



St. John's Lutheran Church

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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.

Taking It Home

Prayer: Dear God, in this very busy season with so many things to do, help us to hear anew your voice calling us to prepare the way for our Lord and Savior Jesus. Call us to repentance. Live in us by your Spirit that our lives will produce good fruit to the praise and honor of your name. Amen

Daily Bible Readings

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| Sunday : | Matthew 2:1-23 | pg. 1497 |
| Monday: | Jeremiah 31:15-22 | |
| Tuesday: | Matthew 27:32-56 | |
| Wednesday: | 1 Samuel 16:1-13 | |
| Thursday: | 2 Samuel 7:8-29 | |
| Friday: | Psalm 98 | |
| Saturday: | Isaiah 11:1-10 | |
| Sunday: | Luke 2:8-20 | |

LIFTING UP IN PRAYER

Dennis Seefeld, Donna Arvelo (Linda Marchinek's sister), Gary Thompson, Theresa Seehafer, Art Halverson, Karen Larson (Nancy Dietsche's sister), Doug Oelrich, Gail Jicinsky, Linda Wunrow, Darlene Dommer, Jon Soderberg, Audrey Heldt, Cathy & Jessica Buss

Announcements

Giving Tree if you would like to help purchase gifts for families in need in the community, select a tag from the tree in the entry, put your name on the corresponding line on the clipboard, go shopping then return the wrapped gift to church by Dec. 11. Shopping instructions are on the gift tag, any questions call Sharon Schiszik 715-650-1130.

Cemetery/Old Church Memorial Sign Dedication will be Dec. 4, 9:20 at the Cemetery. Everyone is invited!

That's My Pan Fundraiser proceeds from this sale help fund the 2017 Mission Trip to Charlotte, NY. Place an order at the display in the entry or from our website. Deadline to order is Nov. 30. Questions, see Jenny

Christmas Program Practice Dec. 4 & 11, 2:30 pm

Riplinger Christmas Party will be Dec. 4 following worship, everyone is invited! Bring a dish to pass.

Spencer Poinsettias order forms are in the brochure rack, to place an order fill out the form, and place it in Jackie Soback's mailbox by Dec. 11.

Thank you! To everyone who donated a shoebox gift or helped with the Operation Christmas Child Relay Center.

The Latest Investing in Our Future Results So far, 67 pledges were received for a total of \$105,256 for 2017 regular offering. 66 pledges were received for a total of \$111,568.72 over a three year period for the capital campaign to retire the mortgage.

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY

8:00 AM Worship
9:00 AM Sunday school
9:00 AM Son of God Bible Study
10:00 AM Worship
10:00 AM Sunday School Riplinger
11:00 AM Worship at Riplinger

MONDAY

6:00 PM Yoga
7:00 PM CrossWays Bible Study

TUESDAY

7:30 AM Fitness Class
6:00 PM Choir Practice

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

1:00 PM Riplinger WELCA

FRIDAY

Pastors Day Off

SATURDAY

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8:00 AM Worship
9:00 AM Sunday school
9:00 AM Son of God Bible study
9:20 AM Cemetery Sign/Old Church
Memorial Sign Dedication at Cemetery
10:00 AM Worship
10:00 AM Sunday School at
Riplinger
11:00 AM Worship at Riplinger
2:30 PM Christmas Program Practice
6:30 PM Cub Scout Den Meeting

Serving Today

8:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Gary & Karen Grieser
Tech: Nadine Willett
Sound: Dennis Kopp
Ushers: Pam Kilty, Bill Martens
Reader: Janell Kopp
Communion: Jule Vogel
Acolyte: Kaitlyn Schmidt
Hospitality: Karen Grieser
Counters: Lori Helsten, Larry
Labrensz, Wayne Hagen

10:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Nancy Dietsche
Tech: Allen Jicinsky
Sound: Bruce Luepke
Assisting Minister: Jenny Nieman
Ushers: Travis Hardrath,
Cadyn Hardrath
Communion: David Knecht, Janine
Luepke, Amy Weber
Acolyte: Josie Tremelling
Basket bearer: Dani Soback

11:00 am Riplinger

Reader: Gail Burns
Acolyte: Elsa Schuette
Counters: Brenda Newman,
Wayne Hendrickson

Next Sunday, December 4

8:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Wayne & Charla Hagen
Tech: Dennis Kopp
Sound: Nadine Willett
Ushers: Harry Vogel,
Jim Christopherson
Reader: Jerry Marden
Communion: Janell Kopp
Acolyte: Kole Herman
Hospitality: Kristy Kieffer
Counters: Teri Schorer, Travis
Hardrath, Patty Behrens

10:00 am Spencer

Greeter: Bob & Glenda Fellenz
Tech: Allen Jicinsky
Sound: Brandon Kopp
Assisting Minister: Jenny Nieman
Ushers: Joan Bruss, Travis Hardrath
Communion: Danika Griepentrog,
Amanda Gronski, David Knecht
Acolyte: Leah Cook
Basket bearer: Nathan Kieffer

11:00 am Riplinger

Reader: Lois Block
Acolyte: Levi Dommer
Counters: Joy Miller,
Wayne Hendrickson

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