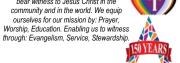
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Saturday, August 23rd 4:00pm ~ Sunday, August 24th 9:00am

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is to be a fellowship of believers, called by God and empowered by the Holy Spirit, to bear witness to Jesus Christ in the community and in the world. We equip ourselves for our mission by: Prayer,



#### WORSHIP WITH US-ALL ARE WELCOME!

Please know that St. Mary's Lutheran Church celebrates Holy Communion for ALL! This is Christ's table and His invitation. You do not need to be a Lutheran, or a member of our church to participate. Also, if you wish to come up for only a blessing, please tell us when you approach, and we will bless you! If you are unable to come up for communion, tell the usher that you would like to receive communion at your seat, and someone will bring it to you. We hope you feel welcome here!

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We welcome to worship, Pr. Becca Laabs who will be presiding over holy communion with us on Saturday afternoon and additional Saturdays in the future. She is the pastor of Trinity and Lakeside Lutheran churches in Kenosha. Thank you for being here, Pr. Becca.

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#### Update on Saturday Afternoon Worship Services:

*In addition to Holden Evening Prayer.* we will also work our way into using Marty Haugen's "Now the Feast and Celebration", as well as evening prayer (vespers)

To help us in this effort, Deb Black and Willy Mueller have graciously agreed to stay after worship on Saturday, August 30 (Deb) and Saturday, September 6 (Willy).

from the ELW.

I invite you to stay after Saturday night worship on August 30 and/or September 6 so you can hear and practice these liturgies.

- Pastor Jordan

New Members Welcome— Do You feel like you're ready to join us? New Members will be received during worship on Sunday, September 7th at the 9:00am service! If you are interested in more information about membership or joining St. Mary's, please call the church office and we'll set up an appointment with Pastor Jordan.



We Welcome to Worship this weekend, Mikah Meyer. He will share his documentary and story with us during the sermon time and will be available after worship in Fellowship Hall for more information & conversation!

Jubilate, the handbell choir here at St. Mary's, is looking to add some more ringers to our group for the upcoming year. The group rehearses Monday nights from 5:30-7:00, and usually performs the first Sunday of each month.

FOLLOWING WORSHIP ON SUNDAY AUGUST 31st, WE WILL HAVE A

**HANDBELL PETTING ZOO** 

WHERE YOU CAN COME TRY OUT THE BELLS, AND SEE IF IT IS SOMETHING YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN! If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, but can't make it on August 31st, please reach out to myself, Nathan Larsen, at nathanlarsen2012@gmail.com



#### WE ARE HIRING A PART-TIME BOOKKEEPER

Our wonderful Bookkeeper, Sondra Kuro, will be leaving

her role at the end of September to enjoy more time with Alan and focus on fun adventures. The position has been posted on Indeed and the Greater Milwaukee Synod Listserve, so if you are interested and have a background in bookkeeping, please take a look.

https://www.indeed.com/viewjob? ik=43454b025fe5cc8e&from=shareddesktop\_copy

Look for Back-to-School Sales for Personal Care Items needed for Lutheran World Relief:

- 2 Bars of Soap in Wrappers
- A new comb
- A new toothbrush
- A new nail clipper





Happenings this week—always check the online church calendar posted on our website: <a href="https://www.stmaryslutheran.org">https://www.stmaryslutheran.org</a> CHECK WITH YOUR COMMITTEES ABOUT SUMMER SCHEDULES

#### Monday, August 25th, 2025:

9a-3p Church Office Open

9:00am Quilters (G)

9:00am-Noon Pr. Jordan Office Hours

Tuesday, 26th:

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY, NURSE SUE!

9a-3p Church Office Open

6:30pm BSA 533 (D)

## Wednesday, 27th:

**7:00am** Prayer Breakfast for Everyone (Marina Garden)

Noon-6pm Church Office Open

1:00p-4:00p Pr. Jordan's Office Hours

## Thursday, 28th:

9a-3p Church Office Open

## Friday, 29th:

9a-12p Church Office Open

## Saturday, 30th:

**4:00pm** Holden Evening Prayer service (no pastor/no communion)

## Sunday, 31st:

**9:00am** Traditional style service w/Pr. Jordan presiding over Holy Communion celebrated for all

**6:00pm** 12x12 Group (1W)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>
CHURCH OFFICE IS CLOSED FOR
LABOR DAY

### Knights of Columbus Sponsors

### **Texas Flood Victims Benefit**

At Ruffalo's II 3932 45th Street

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 28TH

From 4pm—9pm

All proceeds to benefit the Texas Flood Victims.

Dine In, Carry Out PLUS, 50/50 raffle



The full altar flowers are in celebration and in honor of the August 23<sup>rd</sup> wedding anniversaries of our grandparents, Orazio & Lousia Zanin, 1922; our parents,

Armando & Prudence Zanin, 1947 given with love by Lisa & Mark Zanin, 1980 on our 45<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

The produce cart is off to a great start. Keep 'em coming! Thank you to all that have shared their bounty. It's been delicious and enjoyed by many.



Gretchen and Andy

# **Rally Day 9/7/25**

Music ministry, for hundreds of years crucial to Lutheran worship, is also central to the mission of SMLC. A vital part of that ministry, the Adult Choir resumes its schedule on **Wednesday, September 3rd 6:30 p. m., in the Choir Room.** We are much in need of singers, and interested persons, young and less young, are urged to attend. An ability to sing in tune is essential, although reading music is not a requirement. *Please come to help music resonate in the life of St. Mary's!* 





6pm-10pm (doors open at 5:30)

Cickets sales after worship Or at the door!

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