

St. John
The Apostle
“one sent forth - a messenger”

OCTOBER 2025

**APOSTLE DEADLINE
OCTOBER 5**

DEATHS

8-31 Mildred Stauffer

Thank You...

...to everyone who supported the Social Ministry Pork Chop Dinner. Your time baking desserts, serving, and your purchases were appreciated. Funds raised to benefit Social Ministry projects. Thrivent provided seed money.

...to everyone who supported the Helping Hands Italian Hoagie sale. Your time selling, prepping, assembling, and your purchases are appreciated. Funds raised will benefit the new church kitchen. Thrivent provided seed money.

Thank you all for your presence as we celebrated Pastor Michelle's Installation Service. A special thank you to those who participated in the service and all visitors and clergy who celebrated with us.

...to these Thrivent members who designated Choice Dollars to St. John's:

Brndvl: \$18 Wendy Everett

Rngtn: \$100 Lee Grimes, Gary Schell, Jerome Stauffer

PASTOR MICHELLE'S CONTACT INFORMATION

Office Hours: MON 12-2:30pm THR 10am-12noon
She will also be in the office at other times and also by appointment. In the event of a pastoral emergency, please contact Pastor Michelle 570-452-7866

PASTOR MICHELLE AWAY

**SEP 29-OCT 1 Financial Leadership Workshop
OCT 7-13 Vacation**

In the event of a pastoral emergency, please call the church office 570-889-5203 or Marion Chupasco 570-889-3393; and she will contact pastoral coverage.



PrayerPartners

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As a continuation of the on-going ministry of the Prayer Partners; you are invited to pray for members, family, friends, and the ongoing ministry of the Brandonville-Ringtown Lutheran Parish.

This list is provided for your use so that we might support each other in our efforts to be a caring Family of God.

Some people you may know well; and others not as well. A new list will appear each month.

Pray for their health, their daily ministries, their homes, families, and for their spiritual growth.

Pray that God would guide and direct their lives. Pray that they may be thankful for God's blessings and for His strength when they face difficulties.

Put the list where you will see it often---on the refrigerator, in the car---wherever you will be reminded.

Then, having been reminded, offer your prayers to God on their behalf.

Who knows the joy, comfort, or blessings that can result because we are each remembered by others in prayer. (If your APOSTLE arrives late, please include the members and petitions for those days that may have been delayed.)

IN OUR PRAYERS:

Jim, Phyllis Shehan, Paul, Barbara Miller, JoAnn Harrison, Cookie, Charles, Cindy Lewis, Jake, Bob Trexler, Linda, Diana Long, Nate Atkins, Mary Richards, Tina Shehan, Ralph Richards, Frank Ziolk, Cindy Ziolk, Nellie Faust, Terry Lex, Jordan, Marie, Gail, John, Albert, Sheri, Ed, Aubrey, Rob, Chris, Gary Schell, Sandi, Phelma, Barbara, Jodi, Lovell Kahley, LuAnn, those in the armed services, our companion congregation, the Amani Parish and the South Central Diocese of Tanzania, all facing conflict and violence, all doctors, nurses, medical staff, emergency services, police, businesses, restaurants, schools, parents, family, friends, neighbors, and ministers sharing God's Words of comfort during these challenging times.

The promise of resurrection to eternal life for Mildred Stauffer, Michael Canty, and Theodore Souchak; and shared grief for their families.

PRAYER LIST NOTE: To respect privacy, please be sure to ask permission from the person or their family before placing his/her name on our prayer list.

