

THE SJLC MINUTE

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

DECEMBER 2024



SJLC CALENDAR

- Dec. 17** Yoga Class
- Dec. 18** Holden Evening Prayer and Tasty Treats
- Dec. 19** Homeless Service of Remembrance
- Dec. 22** 4th Sunday of Advent
*Nursery
*Children ... Music, Lesson, Snack, and Craft
*Youth ... Games and Spiritual Gains
*Parents ... Coffee and Conversation
*Adults ... Bible Study
- Dec. 23** APATT Feeding Ministry
- Dec. 24** Christmas Eve
Family Worship at 4:00 PM
Candlelight Communion
Worship at 5:30 and 8:30 PM

End of Year Giving Opportunities

If you are interested in making an end-of-year investment at St. John's, the Finance Team suggests the following special projects:

- **St. John's Endowment** to support Community Outreach and Capital Needs ... we are working together to reach \$250,000 so we can draw interest for ministry needs.
- **Youth Leadership Development Internships** with the AV, Communications, and Faith Formation Teams ... we are working together to raise leaders for the church.
- **Savings Account** to support emergency funds without drawing on our line of credit ... we are working together to promote responsible spending and faithful fiscal stewardship.

You can share your gifts in the offering plate, at the church office, or online!

Yoga at St. John's Tuesday, December 17

**6:30 for refreshments and fellowship,
7:00 for yin yoga**

Please join us for the final yoga session of 2024 on Tuesday, December 17 at 6:30. It's a busy time of year, but it's also the perfect time to connect with friends, stretch your body, breathe deeply, and relax your mind. We encourage you to bring a mat or a blanket, and also a friend. All are always welcome.



DECEMBER 18 6:30 PM WORSHIP

7:15 FELLOWSHIP HOSTED BY TLC

Join us for the glow of candlelight and gentle music of Holden Evening Prayer, the most restful liturgy of the year. We will consider the theme "Fear Not" from the perspective those who experienced that silent night: the chosen



people of God. Please join us!

Tender Lovin' Cookin' will provide hot drinks and yummy treats for a time of fellowship following each service.

Homeless Service of Remembrance

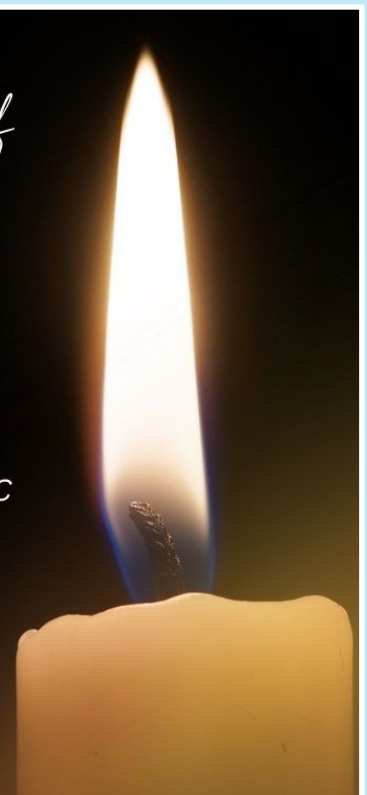
Thursday, December 19

6:00 pm - Candlelight Walk begins at VMC

6:30 pm - Memorial Service at St. John's

7:15 pm - Reception in Fellowship Hall

*If you want to help or have any questions,
please reach out to Nancy Friedrich
at nancy.o.friedrich@gmail.com.*



Christmas
Worship
at St. John's



Tuesday, December 24

Candlelight Communion

Family Worship

4:00 pm

Candlelight Communion

Festival Worship

5:30 pm and 8:30 pm

(Nursery provided at 5:30.)

Christmas Day

The church office will be closed.

Sunday, December 29

1st Sunday of Christmas

9:00 am & 11:00 am Worship

New Year's Day

The church office will be closed,

The church office will observe holiday hours between Christmas and New Year's Day, open from 9:00 am and 12:00 noon on the following days:

Thursday, December 26 and Friday, December 27
and

Monday, December 30 and Tuesday, December 31.

"Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favors!"