



The mission of St. Mary's Lutheran Church is to be a fellowship of believers, called by God and empowered by the Holy Spirit, to bear witness to Jesus Christ in the community and in the world. We equip ourselves for our mission by: Prayer, Worship, Education. Enabling us to witness through: Evangelism, Service, Stewardship.

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WEEKEND WORSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Saturday, September 27th 4:00pm~Sunday, September 28th 9:00am

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

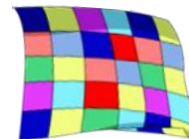
Please know that St. Mary's Lutheran Church celebrates Holy Communion for ALL! This is Christ's table and His invitation. You do not need to be a Lutheran, or a member of our church to participate. Also, if you wish to come up for only a blessing, please tell us when you approach, and we will bless you! If you are unable to come up for communion, tell the usher that you would like to receive communion at your seat, and someone will bring it to you.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON WORSHIP WELCOMES PR. BECCA LAABS AS OUR PRESIDER OVER HOLY COMMUNION. THANK YOU FOR CELEBRATING CHRIST'S FEAST WITH US!



BLANKET SUNDAY WEEKEND

We will have a special Blessing of the Quilts before sending them off into God's world with Lutheran World Relief! Additional offering will be collected for Blanket Sunday. You can do that using your Tithe.ly App or make the check payable to "St. Mary's Lutheran Church" memo: Blanket Sunday.



A message from Lynda Ryan, co-chair of St. Mary's Community Quilters, September, 2025

St. Mary's Community Quilters are a group of parishioners and community friends who meet each Monday morning in the gym to sandwich, sew, and tie quilts for Lutheran World Relief and to meet community needs locally. Many of the tops are sewn together at home. Since Oct. of 2024, this group has spent over 5000 hours in this endeavor. We have made about 350 quilts which are donated to Lutheran World Relief, ELCA Outreach Center, and Kenosha Welcome Center to be given to those in need. We also donated 7 quilts to Lutherdale for their auction and raised \$1025 for them. This is in addition to quilts donated to the auction by individual members of our group. We welcome donations of cotton fabrics, sheets, sewing thread, and crochet/embroidery threads. We have been fortunate to receive some funds through Thrivent members donating cards and the St. Mary's Foundation to help purchase batting, which has greatly increased in price over the past few years.

The quilt blessing used in worship is from the Fall Issue of the publication provided by Lutheran World Relief, 2025.



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CELEBRATION

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 27 5:30-10 PM

This is "Food on the First" Red Bag PICK UP Weekend—we thank you for your consistent participation in this program. Return the filled red bags next weekend (10/4 & 10/5) filled with non-perishable single-servings! These will be delivered to the Kenosha Welcome Center on Monday!



Next Saturday - 10/4 @ 10am

Blessing of the Animals! Pr. Jordan will hold a very special event where you can bring your pets or pictures of your pets for a blessing outside! East lawn-area!



Scan this QR code to give your weekly or one-time offering easily and quickly! Thank you!

Nkoaranga Orphanage & WELCA, 2025

September & October WELCA will be collecting special offering donations for the orphanage we've supported for many years! On average, there are 30 children from ages 0-3 years old. St. Mary's has been generous in the past, and we have set jars around for your convenience OR you can mail Cheryl Hayes a check payable to **"WELCA St. Mary's Lutheran Church"**. Thank you!



The Council Connection for September is Council President, Andy Schroeder, 344-1902 or amgeoteach90@yahoo.com

SPECIAL WORSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

Four Kenosha ELCA congregations are thrilled to worship together around four upcoming holidays. This will be the only worship service for each of these congregations on that day. We will take a combined offering to benefit a Kenosha organization that serves our community. See you there!

Thursday, December 25, 2025	Sunday, May 24, 2026	Sunday, July 5, 2026	Sunday, September 6, 2026
9:00 am	9:00 am	10:45 am	9:00 am
Lakeside Lutheran Church, 3833 8th Ave.	Trinity Lutheran Church, 7104 39th Ave.	Spirit Alive! Lutheran Church, 4600 60th St. (inside Wesley United Methodist Church)	St. Mary's Lutheran Church, 2001 80th Ave.
Pastor Becca Laabs	Pastor Becca Laabs	Pastor Wesley Isberner	Pastor Jordan Miller-Stubbendick & Pastor Debbie Hartfield
Offering for Women's and Children's Horizons	Offering for Breaking the Chains Church	Offering for Lutherdale Camp	Offering for Walkin' In My Shoes



Please consider volunteering your time—very needed—at The Shalom Center's Hope Hub overnight warming/cooling centers. Training session is **8am-Noon on October 7th**. They must have volunteers to keep the Hope Hub open more hours during the cold winter weather. Contact the Shalom Center at **262-658-1713** to sign up! Thank you!

Monday, September 29, 2025

9a-3p Church Office Open
9a-Noon Pr. Jordan Office Hours
9:00am St. Mary's Community Quilters (G)
5:30pm Jubilate! Handbell Reh.
6:30pm BSA 533 (D)
6:30pm FISH (YR)

Tuesday, 30th:

9a-3p Church Office Open
6:30pm BSA 533 (D)

Wednesday, October 1st:

7:00am Prayer Breakfast (Marina Garden)

Noon-6pm Church Office Open

1:00p-4:00p Pr. Jordan's Office Hours
5:15-6:15pm Wednesday Night Meals: Pasta, \$5/\$3 (FH)
5:30-7pm Faith & Home Connection Night (FH)
6:30pm Adult Choir Reh. (CR)
7:00pm FUSION (YR)

Thursday, 2nd:

9a-3p Church Office Open
4:30pm Exercise Class (G)

Friday, 3rd:

9a-12p Church Office Open

Saturday, 4th:

10:00am Blessing of the Animals (E Pkg Lot)
4:00pm Traditional Worship w/Pr. Jordan

Sunday, 5th:

9:00am Traditional Worship w/Pr. Jordan & Jubilate! Handbells
9:00am Sunday School
10:15am Book Study (Lo)
4:15pm Serve at Shalom
6:00pm 12x12 Group (1W)