

# St. John News

June 14, 2026



St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church & School  
North Tonawanda, New York

School founded 1846  
Church founded 1853

*St. John is a Christian community called to worship and sent to serve, welcoming all to walk with Christ and grow in faith.*

**There will be no regular worship on Wednesday, June 17** due to the school graduation service

## Camp J.O.Y. LEGO time:

Thursdays 9:30-11:30 am July 9-August 14, 2026.

We are still looking for donations and volunteers for this summer's LEGO time. For more information or to sign up to help, scan here:



Greetings St. John families,  
We are wrapping up our school year this week Wednesday. What a fantastic year! We are so pleased with the

students and families that God placed in our care. It has been a treat watching them grow and nurture them through the process. Our theme is a perfect response to all of God's goodness: "Let's make a joyful noise to the Lord!" Psalm 98:4.

Did you know...

- This week our 8th grade graduates will be celebrated on Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM. All are welcome!
- We love seeing our alumni! The Class of 2022 will walk through our hallways on June 12th and/or June 15th so we celebrate their high school accomplishments and graduation.
- Our summer camp begins on June 18th! All summer the camp will have themed weeks for the children enrolled in the program.
- Check out our weekly school newsletter:

Blessings,  
Katie Gundell, Principal



## UPCOMING Events

### Sunday, June 14

- Worship – 9:00 AM

### Wednesday, June 17

- School Awards and Blessing – 8:30 AM
- School Graduation – 6:30 PM

### Thursday, June 18

- Council Meeting – 6:30 PM

### Saturday, June 20

- Men's Group – 7:00 AM

### Sunday, June 21

#### Father's Day

- Worship w/Communion – 9:00 AM

### Wednesday, June 24

- Family Fellowship – 6:00 PM
- Worship w/Communion – 7:00 PM

### Saturday, June 27

- Men's Group – 7:00 AM

### Sunday, June 28

- Worship – 9:00 AM

### Wednesday, July 1

- Worship – 7:00 PM

### Saturday, July 4

- NO Men's Group

### Sunday, July 5

- Worship – 9:00 AM

For more coverage of upcoming events, sign up for our e-news: [churchoffice@gmail.com](mailto:churchoffice@gmail.com).

## IN OUR PRAYERS

Please ask **permission** to publish prayers that are not for yourself.  
**Private prayers** – [pastormike@stjohnnt.com](mailto:pastormike@stjohnnt.com) or 716-693-9677 option 7  
Contact the church office: [churchoffice@stjohnnt.com](mailto:churchoffice@stjohnnt.com) or phone: 716-693-9677 option 2

**Short-Term Prayers**– *Items with a filled circle have one week left on the prayer list.* Please use the back of your Connection Card or contact the church office if you would like to renew prayers or submit new requests.

- Kim Clark (friend of Val Nicholas) – Health and other concerns
- St. John School graduates – Morgan Meyer, Isaac Reed, and Jude Smith
- The family and friends of Rosemary Siegmann upon her passing last week
- Marc – Recovering from injuries
- April Smith – Cancer treatments
- Jerry Mante – Severe health issues

- ✝ For beloved family members to be brought to faith.
- ✝ For places of conflict, especially Iran and Ukraine



### Long Term Prayers

Owen Arizmendi, George Barnett, Jason Barry, Frank Cornell, Doreen & Larry Damba, Carol Donner, Shelly Erwin, Emma Gauda, Paul Greinert, Rick Hamilton, Bev Harder, Elsbeth Kaus, Annie Kelly, Barb Manning, Dennis Martin, Donna Martin, Ken Musall, Doug Rich, Mary Schlegl, Jaycee Schmitz, Donald Schultz, Kim Snell, Matthew Wallace, Doris Wollaber

**In the U.S. Military:** David Hoppe, Stephen Marshall, Ben Bahr

**The Bereavement Department at Niagara Hospice** provides grief support groups in Lewiston, Sanborn, and North Tonawanda. Please see the posting on the bulletin board.

#### Please note:

- Short-Term prayers are kept on the prayer list for 4 weeks.
- Updated prayer requests will be considered renewed.
- If you would like your prayer request to be moved to the Long-Term Prayers, please contact the office.