 18 - 6th Grade Chapel Message at 6:30pm service @ St. John's Church
November 25-27 - No School - Thanksgiving Break
December 1 - Q2 Mid Term
December 4 - Q2 Mid Term Report Sent Home
December 4 - 5-8 Children's Christmas Service Rehearsal 8:30 am
December 5 - 5-8 Children's Christmas Service 3:00 pm

Lunch Menu -



Message from the Principal -

As we tip off another exciting basketball season at St. John's Lutheran School, we look forward to cheering on our Eagles, celebrating their God-given gifts, and enjoying the excitement and fellowship that come with the game! Athletics provide our students with wonderful opportunities to develop teamwork, perseverance, discipline, and friendships. However, as a Christian school, we recognize that basketball is about much more than wins, losses, or the final score. Our school year theme, Rooted in Christ, reminds us that our faith should be reflected in everything we do, including how we compete. Whether we are making a basket, sitting on the bench, celebrating a victory, or handling a difficult loss, we have an opportunity to glorify God through our attitudes, words, and actions. The true measure of our success is not simply what appears on the scoreboard, but how faithfully we represent Christ throughout the experience.

This responsibility extends beyond our student-athletes to our coaches, parents, and spectators. How we conduct ourselves in the stands is just as important as how our students conduct themselves on the court. Our children are watching and learning from the examples we set. Do

we encourage our athletes and celebrate their efforts, or do we become consumed by mistakes and missed opportunities? Do we demonstrate respect toward opposing teams, coaches, and officials, even when we disagree with a call? Are our words and actions building others up or tearing them down? Colossians 3:17 reminds us, “And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus.” As a school family, may we be known not only for our competitive spirit, but also for our kindness, humility, sportsmanship, and respect. We can compete passionately, cheer enthusiastically, and still demonstrate the love of Christ to everyone around us.

As we begin this season, let us remember that being Rooted in Christ means our character should never change based on the score. There will be exciting victories, disappointing losses, challenging calls, and moments when emotions run high. We will not always respond perfectly, but through God's grace and forgiveness, we have opportunities to learn, grow, and do better. May our players compete with joy, our coaches lead with patience and integrity, and our families cheer with encouragement and respect. Above all, may every game be another opportunity to reflect the love of Jesus and share the Gospel through the example we set. Go Eagles! 🦅🏀

In Jesus,

Mr. Mageski

Parentpulse-

We have completed our second round surveys. We have collected over 60 responses from parents and families. Thank you so much for taking the time to share your valuable feedback. Now what have we done with that? Our plan going forward, and what we have done, is two things:

1. Mr. Mageski has, and will continue to, respond to every comment and feedback shared. We value your feedback and would love to open any dialogue to seek out any areas of improvement and explore tangible solutions together.
2. All constructive feedback is shared with the school board at our monthly meetings. We will explore all comments and evaluate what we currently do and what we can improve.
    a. For example, the largest topics shared in our feedback dealt with bullying and financial transparency/tuition cost. As a result, we are already taking actions to emphasize proactive instruction to encourage positive peer relationships rooted in Christian conduct. This is done directly in our religion instruction and furthermore in our SEL instruction. We also have SEL pull outs with small groups as-needed for peer mediation and reconciliation. Furthermore, we are utilizing Eagle Check In and Eagle Call to allow students to share concerns in a discreet and direct manner. Lastly, we are enforcing our bullying policies and take proper steps to administer consequences when we believe bullying is exhibited. In regards to financial transparency, we are currently working on a very detailed layout on our website that breaks down our school’s operational costs, how much money we bring in through tuition, WI Choice, SNSP, and congregational support. We hope this casts a light on how affordable we have tried to keep our tuition; while also emphasizing the financial obstacles we still face.

Volunteer Skill & Interest Sign-Up Form-

We're excited to introduce a new way for families to get involved at St. John's! The School Board is creating a "task force" volunteer system for the 2026–2027 school year, allowing families to contribute their unique skills, interests, and expertise on specific projects - without the commitment of full-time board service. Whether you can lend a hand occasionally or more regularly, all time served on these task forces will count toward volunteer hours (if applicable). Your support plays a vital role in strengthening our school, church, and childcare ministry, and we truly value any time you are able to give.

https://form.jotform.com/261033836981057

"From the Eagle's Nest"- (Updates from the Principal/School Board)

As part of our commitment to transparency and collaboration, the principal and school board will be sharing weekly/monthly updates with families. These updates will highlight new and upcoming changes, dialogues currently taking place, considerations under review, and any concerns being addressed. Our goal is to bridge communication between school leadership and our families so that we can work together with unity and understanding. By keeping you informed, we hope to build trust, invite healthy dialogue, and ensure that every step forward is guided by our shared mission to nurture students in Christ-centered excellence.

1. We are currently creating a new "pop-up" merchandise shop that we will roll out occasionally and at different events. Keep an eye out for some fun new items. There will be limited stock with these items, but we can always order more!
2. We are actively taking steps to quote new bleachers in our gym. Our goal is to purchase new bleachers by the end of the 2026-2027 school year and install them over the summer of 2027.
3. Right now our school board is going to be discussing possible services we can explore to collaborate with homeschool families and students. More information to come.
4. We will be providing a weekly/monthly Youtube channel that Mr. Mageski will provide updates and shout outs for things going on at SJLS and in our ministry.
    a. Channel: https://www.youtube.com/@PrincipalSJLS
    b. If you would like to join me for an interview, I would love to have you on our weekly video.
5. We would like to share that Mrs. Travis will not be returning to SJLS for the 2027–2028 school year, as a change in her husband's employment will require their family to relocate to Iowa. For over 10 years, Mrs. Travis has been a cornerstone of our middle school, and words cannot begin to express how deeply she will be missed by our students, staff, and families. In true Mrs. Travis fashion, her love and dedication to SJLS remain evident as she has graciously provided us with ample time to prepare for this transition and find the right individual to continue serving our students. As we look ahead, we will be forming a Call Committee to prayerfully begin the search for a new teacher for the 2027–2028 school year. If you are interested in serving on this committee and helping guide this important process, please reach out to Mr. Mageski. We ask that you keep Mrs. Travis and her family, our school, and this upcoming call process in your prayers as we trust in God's guidance and plans for the future of SJLS.

While we could go on about all the amazing things taking place, we pray these glimpses give an insight into the many major items under consideration or current projects. We are excited to continually make improvements to glorify God and provide the very best for our students, families, and staff.

Mr. Mageski & the SJLS School Board

Messages from the Office-

📣 Friendly Reminders for SJLS Families!

To help keep our students safe and ensure we know who is entering and leaving our building, we would like to remind families of a few important school procedures.

📌 **Dropping Off Items During the School Day**

- If you are dropping off items for your child during the school day, please stop in the school office first.
- Parents and guardians should not go directly to their child's classroom. Our office staff will make sure the items get to your child.

📌 **Student Early Dismissal & Sign-Out Procedures**

- 4K–4th Grade: Students must be signed out by a parent or guardian in the school office before being dismissed.
- 5th–8th Grade: Students may sign themselves out in the school office as long as we have received parent/guardian consent by phone or email.

📌 **Early Dismissal for School Events & Athletics**

- When students need to leave school early for a school-related event, such as athletics, Mrs. Krueger or Mrs. Marquardt will sign them out as long as parent/guardian consent has been received by phone or email.

❤️ Thank you for your cooperation and understanding! These procedures are in place to help ensure the safety of our students, maintain accurate attendance records, and keep our school day running smoothly.
We appreciate your continued support in keeping SJLS a safe and welcoming place for everyone!

Missed Work due to Illness-

We are trying something new to make picking up missed schoolwork **more efficient and organized** for our families and teachers!
We now have a designated **Missed Work Cubby located in front of the school office**. This cubby will be used for **students who are absent due to illness** and whose parents have requested to pick up their missed assignments, books, and other resources.
If your child is home sick and you would like to pick up their missed work, please **contact the school office by 10:30 AM** to make your request. The office will notify your child's teacher(s), and their materials will be gathered and placed in the cubby for pickup **after 2:00 PM**.
If your child has a sibling who is in attendance, we can also send the missed work home with their sibling. **This must also be requested through the school office by 10:30 AM.**
Please keep in mind:

- You **must contact the school office by 10:30 AM** to request missed work. Materials will not automatically be gathered for every absence.
- Missed work will be available for pickup **after 2:00 PM**. This allows teachers adequate time during the school day to gather the assignments, books, and resources your child needs.
- This procedure is specifically for **illness-related absences** and does **not** apply to students missing school due to vacations or other planned absences.
- As a reminder, students are given **the same number of school days they were absent to complete their missed work**. For example, if a student is absent for two school days, they will have two school days to complete their missed assignments upon returning.

We hope this new system makes it easier for families to receive everything their child needs while also helping our teachers and office staff keep missed work organized.
Thank you for your cooperation and for helping us make this new process successful!

📱 Skyward Mobile App

We now have the Skyward Mobile App ready and available for families to use!
To connect your Skyward account to the mobile app:

1. Go to your phone's App Store or Google Play Store.
2. Search for Skyward and download the app.
3. Open the app and select Add Account.
4. Select Postal Code and enter 53050.
5. Select St. Johns Lutheran School – Mayville, WI.
6. Enter your Skyward Username and Password.
7. Add an account description (such as your name or "St. John's").
8. Select Add Account and follow the remaining instructions to finish linking your Skyward account.

Once connected, you'll be able to access your Skyward account right from your phone!
If you have any questions or need help getting connected, please reach out to Mrs. Krueger. 😊

💪 Health – Let's Stay Healthy!

A healthy body means a happy, ready-to-learn kid! 😊 Please remind your children of a few simple ways to stay healthy:
🧼 Wash those hands – Keep those germs away!
💧 Drink plenty of water – Keep your body hydrated and happy!
🥦 Eat healthy foods – Give your body the fuel it needs to grow, learn, and play!
Small healthy habits make a BIG difference! Let's keep our bodies strong, our hands clean, and our water bottles full! 💙

The Eagle Exchange-

We're excited to introduce a new way to share, reuse, and show our SJLS pride! The Eagle Exchange will be a mobile merchandise cart that will pop up throughout the year in our upper and lower lobbies, at sporting events, school activities, and other special events.
To help us get started, we need your gently used SJLS gear! If your family has St. John's shirts, sweatshirts, hats, or other SJLS apparel that has been outgrown or is simply no longer being

used, we would love to give it a new home. We are looking for items that are clean and lightly used to like-new condition.
Donated items will be available through the Eagle Exchange at a discounted price, giving other Eagles a chance to show their school spirit while giving great SJLS gear a second life! All proceeds will go directly back into sustaining the Eagle Exchange and purchasing new merchandise to continue promoting SJLS pride.

📦 Donations can be dropped off at the school office.
Start checking those closets and drawers—we'd love your help stocking the shelves before the Eagle Exchange makes its debut!
Wear it. Share it. Support SJLS.

Student Council-

Operation Christmas Child is in full swing!

Please see the attached info packet attached via email and copies were sent home.

Our goal is 500 boxes that we want to fill at the packing party on November 17!

Next meeting: No meeting in December

O.C.C. Packing Party: November 17th, 5:30-7:00PM

Friendzy Corner (SEL Social Emotional Learning)-

We are a couple weeks into our next Friendzy catchphrase! When we say "catchphrase", we are meaning a simple and easy-to-remember phrase to remind us of a tool we can use during challenging times, help us be good friends, and increase our social emotional intelligence.

This month's catchphrase is "Stress Less-Breathe Easy". Referring to Matthew 6:26-27 and 1 Peter 5:7 (I encourage you to look these scriptures up with your child), we have been talking about how we are more valuable to God than the birds, and he provides for them–how much more will He provide for us. Knowing this, we have been discussing how you "give all your worries and cares to God…". Giving our worries to God requires trust. But how do we trust in God? We trust Him through getting to know him by praying to Him and reading the Bible.

PARENT ACTION: Try this at home! Ask your child these 2 questions:

How do you know that God will meet your needs and answer your prayers?
Because the Bible says that He provides for the birds, which are less valuable than us.

What do you know is true about God?
Because of the Bible, we know that God is our provider, our healer, our comforter, and so much more!

Chapel-

Chapels are typically every Wednesday morning at 8:10am.
You are more than welcome to join us! The first chapel of the month our Chapel Families sit together with their partners & we do a Noisy Can for our offering collection. Everyone brings change to put in the can, as it is passed, and then they give it a noisy shake.

❤️ **Our Chapel Offerings Are Making a Difference!**
This year, our **Chapel Offerings** will support two wonderful organizations:

🌍 **Christ's Care for Children: Kenya**
Supporting children and families in Kenya while sharing the love of Christ.
Children in the **Christ's Care for Children: Kenya** program live at Project 24 facilities while attending school and church throughout the year. For $1,080 per year, sponsors help provide food, shelter, education, and opportunities for a child to learn important life skills such as farming, cooking, caring for animals, and maintaining their homes. The children also grow in their faith through daily devotions, Bible study, choir, and catechesis, becoming active and contributing members of their church and community.

⭐ **Gold Star Trail**
Supporting a meaningful local effort that honors and remembers our fallen heroes while bringing our community together. The **Gold Star Memorial Trail** is a hiking and biking trail connecting Mayville, Horicon, Beaver Dam, and the Wild Goose State Trail. It honors local service members who made the ultimate sacrifice, as well as all military service members and their families.
We are excited to have our students participate in giving back and supporting these two great causes throughout the school year.
Thank you for your generous hearts and continued support of our Chapel Offerings! ❤️

Offerings: $297.33

School Board News-

Your 2026-2027 School Board consists of the following members:
Jessica Roecker
Rachel Rodriguez
Dawn McClyman
Kay Koenitzer
Kyle Ellenberger
Charlie Tesch-Chairperson
We have a page on our website to link to the school board minutes. If you have any questions or comments for them, please email them at schoolboard@stjohnsmayville.com
Please continue to pray for all those serving on the school board and on these committees as well as on all our boards. Thank you for your prayers and support.

-Middle School News-

Middle School Student of the Month-

It is always with great pleasure that once a month the middle school team is able to discuss all of the great things that we see in our 5th - 8th grade students. Congratulations to all nominated and especially to the recipients!

*For October, the following students have been nominated and the recipient is named at the end:

Christian Leadership Nominees: Kendalynn B., River H., Sami H., Lincoln K., Zane K., Alyssa P., Gianna V., Savanna W.,
Christian Leadership Recipient: Gianna V.

Academic Achievement Nominees: Haiden C., Charly E., River H., Sami H., Kaylee K., Levi S.,
Academic Achievement Recipient: Levi S.

~Christmas/Advent Service ~

Our Christmas/Advent service will be Saturday, December 5th at 3:00 pm, with the dress rehearsal on the 4th at 8:30 am.

5th Grade News

5th Grade Homeroom- We have finished our poetry unit. Now we are starting Don Quixote and writing a persuasive essay about whether or not his actions are justified. In math, we are multiplying multi-digit decimal numbers. In Social Studies, we learned about the Boston Tea Party and the Declaration of Independence.

The Unit 11 spelling test is next week, Friday. If your child has a speaking part for the Christmas service, that part needs to be memorized by November 23. Each class has group recitations that also need to be memorized. They have all been emailed copies of the scripts.

5th Grade Science- We will have our Chapter 12 test on Tuesday. To study, students can re-read the chapter and study the heart diagram we made. We did a review of the material on Friday. We will then do a mini-unit on gravity and Sir Isaac Newton, which is a 5th-grade NGSS standard for 5th grade.

***Save the Date - Class chapel/church message- April 14th at 8:10 am and 17th at 5:30 pm.**

6th Grade News

6th Grade Homeroom - We are collecting items for Operation Christmas Child. 114 items have been brought in by our class so far. Hoping to get that number up there! Remember to peek at any papers in your child's Friday Folder, take out papers, sign papers and help your child to remember to return the FF on Monday. **Please note that 6th grade leads chapel Wednesday,**

November 18th at 8:10am and then again at 6:30 pm. It is important for all students to be at both services.
*****Save the date - next year's Outdoor Ed. Camp will be September 27-29, 2027!

6th Grade ELA - We are beginning our Greek mythology unit. Students spend the first part of class each day working on vocabulary skills. Students are always encouraged to spend extra time working on their vocabulary. Their next vocabulary quiz is 11/23. In their Interactive Notebook, there is a vocabulary section with a Word of the Day. November reading calendar with the prompt paragraph is due Dec. 1.

6th Grade Science - We'll continue to make element flashcards each day to study for our big element test! That will not be until we get through all of the cards. Students will need to know the element symbols and names. Students now have our Atomic Bohr Model Project! It is due Monday, November 30. This next week, we'll be learning all about the periodic table. M

6th Grade Math - We will be finding the greatest common factor, the least common multiple, and evaluating numerical expressions.

6th Grade Social Studies - 6th grade has been learning about the rulers of Egypt and the Pyramids of Giza. They are learning how Hatshepsut became the first female Pharaoh and how she governed Egypt. They are also learning about how the Pyramids were built and what has been discovered inside.

7th Grade News

7th Grade Homeroom - We have the packing party for Operation Christmas Child coming up this Tuesday! We have also been getting ready for the Christmas/Advent program by memorizing our class recitation. Students who have an acting part that needs to be memorized should be working on that (the script was emailed out to all students). You should have received an email about Merry Basket Delivery, which is something that our 7th and 8th graders do, because we are looking for Merry Basket drivers! :) Please check out it out and let me know if you are in!

7th Grade ELA - One of our big focuses this year is to improve and increase our vocabulary. Students are always encouraged to spend extra time working on their vocabulary. Students spend the first part of class each day working on vocabulary skills. Their next vocabulary quiz is 11/23. In their Interactive Notebook, there is a vocabulary section with a Word of the Day. The November reading calendar with the prompt paragraph is due Dec. 1.

7th Grade Science - We only had class one time last week due to the school/sports picture day. We will learn about non-Mendelian genetics (co-dominance and incomplete dominance) next week. We'll also do a study of pedigrees and how they are used in genetics. Students already have a study guide for a test coming up on Friday.

7th Grade Math - This week we are working on our next unit with rates, ratios, and percentages. We will be exploring some applications to real life such as commission, bank rates, credit card rates, etc. Keep an eye out for a project we will be working on.

7th Grade Social Studies - 7th grade has begun their next Unit on Asia and the Mongolian Empire after their test this Monday. They are working on Doodle notes for the first 4 pages of the chapter which we will review in class.

8th Grade News

8th Grade Homeroom - We have begun collecting for Operation Christmas Child! You are welcome to drop off any collection items in my room by the end of the bookshelf in the hallway. Thank you for donating! Additionally, Pay to Participate will be happening next week! Here is our weekly selfie:



8th Grade ELA - One of our big focuses this year is to improve and increase our vocabulary. Students spend the first part of class each day working on vocabulary skills. In their Interactive Notebook, there is a vocabulary section with a Word of the Day. Their next vocab quiz is November 23rd. The reading calendar with the prompt paragraph is due Dec. 1. We are wrapping up a short unit on literary classics and will be doing them by reading various reader's theater plays.

8th Grade Science - Students each picked a constellation for our projects that we will be researching. We will also do a personal constellation. After constellations, we'll focus on stars. We'll look at star size comparison and learn about the Hertzsprung-Russell Diagram of how we classify stars according to their brightness and temperature in their life cycle.

8th Grade Math-This next week we are starting chapter 3 and getting ready to complete a summative project to practice using functions and modeling mathematical relationships.

8th Grade Social Studies- 8th grade has been working hard on their Civil War Battles Project. Presentations are this Friday. They also read about Gettysburg and Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. We will be continuing on in the chapter on the Emancipation Proclamation after presentations.

Band - Encourage your students to keep practicing their Christmas songs! Also, there is a small error in Skyward with the grading scale that is leading to certain grades showing the wrong letter grade. I am working on resolving this, so do not worry what the letter grade says.

⚽🏐🏀Athletics!!📣🥎👟

🏀 **Basketball Season Is Here!** 🏀

11/13 - Game against Faith
BG @ 4:30, BB @ 5:30, AG @ 6:30, AB @ 7:30

11/16 - Game against CWC
BG @ 4:30, BB @ 5:30, AG @ 6:30, AB @ 7:30

11/23 - Game at Faith
CG @ 4:30, CB @ 5:30

11/24 - Game against St. Stephen's
BB @ 4:15, AG @ 5:15, AB @ 6:15

11/30- Game at St. Jerome
BB @ 4:45, BG @ 5:45, AG @ 6:45

Need to get your volunteer hours in??
Sign Up Here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844ADAA2EA0F58-65379330-stjohns#/

This year, we are really encouraging families to get their athletes involved in helping with concessions. It's a great opportunity for kids to learn responsibility, work together, and support our athletic program!

A few things to know:

- **Athletes ages 10 and older are welcome and encouraged to help!**
- **Athlete volunteer hours count toward your family's athletic volunteer hours.**
- Each athlete must have at least one adult responsible for them while volunteering.
- Ideally, having two adults and two athletes working together makes for a great concessions crew!

I wanted to share a **Concessions Volunteer Video Guide** that we put together to help make volunteering as easy as possible!

Whether you're volunteering for the first time or just need a refresher, this video walks you through everything you need to know to open, run, and close the concession stand. My hope is that this will be a helpful resource so everyone feels comfortable and confident volunteering, even if I'm not there to help.

Concessions Volunteer Video Guide:
Concessions Volunteer Video Guide

I encourage everyone to take a few minutes to watch the video before their scheduled shift. You can also refer back to it anytime you need a reminder!

Upcoming: Eagle Invitational Tournament | January 21–23
This is a big event for our school, and **we will need all hands on deck to make it run smoothly!** There will be plenty of opportunities to help, and we truly appreciate everyone pitching in. A separate SignUpGenius will be sent out as we get closer to the tournament.

📣 **CHEER PRACTICE HAS STARTED!!** 📣
Our cheerleaders are officially getting ready to bring the Eagle Spirit to the games! 🦅❤️🖤
Be sure to watch TEAMREACH for all practice days and times.
We can't wait to HEAR YOU CHEERING LOUD AND PROUD at our games! 📣🏐🏀
LET'S GO, EAGLES!! 🦅❤️🖤

What's happening @ the Youth Center

📣 **After School Hang Out - Open Hours** 📣
The Youth Center is open for students to hang out after school!
WHEN: Open every Monday - Thursday (except early release and days off) from 3:30pm-5pm
WHAT: Quietly hang out, play games, do homework, study, read, grab a drink and snack at The Open Door Coffeehouse Coffee Cart, etc.
WHO: Community students 2nd grade and up.
ADDITIONAL INFO: There is always at least one volunteer present to supervise kids. Please send money if your child wants a snack or drink from the coffeecart. This space is meant to be a quiet and calm place for students to be productive with friends. We discourage loud activities that take a lot of space to respect those who are studying or doing homework.

📣 **Free Tutoring Available - In Partnership with The Open Door** 📣
Tutoring appointments are available for community students
WHEN: Open every Monday-Thursday (except early release and days off) from 3:30pm-4:30pm
WHO: Community students 5K grade through 4th grade.
MAKE AN APPOINTMENT:
https://calendly.com/opendoor-tutoring/3rd-4th-grade-tutoring-appointment?month=2026-11

📣 **Girls Night Out** 📣
We will be hosting a fun, free night for community girls 6th-8th grade - Bring a Friend!
WHEN: Friday, November 20, 2026 5pm - 7pm
WHAT: Bedazzle, Bible Tassles, Snacks, Devotional = FUN
WHO: Community girls 6th-8th grade

Church Happenings-

📖 **Bible Class Opportunites for You!** 📖

Looking for an opportunity to grow in God's Word, connect with others, and strengthen your faith? We have several Bible study opportunities available throughout the week.

Sundays
9:30 AM | Fellowship Hall
9:30 AM | Adult Bible Believers

Mondays
7:30 AM | "Learn How to Pray"
St. John's Church Choir Room with Pastor Behnke.

9:30–11:30 AM | Home Bible Study with Joann Cutler
Topic: The Chosen
Contact Joann at 406-212-7375 for more information.

Tuesdays
9:30 AM | Scripture Seekers Ladies Bible Class
St. John's Church Office Conference Room.

Wednesdays
6:00 AM | "Help Me Understand" Bible Class
St. John's Youth Center (Back Entrance)

10:00 AM | Morning Bible Class
St. John's Church Fellowship Hall

✝️ **What Appeals to You?**
Maybe one of these classes is just what you're looking for—or perhaps you'd like to lead a Bible study of your own! The parsonage living room is available for Bible study groups, and we also have a variety of studies and resources available. Contact the church office 920-387-3568 if you're interested in starting a class or would like more information.
Come grow in God's Word and fellowship with us. All are welcome!

🧤❤️ **Help Us Spread Warmth This Winter!** ❤️🧤
Taking It to the Streets is collecting warm, large-sized gloves and mittens for an upcoming outreach project!
As the colder weather approaches, let's come together to help keep those in need warm this winter. ❄️
Donations of warm gloves and mittens can be dropped off in the church office.
Thank you for your kindness and generosity in helping make a difference in our community! ❤️

🍂 **Taking It to the Streets – Opportunities to Serve-**
Looking for a way to serve others and enjoy some fellowship along the way? **Taking It to the Streets** has several opportunities planned for September through December. Join us for one—or several! Friends are always welcome.

- 🥪 Loaves & Fishes Help | Tuesday, Nov. 17 • 3:00–5:45 PM
Help prepare and distribute approximately **900 meals** at First Lutheran Church in Beaver Dam. Volunteers can carpool or meet at the church.

- 🎶 **50s Sing Along at Hope | Sunday, Nov. 22 • 2:00–3:00 PM**
Put on your singing voice and join us for a fun **50s Sing Along** with the residents at Hope Senior Living/Health & Rehab in Lomira. Bring a friend and stay for fellowship afterward!

- 🎄 **Caroling 2026 | Tuesday, Dec. 8 • Beginning around 4:00 PM**
Share some Christmas cheer through an evening of caroling! Meet at church at **3:40 PM** if you would like to carpool. Wear your Christmas colors and join us afterward at Cardinal Lanes in Mayville for conversation and fellowship.

Everyone is welcome! Contact Barb Haessly in the church office for more details and/or to sign up at 920-387-3568 or barb.haessly@stjohnsmayville.com

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Community Happenings-

Upcoming Events at Living Word High School

Youth Wrestling & Youth Tackle Football Interest Survey

Living Word is exploring two Jr Wolves programs for students from all area schools: beginner wrestling for 2nd-8th graders in January–April 2027 and tackle football for 5th-8th graders in Fall 2027. Interested families can learn more and complete the surveys at lwlhs.com/jrwolves.

8th Graders, Applications Are Open! Or, Schedule your Personal Visit!

Living Word Lutheran High School is accepting applications for next school year! Apply by December 31 to receive a $450 tuition credit toward freshman year. Get started at lwlhs.com/apply.

Middle school families are invited to experience Living Word Lutheran High School through a personal tour or student shadow day. Meet teachers, explore campus, and see what life as a Timberwolf is like! Schedule your visit at lwlhs.com/visit.

Mayville Youth Wrestling Registration Open
Program is open to all kids grades **5K through 8th.**
Ready to Register: Click here for the Online Registration Form
Registration closes on Friday, December 4th .

Mayville Youth Wrestling Club Information Session
Parents, join us to learn more about the program and opportunities for your children!
When: Tuesday, November 10th, 6pm
Where: Mayville Elementary School Cafeteria

Practices will be divided into two groups K-2 and 3-8 grades. Practice schedule will be dependent on the age group. The older group will have Monday practices in December then extended to Mondays and Tuesdays in January/February. The younger group will practice on Mondays in January/February.

Please note: Club wrestling is our community based program which is separate from the Mayville Middle School Team (6th-8th grade). We encourage older wrestlers to do both if they want to get the most out of their wrestling season. The school season first begins in February.

If you have any questions or are unable to attend the session, please reach out!

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