



# St. John's Lutheran Church

Called to Fill the Hungry with Good Things

## The Messenger *(a monthly publication)*

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### Farewell and Godspeed For Rachel Williams

Rachel Williams musicianship and contributions to St. John's will be recognized in worship on Sunday April 3rd.

Rachel and her husband Anthony are heading to Fargo

Please thank Rachel for her years of music ministry in our midst. A reception will be held following worship.

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## Brett Thielges

I was baptized, had my first communion, and was confirmed at St. Helena's Catholic Church in Ellendale. When my wife and I got married, we decided to both worship at St. John's Lutheran in Jamestown. People are

surprised that I grew up Roman Catholic and that I am where I am today. It certainly surprised my parents, but they are ok with it because 1) I still have faith, 2) I am going to church, and 3) my kids come too.

I teach K-12 Physical Education in the Medina Public School, I coached for eight seasons, and continue to officiate football and basketball games. Spring is my "off season."

I found my faith at a young age through my parents. My dad is a faithful person and even going back to my grandparents, faith has been a priority for life. I remember as a young elementary school boy, that my Grandfather's funeral bulletin had symbols representing Faith, Family, and Agriculture. I remember the explanation that these things were all important to him. I remember going on family driving vacations and always going to church on Sunday, wherever we were. That exposed me to the variety of people and places that people worship.

I am very attentive to teaching kids, especially my own, about generosity and kindness- How to be a good human. Ultimately it is not being good at sports or academics that will be the most important but how you treat people. My son's class had a penny collection challenge with other classes to benefit someone in need- some were competitive and wanted to win the penny drive- my son spoke up that it was not about the money but about helping others that mattered. As a teacher, I try to remind my classes that inclusion in activities is important.

One of my favorite Bible stories is Daniel and the Lion's Den. As I get older, I identify the lions in life that are walking all around me: stress, work, distractions. You can get thrown into situations and can always find a reason or find something

that God may be trying to teach you. It can be an "aha" moment to have the courage and faith to see that God is with us through it all.

I believe that we have a purpose, that God put us here for a reason. We are part of one big story and in that story are different chapters in life. There are things to learn in each chapter: growing up, going to school, getting married and having a family.

I pray for my family. I give thanks for them and I pray for their health and relationships. We continue to be active with each other, but I can see that middle school is just around the corner and I pray that my kids have the strength and proper tools to handle the things that come up. I struggle with perfection- that is I don't always let myself recognize that I am who I am. I sometimes try to be other people or have what other people have.

If I could go back and change something, it would be to be more involved with service missions when I was in high school and college. Looking back I tended to indulge myself rather than serve.

I'm a Lutheran because that's what my wife and I agreed when we got married. This is the place where my family chooses to worship. For me music is soothing. It calms me, but it also can be a motivation for me. A good song can get me going for the whole day. Music helps pass the time but also provides purpose.

Traveling has taught me that the world is a struggling place. You can see so many things outside of North Dakota. You can see the needs and the ways that people live.

Serving on a community team has opened my eyes to the many different view points that there are in communities and the different types of personalities that people have. I have also appreciated getting to meet people of different generations. I am interested in the heritage of how things used to be. I see ways that old things can be adapted to our time.

# Ministerial Acts



† 3/14/2022 Charlotte Risgaard Trinity  
† 3/15/2022 Shirley Benson Trinity  
Thank you, Hospice Chaplain, Kalen Heller

April 7 – Navigating Grief and self care for yourself and others – Online-11:30 am sponsored by Hospice of the Red River Valley – contact 800-237-4629.

Must register one day in advance.



Eden Bernice Hanson with her parents, Kayla and Logan on her baptism day.

## Seasons of Life in the Church

When Kayla Rexine and Logan Hanson visited Trinity for the first time they were dating and they kept coming back! Kayla told the pastors they were looking for a church where they could get involved. By the time they had started helping to prepare Communion on Sunday mornings they weren't dating anymore, they were engaged. On a beautiful summer day in June of 2019 they were married and served Holy Communion to their wedding guests from the same communion set they had filled together for Communion at Trinity.

Kayla and Logan, an auctioneer, helped plan a fundraising event that would help raise funds for a new roof over the Education wing at Trinity. The Raise the Roof Auction was planned for Sunday, March 29, 2020 ... and then Covid-19 cancelled everything. In the fall of 2021, Logan and Kayla volunteered to make the Raise the Roof Auction finally happen, even though Kayla would be 8 months pregnant with their first child!

In January, on Baptism of Our Lord Sunday, little Eden Bernice Hanson, just 19 days old, was baptized at Trinity Lutheran. Representing the whole Christian church, members of Trinity promised to "support her and pray for her in her new life in Christ." The whole congregation welcomed Eden "into the body of Christ and into the mission we share". Eden won't remember all of that but her parents will tell her about that special day as she grows up. They will tell her who attended her baptism, who her sponsors were, and how they gathered in the Fellowship Hall after church to celebrate. The same Fellowship Hall where her parents, just a month before she was born, helped raise \$3,000 for the education roof at Trinity.

The faith community that Logan and Kayla joined has prayed for and supported them through several seasons in their lives. Throughout those seasons Eden's parents have been actively involved in the body of Christ and in the mission we share. When we live together in the body of Christ our seasons of life and the seasons of the congregation's life intertwine. One day Eden may learn about Baptism and Holy Communion and being a part of the body of Christ under a new education wing roof that her parents helped to build.

**Music Opportunities**  
**Friday, April 1** 7:00 pm

Quality Inn  
SMP Health – Ave Maria presents  
Fun Pianos! Dueling Pianos as a fundraiser  
for a new bus! Advanced tickets \$30 each.  
Limited number of tickets available  
Silent Auction Items, appetizers, drinks, and lots  
of fun! contact Annie Hancock at 701-952-6722.

**Sunday, April 3** 2:00 p.m.

University of Jamestown Reiland Fine Arts Center  
Drumline Concert

**Friday and Saturday, April 8 & 9** 7:30 p.m.

Jamestown High School  
Choralaires Concert

**Sunday, April 10** 2:00 p.m.

University of Jamestown Voorhees Chapel  
Spring Concert (Choir and Orchestra)

**Sunday, April 10** time tba

Jamestown High School  
Music Blooms (Booster Concert)

**Wednesday, April 13** 7:30 p.m.

University of Jamestown Reiland Fine Arts Center  
Jazz Band Concert

**Sunday, April 24** 2:00 p.m.

University of Jamestown Reiland Fine Arts Center  
Percussion Concert

**Sunday, May 1** 2:00 p.m.

University of Jamestown  
Wind Ensemble Concert

**Sunday, May 1** 7:30 p.m.

Jamestown High School  
JHS Awards Concert

**Community Notices**

**Tuesday, April 5** 4:30 p.m.

Atonement Lutheran Church  
2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Don Thoms Pancake Feed  
Tickets at the door

**Thursday, April 21** 4:30 pm

First Congregational UCC  
Annual Swiss Steak Supper

**Community Notices**

April 2nd- Prairie Paws Rescue  
Breakfast with the Easter Bunny  
9:00AM - 11:00AM Club 1883 (KC Hall)  
\*Tickets: Adult \$8/Kids \$4 (ages 0-12  
years) \*\*Advance tickets only- available  
at Jamestown Veterinarian Clinics:  
Southwood, County Acres, Dr. Dawn's  
or a Prairie Paws volunteer  
NO TICKETS SOLD AT THE DOOR.


April 7-9 7:30 p.m.

UJ Theatre Production: Tartuffe  
7:30PM Reiland Fine Arts Center. \$12

April 23 5:00 p.m. Dine and Bid –  
UJ Harold Newman Arena – Contact  
Setareh Campion – 252-3467 ext 4104  
Supports scholarships for students.

April 30 9:00 a.m.– Rabbit Run, Bunny Hop  
Jamestown High School

This event benefits Mary's Place at  
Safe Shelter which provides a safe  
place for victims of domestic violence  
and their children to heal and plan for  
the future. There is a 5K for the more  
serious runners and walkers, and a 3K  
for families that includes games and  
treats along the way. Registration is  
\$25 for adults and includes an event  
t-shirt. It's \$5 for kids under 12 and  
includes a medal.



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Through mid-March 2022 donations to  
St. John's total \$ 706, and Child in our  
Hands \$ 73.

Choice Dollars must be sent by 3/31

# Eastern North Dakota Synod News

## Synod Council

The Synod Council is the board of directors for the Eastern North Dakota (EaND) Synod. The Synod Council consists of members elected from each conference (one rostered and one lay representative), three executive positions, a multi-cultural representative, a youth representative and the president of the Eastern ND WELCA. Each person elected to the Synod Council shall be a voting member of a congregation of the EaND Synod, with the exception of ordained ministers on the roster of this synod who reside outside the territory of the synod. (See the Constitution, Bylaws, and Continuing Resolutions of the EaND Synod)

Synod Council meetings are scheduled in June in conjunction with synod assembly, and in the fall. The council is responsible for the business of the synod between yearly synod assemblies.

Jon Lillejord of Trinity, Jamestown, and Pastor Nathan Wicks of Emmanuel, Gackle, serve on behalf of the congregations in the Jamestown Conference.



### Fun in the Winter Sun

Youth from 8 ELCA congregations were invited for some Fun in the Winter Sun on Sunday afternoon February 27 at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Gackle.

The next group event for 6th-12th graders will be Wednesday, May 11 at 7:00 pm at Atonement Lutheran Church.

Pastor Paul Oman will lead the group in an Easter painting event.

RSVP by May 4 so painting supplies can be ready for the event.



## **Discernment Process among South Central North Dakota ELCA Congregations**

### **Overview**

The Planning Team is in the middle of months that focus on communication and developing options for the eight congregations.

Half the planning team members are on the Presentation and Listening Team. They have travelled in groups to visit each congregation. Their purpose is to share what was heard during the January/February listening sessions. They will also continue to listen to how each congregation responds to the topics and concerns raised by other congregations. Each congregation has been visited once by this team.

The other half of the planning team members are on the Options Team. They will use the information shared in the listening sessions to develop a set of options that will be presented to the congregations. After additional feedback, they will refine the options. Following a meeting of both teams on March 15, it was decided to direct additional time and efforts into developing additional viable options. To allow time for this work, the timeline for second visits from the Presentation and Listening Team has been adjusted.

### **Adjusted Timeline**

January 16-February 10—Video presentation and initial listening sessions with each congregation  
February 16—March 20— Presentation and Listening Team visits each congregation

March 16—April 19—All Planning Team members working on developing multiple viable options

April 20—May 18—First set of Options will be presented to each congregation for feedback

May 20—June—Refined options and a recommendation from the Planning Team will be presented to each congregation. Congregations will be asked to decide whether or not to continue as they are or to accept the recommended option(s) and begin implementing those plans.

### **Next Steps**

When dates are announced for visits from the Presentation and Listening Team, please plan to participate. Expect the next opportunities to be after Easter.

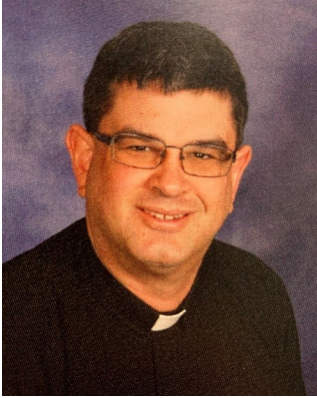
### **Every option being developed will share these core values:**

- Jesus Christ calls these congregations to be in mission in our communities
- Relationships within and among congregations are important
- Joy for volunteers, participants and staff will sustain this model
- Communication within and among congregations is essential

### **Planning Team Members:**

Phillip Hoffman and Bryan Behm – English Lutheran, Medina  
Brett Thielges and Char Freeberg – St. John's Lutheran, Jamestown  
Joni Zink and Bob Toso – Trinity Lutheran, Jamestown  
Deb Elhard and Jodi Bruns — Christ the King, Ellendale  
Ben Pesek and Lucinda Malm — Zion, Kulm  
Derek Hust and Bonnie Denning — Emmanuel, Gackle  
Teagan Thompson and Deb Hatlewick — Immanuel, Jamestown  
LeAnn Fuchs and Tory Hart — Atonement, Jamestown

Pastors and Pastoral Leaders from these congregations participate as advisory members. They are Nathan Wicks, Linda Schauer, Mary Jo Kinzler, Lucinda Lien, Susan Haukaas, Erik Weber, Kristi Weber



# Palms to Cross to New Life

As our Lenten pilgrimage comes to an end this year, we enter one more time into the mystery of the death and resurrection of Jesus. There are so many places in the story that invite us in - to imagine the joy, sorrow, and confusion of those days. Where do you find yourself standing this year? Jesus approaches Jerusalem and there is a buzz in the city and the crowds gather. Cloaks are thrown into the street to line the path to David's royal city. Palm branches wave in the air as the people greet the one they hope will become king. Stand with the crowds and shout Hosanna on Palm Sunday. What do you hope for? What do you long for? Who do you look to as a leader? Some people, including some of the disciples, thought that

Jesus becoming King would be a good thing, a solution, to years of oppression and occupation. Who today doesn't take that line at times, "If people would only follow Jesus, everything would be ok." What do you think?

Days after Jesus comes to Jerusalem, there is another energy in the city. Jesus has been arrested, and people gather outside the fortress of the Roman Governor. If Jesus won't put up a fight- maybe the resistance leader Barabbas will. "Give us Barabbas," the people cry. And we cry out with them. We lend our voices to the wisdom of the crowd. How often today do we continue to follow the crowd and forget that Jesus leads in a new way. The crowds follow Jesus to the hill where he is hung on the cross, and then melt away. Where do we turn when death and pain surround us? Jesus dies and his body is sealed in a hole in the ground. We all know the pain of broken expectations, the past few years have sometimes seemed like a never-ending series of plans and cancelations. The hopes and dreams that lifted the hearts of the people on Palm Sunday, were pierced and deflated. The crowd will always find something new to follow. How do we linger in the midst of our grief and be open to the reality of the brokenness around us? Do we stay at the foot of the cross, or walk away?

Easter morning breaks with confusing news: the tomb is empty! As we celebrate the resurrection this year, we remember that Jesus meets us on the way. Jesus seeks out the ones who walked away from the cross and headed home to Emmaus. Jesus entered the locked room and offered himself to other gathered disciples. Jesus is alive and offers that new life to us. How do we respond to the gift of new life in Christ Jesus this year? First and foremost, we give thanks to God for God's faithfulness and love that continues to be poured out on us today. The Living Christ is seen in the face of our neighbors and we continue to serve Christ in what we say and do. In the midst of our joy, sorrow, and confusion Jesus offers a word of assurance: I will be with you always. Happy Easter.

Pastor Erik Weber

## EASTER LILIES

Easter Lilies are available at a cost of \$15.00 each. If you would like to share a lily with the congregation to decorate the church for Easter Sunday April 17, please fill out the form below and drop in the offering plate or turn into church office. The plant(s) may be taken home after worship service on Easter Sunday.

I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ Easter Lily(s) at a cost of \$15.00 each

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

would like the plant in memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

would like the plant in honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

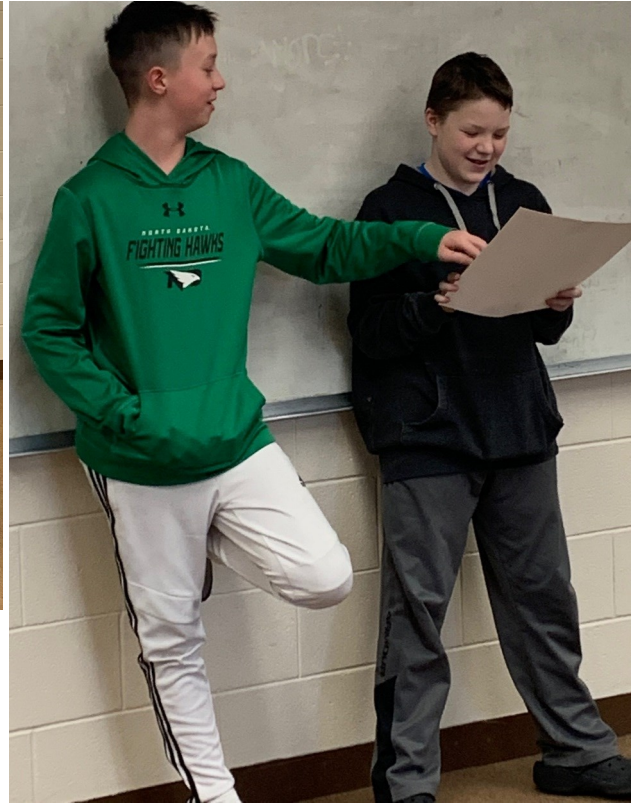
WILL PICK UP ----- DONATE ----- ORDER DUE DATE APRIL 10



## YOUTH NEWS



Confirmation class showing what they know...



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Save the Date: June 20, 21, 22

Staff leaders from Red Willow/Park River Bible Camps will be leading three days of VBS fun in Jamestown this summer.

This camp is for youth who are in Kindergarten to 5th grade right now.

This will be a daytime camp from 9 am to 3 pm.

A separate option for Pre-K youth is being explored on these same dates.

The participant Registration Deadline will be May 31st.

Registration will open in mid-April.

If you would like to volunteer some time, it will be needed.

Contact Pr. Erik.

## Thank you

## From Safe Shelter

Thank you, St. John's, for your donation of \$ 500 to the Safe Shelter. Your contribution will make it possible for Safe Shelter to assist victims of domestic and sexual violence and their families in our area.

*(this contribution was made out of our general operating budget for 2022)*





## ***An Opportunity to Give Back***

Child in Our Hands is currently recruiting volunteers!! We are pursuing congregation members willing to share a couple of hours per week with the ministry of Child in Our Hands. Your time and talents are welcomed to touch the lives of our little people.

Rock babies, read stories, assist with meals, playtime, art, projects, outdoor play.....really the list of opportunities is endless.

Here are the requirements that we will provide and help walk you through, in order to volunteer. Our licensing requires the following:

Pass a background check

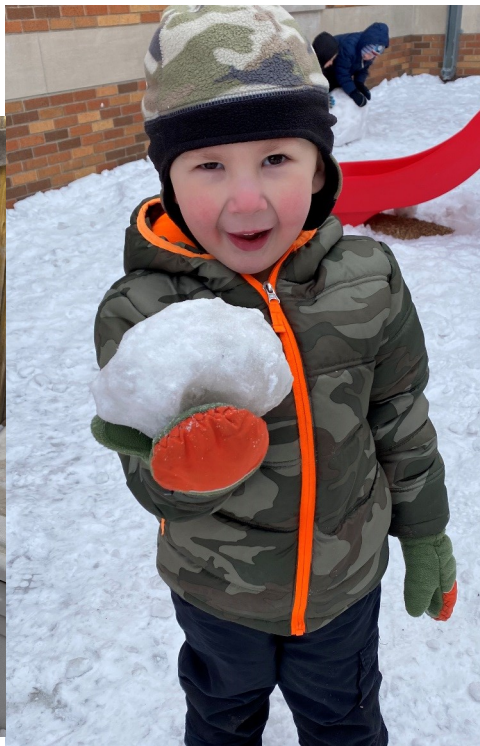
First Aid/CPR certified

Complete the basic child care course - which is about 15 hours of training - this in online and at your own pace.

Complete the SIDS Online course - about 1 hour

If this is something that tugs at your heart or pulls out your passion - Please reach out to Val or call 252-1903

"The happiest people aren't the ones who have the most. They're the ones who give the most. What could you gain by living a generous life?"





### ***Greetings from Child In Our Hands,***

This past month we have been busy with our daily routines here at the center. These routines not only help our children learn important life skills, they also give our children a chance to build up their confidence as they attack the skill each day. It never ceases to amaze me how much growth one can witness in these early years. I also admire our staff for realizing the significance of the role they play in building up the children in our care. We here at Child In Our Hands may have a small staff right now, but they are an amazing group who continue to give it their all each day for the children in our care.

We have begun planning for our Easter Egg Hunt. If you would like to help us, we would love donations! Please feel free to pre-fill Easter eggs and drop them off at the center or at the front office with Gem and just let her know they are for Child In Our Hands.

Preschool registration is also now open for next school year. We will have two options. Three Day Preschool is Monday/Wednesday/Friday from 8:30-11:30 AM. Five Day Preschool is Monday through Friday from 12:30-3:30 PM. If you are interested in Preschool or have any questions please call the center or e-mail [Valerie.Ford@st-johnspreschool.org](mailto:Valerie.Ford@st-johnspreschool.org).

Sincerely,

Valerie Ford

Interim Director

# STEWARDSHIP



**In Memory of:**

Damaris Buck  
Vicki Gunsch  
Jamie Ley

**Given by:**

Grace Walz  
La Dona Tarno  
Grace Walz

# Giving Matters

**ATTENDANCE - St. John's**

	In person Live	YouTube recorded	YouTube recorded
Feb 20	79	25	99
Feb 27	111	23	106
March 2	3 - 12:10 pm 16 - Confirmation Worship 4 pm		
	49	3	35
March 6	98	15	74
March 9	55	5	39
March 13	77	11	95
March 20			
February Income:	\$ 32,611		
February Expenses	\$ 24,148		

**April 2022—Radio**

April 3 Altar Guild  
April 10 Russ and Gwen Geiszler  
April 17 Gerald and Marjorie  
Lippert  
April 24 Wanda Kruger

**April 2022—Flowers**

April 3 Altar Guild  
April 10 Carl and Sandy Franke  
April 17 Darwin and Pauline  
Roeske  
April 24 Wanda Kruger

**COUNCIL HIGHLIGHT**

The first hour of the council meeting included a visit from the Presentation and Listening team of the Discernment Group. About 25 people were present for the conversation as we reviewed what St. John's has said is important for the future and what the other seven congregations lifted up. A follow-up visit will be scheduled when some options are developed..

As the council transitioned to a smaller meeting, President Lynn asked us to check in on our homework of reflecting on how we feel when we come to St. John's.

Council updates: the new doors are in the process of being manufactured with installation this spring. St. John's renewed the partnership agreement through August for pastoral services with English Lutheran in Medina and Trinity Lutheran. Financials were reviewed.





## Holy Week Schedule 2022

Palm Sunday	April 10 8:30 am at Trinity	9:00 am at St. John's	10:45 am at Trinity
Maundy Thursday	April 14	7:00 pm at Trinity	7:00 pm in Medina
Good Friday	April 15	7:00 pm at St. John's	7:00 pm in Medina
Easter Sunday	April 17 8:30 am at Trinity	9:00 am at St. John's	10:45 am at Trinity

## Wednesday Schedule 2022

*Drawn to the Word* Lenten video series by Pastor Paul Oman  
 Artwork created as we hear Miracles of Jesus from the Bible.

March 30 at Trinity	Jesus Heals a Man Born Blind (John 9:1-41)
April 6 at St. John's	Jesus Raises Lazarus from the Dead (John 11:1-44)

### Weekly Wednesday Schedule

- 4:30-5:15 pm St. John's Confirmation Students meet at St. John's
- 5:30 pm Choir Rehearsal for All Interested Singers (includes preparing music for Wednesdays, Maundy Thursday and Good Friday combined worship)
- 5:30 pm Dinner at Host Church
- 6:30 pm Worship at Host Church
- 7:15 pm two options for Going Deeper
- 1) Discussion about the Miracle and Artwork for the Evening at Host Church
- 2) Trinity Confirmation Students and Mentors meet at Host Church

**This church and its ministries mean a lot to you. And they mean a lot to the communities they serve.** The ELCA Foundation is here to help you ensure the continuation of God's work in the world for years to come.

Gift planning services for individuals:

We can help you navigate your options to create a gift plan that benefits the ministries that mean the most to you, while maximizing tax advantages and your financial estate-planning goals. Options include:

- Gifts made through wills, trusts or estates
- Charitable gift annuities
- Donor-advised funds
- Named endowment funds
- Gifts of cash, securities and real estate
- Qualified charitable distributions from your IRA
- And more



### **Legacy Planning Seminar**

Trinity Lutheran Church

523 4<sup>th</sup> Ave SE

Jamestown

Sunday, May 1

4:00-5:00 pm

There is no charge for this seminar.

### **There comes a time...**

As the author of Ecclesiastes tells us, "there is a time for every purpose under heaven." There is a time to collect and build up, and a time to tear down and cast away. Sooner or later the time comes when you no longer need all that you have built and collected.

There comes a time when you no longer need the house you once lived in. There comes a time when that vacation home or winter retreat is no longer the source of refuge and recreation it once was. There comes a time when the kids and grandkids decide they don't want the family farm, business or cabin. There comes a time when you realize your retirement savings will likely outlive you.

### **When that time comes, what will happen next?**

Being prepared is important if you want your life's work to still have meaning and purpose even when the time comes to let it go. Having a good strong plan in place will be essential to passing along not only your wealth and possessions, but the story of who you were and what was most important to you.

### **Will you leave it to chance, or will you have a plan?**

Many people don't think they need a plan. They think a few verbal instructions or a simple will covers things. They underestimate the complexity of what happens after you die. Without a proper plan you can leave your loved ones with a rat's nest of details to be sorted out. And if a clear plan is not in place it is likely that the courts will have to get involved (probate), causing more delays, more work for your heirs, and more costs.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 9:00 AM Worship - St. John's 10:15 AM First Communion Class 10:30 AM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall	28 9:30 AM Chapel	29 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 1:30 PM Chapel 5:00 PM Come to the Table Meal 5:30 PM First Communion Class 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall	30 4:00 PM Confirmation 5:30 PM Soup and Sandwich - Trinity Lutheran 6:30 PM Lent Worship - Trinity Lutheran	31 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall 6:30 PM Zoom Lent Reflection	1 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall	2 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall - set up
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17 No Sunday School 9:00 AM Worship - St. John's - Easter Sunday 10:30 AM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall	18 9:30 AM Church Offices Closed	19 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 1:30 PM Chapel 5:00 PM Come to the Table Meal 6:00 PM Discernment Process zoom meeting 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall	20 4:00 PM Confirmation	21 4:30 PM UCC Swiss Steak Dinner 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall	22 Creative Fellows 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall	23 Creative Fellowship 6:00 PM Hope for the Hopeless Church - Centennial Hall - set up
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## Thanks to Our Volunteers

### Volunteers of the Month Streaming Team

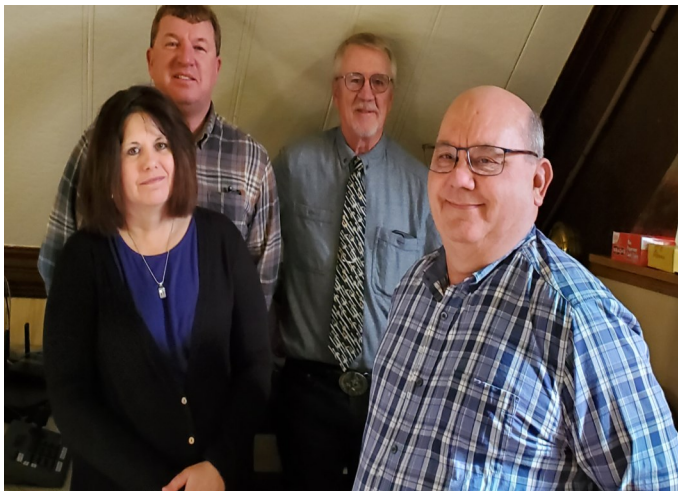
Lynn Krueger  
John Kleven  
Cindy Kleven  
Camden Kutz  
Conner Ede  
Gary Staab  
Char Perleberg  
Aaron Kleven

Technical Support Team  
Pr. Erik Weber



### Two Amazing Ladies Leading an Amazing Team

Sharon and Shirley made 25 health track kits and delivered them to Central Valley Health. Central Valley Health gives them to under privileged children in several counties. Thank you to all Women of the Church for helping them behind the scene.



### Jamestown Chorales performing at St. John's Lutheran Church February 27





St. John's Lutheran Church  
 424 1st Ave S  
 Jamestown, ND 58401

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**Worship Services**

Sundays  
 ~ 9:00 am

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Wednesday Confirmation  
 ~ 4:00 pm - Worship

**Holy Communion**

All Worship Services

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***Holy Week Schedule 2022***

<b>Palm Sunday April 10</b>	<b>9:00 am at St. John's 11 am at English</b>
<b><i>Maundy Thursday</i></b>	<b>7:00 pm at Trinity</b>
<b><i>Good Friday</i></b>	<b>7:00 pm at St. John's</b>
<b><i>Easter Sunday April 17</i></b>	<b>9:00 am at St. John's 11 am at English</b>

