

OFFERINGS FOR JANUARY 10, 2010

GENERAL FUND.....\$ 9,793.64

DEBT RETIREMENT THIS WEEK....\$ 160.00

WEEKLY BUDGET FOR 2010 = \$12,234

Gifts to date.....\$ 19,365

Budgeted needs to date.....\$ 24,468

Budget deficit.....\$ 5,103

ATTENDANCE

SUNDAY SERVICES..... 456

LIVEWIRE..... 55

IGNITE..... 12

ADULT CLASSES..... 38

TUESDAY BIBLE CLASS..... 20

WEDNESDAY BIBLE CLASS..... 9

LIFELIGHT..... 3

ST. JOHN'S GOT TALENT!

Sign up for your performance
on the main hall board.

**TICKETS FOR THE IGNITE
ANNUAL DINNER & TALENT
SHOW ON FEBRUARY 21 ARE
NOW ON SALE!**

Dinner Menu:

Jambalaya or Beef Stroganoff
Salad, Breadsticks
Drink and Dessert

Adults: \$8 Children 3-12: \$4

Dinner - 5:30 / Show - 7pm

SPECIAL OFFERING TODAY to help our Brothers and Sisters in Haiti

We will gather a special offering after services today to help respond to the needs of those devastated by the massive earthquakes in Haiti this past week. Thousands were lost, many more are missing, injured, homeless and grieving.

Our church body is in fellowship with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Haiti, which has more than 44,000 members. It is an active mission field that desperately needs to know who God is.

The monies collected will be forwarded to the LCMS World Relief Organization so that they can provide immediate and long term assistance to our brothers and sisters in Haiti. You can also give directly through the LCMS website at www.lcms.org

STEPHEN MINISTRY ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

✠ Worship Services focus on caregiving
✠ Cake and coffee in the fellowship
Hall

at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday

✠ Combined adult Bible classes on
Sunday a.m. at 9:15 in the Trinity
Rooms

COUNCIL MEETING –

Tuesday, January 19 at 7 p.m.

VOTER'S

Tuesday, January 26 at 7 p.m.

THE ALTAR GUILD MEETS JANUARY 25 AT 6 P.M.

GROWTH & STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY – 9:15 a.m.

STEPHEN MINISTER BIBLE CLASS
Nancy Marrs, facilitator, Trinity A

TUESDAY – 9:00 A.M.

1, 2 AND 3 JOHN
Pastor Gall, Trinity A

WEDNESDAY – 10:00 A.M.

JUDGES *Pastor Brown, Conf Room*

CONFIRMATION CLASSES – 3:15 – 4:45

Grade 8 – Pastor Gall
Grade 7 – DCE Chris Imes
Grade 6 – Pastor Brown
Grade 5 – Jerry Lindsey

THURSDAY, 10:00 A.M.

LIFELIGHT
Liz Brown, facilitator, Conference Room

ST. LOUIS SEMINARY TO HOST EVANGELISM CONFERENCE

“Reaching Out Together” is the theme for the gathering scheduled for February 13 at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis.

Registration is \$20 each for the first four people from a single congregation and \$15 for each additional member. Lunch and materials are included.

Registration forms are posted on the main floor bulletin board or you may call or email the seminary’s Continuing Education Office at 314-505-7486 or ce@csl.edu



LIVEWIRE Teacher

Spotlight

The featured teacher this month is:

JEFF WEIS

The Board of Christian Education appreciates teachers like Jeff for their time and dedication to the young people of our congregation. Interested in becoming involved? Contact DCE Chris Imes or Jill Beck, SS Superintendent.

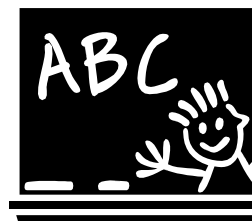
LIVEWIRE PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For January 10

GRADE 8 – Teacher, Jeff Weis
Madison Boerngen, Andrew Knight,
Phillip Knight, Paige Longwell,
Tyler Marxman, Tommy Quance,
Kassie Stanfield, Sarah Womack,
Holly Wall, Logan Weis, Matthew
Wohltman

FRIENDSHIP WEEKEND JANUARY 30 AND 31

Invite a friend to Worship and Bible Study.



**NO PRESCHOOL
ON MONDAY
JANUARY 18**

**in observance of
Martin Luther King, Jr.'s
Birthday**



STEPHEN MINISTRY ANNIVERSARY

Today our congregation celebrates **FIVE YEARS** of Stephen Ministry here at St. John's Lutheran Church. We are proud of this Ministry and invite you to prayerfully consider the following:

THANKSGIVING – That this period represents more than 334 people hours of service to the church by Stephen Ministers.

THANKSGIVING – For those with a vision to begin this ministry. Dr. Kenneth C. Haugk, founder of Stephen Ministries, St. Louis. Rev. Ted Gall and the 10 members of the first class in 2005 for agreeing to embark on a journey they knew very little about.

PRAISE – For the 6 active Stephen Ministers now servicing, and 15 past and present care receivers.

PETITION – We rejoice today that God is working through the Stephen Ministry program at St. John's Lutheran Church, and our people are reaching out with the love of Christ to those who are hurting.

Subscription Prices for 2010

*You can have these booklets mailed directly to you from CPH. Just use the handy, preprinted envelope in your set. **Please indicate LARGE PRINT Portals of Prayer on the outside of your envelope.***

Portals of Prayer	\$5.00
Large Print Portals	\$9.60
Lutheran Witness	\$15.00

UPCOMING YOUTH ACTIVITIES

KFC - GRADES 3-5:

Bowling on January 24.

Meet at K-Bowl at 1:00, pick up at 3:00. \$5 per person! Sign up on the main floor bulletin board TODAY. Leslie Boggs is the coordinator.

Swimming on February 14

Sign up for fun at Draves from 2-4 p.m. Bring a snack (and a friend, if you wish...be sure to sign your friend's name on the list as well.) Only \$5 per person, payable at the door. Dave and Kathy Wall are the event sponsors. Contact them at 347-0893.

F.U.S.E. - GRADES 6-8:

JANUARY 22-24 - YOUTH QUAKE!

CARDS FOR SALE - The cards and items on the table in the fellowship hall are now for sale.

I.G.N.I.T.E. - HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

JANUARY 31 – Youth Night at Church

FEBRUARY 21 – Annual Dinner & Talent Show.

GOLDEN EAGLES FELLOWSHIP

Our Seniors gather for a noon meal and then enjoy an afternoon of cards and games. SIGN UP on the main hall bulletin board for the next fellowship on **Thursday, January. 28.** Come, join us!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS**JANUARY 17-24, 2010**

SUNDAY	17	8 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY STEPHEN MINISTRY!!!			
MONDAY	18	4:30 P.M.	ST. JOHN'S BRASS AND ♯ TONES
		6:00 P.M.	YOUTH BOARD MEETING
<i>NO PRESCHOOL TODAY</i>			
TUESDAY	19	9:00 A.M.	BIBLE CLASS
<i>PRAYER VIGIL – 8:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M.</i>			
		7:00 P.M.	COUNCIL MEETING
WEDNESDAY	20	10:00 A.M.	BIBLE CLASS
		3:30 P.M.	CONFIRMATION CLASS, ALL LEVELS
		6:00 P.M.	BELL CHOIR REHEARSAL
		6:30 P.M.	PRAISE & WORSHIP CHOIR PRACTICE
THURSDAY	21	10:00 A.M.	LIFELIGHT
		1:00 P.M.	STAFF MEETING
SATURDAY	23		WORSHIP SERVICE WITH HOLY COMMUNION
SUNDAY	24	8 & 10:30 A.M.	WORSHIP SERVICES WITH HOLY COMMUNION
		9:15 A.M.	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
		1:00-3:00 P.M.	KFC BOWLING AT K BOWL

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 1/17 Justin Lin, Dale Schagemann,
Onda Wendte
- 1/18 Libby Dasenbrock, Alec
Longwell, Lindsey Stewart
- 1/19 Laura Boerngen, Keith Knight,
Chad Wallin
- 1/20 Todd Gartner
- 1/21 Ryan Feldhake, Rachel Miller,
Nancy Moeller
- 1/23 Carly Esch, Steve Moeller,
Evelyn Vail, Kenzia Watson

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

- 1/21/62 Ronnie & Joyce Wenthe
- 1/22/77 Steve & Nancy Moeller

**EAGLE'S NEST PRESCHOOL 2010
REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN
Forms are posted on the main hall
board**

**COMING IN MARCH
Seminary food drive**

