## **SILOAH CHURCH NEWS**

MARCH 9, 2025

ONLINE LOVE OFFERINGS – February 28th – March 7th General Offering \$1,095.00; Capital Improvements - \$50.00; Expansion - \$50.00; Lighting and Enhancements - \$100.00; GRAND TOTAL OF ONLINE LOVE OFFERINGS - \$1,295.00.

IN-PERSON LOVE OFFERINGS - March 2, 2025

Capitol Improvements - \$150.00; Expansion Fund - \$10.00; General Offering - \$2,409.00; Lighting & Enhancements - \$180.00; Miscellaneous -\$11.00; Missons - \$268.00; Pilgrims - \$25.00; Prison Ministry - \$10.00; Reserve Funds - \$75.00; Sunday Café - \$38.00 (Gospel Choir)

GRAND TOTAL OF IN-PERSON LOVE OFFERINGS -\$3,176.00.

All given for the Lord's work. Thank you!! Thank you!!

Last Sunday in Person Worship Attendance - 52

Last Sunday in Person The Lord's Supper - 41

Ash Wednesday in Person Worship Attendance - 30

Ash Wednesday in Person The Lord's Supper - 26

LIGHTING AND ENHANCEMENTS February  $28^{th}$  March  $7^{th}$  \$280.00 (Matching Funds - \$280.00) = \$560.00. Grand Total for Lighting and Enhancements - \$18,270.00.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Lenten Suppers – March 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm. Lenten Worship Services, March 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm

Maundy Thursday Worship Service – April 17th – 7:00pm Bittersweet Friday Service - April 18th – 7:00pm

Siloah's condolences continue to go out to the Bell Family at the passing of Robert Bell. May God continue to comfort all who mourn with the words of Jesus, "I Am! The Resurrection and The Life! He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live." - John 11:35

#### SILOAH'S MISSION STATEMENT

It is our God-given mission to witness to the full and free forgiveness of sins through Jesus Christ, to learn more and more about God's grace, to live as examples of God's grace, and to labor, lovingly, to share God's grace, all to the glory of God alone, until Jesus comes again!



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Please pray for ....

#### Siloah Partners who are sick and shut-in:

Hershel Adams, Curtis Armon, Denise Baker, Cola Coleman, Carol Davis, Ricky Davis, Lee Dora Gray, Marcia Gray, Annie Green, Dorothy Griffin, Ollie Hill, Margie Jackson, Willie Mae Knox, Ken McGhee, Mae McMurtry, Marcia Perkins, Charmaine Perry, Sharon Risiner, Bill Ross, Stanley Russell, Fallon Sims, Katie Turner, Shaunte Wigley, Katherine Westendorf, John Williams, Theresa Brown-Williams, and Willie Mae Williams.

Please pray for....

Friends of Siloah Partners who are sick and shut-in: Bethany Baldwin (daughter of Deborah Smith), Clarence Baldwin (Father-in-law of Deborah Smith), Gwendolyn Bell (sister of Shirley Dorsey), Jaquese Brister (daughter of Marcia Perkins), Aidan Crosby (former student of Pastor Coleman), Laviena Davis (mother of Irma Jones), Reese Dangerfield (granddaughter of Charmaine Perry), Zanet Flournoy (sister of Ella Bennett), Ronnie Hicks (brother of James Hicks), Justin Jackson (business partner of Marcia Perkins), Elijah Nunn (grandson of Marcia Perkins), Carl Page, Shirlean Pettis (mother of Ed Pettis), Mary Thornhill (mother-in-law of Phyllis Buycks) and John Wigley, Jr. (brother of Joyce McGhee).

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## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!! Pastor and Cola Coleman - 3/15.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Today - Bible Study - 9:00am; Sunday School - 9:00am

Today - Worship Service - 10:00am

Today - Siloah South Worship Service - 11:30am

Tuesday - Siloah South Bible Study - 11am

Tuesday - Food Pantry - 12pm - 2pm

Tuesday - Open Board of Education - 5:30pm

Wednesday - Lenten Supper - 5:30pm; Worship Service - 6:30pm

Thursday - Pastor's Conference - St. Peters



3721 N. 21st St., Milwaukee, WI., 53206 Church: (414)873-5770 School:(414)873-8240 Pastor's Office: (414)293-5524 www.silcahlutheran.org First Sunday in the Season of Lent March 9, 2025

## Farewell to Hallelujah

Blessed Jesus, at Your Word-Hymn# 221

Pastor: The Triune God is with us: The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit!

Congregation: Amen.

Pastor: O give thanks unto The Lord for He is good! Congregation: For His mercy endures forever!

Pastor: Give thanks to The King of Kings and The Lord of Lords!

Congregation: All things have been placed under His feet.

Pastor: Give thanks to The Maker of Heaven and Earth! Congregation: The whole Earth is full of His glory!

Pastor: Let us pray. We give You thanks, Lord God, because You show compassion to all You have made, and invite us to bring to You our sins and the cares of life. Nothing is too small for You to take notice, and nothing is too large for You to bear. Be our Stronghold, and Tower, to Whom we flee for healing and rejuvenation. God is our Refuge and Strength, a very present Help in trouble. We will hide ourselves in Thee!

Congregation: Amen.

"Rock Of Ages, Cleft For Me"

Leader: The Scriptures read: "Seek those things which are above, where Christ is, sitting at the right hand of God. Set your mind on things above, not on things on the Earth; for you died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ, Who is your life appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory."

Congregation: Grant this, Lord, unto us all. Amen.

## All People that on Earth Do Dwell-Hymn# 233

### 1SAMUEL 17:16-37 (page 442)

David is unafraid to face the giant Philistine, Goliath, because he trusts that The Lord will deliver him out of Goliath's hand.

Pastor: The Word of The Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Children of The Heavenly Father- Hymn# 449

Hebrews 4:14-16 (page 1,836)

Jesus sympathizes with our weaknesses because He took flesh and blood, just as we have.

Pastor: The Word of The Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Christ, The Life of All the Living-Hymn# 114 vv. 1-3

## MATTHEW 26:20-25 (page 1,536)

When evening had come, He sat down with the twelve. Now as they were eating, He said, "Assuredly, I say to you, one of you will betray Me." And they were exceedingly sorrowful, and each of them began to say to Him, "Lord, is it I?" He answered and said, "He who dipped his hand with Me in the dish will betray Me. The Son of Man indeed goes just as it is written of Him, but woe to that man by whom The Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been good for that man if he had not been born." Then Judas, who was betraying Him, answered and said, "Rabbi, is it I?" He said to him, "You have said it."

Pastor: The Gospel of our Lord. Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Christ, The Life of All the Living-Hymn# 114 vv. 4-7

MESSAGE for the SOUL
THREE WORDS OF TRUTH: "IS IT I?"

SILOAH'S LENTEN CREED

I believe in God, The Father, Almighty, Who created Heaven, Earth, and all things. In order to save the world, He allowed His only Son to die on the cross.

I believe in Jesus, The Father's only-begotten Son, Who was conceived by The Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. Even though He lived an absolutely sinless life, He was subjected to ridicule, pain and suffering—for me and all people. He was crucified under Pontius Pilate and died on the cross. He descended into Hell to proclaim His victory over the Devil, Sin, and Death. On Resurrection Sunday, Jesus rose from the dead and forty days later, ascended into Heaven. He will return to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in The Holy Spirit, Who creates and sustains faith in my heart, and in the hearts of all believers. Through Word and Sacraments, The Holy Spirit will keep me, and all believers in a good and right relationship with God. I am not ashamed of the Gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes. I gladly share my faith with others and joyfully await eternal life which God has prepared for me and all those who love Him! This is most certainly true.

# LOVE OFFERINGS & GENEROUS DONATIONS

## PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy Will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation. But deliver us from evil. For Thine is The Kingdom, and The Power, and The Glory, forever and ever. Amen.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast-Hymn# 324

**CLOSING PRAYER** 

THE BLESSING OF THE LORD

## **SILOAH NEWS**

SILOAH SOUTH has been a blessing to many people in the area around 26<sup>th</sup> Street and North Avenue in Milwaukee. Siloah South has made a big difference in the lives of families living in the area since the building was dedicated in May of 1998.

Northside Lutheran Ministries
P. O. Box 13063
Milwaukee, WI 53213-0063
Address: 2533 W. North Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53205
Phone number: 414-933-9700
Worship Service every second Sunday – 11:30am

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## SILOAH'S ALTAR GUILD PLANT SALE FOR RESURRECTION SUNDAY

7" White Lily and White Chrysanthemum plants for \$15.00 each. The last day to ORDER is March 23<sup>rd</sup>. If paying by check, it can be written out to Siloah Altar Guild. PAYMENT WILL BE TAKEN UNTIL APRIL13TH. Thank you for your help to beautify the Lord's House. Orders will be taken this Sunday. You may contact Mrs. Joyce McGhee for any questions.

# SPECIAL JOINT CONCERTS FOR 175TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The Seminary Chorus of Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, Mequon, Wis., and the College Choir of Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minn., invite you to a special joint concert to celebrate the synod's 175th anniversary. The concert will be held at **7 p.m., Thursday, March 20**, at St. John's on the Hillside, 804 Vliet Street in Milwaukee. Visit the historic location where three different WELS presidents served. It also was the site of the constituting convention of the Synodical Conference meeting in 1872. One of the largest Lutheran churches in the U.S. when it was dedicated in 1890, St. John's is currently going through a period of revitalization as a WELS home mission.

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## WELS NEWS

#### WLHS Track & Field Pole Vault Coach Needed

--Wisconsin Lutheran High School track and field is looking for an individual with experience in pole vaulting. If interested, please contact Mr. Blair Schaper at <a href="mailto:blair.schaper@wlhs.org">blair.schaper@wlhs.org</a>.

#### Jr. Vikings Cheerleading Coaches Needed

—The Wisconsin Lutheran High School Junior Vikings Program is looking for individuals interested in helping coach Junior Vikings Cheerleading for the upcoming season. If interested, please contact WLHS Head Cheer Coach Annie Zeitler at <a href="mailto:cheer.coach@wlhs.org">cheer.coach@wlhs.org</a> or Junior Viking Program Director Blair Schaper at <a href="mailto:blair.schaper@wlhs.org">blair.schaper@wlhs.org</a>.

#### **Grade School Theater Camp**

—Students in grades 3-8 are invited to theater camp at Wisconsin Lutheran High School. Three different themed camps will be held on Sundays from 12:00-3:15 p.m. under these topics: Acting and Storytelling (March 9), Musical Theatre (March 16), or Improv and Creative Drama (March 30). Sign up for one or multiple topics. Cost is \$20 per workshop. Visit wihs.org/theatercamp to register.

#### **WLHS Dinner Auction Save the Date**

—The Wisconsin Lutheran High School Dinner Auction will be held on Saturday, April 12, 2025. To participate in some pre-auction fun and receive updates, request to join the WLHS Auction Facebook group page. For information about sponsorships and donating items, visit <a href="wdf.wlhs.org/events">wlhs.org/events</a>

#### Martin Luther College

--is accepting applications for a full-time Human Resources Generalist, a part-time Bookstore Assistant, and a part-time Men's Assistant Soccer Coach. Interested individuals should apply online at mlc-wels.edu/hr/.

#### WLHS Work Days-

Do you have yard work or spring cleaning that needs to get done such as hedge trimming, or window washing? Consider hiring hard-working members of WLHS student council for a few hours for a free-will donation. All money raised will go to the 2024-25 WLHS mission project for the WELS London mission congregation and Lutherans for Life. Work days will be held on any **Saturday or Sunday** starting **April 5 & 6** through **April 26 & 27**, excluding Easter weekend (April 19 & 20). To request a team, please E-mail and include your name, address, phone number, the work you need accomplished, and the day(s) this work could be completed.