

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church & School

711 & 805 W 5th St., Neillsville, WI 54456

Member of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod.

"Welcome Visitors & Members!"

To those who are visiting us for the first time, we extend our sincere welcome; to our friends who know us we renew our welcome; to those who seek a church home we invite you to be part of our family and enjoy fellowship with our Savior.

For further assistance in worship and information on our church, please see the back cover.

Epiphany 2

January 18, 2026

For centuries Israel offered sacrifices to God for sin. Over and over, a substitute shed its blood to earn forgiveness. Then Jesus appeared, the Lamb of God who would take away the sins of the world. He died as the substitute for sinful mankind. Connected to him by faith, you have new perspective and new motivation for living a Christian life.

Our focus today: JESUS IS REVEALED (Epiphany) AS THE LAMB OF GOD

798 I Lay My Sins on Jesus CW 21



1 I lay my sins on Je - sus, the spot - less Lamb of God;
2 I lay my wants on Je - sus, all full - ness dwells in him;
3 I rest my soul on Je - sus, this wea - ry soul of mine;
4 I long to be like Je - sus, meek, lov - ing, low - ly, mild;



he bears them all and frees us from the ac - curs - ed load.
he heals all my dis - eas - es, my soul he does re - deem.
his right hand me em - brac - es, I in his arms re - cline.
I long to be like Je - sus, the Fa - ther's ho - ly child.



I bring my guilt to Je - sus to wash my crim - son stains
I lay my griefs on Je - sus, my bur - dens and my cares;
I love the name of Je - sus, Im - man - uel, Christ, the Lord;
I long to be with Je - sus a - mid the heav'n - ly throng,



white in his blood most pre - cious till not a spot re - mains.
he from them all re - leas - es, he all my sor - rows shares.
like fra - grance on the breez - es his name a - broad is poured.
to sing with saints his prais - es, to learn the an - gels' song.

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Service of the Word CW 93

M: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

CONFESSION OF SINS

M: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

C: **Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.**

M: God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

C: **Amen.**

M: In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

C: Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Bless - ed are
they who take ref - uge in him. Your Word, O Lord, is e -
ter - nal; it stands firm in the heav -
ens. Your faith - ful - ness con - tin - ues for -
ev - er. Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good.
Bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in him.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: Almighty God, you gave your one and only Son to be the light of the world. Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshiped, and believed to the ends of the earth; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and forever.



THE WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 49:1-6

¹*Listen to me, you coastlands.*

Pay attention, you faraway peoples!

The LORD called me from the womb.

When I was inside my mother, he mentioned my name.

²*He made my mouth like a sharpened sword.*

He hid me in the shadow of his hand.

He made me a polished arrow.

He concealed me in his quiver.

³*He said to me, "You are my servant Israel, in whom I will display my glory."*

⁴*But I said to myself, "I have labored in vain.*

I spent my strength and came up empty, with nothing.

Yet a just verdict for me rests with the LORD, and my reward is with my God."

⁵*But now the LORD,*

who formed me from the womb to be his servant,

to turn Jacob back to him,

so that Israel might be gathered to him,

so that I will be honored in the eyes of the LORD,

because my God has been my strength—

⁶*the LORD said:*

It is too small a thing that you should just be my servant

to raise up only the tribes of Jacob

and to restore the ones I have preserved in Israel,

so I will appoint you to be a light for the nations,

so that my salvation will be known to the end of the earth.

Psalm 40

CW 93 Supplement

Refrain



O Lord, my God, man-y are the won-ders you have done.

Psalm Tone



I waited patiently for the LORD;
he turned to me and heard my cry.

Do not withhold your mercy from me, O LORD;
may your love and your truth always protect me.

For troubles without number surround me;
my sins have overtaken me, and I cannot see.

They are more than the hairs of my head,
and my heart fails within me.

Be pleased, O LORD, to save me;
O LORD, come quickly to help me.

Refrain

I waited patiently for the LORD;
he turned to me and heard my cry.

He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God.
Many will see and fear and put their trust in the LORD.

Blessed is the man who makes the LORD his trust,
who does not look to the proud, to those who turn aside to false gods.

Many, O LORD my God, are the wonders you have done.
The things you planned for us no one can recount to you;

were I to speak and tell of them,
they would be too many to declare.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit,**

**as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Refrain

Second Reading: Colossians 2:6-15

⁶Therefore, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to walk in him, ⁷by being rooted and built up in him, and strengthened in the faith just as you were taught, while you overflow in faith with thanksgiving.

⁸See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, which are in accord with human tradition, namely, the basic principles of the world, but not in accord with Christ. ⁹For all the fullness of God's being dwells bodily in Christ. ¹⁰And you have been brought to fullness in him. Christ is the head over every ruler and authority. ¹¹You were also circumcised in him, with a circumcision not done by human hands, in the putting off of the body of flesh, in the circumcision of Christ, ¹²when you were buried with Christ in baptism. And in baptism you were also raised with him through the faith worked by the God who raised Christ from the dead.

¹³Even when you were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive with Christ by forgiving us all our trespasses. ¹⁴God erased the record of our debt brought against us by his legal demands. This record stood against us, but he took it away by nailing it to the cross. ¹⁵After disarming the rulers and authorities, he made a public display of them by triumphing over them in Christ.

Verse of the Day: 1 John 2:2

Alleluia! Jesus Christ is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world. Alleluia!



C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!



These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that



Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Gospel Reading: John 1:29–41

²⁹The next day, John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, “Look! The Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! ³⁰This is the one I was talking about when I said, ‘The one coming after me outranks me because he existed before me.’ ³¹I myself did not know who he was, but I came baptizing with water so that he would be revealed to Israel.”

³²John also testified, “I saw the Spirit descend like a dove from heaven and remain on him. ³³I myself did not recognize him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, ‘The one on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.’ ³⁴I saw this myself and have testified that this is the Son of God.”

³⁵The next day, John was standing there again with two of his disciples.

³⁶When John saw Jesus passing by, he said, “Look! The Lamb of God!”

³⁷The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus.

³⁸When Jesus turned around and saw them following him, he asked, “What are you looking for?”

They said to him, “Rabbi” (which means “Teacher”), “where are you staying?”

³⁹He told them, “Come, and you will see.” So they came and saw where he was staying. They stayed with him that day. It was about the tenth hour.

⁴⁰Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, was one of the two who heard John and followed Jesus. ⁴¹The first thing Andrew did was to find his own brother Simon and say to him, “We have found the Messiah!” (which is translated “the Christ”).



C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

550 Lamb of God

CW 21



1 Your on - ly Son, no sin to hide, but you have
2 Your gift of love they cru - ci - fied, they laughed and
3 I was so lost, I should have died, but you have



sent him from your side to walk up - on this guilt - y
scorned him as he died: the hum - ble King they named a
brought me to your side to be led by your staff and



sod, and to be - come the Lamb of God.
fraud and sac - ri - ficed the Lamb of God.
rod, and to be called a lamb of God.

Refrain



O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the



ho - ly Lamb of God! O wash me in his pre - cious



blood, my Je - sus Christ, the Lamb of God.

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SERMON TEXT: John 1:29-41

LOOK, THE LAMB OF GOD!

APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended into hell.

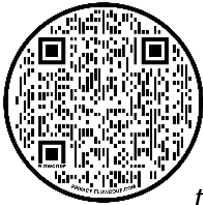
The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

**and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty.**

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**



OFFERING & WELS CONNECTION -- *The members of St. John's have joined together to do the Lord's work in this community and around the world. Guests need not feel obligated to participate in this offering which supports our ministry, but please use this QR code to fill out a short form giving us a digital*

record of your attendance.

Visitors can also sign our guest register in the entryway by the drinking fountain.

PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those
who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and forever. Amen.

BENEDICTION

M: Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness. The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.



C: A - men. A - men. A - men.

519 *There Is a Redeemer* CW 21



1 There is a Re - deem - er, Je - sus, God's own Son,
2 Je - sus, my Re - deem - er, name a - bove all names,
3 When I stand in glo - ry, I will see his face;



pre-cious Lamb of God, Mes-si - ah, Ho - ly One.
pre-cious Lamb of God, Mes-si - ah, hope for sin - ners slain.
there I'll serve my King for-ev - er in that ho - ly place.

Refrain



Thank you, O my Fa - ther, for giv-ing us your Son



and leav - ing your Spir - it till the work on earth is done.

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This Week at St. John's: Jan 18, 2026

SERVING US TODAY

Greeters: Kathleen Quast & Lynda Hilliard

Ushers: Team 1-Joel Zschernitz' team

Altar Guild: Judy Trunkel

Donating Bulletins: Pat Strangfeld

Jan Website: Nigel & Nita Jenks for their anniversary & son's birthday

SERVING US NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters: Joan Zickert & Jean Goetz

Ushers: Team 2-Verlyn Shaw's team

Altar Guild: Lynda Urban

~OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW & SERVE~

TODAY

9:00 AM Worship Service

10:15 AM Sunday School

10:15 AM Annual Voters Meeting

MONDAY

NO SCHOOL

6:00 PM Adult Instruction Class

6:00 PM LIGHTS

TUESDAY

4:00 PM Church Band

WEDNESDAY

8:20 AM Chapel

4:00 PM Bible Study

6:00 PM Choir

7:00 PM Handbells

THURSDAY

5:30 PM Adult Instruction Class

FRIDAY

3:15 PM Faculty Meeting

6:00 PM Bingo Night

NEXT SUNDAY

9:00 AM Worship Service

9:00 AM Grades 4th-8th sing at Globe

10:15 AM Sunday School & Bible Class

11:45 AM Guitar Recital

Worship the Lord with Gladness:

Jan. 4th-120

Worship with Our Care of God's Wealth:

Thankoffering Given last Sunday:

\$8,365.40 (Home); \$442.00 (Missions)

Needed per week for Home: \$8,600.00

Owed on line of credit: \$59,285.21

CHURCH NEWS

Annual Meeting: Our annual voters meeting will be held today right after the worship service. Reports for the voters' meeting are available on the table in the entryway.

No Bible Class: Because of the annual meeting, there will be no Bible Class today. Class will resume next Sunday.

Sunday School: Sunday School classes meet today after the worship service. Grades Pre-K meet in the church basement; Grades 1-4 meet in the school. All children are welcome.

School Schedule: There is no school tomorrow. The ELC will be open for childcare.

LIGHTS: The LIGHTS group will be meeting tomorrow evening in the school conference room at 6:00.

Church Band: We will have church band rehearsal this Tuesday at 4:00 p.m. in the church balcony. All instrumentalists are welcome!

Wednesday Bible Study: Join us in the school conference room Wednesday at 4:00 p.m. as we continue our study of the Psalms.

Co-Ed BB Games: We will play at St. Peter, Schofield this Thursday. The B-Team will play at 4:30, and the A-Team will play at 5:30.

Bingo Night: You are invited to our Youth Group's Bingo Night this Friday, January 23rd, from 6:00 to 8:00 in the school gym. Cost is \$2/card or 3 cards for \$5. Both adults and children are welcome to play bingo. Concessions will be available during the evening, as well as other items for sale. There will be cash prizes for the bingo. All proceeds will go toward costs for those teens who are attending the International Youth Rally this coming summer.



Student of the Week: The student of the week is Maria Backaus. Maria is in 4th Grade. She is a hard worker, gets her work done, participates in class, is a good helper, and is polite and respectful. Congratulations Maria!

Guitar Recital: Kenaniah Thell will be doing a guitar recital here in the church sanctuary next Sunday, January 25th, at 11:45. If you'd like to listen to that, please consider yourself invited!

Maternity Leave Teacher Needed: As many of you may already know, the Leiternans are expecting their next baby early April. With that wonderful news we are also actively looking to find a full-time substitute teacher that could cover Mrs. Leiterman's 4th-5th grade classroom for approximately 6 weeks. We are beginning the process of looking around our area and asking neighboring schools about potential teachers but also want to open the opportunity up to members in our own congregations. To be a substitute teacher in Wisconsin an individual needs to have an associate's degree or higher (in any subject), be enrolled in a bachelor's degree-granting educator program, or hold a valid Wisconsin teaching license. If you are available and interested in helping St. John's in a very big way, please talk to Mr. Allard as soon as possible. We would like to solidify these plans as soon as possible. If you know of somebody who may be able to help us out, please spread the word too!

Care Packages: Our LIGHTS group will be packing Z care packages to be sent to college/high school students. The boxes will be packed up on Monday, February 9.

Donations of items to include in the packages are needed and welcomed. Some ideas for donations could include: Kleenex, pens, post-it notes, hand lotion, microwave popcorn, fruit snacks, candy bars, raisins, chips, pudding, dried fruit, cookies, tea, dried soup mix, gum, soap, coffee, etc. Anything that can be individually wrapped works well; the list is almost endless. Cash donations for postage are also needed. Donations can be placed in the entryway.

Special Care "Package": One of our members, Colin Neville, is currently living in Thailand with his wife. He is working there as an "Artist Missionary" with the Friends Network. The Friends Network (formerly Friends of China and Friends of Vietnam) is a WELS-affiliated ministry. They recruit, train, send and support lay missionaries around the world in order to build eternal friendships. We would like to show our support for Colin, but thought that the best way to do that would be to send him a monetary gift. If you would like to donate toward this, PLEASE DO **NOT** PLACE YOUR GIFT IN THE OFFERING BASKET. Instead, you can give it to Linda Biebert, Kathleen Quast, or drop it off in the school office.

We thank everyone for their assistance to helping to send out these care packages!

Church Video Recorders: *We are seeking volunteers to videotape our services. This is a great opportunity to get involved in church. Middle/High School students are encouraged to participate! If you're interested, feel free to contact Kenaniah Thell at 715-937-4024 or Ann Clark at 715-819-1007.*

Early Enrollment Period-3K/4K: *St. John's 3K and 4K is now enrolling for the 2026-2027 school year. This may seem early but in order to work through waiting list families in the near future we need to know if any St. John's members or current St. John's School/ELC families are interested in enrolling for the next school year. The Early Enrollment period is open to St. John's families until January 31st. Please register by filling out a registration form from the school office.*

FIC: *It is time to renew our subscription. If you would like to continue receiving the "Forward In Christ" magazine here at church or would like to try it for the first time, cost is **\$15.00/year.***

You will find a "Forward In Christ" sign-up sheet on the table in the entryway. Please sign up on the sheet; money should be turned in as soon as possible. Please place your payment in a plain envelope marked "FIC." You can put that in the offering basket or drop it off in the school office.

Family Tubing Outing: *The Globe and Christie churches are sponsoring a family tubing outing at Bruce Mound on Saturday, February 14th from 5:00-8:00 p.m. All are invited. We will be enjoying a pot-luck supper; please consider bringing a dish to pass. Beverages will be provided.*

2025 Offering Statements: *2025 offering statements are available in the entryway.*

In Focus: *Several copies of the winter edition of "In Focus" by Martin Luther College are available in the entryway.*

Pancake Breakfast-2/15: *The Friends of St. John's pancake breakfast will be held on Sunday, February 15th from 10:30 to 1:00 in the school gym. There is no charge; all are invited! Free-will donations given at the breakfast will go toward*

tuition assistance for former St. John's students who are continuing in secondary Christian education.

Pancake Breakfast Bake Sale: *Our Youth Group will be having a bake sale during the pancake breakfast on February 15th in order to raise money for the teens to attend the International Youth Rally in Ohio this summer.*

Winter Carnival: *Our church's HIS Group (Hands in Service) is sponsoring a children's carnival on Saturday, February 21st as part of Neillsville's Winter Carnival. The children's carnival will be held here in our gym from 11:00-1:00. There will be bounce houses, a cake walk, face painting, a giant slide, concessions, crafts...activities for all ages! Parents are expected to stay while their children are here. Cost will be \$5.00 per child (ages 1-12). Infants and ages 13+ are Free! Cost for the cake walk is \$1. We hope many parents and children can attend!!*

Volunteers are needed to help with the carnival. We also need bakers who would be willing to bake cakes or cupcakes for the cake walk. Volunteers to do face painting are also needed. If you would be able to help, please talk to Mrs. Allard or contact the school office. Thanks!

Coming Soon-Coffee Fundraiser: *We will once again be selling Berres Brothers coffee. Proceeds from coffee sales will go into our Camp Phillip tuition assistance fund.*

FUNDrive: Clear your clutter for a cause! *Please bring your bags and covered boxes of unwanted household items to the collection trailer in the St. John's Lutheran School parking lot. We will be collecting items April 19-25. Watch for further details on collection times. Proceeds help make our original school bathrooms handicap accessible!*

***We Are Collecting
Clothes***

men's, women's, & children's clothes, coats, shoes, scarves, handbags, wallets, fashion accessories, belts, backpacks, etc.

Household Textiles

bedding, comforters, blankets, sheets, towels, linen, tablecloths, curtains, pillows, etc.

Small Household Goods

kitchen items (such as pots/pans, dishes, silverware, glasses, serving pieces and hand-held appliances), home decorative items, knick-knacks, toys, games, and small electronics

Books & Media

paperback, hard cover - all genres; CDs, DVDs, VHS tapes-
*books and media need to be boxed separately *no encyclopedias or text books

Please use bags for clothes and textiles and tightly pack boxes of small household goods. Separate books and media from household goods. All items must be clean and in sellable condition.

Church Council Highlights

Membership Change: Joe & Linda Neville were transferred to 922 Ministries in Appleton at their request.

Pine Car Derby: The Pine Car Derby will be held Sunday, March 1st, at 2:00. We are tentatively planning to have a Pioneer meeting that same afternoon after the Pine Car Derby is done.

Road Signs: The new road signs are here, and will be put up when the ground is ready this spring.

Teachers Conference: Our teachers will be attending District Teachers Conference in Lake Mills February 19-20.

Teachorage Remodel: An update will be given on the teachorage remodel project at the voters meeting this morning.

Treasurer's Report: The council looked over the financial reports and the proposed 2026 budget, both of which are included in the annual meeting reports. The budget will be up for voter approval at the meeting this morning.

Call Meeting: Our first call meeting to call a new pastor will be held on **Sunday, February 8, at noon.** Western Wisconsin District President Michael Jensen will be here with us to run that meeting. He is not able to make it before noon due to other commitments that morning.

We realize that this means people will have to leave after church or Bible Class and come back for the call meeting, but because this is so important we strongly encourage as many of our members as possible to make this a priority.

Together

NEWS. RESOURCES. ENCOURAGEMENT.



WELS
Christ's Love, Our Calling.

Conference of Presidents holds its winter meeting

The Conference of Presidents (COP) met Jan. 6-9. At that meeting, the COP discussed the following items:

- The current number of pastoral vacancies. There are 162 total vacancies for pastor-trained men (unchanged from October), of which 154 are in congregations (up from 148 in October). The vacancy numbers will improve somewhat in the spring, since the graduating class at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, Mequon, Wis., will be larger than it has been in recent years.
- Guidelines for the call process. These guidelines apply to how often called workers can receive calls, how district presidents work together to coordinate when calls are issued and which names can be used on call lists, and how many names should be included. The COP reviewed the current guidelines and the suggestions for changes and decided to keep the current guidelines in place.
- What information should be included in the profiles of called workers that are provided to congregations when they are considering candidates to call.
- The process for assignments of called worker candidates. Assignments will take place at Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minn., and Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, Mequon, Wis., in May.

Synod statistics for 2025 and Congregation Mission Offering (CMO) subscriptions are currently being gathered, with Feb. 6 being the deadline for both. Congregations are encouraged to submit their statistics and CMO subscriptions by that date.

The Doctrine Committee of the COP will hold its annual meeting with the Doctrine Committee of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod at the end of January.

Serving with you in Christ,

WELS President Mark Schroeder 

2025–26 school statistics offer opportunity to reflect

Enrollment in WELS schools this school year has decreased slightly from the 2024–25 school year, according to the recently released 2025–26 school statistics. Lutheran high school enrollment continued to climb, up 2.6 percent (from 7,484 students to 7,680 students), while Lutheran elementary school enrollment remained flat. Enrollment at WELS early childhood ministries declined slightly, down 4.9 percent (from 11,338 students to 10,784 students). These statistics match a nationwide decline in school enrollment due to falling birth rates in the US.


“When we take a look at the overall enrollment picture [in WELS],” says James Rademan, director of WELS Lutheran Schools, “about a third of our schools are growing, about a third of them are staying the same, and about a third are actually reducing in enrollment.”



A shortage of called teachers has affected some schools. Rademan says that several early childhood centers have paused their work because they couldn’t get enough workers to staff the centers, and some smaller schools are struggling to get teachers for their classrooms. “The opportunities continue to far outweigh the manpower that we have,” he says.

To combat this situation, WELS Lutheran Schools is encouraging congregations and schools across the districts to recruit, retain, and renew.

- Recruit individuals who could serve well in gospel ministry, be it pastors or teachers. “Our encouragement and how we recruit can go a long way on what kind of reach we can make through our schools,” says Rademan.
- Retain current called workers. “Are we valuing the workers that we have as much as we could?” says Rademan. “Let’s not just say we need more workers, but let’s review how we are supporting the current workers we have.”
- Renew or review the mission of the children’s ministry. “We want everyone to go through this process to make sure they keep examining their ministry needs and goals,” says Rademan. “What are the blessings, the challenges, the opportunities the Lord has provided us with?” This review can help local congregations and schools adapt to changing conditions and make informed long-range ministry decisions.

WELS Congregational Services offers consulting support for congregations that want help with this process.

View the stats at cls.welsrc.net/stats. 

Stay connected to WELS mission and ministry:  [WELSlutherans](#)  [WELSlutherans](#)
WELS offers a variety of devotions and newsletters that can be directly delivered to your inbox. Visit wels.net/subscribe.



To sign up for the e-mail version, visit wels.net/together.

To assist you in worship:

- ✚ Personal listening devices are available for anyone to use. Please talk to the ushers for assistance.
- ✚ Large-print bulletins available in the entryway.
- ✚ Personal Prayers: Red Hymnal (pp. 10-11); Blue Hymnal (inside front cover)
- ✚ Preparation for Lord's Supper: Red Hymnal (p. 156); Blue Hymnal (pp. 295-296)
- ✚ Luther's Small Catechism: Blue Hymnal (pp. 286-293)

We love seeing young children in church as we want families to worship together. We also love to hear children making a "joyful noise to the Lord." If you need some privacy for feeding an infant or changing a diaper, please make use of our parents' room off the north side of the entryway where you can still listen to the service.

Visitors, if you would like to know more about our church or school, please introduce yourself to our pastor. He would be delighted to speak with you and serve you in whatever way he can.

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Worship Schedule

Sunday-9:00 a.m.