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OUR MISSION

Christ is committed to us, so *through* him we commit to connect families to him through excellence in education...for learning, for life, forever.

May 8, 2022 NEWS

ANNUAL VOTERS MEETING is on **May 22**, at 11:30am.

CALENDAR CORRECTION

Preschool graduation is currently listed at 4pm on May 25 on the church calendar. However, the correct time is at **6pm on May 25**. Please mark your calendars!

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP in the late service is Kait Steckman after completing a course in Christian doctrine. We are grateful to welcome into membership our sister in Christ! Pray for her, for upcoming confirmands, for all of us that we daily and weekly sit at our Savior's feet, hearing his words that are life and keep us alive.

CONFIRMATION is next Sunday, **May 15**, in the 10:30am service. The confirmands will be Jackson Burbach, Brady Ebert, Alexis Griffin, Joey Kegler, Jayk Lauersdorf, Kendra Powers, Hunter Sornson, and Caleb Wiechmann.

ST. JOHN SPRING CONCERT is on **May 11**, at 6:30pm in the gym. All are welcome to attend!

T-SHIRT DECORATING for the Wildcat Olympics will be in the fellowship hall on Tuesday, **May 17**, at 5:45pm until 7pm for school families.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Starting Memorial Day weekend, **May 29**, worship services will be at 9am on Sundays. There is no service on Monday, May 30 (Memorial Day), but Monday night services will continue at 7pm.

THANK YOU to the families of Ruth Yerges and Gordon and Evelyn Wilke, who donated the new benches in front of church in their memory.

OPEN HOUSE FOR PASTOR WILSMANN

We are having an open house for Pastor Wilsman, as he is moving to Manitowoc at the end of May. It will be held at Jerry and Elaine Baumann's house at 535 N. Monroe St. Waterloo, on Saturday, **May 21, 2022**. The time is from 3pm until 7pm. Everyone is invited to stop and visit Pastor Wilsman before he makes his move to Manitowoc. Hope to see you on May 21!

LWMS will meet **May 17**, at 7pm.

LPS JOB OPENING - PART-TIME CUSTODIAN

Luther Preparatory School is seeking a part-time (morning) custodial technician to assist with cleaning, maintenance and repair of school buildings and residences, and upkeep of campus grounds. Interested candidates can go to WELS.net and click on the "Careers" link at the bottom of the page for an application.

LUTHER PREP SUMMER CAMPS

LPS Summer Camps are in full planning mode and we hope to see your children join us! We offer day camps and overnight camps for a variety of sports and for the second year in a row our new Phoenix Adventure Camp! Go to https://www.lps.wels.net/apps/pages/summer_camps for all the details and sign up info!

8TH GRADE ATHLETES WANTED

The Lakeside Warrior summer strength and skills program trains athletes of all sports while helping prevent injuries. The program involves athletic development including: flexibility, strength, foot speed, acceleration, deceleration, change of direction, and jumping. Incoming 9th graders go from **June 6 – July 29**, Mon., Wed., Fri. 7:30am-9am. Join us as often as possible. Sign up online only this year! llhs.org/apps/form/SpeedandStrength

WARRIOR SUMMER CAMPS

Grade-schoolers as young as second grade can work on sports skills at our Warrior summer camps for basketball, football, wrestling, soccer, and volleyball players, plus distance running. And don't forget our STEM camp for grades 5-8! Register soon so you're guaranteed all the goodies that come along with early registration, like t-shirts and balls. See info and registration link at llhs.org/apps/pages/summercamps

MAY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES are available for pick-up in the tract rack.

EARTHQUAKES AND LUTHERAN SCHOOLS IN HAITI

The **May 17** OWLS meeting will give us a look at the five WELS schools in this Caribbean Island which, besides suffering terrible earthquakes, is among the poorest countries in the world. Emily Helmen from "The Branch Lutheran Schools of Haiti" will be with us to show how hundreds of Haiti orphans are provided God's Word, education, and vocational training by almost 40 teachers. It is commonly said that Haiti is "70% Catholic, 30% Protestant, and 100% Vodou." That meeting will be at Salem Lutheran Church, 105 Juneau Street in Lowell. Salem has recently joined our OWLS circuit, and this will be our first meeting there. As always, the meeting starts at 1:30pm, is wheelchair accessible, lasts about two hours, and ends with refreshments and time to socialize. If you'd like directions or more information about OWLS, you may contact dplocher@msn.com (920-478-7337). There is no OWLS meeting in the month of June, but the Program Committee does work on next season's schedule and is soliciting suggestions for new topics. Plan to attend our annual OWLS picnic on July 19 (third Tuesday) starting at 12pm at Aero Park in Watertown. Welcome Seniors!

FULL TIME CHILDCARE SUPERVISOR NEEDED

St John's, Watertown, is seeking a full-time childcare supervisor. Duties include planning, maintaining, and supervising appropriate activities for a variety of age groups of children; maintaining attendance and billing records; ensuring compliance of established policies by students, parents, and staff; ensuring adequate supervision of all rooms/groups; maintaining family communication; and promoting the Christ-centered mission of St. John's. Associate's Degree in early childhood education is preferred, along with applicable work and supervisory experience. The ability to communicate effectively, encourage staff, maintain a positive attitude, prioritize, multi-task, be highly organized, detail oriented, and able to complete tasks accurately and timely with minimal supervision are highly desired. Interested candidates should submit a resume to principal@stjohnswatertown.org, or drop off or mail to the school office at 317 North 6th St. Watertown.

COFFEE AND FELLOWSHIP - 9AM

This is hosted every Sunday (September-May) at 9am after the 8am service. It's a time when attendees can get acquainted, catch up, and get to know one another better. Coffee and pastries are served at no charge. We invite everyone to join us for coffee and fellowship.

BIBLE STUDY - 9:15AM

The food we really need, that keeps us alive, the Bread of Life! A 45-minute Bible study and deeper look into God's heart for you, what he has done and is doing for you. "That their hearts may be encouraged, being knit together in love, to reach all the riches of full assurance of understanding and the knowledge of God's mystery, which is Christ." --Colossians 2:2

CALENDAR

Monday 5/9	Tuesday 5/10	Wednesday 5/11	Thursday 5/12	Friday 5/13	Saturday 5/14	Sunday 5/15
<u>7pm</u> Worship	<u>9am</u> Bible Class <u>6:30pm</u> Church Council	<u>10am</u> Highland House Bible Class <u>4pm</u> PSCC & TBC	<u>7pm</u> Bible Class	June Monthly Newsletter Articles due!		<u>8am</u> Worship <u>9:15am</u> Bible Class Sunday School <u>10:30am</u> Worship Confirmation

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OFFICE HOURS

8am – 4pm
Monday – Friday