

**Announcements for the week of  
January 12, 2014  
At St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church**

**Meeting Dates Changed**

Due to the extremely cold temperatures, all of our meetings have been postponed by a week. The Board of Elders will meet on January 13 at 7:00 pm. The Trustees and Deacons will meet on January 14 at 7:00 pm, and the Church Council meeting will be on January 22 at 7:00 pm.

**Theology on Tap-January 15**

*On January 15 at 8:00 pm*, men from Lutheran churches in our area will be gathering for fellowship and to speak on matters of faith and life. We will meet at Domenico's Restaurant in Cranberry which is located at Piazza Plaza 20550 Rt. 19 N, Cranberry Twp., PA 16066. (724) 776-6455. Invite a friend for theology and a great gathering.

**2014 Directory Information**

The new St. John's Directory is in progress, but in order to make it as accurate as possible, we need your help. If you have had any changes to your primary information (address, phone number, email, etc.) or wish to add any information (cell phone, email, etc.), please contact the church office at 724.625.1830 or email at [office@stjohnchurchmars.org](mailto:office@stjohnchurchmars.org). Also, if you would rather not have some information included, please let us know as well. Your timely response will be appreciated so we can have the Directory available as soon as possible. There is also a sheet on the small bulletin board in the greeting area to mark any updates.

**Exercise Program – Beginning January 21**

St. John's will be having classes to benefit all ages and physical limitations. The program is designed to improve strength, flexibility, balance and overall health. *We will be meeting on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 pm.* There is a sign-up sheet in the greeting area, or contact Kim Richards.

**Movie Night January 25<sup>th</sup> 4:00 – 7:00 pm**

We will be watching the movie – *Rise of the Guardians* – *on January 25<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm.* We hope that you join us for this fun and family friendly movie. We will be ordering pizza and having a great time.

**Congregational Meeting - January 26<sup>th</sup> – One service at 10:00 a.m.**

Our congregational meeting will be on January 26<sup>th</sup>. We will ask the Holy Spirit to guide us as we pray and vision together for the next year at St. John Lutheran Church. 2013 was a wonderful and Spirit blessed year as we grew as a community and accomplished some great projects. We ask that you join us for our meeting on January 26<sup>th</sup> as we plan for our next year together.

**2014 Flower Chart**

The chart for the coming year for those who wish to donate flowers for the altar for weekly services is now posted on the bulletin board in the greeting area. Please place your name on the list for the week you choose and you may either order the flowers yourself or we can order them for you. You will be contacted the week before to verify ordering information and to ask for the intention for your donation. Thanks to those who have already signed up!

**Worship Helpers Sign-Up**

There is a Worship Helpers sign-up sheet in the Greeting Area. Please consider signing up to help.

**This Week at St. John**

**Sunday – January 12<sup>th</sup>**

**Worship**

**(First Sunday after Epiphany)**

**Sunday School**

**8:00 am**

**9:15 am**

	<b>Worship (First Sunday after Epiphany)</b>	<b>10:30 am</b>
<b>Monday – January 13<sup>th</sup></b>	Brown Bag Bible Study Elders Meeting	12-1:30 pm 7:00 pm
<b>Tuesday – January 14<sup>th</sup></b>	Trustees Meeting Deacons Meeting	7:00 pm 7:00 pm
<b>Sunday – January 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Worship (Second Sunday after Epiphany)</b> Sunday School	<b>8:00 am</b> 9:15 am
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