



Taking It Home

Prayer: O God, source of all beauty and goodness, your grace comes fresh every morning. In each new day you give us light. We praise you for your never failing love that satisfies our needs and shows us the way to follow. We rejoice in your constant care, for you are faithful in love for all people, offering the world salvation through Jesus Christ, in his name we pray. Amen

Daily Bible Readings

Sunday :	Romans 7:14-25	pg. 1756
Monday:	Romans 8:1-39	
Tuesday:	Romans 9:1-33	
Wednesday:	Romans 10:1-21	
Thursday:	Romans 11:1-36	
Friday:	Romans 12:1-21	
Saturday:	Romans 13:1-14	
Sunday:	Romans 14:1-19	

Continued Announcements

Sewing Anyone? Looking for folks to join us one Sunday afternoon a month to sew projects for Lutheran World Relief. What we have in mind so far are diapers, receiving blankets and quilt tops. Contact Glenda Fellenz at 715-255-9233 or Janell Kopp at 715-659-3997.

Yoga & Paint Away Classes starting soon here at St. John's. You must register prior for the classes to run, Paint Away date: Feb. 23, 6:30-8:30 pm Gentle Yoga March 6-May 22, 6-7 pm. Register with Linda Bauer by email: stratfordclasses@gmail.com

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We're glad you're here! Welcome

At Spencer, everything is projected on the screen up front. Hearing devices are available, ask an usher. Activity bags are available in the back.

Announcements

Soup Sunday The Women of the ELCA, Riplinger are having their annual Soup Sunday on Feb. 19, serving a variety of soups and desserts. Please join us for a soup lunch, delicious desserts and good fellowship. A free will offering to help out the church will be taken that day. Sign up sheets are in the entryway at Riplinger.

Bible Camp Sunday February 19, Spencer is offering one day only additional discounts on Bible Camp registrations.

Malawi, Africa anyone? Our synod (Northwest Synod of WI) is planning 2 trips to Malawi this summer and have openings for adults, high school and college students. Applications are on the bulletin board with details. Deadline is March 1.

VBS Planning Team is needed to begin planning this summer's Vacation Bible School. Roles include: decorating team, station coordinator, supply coordinator, mission coordinator, and publicity/registration. Interested or want to know more info, ask Jenny Nieman 715-383-4836.

Butter Braids Cross Training students are selling Butter Braids to raise funds for the Bible Camp Scholarship Fund. If you don't know who to order from there is an order form on the bulletin board, add your order to it, payments can be given to the office. Thanks for helping send kids to Bible Camp!

February COME Meal the sign up sheets are on the bulletin board if you would like to purchase any food items or to volunteer.

Basket Raffle if you would like to donate a basket or items for a themed basket please have them to church by February 20. Thanks in advance for supporting the 2017 mission trip to Charlotte, NY.

2016 Annual Reports paper copies are in the brochure rack or view a digital copy from our website.

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY
 8:00 AM Worship
 9:00 AM Sunday school
 9:00 AM Bible Study
 10:00 AM Worship
 10:00 AM Sunday school at Riplinger
 11:00 AM Worship at Riplinger w/Baptism

MONDAY
 7:00 PM CrossWays Bible Study

TUESDAY
 7:30 AM Fitness Class

WEDNESDAY
 10:00 AM Bible Study
 6:30 PM Cross Training
 6:45 PM Where Moms Connect

THURSDAY

FRIDAY
 Pastors Day Off

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Serving Today

8:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Wayne & Charla Hagen
 Tech: Randi Thompson
 Sound: Dennis Kopp
 Ushers: Bob Helsten,
 Tanika Reckner
 Communion: Janell Kopp
 Reader: Janell Kopp
 Acolyte: Kylie Smazal
 Hospitality: Lori Cook

10:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Rich Wilke
 Tech: Brandon Kopp
 Sound: Bruce Luepke
 Ushers: Travis Hardrath, Alec Cook
 Communion: David Knecht, Kelly Lawrence, Janine Luepke
 Assisting Minister: Cindy Weiler
 Acolyte: Lydia Nieman
 Basket bearer: Dani Soback
 Counters: Brandon Kopp, Jackie Soback, Larry Labrensz

11:00 am Riplinger

Acolyte: Levi Dommer
 Reader: Gail Burns
 Counters: Sue Wallace, Bob Burns

Next Sunday, February 12

8:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Bob & Audrey Helsten
 Tech: Tyler Klement
 Sound: Nadine Willett
 Ushers: Tyson Klement,
 Jesse Klement
 Communion: Kelly Lawrence
 Reader: Jerry Marden
 Acolyte: Sawyer Kilty
 Hospitality: Karen Grieser

10:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Ashley Schalow
 Tech: Allen Jicinsky
 Sound: Randi Thompson
 Ushers: Ethan Cloud, Travis Hardrath
 Communion: Jenny Nieman, Amy Weber, Penni Cloud
 Assisting Minister: Brandon Kopp
 Acolyte: Jaci Cook
 Basket bearer: Nathan Kieffer
 Counters: Teri Schorer, Patty Behrens, Jerry Marden

11:00 am Riplinger

Acolyte: Iva Schuette
 Reader: Dave Newman
 Communion: Deana Parker
 Counters: Dave Newman,
 Dawn Pagenkopf

LIFTING UP IN PRAYER

Ken Kenyon, Paula Hanson,
 Dennis Seefeld, Don Vanderwyst;
 Karen Mellenthin, Deborah Fowler
 (Amanda Gronski's step-mom),
 Gary Thompson, Theresa
 Seehafer, Art Halverson, Karen
 Larson (Nancy Dietsche's sister),
 Doug Oelrich, Darlene Dommer,
 Jon Soderberg, Audrey Heldt

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