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

Hebrews 6:19



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*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.*



St. John Calendar Dec. 27 to Jan. 4

Sunday/27	9:00a	Worship
Sunday/3	9:00a	Communion
Monday/4	7:30a	School & Office Resumes
	3:30p	Confirmation

St. John Office Will Be Closed Dec. 23 to Jan. 3

*Over Christmas Break the secretary will not have regular office hours
but will come in to check messages and take care of what is needed.*

*Please have January 3 bulletin information and January 2021
calendar information into the office by Dec 29. Thanks.*

Thank You for Your Generosity

*Thank you to Basel Oil Co. for the goodies they donated to help
fill goodie bags for our shut-ins. Deeply appreciated.*

***Divine Service Setting One* (p.151)**

First Sunday after Christmas

Hymns

Opening Hymn: 367 – Angels from the Realms of Glory

Hymn of the Day: 389 – Let All Together Praise Our God

Closing Hymn: 937 – Lord, Bid Your Servant Go in Peace

Readings

First Reading – *Isaiah 61:10-62:3*

Psalm – *Psalm 111*

Epistle – *Galatians 4:4-7*

Holy Gospel – *Luke 2:22-40*

Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

Officiant: Rev. Randy Johnson

Organist: Deanna Karsten

Deacons: Matt & Pat Quaine

Usher: Josh Altman

Sharing Their Faith With Us – Dec. 20, Morning Worship

Attendance: 67; **Communed:** 51

Sharing Their Faith With Us – Dec. 20, Children's Program

Attendance: 70

Offerings for December 20

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$2773

Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$3500

Mission: \$152; M & I Memorials: \$190; Advent: \$246; Christmas: \$150

General Fund Memorials: \$1050; Gregus Memorials: \$325

PTL – Lunch Aid: \$700; Lutheran Witness: \$23.60

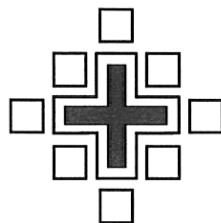
Immanuel Share Religious Materials: \$405.20

Please fill out the Record of Fellowship Sheet

Including a note about whether you participated
in the Service of Holy Communion on Communion days.

First Sunday after Christmas

December 27, 2020



INTROIT *Ps. 98:1–4; antiphon: Is. 52:10*

The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all
the | nations,*

and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation | of our God.

Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done | marvelous things!*

His right hand and his holy arm have worked salva- | tion for him.

The LORD has made known his sal- | vation;*

he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the | nations.

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of | Israel.*

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation | of our God.

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, | all the earth;*

break forth into joyous song and sing | praises!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the | nations,*

and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation | of our God.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, our Maker and Redeemer, You wonderfully created us and in the incarnation of Your Son yet more wondrously restored our human nature. Grant that we may ever be alive in Him who made Himself to be like us; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

GRADUAL *Is. 9:6; Ps. 98:1a*

To us a child is born, to us a son is | given;*

and the government shall be upon his | shoulder.

And his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, | Mighty God,*

Everlasting Father, | Prince of Peace.

Sing to the Lord a | new song,*

for he has done | marvelous things!

READINGS

December 27: Is. 51:17–52:12; Matt. 2:1–12; **28:** Is. 52:13–54:10; Matt. 2:13–23; **29:** Is. 55:1–13; Luke 1:1–25; **30:** Is. 58:1–59:3, 14–21; Luke 1:26–38; **31:** Is. 60:1–22; Luke 1:39–56; **January 1:** Is. 61:1–11; Luke 1:57–80; **2:** Is. 62:1–12; Luke 2:1–20.

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In Our Prayers the Week of December 27

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 Weirauch. You may also use the Prayer Request Form.

Shut-in 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

Cancer Treatment

Al Grulke

Recovering at Home

Tyler Idalski (farming accident)

Suffering with COVID

Some of our Peace Lutheran sisters and brothers

Loss of Loved One

Family of Geraldine Barr in their loss of Geraldine

Althea, Matt, Michelle and family in their loss of Steve Hein

Service Men & Women

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine, Carissa Lantz, Elizabeth Wickersham



Warm Welcome

St. John Ladies Aid would like to welcome our newest member, Rosie Marie Trafelet.

In Loving Memory of Steve Hein

*A gift was given by Nancy Urlaub
to the Adult Choir Fund*

In Loving Memory of Pastor's Grandmother

*A gift was given by Chris Clark
to the Church General Fund*

In Loving Memory of Alice Wenzel

*Gifts were given by Mike & Barb Peltz
and Shelly Duffey to the Church General Fund*



Hygiene Pantry

*a Board of Human Care Ministry Outreach Project
of Peace Lutheran Church, 1401 M-68, Rogers City, MI (989) 734-7621
to provide personal care products to residents of Presque Isle County*

2021 Distribution Dates:

(3rd Monday of each month, from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. and 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.)

Note: New afternoon distribution times!

January 18, 2021	May 17, 2021	September 20, 2021
February 15, 2021	June 21, 2021	October 18, 2021
March 15, 2021	July 19, 2021	November 15, 2021
April 19, 2021	August 17, 2021	December 20, 2021

Please note: In case of a snow day (and school is cancelled),
the pantry will also be cancelled for that month.

Items include:

*Shampoo Bar Soap
Toothpaste & Toothbrushes
Deodorant
Toilet Paper
Laundry Soap & Dish Soap*

No pre-registration or proof of income needed.

School News



Order Your Spirit Gear

Would like to show St. John school spirit in a cozy sweatshirt, polo, t-shirt or bag on your back? Order forms are available in the office and online. We also posted one on the bulletin board in the church narthex for you to look over. Please turn in your order with payment. Checks should be written to SJLS.

Scrip Card Manager

We are looking for someone to handle our gift card fundraiser. It is a year around position that involves placing online orders, making bank deposits, having order forms available, producing treasury reports, dividing the orders, and getting the orders to those who ordered. What are Scrip cards? Various gift cards are available for purchase. The buyer receives the full amount of their purchase. Example: If you pay \$25 for a Home Depot gift card, you get to spend \$25 at Home Depot. Each card provides the school a percentage back. Purchasers can choose whether the full profit goes into the scholarship fund or if they would like half of the profit to go into the scholarship fund and the other half toward a St. John family's tuition balance. The volunteer who takes this position must have time for it and be very good at organization.

Chance to Share Your Experiences

Send a St. John School testimony to Sam Nagy at snagy1980@gmail.com or 989-351-9026. We love to share your stories as inspiration to keep going and invitation to all families, who are not here with us, yet.

Lighthouse Pizza Cards are now available in the school office. Five-punch cards are \$49; 12-punch (1 pizza per month) are \$99. We appreciate The Lighthouse for offering this great fundraiser year after year. The school earns \$5 from each \$49 card and \$10 from each \$99. Pizza cards will be sold in the office until mid-January.

Student Council Advisor Wanted

We need someone to meet with students (preferably during lunch hour), monthly or bi-monthly. Interested, but have questions? Call Tonya Langlois at 989-351-9373 or e-mail TonyaLanglois@gmail.com