
We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure...

Hebrews 6:19



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06/14/20 Mission Statement: To be an anchor of hope in Christ!

*We cordially welcome all who are worshiping with us this week.
May our Lord Jesus Christ grant you the will and the wisdom
to renounce the world and to live as His follower and disciple.*

VISITORS – you are invited to share your names and addresses
in our Guest Book in the entryway of the church.

Services can be heard Sundays at 8:00am on 99.9 FM

Joint Voters Meeting

Will be held 2:15pm, June 14 at St. John's
with Immanuel to discuss call process.

Summer Office Schedule

The St. John office will be open
Monday-Friday, 11:00am-2:00pm.

Bulletin information needed by Wednesday at 11:00am.

Secretary will only be in on Thursday the week of June 15-19.



Congratulations, Graduates!

St. John 8th Grade:

McKenna Hardies & Jonah Riddle

High School: Kyrsten Altman, Simon List

Brooke Ganske, Joshua Karsten & Fallon Schulte

Divine Service, Setting Three

Confession and Absolution

790 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

LSB 790

- 1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is your health and salvation!
Let all who hear
Now to His temple draw near,
Joining in glad adoration!

- 2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning
And, as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.
Have you not seen
All that is needful has been
Sent by His gracious ordaining?

- 3 Praise to the Lord, who has fearfully, wondrously, made you,
Health has bestowed and, when heedlessly falling, has stayed you.
What need or grief
Ever has failed of relief?
Wings of His mercy did shade you.

- 4 Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you;
Surely His goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.
Ponder anew
What the Almighty can do
As with His love He befriends you.

- 5 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him!
Let the Amen
Sound from His people again;
Gladly forever adore Him!

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Invocation and Exhortation

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Confession and Absolution

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Service of the Word

Psalm

Psalm 100 (antiphon: v. 5)

¹Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

²Serve the LORD with gladness!

Come into his presence with singing!

³Know that the LORD, he is God!

It is he who made us, and we are his;

we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

⁴Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!

⁵For the LORD is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

Kyrie

LSB 186

C (sung)
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Gloria in Excelsis (sung)

LSB 187

P Glory be to God on High,
C and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee.
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy
upon us.
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.
C (sung) **And with thy spirit.**

P Let us pray.
Almighty, eternal God, in the Word of Your apostles and prophets You have proclaimed to us Your saving will. Grant us faith to believe Your promises that we may receive eternal salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C (sung) **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading: *Exodus 19:2–8 (on back of bulletin)*

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Epistle: *Romans 5:6–15 (on back of bulletin)*

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Alleluia and Verse

C (sung) **Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Holy Gospel

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the ninth chapter.

C (sung) **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

Holy Gospel Read: *Matthew 9:35—10:8 (on back of bulletin)*

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C (sung) **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

Apostles' Creed

C **I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life † everlasting. Amen.**

- 1 Hark, the voice of Jesus crying,
 "Who will go and work today?
Fields are white and harvests waiting—
 Who will bear the sheaves away?"
Loud and long the Master calleth;
 Rich reward He offers thee.
Who will answer, gladly saying,
 "Here am I, send me, send me"?

- 2 If you cannot speak like angels,
 If you cannot preach like Paul,
You can tell the love of Jesus,
 You can say He died for all.
If you cannot rouse the wicked
 With the judgment's dread alarms,
You can lead the little children
 To the Savior's waiting arms.

- 3 If you cannot be a watchman,
 Standing high on Zion's wall,
Pointing out the path to heaven,
 Off'ring life and peace to all,
With your prayers and with your bounties
 You can do what God commands;
You can be like faithful Aaron,
 Holding up the prophet's hands.

- 4 Let none hear you idly saying,
 "There is nothing I can do,"
While the multitudes are dying
 And the Master calls for you.
Take the task He gives you gladly,
 Let His work your pleasure be;
Answer quickly when He calleth,
 "Here am I, send me, send me!"

Sermon

Offertory

- ☒ Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.**

Offering baskets have been placed in the narthex.

Prayer of the Church

Pastor: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs:

Lord God, heavenly Father, we offer before You our humble prayer for the well-being of Your Church throughout the world. Guide and govern us by Your Holy Spirit so that all who profess themselves Christians may be led into the way of truth and hold the Christian faith in unity of spirit, in the bond of peace, and in the righteousness of life. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Send down upon all ministers of the Gospel and upon the congregations committed to their care the healthful spirit of Your grace that they please You in all things. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Behold in mercy all who are in authority over us. Supply them with Your blessing that they may be inclined to Your will and walk according to Your commandments. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: We humbly ask Your abiding presence in every situation that You would make known Your ways among us. Preserve those who travel, satisfy the wants of Your creatures, and help those who call upon You in any need that they may have patience in the midst of suffering and, according to Your will, be released from their afflictions. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Merciful Father, Your dear Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, rose victorious over death and the grave. We remember with thanksgiving all Your servants who trusted in Christ and now stand in Your nearer presence, where all sorrows are turned to joy. Strengthen us in the confident hope of the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come that we may await with joy our reunion in Your heavenly kingdom.
Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

People: Amen.

Lord's Prayer *LSB 196*

**Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever.
Amen.**

Benediction *LSB 202*

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C (sung) Amen.

918 Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer

LSB 918

1 Guide me, O Thou great Redeemer,
Pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;
Hold me with Thy pow'ful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
Feed me till I want no more;
Feed me till I want no more.

- 2 Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fiery, cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliv'rer, strong deliv'rer,
Be Thou still my strength and shield;
Be Thou still my strength and shield.
- 3 When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death and hell's destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to Thee;
I will ever give to Thee.

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Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

Officiant: Rev. J. Derek Riddle

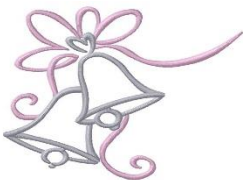
Reader: Candace Kowalski

Organist: Deanna Karsten

Deacons: Terry Bellmore, Willard Brege

In Honor of Steve & Althea's Wedding

*A gift was given by Rosemarie Trafelet
to the Adult Choir Fund*



In Honor of Lenita Schroeder's 80th Birthday (June 18)

*A gift was given by her husband
to the Radio Fund*

In Our Prayers the Week of June 14

If you have a prayer request you would like included on our public prayer list or on our private prayer chain, make sure the person gives approval to be included on one or the other and then call or send the request to Pastor Riddle. You may also use the Prayer Request Form.

Shut-ins at Medilodge

Marlin Thomas
Geraldine Barr

Shut-ins Orchard Manor

Shirley Wenzel

Shut-ins Birch Lane Adult Foster Care

Ralph Kreft
Royce Grulke

Shut-in Sally's Care

Betty Rusch

Shut-in at Home

Mark Bruning

Receiving Chemo Therapy

Bonita Smith

Awaiting Heart Transplant

Al Hincka (at home)

Recovering from Surgery

Corey Hentkowski (accident)
Sue Wilson (jaw reconstruction)
Ryan Howell (hip replacement on June 11)

Recovering Car Accident

Jeffery Greives, nephew of Ruth Greives

In the Hospital

Christine Idalski's newborn daughter Alivia
Rosemarie Trafelet (low sodium levels)

Grieving the Loss of Loved One

Steve & Althea Hein in the loss of Althea's mother, Emily Bregge

Service Men & Women

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine, Carissa Lantz
Elizabeth Wickersham, Steven Pauly, Karl Daniels II



In Loving Memory of Juliana Augsburger

*Gifts were given by Rosemarie Trafelet
Cliff Tulgestke, Ann & David Hempel
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Esther Karsten, Eldon Wyant Sr.
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In Loving Memory of Gerald Klee

*A gift was given by his sister Norma Klee Hadley
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Jeffrey & Susan Burke, Betty Condon
and Dale & Eleanor Basel to the Church General Fund*

*A gift was given by Beatrice Schalk
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In Loving Memory of Lillian Wirgau

*Gifts were given by Roger Fleming
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*A gift was given by Ken & Monica Fleming
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In Loving Memory of Arlene Thomas

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In Loving Memory of Valerie Bade

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Don & Marilyn Schaedig, Dennis & Brenda Kamyszek
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In Loving Memory of Grace Mertz

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In Loving Memory of Nelson Stockwell

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In Loving Memory of Michael Noffze

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In Loving Memory of Julie Augsburgur

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In Loving Memory of Our Mother Ethel, Kreft

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In Loving Memory of Mari Claus

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In Loving Memory of Harlan Lamb

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Thanks to the following Thrivent members who directed Thrivent Choice™ dollars to the General Fund in the amount of \$835.00 during the months of March thru June, 2020: Michael J. Bunton, Ronald M. Hopp, Stephen R. Hein, Harry H. Fleming, Roger R. Fleming, Karen F. Liedtke, Donald C. & Marilyn R. Schaedig, Renwood R. Schaedig, James D. & Diane M. Schatz, Delores M. Zampich.

We are grateful to our Thrivent members who direct their Thrivent Choice™ dollars for the support of our mission and ministry here at St. John.

Offerings for March 16-31

Current Envelopes (Excel in Giving and Loose Plate): \$5316
Mission: \$276; Lent: \$325; General Fund Memorial: \$110
School Tuition: \$7000; M & I: \$278; Radio Fund Memorials: \$90

Offerings for April

Current Envelopes (Excel in Giving and Loose Plate): \$11767
Mission: \$611; Lent: \$430; Maundy Thursday: \$95; Easter: \$1775
Good Friday: \$245; General Fund Memorial: \$20; Imm. Travel: \$80
Portals of Prayer: \$5; M & I: \$372; Radio Fund Memorials: \$610

Offerings for May

Current Envelopes (Excel in Giving and Loose Plate): \$11545
Mission: \$737; Easter: \$100; General Fund Memorial: \$1195
Port of Prayer: \$5; M & I: \$568; Radio Fund Mem: \$175; Radio Fund: \$500

Offerings for June 1-8

Current Envelopes (Excel in Giving and Loose Plate): \$3655
Mission: \$287; General Fund Memorial: \$425
Ladies Aid: \$500; M & I: \$183; Radio Fund Memorial: \$470





Do you need a printed bulletin for use with radio service?

If you or someone you know would benefit from receiving a printed bulletin each week please contact the St. John office, 734-3580.

Our Neighbors' Schedules

Peace Lutheran, Sundays at 9:30am
Immanuel Moltke, Sundays at 11:15am

Dear St. John's Congregation,

Today, Wednesday June 10th, Chairman of the Deacon's Willard Brege called a special meeting of the Deacon's along with Church Officers and Pastor Riddle to discuss a safe protocol for the Return to Worship Service. Below is what you can expect when we resume Worship Services this Sunday, June 14th:

1. Just a note, for the time being there will only be a Sunday morning service at 8am. To clarify there will not be a Saturday evening Service.
2. Doors will be propped open so no need to touch the handles.
3. Deacon's will be on hand to instruct you as to hand sanitizer available and will instruct you as to where to sit. Families may sit together, however we will utilize both sides of The Church and sections will be marked off to ensure proper social distancing. Please be conscious of social distancing practicing and hand shakes, hugs will be discouraged.
4. Prayer requests can be filled out and given to a Deacon to be relayed to Pastor.
5. The use of masks are encouraged when entering, exiting or moving around in the Church. If you would like to or need to remove your mask when you are seated you are welcome to do so, the same can be said if for some medical reason you cannot wear a mask.
6. Collection plates will be located near the entrances to the Sanctuary so you can place your offering while entering or exiting Church.
7. Service folders will be placed in the pews. Service folders will include the complete worship service to include the hymns. Hymnals and fellowship folders will be removed.
8. At the end of the service, the Deacon's and Ushers will dismiss the Congregation by pews in an orderly manner.
9. Please do not congregate in the Narthex at the conclusion of the Service.
10. The following Sunday, June 21st, will be conducted with Holy Communion. The Deacon's are working on that Protocol to make that as safe as possible.
11. We will continue to evaluate the Protocol on a weekly basis.
12. If you are not feeling well, remember, the radio broadcast as well will be changed to Sunday mornings as well, broadcast at 8am.

God's Blessings,
Matthew D. Quaine, Chairman