



ST. JOHN'S
LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

Dear Brothers and
Sisters in Christ:

IN THE CENTER RING
June, 2016

(A letter read on Father's Day)
June 19, 2016

"I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus" (Philippians 1:3-6).

I have been privileged to serve you for the last seven years, and each day, there were reasons to thank God for you. God has blessed St. John's in so many different ways with his good gifts, and as Paul said, we have a wonderful partnership in the gospel. After prayerful consideration, the Lord of the Church has moved me to accept the Call to be an associate pastor at St. Peter's Lutheran Church and School of Sturgeon Bay, WI.

The Lord's call to Sturgeon Bay gave me the difficult task of choosing where I can best serve in his kingdom. There are many issues weighing on my heart here at St. John's but I hold to the promise of our Savior to bless and keep his Church through new opportunities to come. The areas of ministry in the call to serve St. Peter's match up with my abilities well and I see many reasons to begin a new journey in serving the Lord there. My heart is at peace, because I know you that here in Baraboo, you have God's Word and faithful co-workers in Christ. No matter what transpires in the future, this will never change: the LORD will provide. Trust in his love and guidance.

As we continue to carry out the Lord's gospel mission at St. John's, please know that I will work with you for a smooth transition and continue throughout the month of July in my service here. And this is my prayer: that your faith may continue to grow in the Word, go into the world and glorify God! The Lord bless you and keep you!

Your servant in Christ,

Pastor Carl J. Schroeder

Official Acts

Baptisms

Lachlan Samuel Brehm
Born December 6, 2013

Liliana Brooke Brehm
Born April 19, 2011
Children of Jeremy and Lindsey Brehm
Baptized June 17, 2016

Autumn Rose Horstmann
Daughter of Robert and Heidi Horstmann
Born May 4, 2016
Baptized June 19, 2016

Funeral

Darrell Puttkamer
Born January 26, 1929
Died May 29, 2016
Burial June 3, 2016

Statistics as of June 23, 2016

Confirmed members	944
Baptized members	<u>208</u>
Total members	1,152



St. John's Media Ministry



Balance May 22, 2016	\$ 7,131.26
Contributions	\$ 675.00
Disbursements	
WRPQ	\$ 1,050.00
Radio Phone Line	\$ <u>15.00</u>
Balance June 16, 2016	\$ 6,741.26

Mark Your Summer Calendars!

Sauk County Fair-July 11-17: We will need help at the fair booth, which is a good way to promote our church and school. Please speak to Tim Kiefer or Ed Lukaszewicz about helping to "man" the booth.

VBS: The second full week in August (Mon-Friday, August 8-12) is our week for **VBS**. Camp Phillip staffers will be needing housing as they are coming us this year.



Camp Phillip

VBS kids will the Thursday service on We will do some

to partner with They and our participate in night worship August 11th. more VBS

planning this month as Education/Outreach get together, including promoting the theme:

"Rock On!"

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Church Council Meeting Minutes June 14, 2016 Minutes

Present: President-Jeff Thieding, Secretary-Marty Brey, Property-Bill Giese, Youth-Larry Verstein, Outreach-Tim Kiefer, Fellowship-Tom Tiedt, Worship-Dave Grant, Board of Education-Martin Strobel, Stewardship-Brent Bailey, Spiritual-Will Underwood, Pastor- Maglietto, Pastor- Schroeder.

Opening Prayer and Devotion: – Pastor Schroeder continued the devotional study from *God Speaks*: About Closed Communion.

Financial Items: Thieding gave an overview of May Financial Statement. We are now estimated to be \$39,000 short of meeting our fiscal budget, ending June 30, 2016. Motion to approve financial/carried.

Old Business:

Budget 2016/2017 – Final Review, Necessary Changes and Approval.

Review Fundraiser Policy: Motion/carried.

Review Durkee call: Durkee accepted call.

New Business:

Membership Changes: Acceptance of New Members: Kalina Linzmeier, Megan Thompson, Samantha and Jon Steinich, Verna Boll. Transfers: Wayne & Donna Verstein to St. Paul's, North Freedom. Motion/carried.

Discuss/Approve School Board recommendation to Call for Early Childhood Director for 3K program from the field: Motion no second/Failed.

Staff Stabilization Fund: Approved to add special fund designated for paying salaries in case of budgetary shortfall.

Fair Booth Discussion/Concerns: Schedule to be on Narthex desk for members to sign up.

Mowing of Church & School lawns: Will continue to use volunteer, Bruce Ramsey, for mowing. We thank Bruce for his service.

Preheater for Church dishwasher: Motion for property to purchase a new preheater at a cost not to exceed \$2,500. Motion/carried.

Fellowship carpet price updates: Pricing same as a year ago. All within \$14,000.

Adjournment: Pastor Schroeder closed with prayer

Respectfully Submitted
Marty Brey Secretary

Western Wisconsin District Convention

Our male called workers attended the Western Wisconsin District Convention at Luther Prep in Watertown on June 6-7. Our new leaders are as follows: President - Mike Jensen, 1st VP - Jerry Ewings, 2nd VP - Brett Brauer, Sec/Treas - Galen Riediger. Please keep these men in your prayers as they serve our District.



Please contact the church office with your current email address. If you would prefer to receive your monthly church newsletter as an email, please let us know. Call 355-3870 or email churchoffice@stjohnsbaraboo.org.



St. John's Lutheran School News

St. John's Tuition Assistance Fund: As of June 22, we have a balance of \$3,003 in our Tuition Assistance Fund. *Members*, you can donate to this fund and it will be included on your annual contribution report. This is a great way to work on our mission of "bringing the little children to Jesus." To donate to the Tuition Assistance Fund, please stop in at church or include a donation with your offering. Thank you for your support.

Box Tops & Moola Milk: These programs are still going strong so please continue to save your box tops and milk caps! Please take note of the final page of the newsletter for the many and varied labels for "Box Tops for Education." You might want to pull the sheet out of the newsletter for future reference. We also participate in Kwik Trip's Milk Moola program, which is featured at the end of this article. These programs benefit our school and we appreciate your help!

Scrip: Don't forget to order your Scrip cards! Scrip sales will continue throughout the summer Sunday mornings after service. Orders placed one Sunday will be available for pick up the following Sunday.

Camp with the WELS Weekend: Save the date! Sept. 9-11 at K.D. Ranch Campground, Baraboo. Hang out for the weekend or just an hour. Church Service & potluck Sat., fishing, hiking etc. Call Mark Bloss at 393-4002 with questions. More information posted at local WELS Churches this summer.



Kwik Trip Nature's Touch Eligible products:

- Whole Milk (Homogenized)
- 2% Reduced Fat Milk
- 1% Low-fat Milk
- Fat Free Skim Milk
- Chocolate Flavored Milk
- Strawberry Flavored Milk
- Orange Juice, from 100% juice concentrate
- Nature's Touch Drinking Water
- Nature's Touch Egg Nog (Seasonal)
- Kwik Quencher® Iced Tea – Gallons
- Kwik Quencher Lemonade – Gallons

*Sizes include: Bags, gallons, ½ gallons, quarts, pints and ½ pints. Sizes do vary per product, always be sure to look for the Milk Moola logo on the cap or bag top.

Baraboo Food Pantry

July

Tuna and Mayonnaise

August

Jell-O and Puddings

**No Ladies Aid
July & August**





From the Church Library



The Why Files Book 3: Are there Really Ghosts? Can ghosts haunt people? Are there really witches? How do you know when God is talking to you? What's a new-ager? Author James Watkins treats supernatural topics with a criteria of credibility, consistency and verifiability. Try a few pages. Look for this stimulating book on the Bible study shelf of St. John's library.



Please speak with Mark Smidl or Pastor Schroeder if you plan to attend **Lifest**. Tickets have been generously subsidized by our Thrivent Advocacy Committee for this Event. Thank You.

READ THROUGH YOUR BIBLE IN THREE YEARS

July 2016

July 1	Ezekiel 42:1-43:12
July 2	Ezekiel 43:13-44:31
July 3	Ezekiel 45, 46
July 4	Ezekiel 47:1-12
July 5	Ezekiel 47:13-48:35
July 6	Colossians 1:1-14
July 7	Colossians 1:15-23
July 8	Colossians 1:24-2:7
July 9	Colossians 2:8-23
July 10	Colossians 3:1-17
July 11	Colossians 3:18-4:18
July 12	Philemon
July 13	Ezra 1, 2
July 14	Ezra 3
July 15	Ezra 4
July 16	Ezra 5, 6
July 17	Ezra 7
July 18	Ezra 8
July 19	Ezra 9, 10
July 20	Nehemiah 1
July 21	Nehemiah 2
July 22	Nehemiah 3
July 23	Nehemiah 4
July 24	Nehemiah 5
July 25	Nehemiah 6
July 26	Nehemiah 7
July 27	Nehemiah 8
July 28	Nehemiah 9:1-21
July 29	Nehemiah 9:22-37
July 30	Nehemiah 9:38-10:39
July 31	Nehemiah 11

VBS with CAMP PHILLIP

WHEN: August 8 – 12th

TIME: 9 TO NOON

WHERE: ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL

Your Help Is Needed!

We need some volunteers to help the Camp Phillip staffers with story, music, and craft activities and snacks. If you can help any or all of these mornings, or help set-up on Sunday August 7, please contact the church office (355-3870)

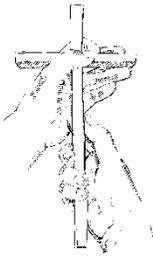


Camp Phillip staffers will be needing housing as they are coming to partner with us this year. They and our VBS kids will participate in the Thursday night worship service on August 11th. We will do some more VBS planning this month as Education /Outreach get together, including promoting the theme:

Rock On!

**"Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord;
Let us shout aloud
to the Rock of our Salvation."
-Psalm 95:1**

Confirmation 2016 Essays



Jacob Carignan - Deuteronomy 31:8

“The LORD himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.”

These few sentences can mean so many different things to different people. For me, they are a message of hope, of forgiveness and of love. I will always believe in God’s grace, power and love.

I will always turn to the promise it tells, and to the truth of these words, for comfort, in good times and in bad times. I decided to write about this passage because I am very involved with things involving leadership currently, and this passage notes that God is the ultimate leader. He goes before all of us and leads us to faith through his word. I do not have to worry that he will lead me in the wrong direction because he is perfect. We all would be lost, aimless sheep, wandering without hope without him. Our pastors and teachers help to corral us as well. He will stick with us and not abandoned us. I find this very reassuring to know that I will not be by myself in all my life.

We do not have to worry, he tells us. Do not lose courage. The path that God leads us through is the path of life. And this path can be a tough place. One could wander off the path because of some obstacles ahead. But God himself tells us to contain ourselves and be courageous. He made my path of life different than everyone else’s. But if you stick to the path of God, you’ll make it the home. And once you’re home... you’re home forever.

Isabel Feine – Isaiah 43:1

“Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name; you are mine.”

I chose this passage because it gives me comfort and reassurance. I know that he redeemed me, and he has summoned me by name, and most importantly, I know that I am his, a child of God.

As I turn the page into the next chapter of my life, I know I will face many temptations. And that is why it is crucial that I need God in my life. In all my times of trouble and temptation, I need to pray to him, and ask him for forgiveness. And I can be completely sure that he will forgive me of my sins, and that I am still his child that he died on the cross for.

I find it truly amazing that he loved me so much that he died on the cross to pay for my sins. And that right now in heaven, he is preparing a place for me.

I cannot wait to be with Jesus in heaven someday where I can praise and thank him for all he has done for me. Through his death and resurrection, I know that I have been saved from Satan, and all of his evil.

Lastly, I hope to keep growing stronger in my faith and never turn my back on God. I hope to always do my best by him, and I know that with him, anything is possible.

Josey Frazier – Philippians 1:21

“For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain.”

When you think about it, if we aren’t living for Christ, who are we living for?

I will always remember this verse because it reminds me daily to live life for Christ. All things in life I can raise to the cross, putting Christ first. He will lead me on the journey ahead.

Christ is my joy, my peace, my song, my sword, my shield, and as my King he won over sin, death, and the power of the devil. Since Christ won over these obstacles he can easily help me with my problems.

The only way I’m saved is by grace alone. Through the means of grace the Holy Spirit gives me ongoing strength for the long journey ahead.

I know that going into a new school is a fresh start, new people, new teachers, a new plan. God will help me through all of these new situations.

I shouldn’t be afraid of death because Jesus already conquered it. Looking forward to the rest of my life, I can’t wait to live with Jesus in paradise. Live for Christ.

Autumn Klemm – Joshua 1:9

“Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.”

When I first read this verse I knew it would be one of my favorites. So many things about this verse I find comforting and helpful during the next stage of my life. Joshua 1:9 is a verse that will never leave my side. Anytime I am having a struggle I know that I will be comforted by these words of God.

The words, “*Be strong and courageous*”, are so powerful. I know that I don’t have to be ashamed of my faith or afraid of what people may think of me. I can fight for what I believe. I know that with God by my side in life that I can be strong and courageous and fight to overcome every temptation that I will face.

God says that I don’t have to be terrified or discouraged because he is my one and only God and he will be with me wherever I go. Our heavenly Father loves us so much that he sent his one and only Son, Jesus Christ to sacrifice his life so that we may be in heaven with him one day. This shows how much he loves us and we know that he continues to show his love for us by being with us in every trouble and will bring us safely home to him.

I hope to progress in my faith, as my life carries on. I will always look to the Bible in times of need, and especially Joshua 1:9 to remind me of my confirmation and that he has forgiven my sins.

Kirstyn Mathis – Joshua 1:9

“Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.”

Jesus Christ tells me to not fear because he is at my side. I know that I can be strong and courageous in God’s Word and through his Son, our Lord. When I am weak and having a bad day, I can read this passage and remember that Jesus died for my sins, and I am saved. I don’t think I would want to go through life without knowing this passage.

I will not be weak and discouraged; instead I will be strong and brave. Life’s problems have made it hard for us to enjoy our lives as children of God. We are

too afraid to be strong and too discouraged to be courageous. Instead of worrying about life’s problems be excited for the day because God is with you and he will take you where you need to go without the worrying. We will still worry because we are sinful. We should worry less and be strong and happy more often than not.

This is why I chose this verse because I know I will be strong and courageous. I will not be weak or discouraged. Through this passage I have been strengthened and courageous. I am strong in God’s Word and courageous because I know God is with me.

Molly McClyman – Jeremiah 29:11

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you, not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

When I was given the chance to pick a bible verse to signify the way I feel I knew which one I wanted to pick right away.

There are many reasons I picked this verse. First, it lets you know that there is always someone thinking about you no matter what is going on in your life. Second, this verse will always give you peace of mind that you are being lead down the right path in life. Third, this verse will always give you hope when there seems to be no hope left in the world.

It can be a great comfort to hear a brother or sister say, “I will be thinking about you when I’m gone.” Or to hear your great grandpa say, “You will be in my prayers and thoughts until the next time I see you.” Just as a mother will pick you up as you fall, it’s wonderful to know that all of these people are out there not to harm you but to help you through life. Jesus is meant to help you, not to harm you.

We have millions of decisions to make every year throughout our lifetime. On an average day, we can make up to 35,000 decisions on our own. Now this can lead to stressful minds. We don’t need to get stressed though; we have peace of mind that we are being led down the correct path. This verse states “*For I know the plans I have for you.*” This mean that you may not understand what is happening during your life right now, but it is all part of one plan.

“Plans to give you hope and a future...” I don’t know what the future holds. This is okay because I know that God has a path and a plan for my life. If I keep him at the center of my life and listen, my future is assured to be great. Even when life is pretty stormy I always know that the sun will come out and life will get better. I will also always have hope that my life will work itself out, and have confidence in myself and the path that is meant for me.

So in conclusion, this verse lets me know that there is always someone thinking about me no matter what is going on in my life, will always give me peace of mind that will lead me down the right path in life, and this verse will always give me hope when there seems to be no hope left in the world.

Max McNabb – Matthew 28:20

“And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

To me this verse is comforting and assures me of something great: that Jesus is always with me till I die and I see him in heaven.

He is not just with me and some other people in life. He is with everybody in the family of faith, even people that have a lot harder life in the world. He is with them. When people get in bad car accidents, or when men and women go off to fight in war—getting shot at—Jesus is with them. When people are getting persecuted for what they believe in, Jesus is with them. Jesus is with everybody.

Even though he doesn’t seem to perform “big miracles” he keeps performing “little ones” throughout the world for those less fortunate and for the rich happy people too—even if we don’t see these as the miracles they are.

That’s why I chose Matthew 28:20 as my verse for confirmation.

When I think about this verse, I remember that Jesus is with me through the hardest of times and all of the temptations the devil throws my way. Jesus has me protected and secure in his arms.

“I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes.”

With the help of my family and our confirmation class I have learned to not be ashamed with spreading the gospel of God. I’m proud to have Romans 1:16 as my verse because it assures us that no matter the temptations, we should not be ashamed to be reading and teaching the gospel to others, with no fear or regrets.

There are two specific people in my life that do this every day is my grandmother Carla and my grandfather John. They both may have very different lives but have no fear in sharing the works of God. Grandma is the one that is quiet and reserved but that is not the case when she talks about God.

My grandfather John is always reading the Bible from beginning to end and every time the Bible tells him something more. He tells me that when you are low, read a book of the bible and write what it says to you down.

This verse increases my trust in God. I can take honor in spreading his gospel and sharing his love for us—not only with our own family but also with all those around us. Take the hands of all of all the people around you and share the wonderful works of God.

Naomy Sanchez Figueroa – John 14:27

“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.”

I chose this verse because it’s very strongly worded so it has very powerful words like “do not be afraid.”

Have you ever been afraid? Have you ever felt troubled? Everyone has—but God chooses to protect us and make us feel secure about life. We are going to face so many temptations in high school but we always have to remember God’s Words and keep them.

I’ve been faced with temptations, but I think about God, his Word, and I get away from that temptation as soon as possible. When confirmation ends, God is

going to protect his people no matter what, but there are choices to make. *“I do not give you as the world gives.”* This passage means so much since the world we live in now is a very sinful place but that doesn't give us the right to do whatever wrong someone else is doing.

For example, perhaps someone is getting confirmed but you'll never see them at church. God wouldn't like that since it's being a hypocrite. But God's Word calls, *“Take the good route and repent of sins you have done, or are currently doing.”*

Confirmation is something very important, since it brings us closer to God and lets us take the bread and wine, which are Jesus' body and blood. Life is filled with the devil's temptations but we are not to give in to them. Instead, we can read the Bible, go to church, and follow the Ten Commandments.

Finally, I wish to all the people that are getting confirmed the best and I hope they follow God even if they won't hear his Word every day in school. This is going to be a challenge for all of us but we can do it.

Hannah Schroeder – Jeremiah 29:11

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you, not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

Being able to do soccer, basketball, the musical, and holding a job requires me to have a plan. I can't keep that all in my head so I have a planner. Whenever I have an event planned, I mark it down. Then everything lines up perfectly and I get to do it all! Isn't that how it's supposed to work? Unfortunately, that's not always the case. There are times when a birthday party pops up when I have a soccer game scheduled. Ugh, now I have to choose where I'm going. Now I have a fork in the road. Or there are times when I am running late. Ugg! Sometimes my schedule doesn't line up with others around me or I'm not on the same page... even times when I don't know the plan. It can make me want to bang my head against the wall! Well what happens when your plan doesn't match God's plan? I would like to be a called worker for Christ someday, but my plans might not go the way I think. For instance, what if I am asked to teach some challenging students? Or if a family problem occurs. Or if I get a call to some far off place? Will I choose to follow God's plan? Will I know what his plan even is? Bang! Bang! Bang! Ow, it could be a real headache!

You know, one of the best things is that Jesus will never forsake us. So when I worry, I pray that God will send a reminder to make me think of my confirmation verse. This verse is a reminder that my plans matter nothing compared to Christ's... A reminder that it is not in my jurisdiction to do whatever I wish! I will remember that whatever Christ's plan is, it's for my good and will let me grow.

Jeremiah 29:11 is a reminder of home. Not of Baraboo, not of Wisconsin Rapids, not of Cedarburg, Appleton, nor of New Ulm. It's a reminder of the home I look forward to every day. For my real home is not in the here and now, but in the future. My home is heaven. Heaven is the only certain thing the LORD has told me about his plan. I don't know when I'll get there. That's okay because the event tends to matter more than the “when” and “where” on the schedule.

I'm really excited about the awesome future God has planned for me.

Bryce Underwood – Romans 1:16

“I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes, first for the Jew, then for the Gentile.”

I chose this verse because this is a great reminder of what the gospel is: power. The gospel is for all *believers*, including not only Jews, but Gentiles as well and it is the powerful way God saves.

Of course, the law is needed as well as the gospel. My verse reminds me that true faith is needed for salvation. The benefit of Jesus' rescue comes only to those who believe it. If you are hearing the gospel without hearing the law, the gospel will later mean very little.

God does not overlook any evil attitude people have or any bad action they do. That is why the law is needed and we will use it to keep us on the path. The rest of the verses in Romans tell us that God's anger is poured out on anyone outside of Christ. If you are only hearing the gospel and no law, you will just keep saying “Oh, God will forgive me,” and your conscience will be dulled.

The gospel *“is the power of God for the salvation of all who believe.”* With this knowledge we know that the gospel is what saves us. We need the gospel to

comfort us to realize that we are not doomed to hell. Rather, we can have the comfort of going to heaven.

Can I ever be ashamed of the good news about Jesus? Not if I remember how powerful it is and what a great blessing it brings to everyone who believes.

Luke Volkey – Revelation 2:10

“Be faithful even to the point of death, and I will give you the crown of life.”

This verse is my favorite comforting verse because it reminds me that God will always love me, this verse reminds me to stay faithful to my God, it tells me not to sin against him. *“Be faithful even to the point of death.”*

To me this means even on the bad days STAY FAITHFUL. When a relative dies—STAY FAITHFUL, know that God will protect you and your family. Even if you’re about to die—STAY FAITHFUL. My faith has helped me to be respectful to others, and doing deeds faithfully, it also helps me pray faithfully to God.

The second part of the verse is *“I will give you the crown of life.”* STAY FAITHFUL to God and hold onto his Word—he will give you the crown of life.

This just goes to show that God will always love you. He will always love us because we are his children and he will bring us home to heaven forever with him.

Rachel Walter – Romans 1:16

“I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes.”

This verse is a good reminder to me that I am not ashamed, and never should be ashamed to spread the good news of the gospel.

I am also reminded that Jesus died for my sins, the sins of the world, and he rose from the dead. Through his grace and the work of the Holy Spirit who has worked faith into my heart, I will be with him in heaven.

When I was looking for the right confirmation verse I had a hard time deciding which verse to choose. Then, when I read Romans 1:16, I knew it was the right verse for me. It made me think about how I don’t always share and proclaim the gospel to others as often as I should. This verse has pushed me to try to share the gospel with everyone and to do it with such joy and excitement as a little child that sings, “Jesus Loves Me.”

Finally, this verse fills me with so much joy when I read it because it tells me how I have been set free from the guilt of sin and the power of the devil because of Jesus gracious death and resurrection. I have nothing to be ashamed or afraid about. I will spread the gospel with everyone around me, so that they may come to believe in him and be with him in heaven.

It is a good reminder to me and anyone who reads this verse because we should not be ashamed to share the good news that Jesus died, rose from the dead, and He forgave the sins of the whole world.



DVDs AVAILABLE...

Are you able to view DVDs at home on a DVD player or on your computer? If you can, you might want to pick up a DVD of a past service. DVDs are in a blue box on the narthex desk. A suggested donation of \$1 will help us provide future DVDs.



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- Lucky Charms™
- Nature Valley™ Oat Cereals
- Nature Valley™ Protein Crunchy Granola
- Oatmeal Crisp™
- Raisin-Nut Bran
- Reese's Puffs®
- Star Wars cereal (© & ™ 2015 Lucasfilm Ltd.)
- Superman™ Caramel Crunch
- Total™
- Trix™
- Wheaties™

FOOD STORAGE CONTENEDORES PARA ALIMENTOS

- Ziploc® brand Big Bags XL (4 ct.)
- Ziploc® brand Freezer Bags
- Ziploc® brand Smart Snap Containers
- Ziploc® brand Storage Bags
- Ziploc® brand Twist 'n Lock Containers
- Ziploc® brand VersaGlass® Containers
- Ziploc® brand Vacuum Freezer System
- Ziploc® brand Zip 'n Steam™ Bags

FROZEN CONGELADOS

- Annie's® Frozen Snacks
- Green Giant™ Vegetables
- Pillsbury™ Breakfast
- Totino's™ Party Pizza® & Pizza Rolls® Snacks

HOUSEHOLD CLEANING LIMPIEZA DEL HOGAR

- Finish® Dishwashing Detergent
- Lysol® Bathroom Cleaners
- Lysol® Disinfectant Spray & Wipes

MEALS & SIDES COMIDAS Y GUARNICIONES

- Annie's® Mac & Cheese
- Annie's® Microwaveable Mac & Cheese Cups
- Betty Crocker™ Bowl Appetit
- Betty Crocker™ Hamburger, Chicken & Tuna Helpers
- Betty Crocker™ Helper Complete Meals
- Betty Crocker™ Specialty Potatoes & Potato Buds
- Betty Crocker™ Suddenly Salad
- Green Giant™ Canned Vegetables
- Green Giant™ Yaggy Blend-Ins
- Old El Paso™ Bold Stand n' Stuff Shells
- Old El Paso™ Dinner Kits
- Old El Paso™ Rice & Beans
- Old El Paso™ Shells & Seasonings
- Old El Paso™ Soft Tortilla Taco Boats
- Old El Paso™ Stand n' Stuff Shells
- Progresso™ Panko
- Progresso™ Bread Crumb Mixers™
- Progresso™ Soup
- Progresso™ Broth

PAPER PRODUCTS PRODUCTOS DE PAPEL

- Kleenex® Facial Tissues
- Scott® Bath Tissue
- Scott® Paper Towels
- Scott Naturals™ Flushable Cleansing Cloths

PRODUCE FRUTAS Y VERDURAS

- Green Giant™ Fresh Vegetables, Fruit & Herbs

REFRIGERATED & DAIRY REFRIGERADOS Y LÁCTEOS

- Alpine Lace® Pre-Sliced Deli Cheese
- Go-Gurt® Multipacks
- Kozy Shack® Pudding
- Land O'Lakes® Cheese Products
- Land O'Lakes® Fresh Buttery Taste® Spread (Sticks and Tubs)
- Land O'Lakes® Margarine (Sticks and Tubs)
- Land O'Lakes® Sauté Express® Sauté Starter (Sticks and Tubs)
- Land O'Lakes® Stick Butter or Spreadable Butter Products
- Pillsbury™ Crescents
- Pillsbury™ Grand! Biscuits
- Pillsbury™ Pizza Crust
- Pillsbury™ Melts
- Pillsbury™ Cookies
- Pillsbury™ Cinnamon Rolls
- Pillsbury™ Pancake Batter
- Yoplait® Original and Yoplait® Light Fridge Packs

SCHOOL & OFFICE SUPPLIES ARTÍCULOS PARA ESCUELA Y OFICINA

- Boise POLARIS® Premium Paper
- Boise® FIREWORX® Premium Colored Paper

SNACKS & JUICES BOCADILLOS

- Annie's® Cookies
- Annie's® Crackers
- Annie's® Fruit Snacks
- Annie's® Granola Bars
- Annie's® Snack Mix
- Betty Crocker™ Fruit Flavored Snacks
- Bugles™
- Cascadian Farm™ Granola Bars
- Cereal Treat Bars
- Cheerios™ Snack Mix
- Chex Mix™
- Fiber One™ Bars, Brownies, Cookies, and Streusel
- Food Should Taste Good™ Snacks
- Gardetto's™ Snacks
- LARABAR™ (multipacks)
- Larabar™ RENOLA Grain Free Granola
- Mott's® Applesauce products
- Mott's® Juice
- Mott's® Medleys Fruit Flavored Snacks
- Nature Valley™ Bars
- Nature Valley™ Granola Bites
- Nature Valley™ Protein Soft Baked Granola Bites
- Pillsbury™ Baguette Chips
- Ocean Spray® Fruit Flavored Snacks

TABLEWARE MANTELERÍA

- Hefty® Deluxe™ Plates and Platters
- Hefty® Easy Grip® Cups
- Hefty® Everyday™ Cups
- Hefty® Everyday™ Soak Proof Plates and Bowls
- Hefty® Printed Cups
- Hefty® Style Plates
- Kleenex® Dinner Napkins (50 ct.)

WASTE BAGS BOLSAS DE BASURA

- Hefty® Blackout Tall Kitchen Drawstring Bags
- Hefty® Cinch Sak Large Trash Bags and Lawn & Leaf Bags
- Hefty® Easy Flaps® Tall Kitchen Bags and Large Trash Bags
- Hefty® OdorBlock® Tall Kitchen Drawstring Bags
- Hefty® Renew® Tall Kitchen Bags and Trash Bags
- Hefty® SteelSak® Trash Bags
- Hefty® Twist Tie Tall Kitchen Bags and Trash and Lawn & Leaf Bags
- Hefty® Ultimate
- Hefty® Ultra Flex® Trash Bags



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St. John's Lutheran Church

Operating Statements

For the eleven months ending May 31, 2016 and 2015

Month of May			Fiscal Year to Date		
2016	2015	Difference	2016	2015	Difference
Operating Revenues					
Church Revenues					
\$50,775	\$47,610	\$3,165	\$531,906	\$531,633	\$272
0	0		170	11,255	-11,085
836	1,708	-872	57,137	80,072	-22,935
<u>\$51,611</u>	<u>\$49,318</u>	<u>\$2,293</u>	<u>\$589,213</u>	<u>\$622,960</u>	<u>-\$33,747</u>
\$13,334	\$9,380	\$3,954	\$183,618	\$139,950	\$43,668
\$6,901	\$3,512	\$3,389	\$56,622	\$40,298	\$16,324
<u>\$71,845</u>	<u>\$62,209</u>	<u>\$9,636</u>	<u>\$829,453</u>	<u>\$803,208</u>	<u>\$26,244</u>
Operating Expenses					
Church Expenses					
\$12,995	\$11,923	\$1,072	\$142,756	\$141,849	\$907
3,127	1,850	\$1,277	31,364	34,901	-3,537
3,750	3,333	\$417	41,250	36,666	4,584
3,501	3,312	189	40,994	51,110	-10,116
<u>\$23,372</u>	<u>\$20,418</u>	<u>\$2,954</u>	<u>\$256,365</u>	<u>\$264,526</u>	<u>-\$8,161</u>
School Expenses					
\$42,602	\$39,195	\$3,407	\$477,007	\$445,414	\$31,593
4,043	3,023	1,020	46,702	62,716	-16,014
2,670	1,534	1,136	29,224	17,688	11,536
<u>\$49,315</u>	<u>\$43,752</u>	<u>\$5,563</u>	<u>\$552,933</u>	<u>\$525,818</u>	<u>\$27,115</u>
\$5,682	\$3,785	\$1,897	\$51,537	\$40,401	\$11,137
<u>\$78,369</u>	<u>\$67,955</u>	<u>\$10,414</u>	<u>\$860,834</u>	<u>\$830,744</u>	<u>\$30,090</u>
<u>-\$6,524</u>	<u>-\$5,746</u>	<u>-\$778</u>	<u>-\$31,382</u>	<u>-\$27,536</u>	<u>-\$3,846</u>
<u>\$14,300</u>	<u>\$4,202</u>	<u>\$10,098</u>	<u>\$22,092</u>	<u>\$14,809</u>	<u>\$7,283</u>
Assets					
			Balance		
Checking Account @ BNB			\$11,456	\$13,227	
MM1 @ BNB					
GTF Undesignated			\$0	\$1,639	
Capital Improvement Fund			\$30	\$6,253	
Called Worker Fund			\$11,972	\$7,232	
Total MM1 @ BNB			<u>\$12,002</u>	<u>\$15,124</u>	
MM2 @ BNB					
Gift Trust Balance			\$0	\$2,666	
Church Projects			\$11,722	\$37,143	
School Projects			\$18,766	\$37,409	
Scholarship Projects			\$2,881	\$31,301	
Total MM2 @ BNB			<u>\$33,368</u>	<u>\$108,519</u>	
Endowment @ ICF			\$253,247	\$278,898	
Eschenbach Fund @ ICF			\$192,505	\$223,038	
Investments-Bequests			\$12,027	\$17,014	