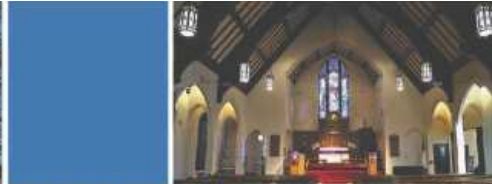


August 9, 2020

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost



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# MANAGING LIFE

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## STRESS MANAGEMENT

*"And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:7*

### WORSHIP SERVICES

#### Traditional Style

Sunday 8:00 AM

#### Contemporary Celebration (Gym)

Sunday 9:30 AM

#### Online Service &

Radio Broadcast 9:00 AM

WTCH960 AM / WTCH96.1 FM

#### Senior Service

1st & 3rd Wednesday 11:00 AM

### DIVINE SERVICE #4, LSB 203 NO HOLY COMMUNION

**Liturgist:** .... Rev. Steve Schauder

**Preacher:**.....Rev. Mark Drengler

### TRADITIONAL SERVICE

#### SERVICE HYMNS

Opening.....#798(st.1-3)

Sermon.....#809

Hymn of Praise .....#918

Closing.....#922(st.1-3)

**Music By:** ..... Sue Moede

### CELEBRATION SERVICE

**Music By:** .....Praise Team

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**WE WELCOME** all our visitors to St. James and pray your worship with us is uplifting and enriching. If there is anything we can do for you, please ask one of the ushers or the volunteer in the Connection Center and they will be happy to assist you.

**FELLOWSHIP:** Refreshments will not be available until further notice.

**HOLY COMMUNION** is celebrated during all Worship Services on the first and third weekends of the month, and at all Senior Services.

**GLUTEN-FREE COMMUNION WAFERS** are available at all services during communion weekends for those in need of them. Please see a Lay Minister before the service to let them know of your request.

**PARENTS WITH CHILDREN:** Children are always welcome to worship with us. Children's bulletins are available. There is a Mother's Room with a changing table located by the restrooms in the narthex.

**SENIOR SERVICE:** Designed for our senior members and at-risk individuals, but anyone may attend. Every first and third Wednesday during August at 11:00 AM with Holy Communion.

## UPDATED WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

- Traditional: Sundays at 8:00 AM (Sanctuary)
- Celebration: Sundays at 9:30 AM (Gym)
- Outdoor: Mondays at 6:30 PM at Franklin Park
- Online: 9:00 AM on WTCH960 AM / WTCH96.1 FM radio, or online via St. James Facebook page or our YouTube channel.

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### SUNDAY READINGS

Old Testament: Psalm 139:1-18  
Epistle Reading: Philippians 4:4-9  
Holy Gospel: Matthew 6:25-34

### THIS WEEK'S SERMON THEME:

*Managing Life: "Stress Management"*  
by Rev. Mark Drengler

### SERMON TEXT: MATTHEW 6:25-34 (NIV)

<sup>25</sup> "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? <sup>27</sup> Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life?"

<sup>28</sup> "And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. <sup>29</sup> Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? <sup>31</sup> So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup> For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you

need them. <sup>33</sup> But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. <sup>34</sup> Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

### NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

Old Testament: Proverbs 29:11  
Epistle Reading: Ephesians 4:20-32  
Holy Gospel: Matthew 20:20-28

### AUGUST SERMON SERIES

"Managing Life": In the 21st century world, especially amidst the COVID-19 pandemic, life seems harder to manage than ever. Seems like everything and everyone are clamoring for our attention. We are pressed for time. We are stressed out. We are at odds with people, even our families. Where do we turn to cope with and learn to deal with the challenges of life?

This August, we will gather together around God's Word to hear and receive practical direction for managing life. Come hear how to cope with the daily grind and enjoy the blessings God entrusts in our lives.

**August 9th:** Stress Management

**August 16th:** Anger Management

**August 23rd:** Family Management

**August 30th:** Spiritual Life Management

# CELEBRATION SERVICE

## WE PRAISE GOD

*"Refuge"* as sung by Finding Favour  
*"The Lord Our God"* as sung by Kristian Stanfill

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CALL TO WORSHIP

## OPENING SONG

*"Whom Shall I Fear?"* as sung by Chris Tomlin

## SCRIPTURE ON SIN, CONFESSION, AND REPENTANCE

## SILENT CONFRONTATION OF SIN

## SCRIPTURE ON FORGIVENESS

## DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

## WE PRAISE GOD

*"We Believe"* as sung by Newsboys

## TIME FOR PRAYER

## LORD'S PRAYER

## WE PRAISE GOD

*"Stand in Your Love"* as sung by Josh Baldwin

## SCRIPTURE OF THE DAY

Matthew 6:25-34 (NIV)

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

## MESSAGE

*Managing Life: "Stress Management"* by Rev. Mark Drengler

## BENEDICTION

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and  $\text{✠}$  give you peace.  
**G** Amen.

## CLOSING SONG

*"What A Friend"* as sung by Matt Maher

# WORSHIP SERVICES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## WORSHIP IN THE PARK

Worship in the Park with St. James will be held on Mondays at 6:30 PM through the month of August. Bring your chairs and/or blankets to join together for worship in the heart of Shawano! We will relocate to St. James Church if it is raining. Cash offerings will be donated to SAFPARC this month.

## BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

As part of our "Worship in the Park" service on August 24th, we are including a Back To School Blessing. We invite all students and church & school staff to bring their backpacks, briefcases, tote bags or tool belts to worship for a special blessing to begin the new school year surrounded in prayer.

## SENIOR SERVICE

Join us for our next Senior Service Wednesday, August 19th, at 11 AM. At this time, we would like to encourage all at-risk individuals to attend these midweek services.

## LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

"When a child is adopted into a family, there is a real family formed there. Our entire Gospel is at stake in that recognition because there is no such thing as an 'adopted child,' only children who were adopted. Adopted in the New Testament is a past-tense verb, not an adjective." Dr. Russell D. Moore, author of "Adopted for Life: The Priority of Adoption for Christian Families" and chair of the Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • [www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)

## LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES

### "Over The Darkness, God Hovers"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer

A 5 year old boy once observed, "God has the whole world in His hands, but sometimes He drops it." Hear how Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer responded to that young philosopher in a classic message titled, "Over the Darkness, God Hovers". It's "Archives August".

Tune into Sunday morning's message at 7:30AM on WTCH/960 AM and also at 10:00AM on WRVM/102.7 FM on your radio.

## LAST HOUSE FOR SALE!

227 E. Center Street is our last rental property for sale. If you are interested in viewing the house, please contact Coldwell Banker at 715-853-6677, or call the church office at 715-524-4815.

## SPONSOR ALTAR FLOWERS

Every week beautiful flowers grace the altar in our Sanctuary. Sponsoring altar flowers is a simple way to glorify God and beautify the altar. Dedications can be made in honor or in memory of someone, in celebration of a birthday, anniversary or other milestone, or in thanksgiving for friends or family. After the 8:00 AM Sunday service, you may take your arrangement home with you. Please call the church office at 715-524-4815 for open dates.

## CONFIRMATION

In order to maintain social distancing, we are offering the families of those students being confirmed to choose which service they would like to attend the weekend of September 26th/27th. Parents please watch for emails and letters in the mail with information on rehearsal.

## 3RD GRADE BIBLES

Every year St. James presents each of our 3rd grade students in Sunday School and day school with a Faith Alive Bible. Thank you to the Raddant family, who have, once again, continued to sponsor the Bibles for this year. Details on the presentation of the Bibles to the students will be out soon, so parents please keep an eye out for mail and emails.

## PTL CRAFT FAIR

Mark your calendars! The annual St. James PTL Craft Fair and bake sale will be held on Saturday, Nov. 7th from 9 AM - 2 PM in the gym. We are now accepting vendor applications! There are a limited number of spaces available, so reservations are on a first-come, first serve basis. Contact Chris Johnson for payment and reserving your spot. The church office will have forms to fill out, stop in Mon-Fri, 8 AM—4 PM or email [secretary@stjamesshawano.org](mailto:secretary@stjamesshawano.org).

## OPENINGS FOR 4K CLASS

St. James 4K program has openings for the 2020-2021 school year in the afternoon class. The program is open to any child who will be age 4 as of September 1st, 2020. More info can be found at [www.stjames-shawano.org](http://www.stjames-shawano.org). Click on the Early Childcare dropdown and click on our Preschool link.

# CHURCH, SCHOOL & COMMUNITY

## WRLHS FAIR FUNDRAISER

A special thank you to all the people who have already signed up to work at the 2020 fair. There are about 95 spots to fill. Please consider helping out with this vital fundraiser. Workers receive free admission into the fairgrounds and free parking. To sign up to be a ticket seller, flagman, or parker, please email Karen Baker (karbaker16@tds.net) or call (715-853-9137 or 715-758-8874). Thank you in advance for your support.

### Number of Open Spots for Each Shift:

8/29	Thursday	early—0	middle—4	late—3
8/30	Friday	early—2	middle—6	late—6
8/31	Saturday	early—7	middle—7	late—12
9/1	Sunday	early—10	middle—10	late—8
9/2	Monday	early—8	middle—11	

Shift times      Thurs.-Sun. 9-1:30; 1:30-6; 6-10  
 Mon. 9-1 and 1-5

## WRLHS AT THE RED BARN

Wolf River Lutheran High School will be grilling at Charlie's Red Barn, Thursday through Saturday, August 13th—15th. Come and grab a bite to eat while showing your support for the high school. Your business will be greatly appreciated!

## ST. JAMES SCHOOL CALENDAR

Aug. 17-19	7:30AM— 6:30PM	School Registration Days
Aug. 18	1:00— 6:30PM	School Open House
Aug. 24	6:30 PM	Worship @ Franklin Park Backpack Blessings
Aug. 25		First Day of School (No bussing)
Aug. 28		NO SCHOOL
Sept. 1		First Day of Pre-School
Sept. 4		NO SCHOOL

## CHRISTIAN COUNSELING SERVICES

If you, a friend, or a loved one – adult or child - is struggling with mental health or behavioral concerns, please know that the professional counselors at Lutheran Counseling and Family Services of Wisconsin are committed to helping alleviate the fear and uncertainty. As a faith-based Christian agency, we realize our services may be needed now more than ever. Through counseling, there is an opportunity to model Christian faith and share the promises of the Gospel while utilizing clinical expertise and skill. All offices shall remain open during the pandemic and onward, offering one-on-one counseling. Tele-health counseling is also available as an option. Please contact our office at 414-536-8333 or 800-291-4513.

## AUGUST 9TH—AUGUST 16TH

SUN	MON	TUES	WED
<b>9</b> 8:00 Worship 9:00 Radio/Online Service 9:30 Celebration (Gym) 11:30 1st Communion Class	<b>10</b> 6:30 PM Outdoor Service @ Franklin Park 7:30 1st Communion Class	<b>11</b> 9:00 Quilters 9:00 Staff 5:50 ECC	<b>12</b> *VBC Story Online 5:30 1st Communion Class 6:30 Board of Directors
THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 12:00 Bulletin Deadline for Aug 16th	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 8:00 Worship (HC) 9:00 Radio/Online Service 9:30 Celebration (Gym) (HC)

# SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROTOCOLS

**THE FOLLOWING ARE PRACTICES THAT WILL BE FOLLOWED IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE SAFEST ENVIRONMENT FOR PEOPLE TO GATHER FOR WORSHIP. PLEASE READ THEM CAREFULLY:**

- Minimize entrance and exit points for attendees. Access for services in the sanctuary will be limited to the Andrews Street entrance and the East Side Parking Lot entrance. Access for the Celebration service will be limited to the East Side Gym/School entrance. Weather permitting entrance/exit doors will be propped open.
- Post signs at all entrances reminding worshipers to practice social distancing, utilize hand sanitizers, and follow any other guidelines that will be established.
- Bulletins will NOT be handed out, but made available for individuals to pick up. Please take them with you when you leave.
- Offering plates will NOT be passed, but plates will be at the exits of the sanctuary/gym.
- No coffee, beverages or refreshments will be served.
- In the Sanctuary, people will be seated in every other pew. Appropriate signage will be in place to guide the seating. Families may sit together, but also allow 6 feet on either side of the family unit. Individuals must practice the *6-foot rule*. If attending with a friend sitting together is allowed, however 6 feet must be allowed on either side.
- For the Celebration service in the Gym, the same protocols will be observed. In addition, the bleachers will remain closed. The chairs and tables will be arranged to provide for social distancing.
- The use of masks is up to the discretion of the individual worshiper. Masks will NOT be provided. If an individual chooses to wear a mask, they must bring their own.
- Children will be invited forward for the Children's Message, however they will be asked to sit in designated places to provide for social distancing. Siblings may sit together.
- When celebrating the Lord's Supper, the Pastors and Lay Ministers will sanitize their hands immediately before serving. The Pastors will place the bread into the open hand of the individual being careful not to allow for hand to hand contact. The Common Cup will NOT be used during this time. The Lay Ministers will offer the individual cup. Trays will be set up to provide space between the cups so individuals will touch only the cup they are taking. Directions for coming forward and returning to seats will be given each time the Lord's Supper is celebrated.
- Individuals will be encouraged to leave the worship space and/or building following worship and avoid congregating in the narthex or halls.  
All worship spaces will be sanitized following worship. This includes all handrails, door handles, and any items touched in the normal course of entering and exiting the worship space.

In the joyful service of Jesus,  
Pastor Mark & Pastor Steve

# SPONSORSHIPS & CONTRIBUTIONS

## MARRIAGE

Cody Chapin and Miranda VanDrisse were united in holy marriage on Saturday, August 8th, 2020.

## BAPTISMS

**Cameron Michael Heynen**, son of Adam Heynen and Megan Marotz, was baptized on August 9th, 2020, at a private service. Sponsors: Hailey Vandermause, Shawan Vandermause, Lexi Hafeman, Ben Heynen, and Joe Heynen.

## CALLED HOME

Robert J. "Robbie" Krueger, Jr., age 51, was called Home to Glory on Thursday, July 30th, 2020.

Janet M. Beyer, age 79, was called Home to Glory on Monday, August 3rd, 2020.

## SPONSORSHIPS

**The Radio Broadcast** has been sponsored in celebration of Ruth Hartlaben's 89th birthday on August 18th.

**The Altar Arrangement** has been placed in celebration of Gary & Dawn DeYoung's 11th wedding anniversary on July 31st.

## SPECIAL GIFTS

\$2,636 has been given to St. James Church by the Dr. Frederick & Margaret Brei Shawano Fund within the Shawano Area Community Foundation.

## THERE'S AN APP FOR THAT

SCRIP has released a new app, *RaiseRight*, for buyers to download to make purchasing and ordering gift cards easier. Download from the App Store or Google Play. Want an easy way to help earn money for St. James and add to your hot lunch, tuition, or youth account? Scrip is a smart and fast way to do both! Contact the church office if you have any questions or need help setting up your account. Any prior accounts will automatically transfer when logging into *RaiseRight*.

## ATTENDANCE & ESTIMATED VIEWS

08/02—08/03

Sunday Online	Facebook	307
	YouTube	51
Sunday Traditional	8:00 AM	89
Sunday Celebration	9:30 AM	45
Monday Park Service	6:30 PM	105

## CONTRIBUTIONS

08/2/20

MTD

Home Envelopes	14,725	14,725
Cash/Plate	90	90
Thrivent Choice	0	0
School Tuition	450	450
Alumni	125	125
ECC	12,269	12,269
Preschool	0	0
<b>AUGUST COLLECTIONS</b>	<b>27,659</b>	<b>27,659</b>
Missions	673	673
Adopt-a-Student	0	0
Sound System	0	0
Good Samaritan Fund	0	0
Safe Haven (Plate @ Park)	130	130

## ELECTRONIC GIVING

Contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account or processed using your credit or debit card. To set up your electronic donation on our website, go to [www.stjames-shawano.org](http://www.stjames-shawano.org), and click on the GIVINGS link on the far right side.

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