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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.

November 20, 2022 NEWS

THANKSGIVING WORSHIP will be on Thanksgiving Eve—Wednesday, November 23 at 7pm and Thanksgiving Day—Thursday, November 24 at 9am.

BLOOD DRIVE here at St. John will be on **December 2** at 12pm. There is a sign-up sheet in the entrance to church.

CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS

St. John will be holding a Christmas for Kids event on Saturday, **December 3** from 9am to 12pm (noon). This event is for all children age 3 - Grade 6. This year's theme is "Jesus the Savior is Born." We are excited to have the opportunity to share the birth of our Savior with your child! You can register your child for this event by visiting our church website (community tab), Facebook page, or following <https://tinyurl.com/yapkzy4u> by November 30. Invitations will be made available for you to pass out to family and friends as they are welcome to join us too! Please speak with Principal Busch if you have any questions regarding this event. We are still in need of volunteers to help to make this event a success! If you are able and willing to help out in any way, please contact Principal Busch at principal@stjohnwaterloo.com.

CHRISTIAN QUESTIONS for those who intend to go the Sacrament of the Altar are on p.295 of CW21. These questions were prepared by Martin Luther and are very helpful to read to prepare our minds and hearts for the reception of this high and holy gift of God himself, his very body and blood he took to save our body and blood. The moments before worship begin are a great time to work through the questions.

OUTDOOR LIVE NATIVITY

Join us at St. Luke's (301 Clark St., Watertown) on **December 2**, from 5-8pm or Saturday, December 3, from 3-7pm to view the outdoor live nativity! The presentation is 15 minutes, presented every half hour. There is free parking and free admission, with cookies, beverages, kid's games and activities inside.

LPS DANCE CLINIC

For those with daughters in K-8th grades, we would like to invite you to our LPS Dance Clinic, Sunday, **December 4** from 2pm - 4pm. We hope to see you!

DORCAS CHRISTMAS PARTY will be on **December 4** at the Barrel Inn. Cocktails start at 1pm and the party starts at 2pm, with beef tips for a meal. Please RSVP by November 27 by calling Lavon at 920-478-3076.

NO WORSHIP on New Year's Eve this year. There will be worship on New Year's Day, Sunday, with both 8am and 10:30am services.

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL...

"A Weather Wonder" is the theme for this week's lesson. With the simple command, "Peace! Be still!" (Mark 4:39), Jesus proclaims His power over a storm strong enough to shake even experienced fishermen. With the disciples, we must ask, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey Him?" (v. 41). How can your family respond to this question?

CALENDAR

Monday 11/21	Tuesday 11/22	Wednesday 11/23	Thursday 11/24	Friday 11/25	Saturday 11/26	Sunday 11/27
<u>7pm</u> Worship	<u>9am</u> Bible Class	No School! <u>10am</u> Highland House Bible Class <u>4pm</u> PSCC and TBC <u>7pm</u> Thanksgiving Eve Worship	No School! <u>9am</u> Thanksgiving Day Worship	No School!		<u>8am</u> Worship <u>9:15am</u> Bible Class Sunday School <u>10:30am</u> Worship

PASTORS

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OFFICE HOURS

8am – 3:30pm
Monday – Friday