**Church Cancellation Policy**

**for Inclement Weather & Emergency Situations**

St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church encourages individuals and families to rely on their own best judgment when conditions such as inclement weather, dangerous road conditions, or other emergency situations might put their health and safety at risk by attending church services or church-related events.

Wednesday Evening Activities will be cancelled whenever Charles City Schools are closed or let out early.

Meetings or Other Events, with the exception of Sunday morning education classes and worship services, will be cancelled at the discretion of the leader in charge of the event. The leader, with assistance from the office staff, will notify participants.

Sunday Morning Christian Education Classes and Worship Services will be cancelled at the determination of the pastor in consultation with the council president and in light of local law enforcement advisories. The decision to cancel services is always a difficult one, but your safety is very important to us! The decision will be made by 6:30 a.m. that morning and communicated to the congregation as quickly as possible through a variety of communication channels. **If there is no cancellation announcement, services will happen as scheduled.**

Please consult any of the following after 7:00 a.m.:

1) The church website, **www.stjohncharlescity.com**

2) The church answering system, **(641)228-3397**

3) Local TV and Radio Stations, **KCHA-FM (95.9), KIMT-Channel 3**

4) The church Facebook page, **St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church**

**REMEMBER - USE YOUR BEST JUDGMENT!!**