



St. John's Lutheran CHURCH & SCHOOL

Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod
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St. John's Lutheran Church exists to BUILD UP THE BODY OF CHRIST so that we might know Christ and make Him known.

THE GUIDE

Weekly Announcements and News from St. John's for

JULY 6, 2025

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Member Death: St. John's member, Jane Fons, went home to heaven on June 30. Please keep the family members of Jane in your prayers. Per Jane's wishes, no funeral services will be held.

Family Vacation Bible School: Save the date: Family VBS Night! August 6, 4:30-8:00 pm for a night with your family, full of faith, fun, and food! We need volunteers to make this event possible—and we have many options for you (main lead, session leads, high school helpers, registration, setup/takedown, and dinner). Curriculum and schedule will be provided—we just need you! Visit the [Sign-Up Genius](#) for ways to help! Contact Tyler Petersen: FamilyMinistry@stjohnsburlington.org or 608-239-9185 with any questions.

Women's Bible Study: The Women's Bible Study meets on Wednesdays from 2:00—3:00 pm in the church meeting room. They are studying Lazarus from Max Lucado's book *Ten Men of the Bible*. Babysitting is available. Moms with school age kids, this is a great Bible time with uplifting fellowship. **Please note that class will not meet on July 9.**

Racine County Fair Volunteer Opportunity: St. John's members are invited to help sell fair entry tickets or apply wrist bands at the Racine County Fair, July 23-27. Each shift worked will earn money for Camp Oakridge. All adults who work may also attend the fair for free on the day they volunteer. You may use this [online sign up form](#). Any questions, please contact DJ Meier at 262-771-5236.

Traveling this Summer?: Did you know WELS has an online [church locator](#)? You can find a WELS church within a custom radius of your location to find worship opportunities wherever you might be traveling.

College Students and Parents: WELS Campus Ministry offers many options to help you stay in touch with the Word of God during your college stay. Visit wels.net/college to sign up with campus ministry. Please forward the name of the college you or your child will be attending & their mailing address to the church office so that we may keep in contact. You may e-mail the church with that information at office@stjohnsburlington.org.

St. John's Meal Drive Team: Consider being a part of the meal drive team at St. John's Church & School! We provide meals to those recovering from illness or injury, families welcoming a new baby, or those who need some extra help during a difficult season of life. This team will receive email blasts with an online sign-up when someone is in need of a meal. We currently have a family needing meals. Please use the [link](#) for more information. Contact Meal Coordinator, Amber Johnson at 260-414-5392 or amberjohnson.marie@gmail.com with any questions.

Church Greeters: Consider signing up for a service (or more!) to greet fellow members and our visitors at the church entrance before worship begins. A greeter schedule is now available in the church entryway for sign-up for all worship services.

Wednesday Morning Bible Class: The Wednesday Morning Bible Class is studying the Gospel of Luke. Please come and study the words and works of Jesus as recorded by Luke with your fellow sisters and brothers in Christ. We meet Wednesdays, 9:45-11:00am, in the church meeting room or in a school classroom. **Classes will be held on July 9, 16 & 30. There will be no class July 23.**

You are invited...

First Evangelical Lutheran Church of Racine is hosting a **free** screening of the uplifting Christian film *One by One*.

When is it?

Wednesday, August 27 at 6:30 p.m.

Where is it being shown?

UW-Parkside's Rita Cinema on the Avenue of the Arts at the UW-Parkside campus in Kenosha. Steve Zambo, the producer/director of the film, will also be there to talk about the making of the film.

Who is invited?

All members of Shoreland Lutheran High School Federation congregations. And considering the strong gospel content of the film, this would be a perfect opportunity for attendees to invite friends, relatives, associates, or neighbors. The Rita theater holds 314 people, so there should be no shortage of seating.

What's the film about?

The movie follows the inspiring story of WELS pastor David Rosenau. God led him on a unique career path from mortician's assistant, to policeman, to undercover narcotics detective. God used those jobs to prepare him for the ultimate destination God had planned for him: becoming a pastor.

Pastor Rosenau uprooted his young family to spend eight years training for the ministry. Along the way, God placed him in challenging situations, assigning him to take charge of a dying congregation during his vicar year and completely confounding his expectations of how God would use him when he received his call to his first parish.

The film was inspired by a presentation Pastor Rosenau made to the WELS Leadership Conference a couple of years ago. In addition, the synod released a congregational Bible study based on the presentation that you might have participated in.

How much does it cost?

The showing is free and even the concessions are reasonably priced.

How can I find out more?

View a film's trailer at www.saltyearthpictures.com/ (scroll down to the middle of the page). Or direct questions to churchoffice@firstracine.org, or ajeffreybaas@gmail.com.

Join us for an uplifting evening watching an enjoyable gospel-oriented film.



Summer Office Hours: The church and school office are open by appointment this summer. Email is the best way to communicate. Voicemails will be checked as often as possible.

Church (office@stjohnsburlington.org)
School (school@stjohnsburlington.org)

STEM Academy Applications Due:

Shoreland's STEM Academy continues to accept applications for the 2025-26 school but the deadline is July 25. Please visit slhs.us/stem-academy for more information or an application.

Monday, July 7: Counting Team 3

Sunday, July 13—Usher Teams D & F Stream Team—Tom & Dan

July Altar Guild:

Kim Friedel (763-2510)

Please call one of the women listed if you will be placing a plant in the church in memory of a loved one or to honor an event. Please contact the church office if you would like the event listed in the Guide. Due to floral allergies, we would ask that you either choose a plant or artificial flowers to put in church.

Budget Update For Week 52 July 1, 2025

	Weekly Actual	Weekly Budget	Surplus (Shortfall)	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Surplus (Shortfall)	Annual Budget
General Offerings	14,462	15,360	(898)	681,420	715,000	(33,580)	715,000
SLHS Expansion	2,100			18,733			
Capital Projects	335			70,180			
Unspent Funds for Capital Projects				64,309			

Give Online!

Use the link "Online Giving" at our website or try the free mobile app Vanco Mobile.

How to Contact Your Staff

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Worship Schedule

Sundays at 8:00 & 10:30 am

Mondays at 6:30 pm

Summer: Sundays at 8:00 and 9:30 am

Mondays at 6:30 pm

Live Streaming on YouTube (SJB Videos) every Sunday at 8:00 am