

St John Lutheran Church

February 2, 2025



January Birthdays

13	Alan Fisher
15	Neva Hornbeck
26	Judy Kellett
30	Mike Drodofsky
31	Nancy Fogle

February Birthdays

8	Tina Anderson
16	Tim Acton

Girls Lunch Bunch – Tuesday, February 11, 2025 O’Charley’s Restaurant in Canal Winchester. Men are invited. Charlotte Meyer will be making the reservation.

Sue Mason is now maintaining our online church directory (Universal Church Directories) which was previously done by Marianne. If you do not have access to the UCD site, and would like to, please reach out to Sue for instructions (614-260-1107...text or phone call). Additionally, any future changes should be reported to Sue who will update the mobile application.

Don Hornbeck is now maintaining the weekly cover page for the bulletin each week. Send prayer requests to office.stjlithopolis@gmail.com. The deadline is the end of the day on Friday each week.

PRAYERS

Sharon Bobo, a friend of Sue Mason, struggling to recover from infection from multiple brain surgeries
Jerry Daily, recovering from gallbladder surgery, recuperating at home
Erin, 32-year-old patient of Hayley Knicely O’Shields in Charlotte, NC trying to recover from anoxic brain injury caused by a spontaneous heart attack

WELCOME TO ST JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH. WE HOPE YOU ARE BLESSED TODAY AS WE WORSHIP THE LORD TOGETHER. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO FILL OUT A YELLOW COMMUNICATION CARD LOCATED IN THE BACK OF THE PEW AND DROP IT IN THE OFFERING PLATE.

For Your Information

2025 YTD Offerings Summary	
Offerings through:	1/26/2025
Budget (yearly)	56,750.00
Budget YTD	5,456.73
Offerings - Total Rcvd	5,242.96
YTD Over(+)/Under(-)	-213.77

Ceiling Loan Summary	
Original Loan Amount:	36,231.00
P+I Payments made (33):	-22,050.27
Principal (only) Payments:	-11,500.00
Loan Balance Remaining:	5,350.33

~ 8 more pymts

2025 Attendance Information	
January Avg = 36	(versus 17 last year !!)

19+

Ceiling Gifts Summary	
Total Gifts Received:	33,420.20
Principal & Interest Paid:	-33,550.27
Current Gift Balance:	-130.07
# of Possible Payments:	-0.19

668.19/each mo

Event Schedule

2/11/2025 (Tue) Womens Lunch Bunch @ O'Charleys in Canal Winchester (men - you're invited too!)
 2/16/2025 (Sun) Church Council Meeting immediately after church in the Parish Hall Basement

Who's preaching?...

February Pastor Joe

Opportunities to Serve

YEA! Don Hornbeck has stepped forward to create the cover page for our Sunday bulletins - Thank's DON

1) Monthly 'Spirit' Newsletter - we need someone to lead the 'SPIRIT' team

Please contact a council member if you are interested - **WWJD?**

Sunday School

Adults - Sunday mornings at 9:00am upstairs in the Parish Hall

Children - During the church service in the Parish Hall (see Jonette Christy)

Weekly Average Attendance by month for 2021 through 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg
2021	0	15	22	34	29	26	30	28	29	30	30	20	24
2022	14	21	26	48	40	32	31	30	38	32	29	34	31
2023	24	31	29	35	38	33	33	30	35	26	29	29	31
2024	17	23	30	25	46	46	45	39	34	29	30	36	33
2025	36												
Yr-Yr Chg	19												

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