ANNOUNCEMENTS July 13, 2025 Church News

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Second week of July			
Sun. July 13	Worship Service	10:30 am	
	Children's Church	During Worship	
Wed. July 16	Prayer Shawl	12:00 pm	

Third week of July

Sun. July 20	Worship Service	10:30 am
	Children's Church	During Worship
Tue. July 22	Lion's Club	6:30 pm

Fourth week of July

Sun. July 27	Worship Service	10:30 am
	Children's Church	During Worship



Altar flowers are paid for by donations from members in celebration of birthdays, anniversaries, or in memory of loved ones. Please consider signing up to sponsor altar flowers throughout the coming year. You are welcome to take them home after the service when you sponsor the altar flowers. If you wish them to be donated please let the church office know. Thank you!

As of print time July & August flower donors are:

July 20, Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN

- *July 27,* Vase 1, Richard & Beverly Kolonko, in celebration of their 26th anniversary 07/31, Vase 2, OPEN
- August 3, Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN
- August 10, Vase 1, OPEN, Vase 2, OPEN
- **August 17,** Vase 1, Pete & Eli Lopez, in honor of their anniversary 08/18, Vase 2, Don & JoAnn Fuchs, in honor of Caden's birthday
- *August 24,* Vase 1, James & Noreen Heck, in celebration of their daughter Becki's birthday, Vase 2, OPEN

Attendance last Sunday: 45

Prayer Shawl Ministry July 16, 12:00 pm

For those interested in learning to crochet or knit the Prayer Shawl ministry will meet on Wednesday July 16 at 12:00 pm. Or bring what you have been working on to share with others.



Flower Bed Clean Up



We are looking for a few willing volunteers to help with the flower beds. If you like to play in the dirt and are good with plants please come and help clean up and maintain the flower beds. Come when it is convenient to you and do as much as you are able to. A little bit goes a long way.

PayPal

If you would like to make your offering to the church through PayPal we have good news. Through PayPal Giving Fund donations can be made without PayPal taking a fee out of what you give to the church. Just use your phone to scan the QR code.



Please help us keep Saint John's prayer list current!

If you notice that any of the information in the Prayers or calendar is incorrect or missing, please contact the office so that changes can be made and updated. Thanks for your help. Amanda Boykin



Pray for our veterans struggling with PTSD, that they will find help & healing. Seth Collard, Lt. Carl Cringle, Kenny Hankins, CSM Robert Hartzog, Alex Hernandez, Jose Hernandez, CSM Robert Hartzog, Tracy Jones, Johnny Ruttan, Drake Smitherman, ETSN Jason Smitherman, Kyle Stahlecker, Garrett Wandel

Prayers for those in our community

- First responders, fire fighters, police men and women to protect and serve the community with justice for all.
- Doctors, nurses, and EMT's; to find the courage to continue fighting this virus and to help keep all in need safe.
- Teachers, Staff, Students and School personnel to find a balance that will educate the next generation.
- Prayers for all those lost and the families of lost ones in the recent floods in the Texas Hill Country. Keep the first responders involved that have been working tirelessly still looking and for those involved in clean up and recovery.

Prayers for our Country

- > National leaders
- > State leaders
- Community leaders

Italicized represents newly added or updated prayers.



MEMBERS: of St. John Lutheran Church

- Elo Buenger, good news is that his cancer has not spread to other organs, he will begin his chemo 02/17 & 02/18, 2 days repeating every 28 days for 6 months.
- *Update* Alice Harrington, is scheduled for a lumpectomy on Tuesday 08/15.
- Patrick Henry, had a posterior cervical fusion, prayers for healing.

- Kay Smitherman, will have surgery at MD Anderson on 07/11, prayers for a successful surgery.
- Tommy Sparks, had an ablation for his afib on his heart, procedure went well and he went home the next day.
- Patrick Walters, prayers for continued healing and strength through physical therapy for his back.

FAMILY: of St. John Lutheran Church

Condolences:

- Beth, Julie Hughes brother-in-law Tom's wife, passed away last week, prayers of comfort for Tom, Jean and their family.
- Mary Ann Coleman, mother of Lori Thomas (grandmother of Jennifer Escamilla), is recovering from hip surgery on 06/22.
- Lilana & Evangeline DeSilva, nieces of Pastor Pete, are both hospitalized with the flu, prayers for healing.
- Amy Fuchs, daughter-in-law of Don & JoAnn Fuchs, has been diagnosed with breast cancer, waiting on pathology results, prayers that the margins & nodes are clear.
- Ronnie Kaiser, cousin of Charles Schulze, has stage 4 prostate cancer.
- Lillian Mantey, mother of Ann Jordan, is 96 years old, fell and broke her leg, had surgery and is now doing physical therapy, prayers for continued healing and strength.
- Kathy McManus, cousin of Richard Kolonko, who was diagnosed with breast cancer, prayers for the next steps with her doctors.
- Clinton McPhaul, nephew of Nancy & Richard Davis undergoing treatment of throat cancer. Prayers for healing & strength.
- Adrienne Oliver, granddaughter of Carol Sebesta, to have success in finding a job in her chosen career.
- Gary Riemenschneider, godfather of Amanda Boykin, has started radiation treatment for his cancer on his chest.
- Jamie Sparks, cousin of Amanda Boykin, has been put on the transplant list for a kidney.
- > Tommy Vacek, cousin of Beverly Kolonko diagnosed with MS.

- J.R. Vasek, cousin of Beverly Kolonko, who was diagnosed with lung cancer.
- Danny Walters, brother of Patrick Walters, for continued good health with his cancer in remission and the unknowns of PTSD.

FRIENDS: of St. John Lutheran Church

- Allen Ahrens, former member of St. John, has had to start dialysis since his kidney function has declined.
- Anjanette Barger, friend of Beverly Kolonko, is battling breast cancer.
- Norman Brown, friend of Beverly Kolonko, is now in a nursing facility on hospice care, prayers for Norman and his family.
- Rebekah Cotheran, co-worker of Tessa Dorsett, is going through cancer treatments.
- Pamala Finley, friend of Jennifer Escamilla, has a brain tumor, surgery scheduled for 03/27.
- Moni Gekler, friend of Beverly Kolonko, who is 90% blind because of diabetes.
- A.J. Jez (Pop), prayers as he goes through radiation & chemo for cancer, prayers for his family too.
- David Jones, co-worker of Tessa Dorsett, is going through cancer treatments.
- Margo Masters, friend of Beverly Kolonko, mass found on her ovaries, she has 1 more chemo treatment next week and will reevaluate her treatment.
- Mabel Silverstein, friend of Beverly Kolonko, who has liver cancer and is receiving chemo.
- Linda Shockley, Jan Janosky's neighbor, is beginning cancer treatments.
- > Roxanne Walsch, friend of the Schulze's, prayers, God knows.

Ministry of Music

Ruth Brown, Music Director

Property Chair Missy Jennings, Mitch & Rhett Weatherford

> *Fellowship Chair* Beverly Kolonko, Coordinator

<u>Prayer Ministry</u> JoAnn Fuchs <u>djfuchs@embarqmail.com</u>

> <u>Altar Guild</u> OPEN

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