

Fellowship Hall Use Policy

Be it hereby resolved by the membership of St. John's Lutheran Church at the regular quarterly meeting of said congregation that –

- I. The physical facilities of the congregation may be used free of charge by:
 - A. Congregational organizations (including Synod/District/Circuit)
 - B. Congregation members and their families for such uses as weddings, funerals, anniversaries, birthdays, and other family functions.
 - 1. That a \$50.00 deposit be required upon scheduling and reserving the facilities.
 - 2. That this deposit will be returned to the user if the facility is used and no damage is found and that the facility is cleaned to "as found condition."
 - 3. The user may elect to forfeit the \$50.00 deposit to have the janitorial services done by others.
 - 4. That the above 1, 2 & 3 are not applicable to member family funeral services and luncheons.
 - C. Congregational organizations serving meals to non-member families and outside organizations
 - D. Community non-profit and/or benevolent organizations.
 - E. Use of the kitchen requires prior approval from the council chair.
- II. There will be a user fee for non-member family and outside organization use as follows:

A. Fellowship Hall \$150.00

B. Custodial Fee \$100.00

C. No Kitchen Use

- III. Any situation of use that does not fit the above mentioned categories may be considered and approved as needed, depending on time availability in the following order:
 - A. Quarterly Meeting
 - B. Council Meeting
 - C. Council Chair
- IV. The following rules be adopted and made available to all users:
 - A. No Alcohol
 - B. No Smoking
 - C. No groups not in alignment with the Lutheran Confessions or the beliefs and teachings of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. Approval is needed from Pastor and Council Chair.
 - D. No food or beverages allowed outside of the fellowship hall.
 - E. No gambling or social dancing.
 - F. No pinned or taped up decorations (any decorations must be free standing or placed on tables).
 - G. No rice, confetti, or other materials to be thrown at weddings.