**May USHERS’ SCHEDULE**

***8:00 am, Sunday Team 4E:*** Steve Wolf, Mark Boeckman, Andy Koffman, Jordan Liesener, Bill Mathiak, Dave Packard.

***10:30 am, Sunday Team 2L***: George Edwards, Cliff Anderson, Billy Griffin, Matt Schiller, Bill Tschanz, Ben Polheber, Kent Russell

***Thursday, 7:00 pm Team 2:*** Dick Blank & Bill Wessel

**May ALTAR GUILD**

Linda Eidman, April & Katelyn Shanks, Andrea Semmann

**GREETERS FOR May 19th**

8:00 am Hering Family

10:30 am Joel & Heidi Fisher Family

 **CHURCH CLEANERS FOR May 19th**

Bobholz Family

**ALTAR ASSISTANTS FOR May 16th & 19th**

7:00 pm Stu Stein

8:00 am Jeremiah Backhaus & Aaron Platzer

10:30 am Ken Lemke & Aaron Trimmer

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|  | Last Week | Last Year |
| Thursday | 53 | 44 |
| Sunday Early | 120 | 168 |
| Sunday Late  | 213 | 193 |
| Total | 386 | 405 |

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**News & Notes**

**May 12th, 2019**

**SENIOR ADULT BIBLE STUDY** – **Gospel of John** In our study of John’s gospel, we are taking a journey through the life of Jesus. John offers perhaps the clearest reason why the Holy Spirit has given us these inspired writings: “…these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name” (John 20:31). We'll apply our Savior’s teachings to our own lives throughout the study. The class is taught by Staff Minister Hering in the Church Office Classroom on Tuesdays at 10:30 am. This session runs April 30th – May 21st.

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY - Romans** - A Bible study on Tuesday evenings meets from 7:00 to 8:00pm in the church office classroom which is located in the white building. Bring your point of view because you will be able to give it during our discussions.

**SPIRITUAL GROWTH TOOL** - From your Spiritual Growth Committee: Did you see it in your church box? The SPIRITUAL GROWTH PLAN. Prayerfully consider ways to grow in your connection with your gracious God. The plan’s purpose is simple, yet most important, to help us focus on the most important things in life, especially on our relationship with Jesus, with a special emphasis on worshipping together in church!

**From the Board of Stewardship** - Serving others is a large part of our lives. Serve our boss, serve our parents, serve our children, serve our spouse, serve our co-workers, serve a stranger in need, serve in a volunteer organization…May God help you to find joy in your service, especially as you focus on “…Jesus…who for the joy set before Him served us by enduring the cross…” (Hebrews 12:2). Prayer: Lord, thank you for serving me through your perfect life and innocent death. Fill me with joy in serving others. Amen.

**OUR SAVIOR MUSIC RECITAL –** The recital will be held on Tuesday, *May 21st at 6:30 pm*. Everyone is invited to come for this evening of family entertainment with performances by our young musicians**.**

**PLEASE JOIN US** - ***“COME AS YOU ARE”*** Worship concert and hymn sing with Zach Steinbach – On Friday, May 17th at 7:00pm Zach will perform for approximately one hour, sharing favorite songs, hymns, and experiences from 15 years of worship leading. Come to the sanctuary for this special evening of music and fellowship – And be sure to bring a friend! Doors open at 6:30 for refreshments.

**HEARTS TO HANDS -** Join Hearts to Hands Monday, May 13th at 6:30 pm in the mezzanine of the school building.  All are welcome, beginners and experienced alike.  We have hooks. needles, and yarn to share.  Hope to see you there.  Contact with questions: Laurel Polheber 262-483-2102.

**Traveling this Summer?** - If you need help finding the location of a church during your travels, you can use the following website; or contact Sarah in the church office and she will be happy to help. <https://yearbook.wels.net/unitsearch>.

**SAVE THE DATE FOR THE OUR SAVIOR GOLF OUTING -** Please save the date for the Our Savior Golf Outing on Sunday, September 8th at 1:00pm. More details to follow.

**COFFEE** – Now that Bible Study has been moved back to the Fellowship Hall we will continue to offer coffee up in the narthex. Please note that It might not always be there the "whole time", but at least after first service up until second. Coffee cups with lids are strongly encouraged in the sanctuary.

**MRS. PLATZER FAREWELL -**Our Savior Lutheran Church and Schoolwill hold a farewell reception for Mrs. Platzer between the 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services on Sunday, June 2 in the Family Life Center lower lobby. Plan on attending between 9:15 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.

**Other Area News…**

**SEMINARY CALL DAY AND GRADUATION** - The final week of classes at the seminary is filled with excitement and joy as second year students are assigned as vicars and seniors receive their first calls into the pastoral ministry. We have plenty of room for guests and visitors and cordially invite you to attend any of these events. **Assignment of Graduates and Vicar Candidates** – Thursday, May 23, 10:00 a.m. **Graduation Concert** presented by the Seminary Chorus – Thursday, May 23, 7:00 p.m. **Graduation Service** – Friday, May 25, 10:00 a.m.

**WELS Night at Miller Park 2019** - Brewers vs. Giants Friday, July 12, 2019. The Milwaukee Brewers are now selling tickets for the annual WELS Night at Miller Park. Organize your group and plan to join us for the Milwaukee Brewers’ game against the San Francisco Giants*.*  Time: 7:10 p.m. Date: Friday., July 12, 2019 **Discounted Tickets:**The Brewers are again offering WELS members up to 50 percent off the price of tickets. Seating will be along the first base line and in a block for WELS members. **Pricing:** Field Outfield sections 126-131 for $21/ticket, Loge Outfield sections 228-232 for $17/ticket. All the information can be found at <https://wels.net/event/brewers2019/>.

**Marriage retreat** **-** Healthy Marriage will help you learn those “dimensions of a healthy marriage.” More than that, Healthy Marriage will equip to you to practice them and maintain the health of your marriage long after this memorable weekend get-away. **Location:** Grace Center Grace Lutheran Church Milwaukee, Wisconsin September 20-21, 2019. **Registration Deadline:** August 20, 2019. Registrations after the deadline are subject to availability. Cost is $185 per couple and meals are included. ***Note:*** At this Marriage Enrichment Event, attendees are not offered a hotel stay in the package price. Participants can make it a get-away weekend by staying at their favorite hotel or commute from home and enjoy quality drive time together.  For more information and to register go to <https://wels.net/event/>

**“SPUR ON” CONFERENCE AT KML** - Attention all women, young women, and girls!!! Holy Hen House is currently planning our first 1-day "Spur On" Conference for girls and women to launch on mission with Jesus.
SAVE THE DATE - Saturday, June 22nd Our goal is to bring girls and women together with the message that our faith and lives are purposeful even now! Together we can impact generations in the Word. Our value is not found in the approval of others or in being desired. Whether we are single, married, or mothers we have influence right where God has planted us. If we aren't intentional in nurturing the relationships of sisterhood then it won't happen. We all are one in mission. Let's be the change! Girls (10+) and women are invited to come enjoy a day filled with purpose, sisterhood, faith encouragement, a charity benefit, live music, lunch, laughs, a Q+A panel, and most of all - the confidence to walk the talk with Jesus in our stride. And, of course, invite girls and women that you'd like to bring along! For more information and to purchase tickets go to <https://www.holyhenhouse.com>.