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

*Hebrews 6:19*



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**Services can be heard Sundays at 9:00am on 99.9 FM**

*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 January 24-31**

Sunday/24	9:00a	Worship
	10:00a	Sunday School
Monday/25	3:30p	Confirmation
Wednesday/27	10:00a	Bible Study at St. John
Sunday/31	9:00a	Communion
		Sub Orders Due
	10:00a	Sunday School

### **St. John Office Hours**

Office hours are Monday-Friday, 7:30am-2:30pm



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## **Third Sunday after the Epiphany**

### Hymns

**Opening Hymn:** 509 – Christ Is Surely Coming

**Hymn of the Day:** 839 – O Christ, Our True and Only Light

**Closing Hymn:** 750 – If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee

### Readings

**First Reading** – *Jonah 3:1-5, 10*

**Epistle** – *1 Corinthians 7:29-35*

**Psalm** – *Psalm 62*

**Holy Gospel** – *Mark 1:14-20*

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### **Those Serving the Lord This Weekend**

**Officiant:** Rev. Randy Johnson

**Organist:** Deanna Karsten

**Deacon:** Mark Fleming

**Usher:** Josh Altman

### **Offerings for January 17**

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$2885

***Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$3500***

Mission: \$182; M & I: \$148; Initial: \$55; New Year: \$20

General Fund Memorials: \$50; M & I Memorials: \$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.

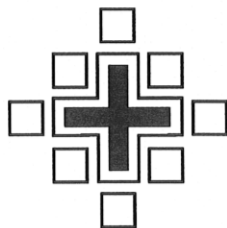
**A Special Thank You** *to everyone who participated in the Thanksgiving Mite Box collection.*

*A total of \$584.50 has been sent to The Michigan District to support mission projects in the United States and around the world.*

*Mission work is an on-going need so feel free to pick up another mite box and, when it is full, return it to the church. God's blessings to you as you continue to support this worthy cause.*

# Third Sunday after the Epiphany

January 24, 2021



**INTROIT**      *Ps. 113:1–2, 4, 7–8; antiphon: Ps. 113:3*

From the rising of the sun to its | setting,\*  
the name of the LORD is | to be praised!  
Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants | of the LORD,\*  
praise the name | of the LORD!

Blessèd be the name | of the LORD\*  
from this time forth and for- | evermore!

The LORD is high above all | nations,\*  
and his glory above the | heavens!

He raises the poor | from the dust\*  
and lifts the needy from the | ash heap,  
to make them sit with | princes,\*  
with the princes of his | people.

**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.**

From the rising of the sun to its | setting,\*  
the name of the LORD is | to be praised!

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities and stretch forth the hand of Your majesty to heal and defend us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**GRADUAL**      *Ps. 117:1–2a; 96:8*

Praise the LORD, all | nations!\*  
Extol him, all | peoples!  
For great is his steadfast | love toward us,\*  
and the faithfulness of the LORD endures for- | ever.  
Ascribe to the LORD the glory | due his name;\*  
bring an offering, and come in- | to his courts!

## DAILY READINGS

**January 24:** Joel 3:1–21; Rom. 12:14–13:14; **25:** Zech. 1:1–21; Rom. 14:1–23; **26:** Zech. 2:1–3:10; Rom. 15:1–13; **27:** Zech. 4:1–5:11; Rom. 15:14–33; **28:** Zech. 6:1–7:14; Rom. 16:17–27; **29:** Zech. 8:1–23; 2 Tim. 1:1–18; **30:** Zech. 9:1–17; 2 Tim. 2:1–26.

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## ***In Our Prayers the Week of January 24***

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

### **Service Men & Women**

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine, Carissa Lantz, Elizabeth Wickersham

### **Shut-in Sally's Care**

Betty Rusch

### **Shut-in at Home**

Mark Bruning



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**Big Thank You's** to the Christmas Angels that took down all the Christmas decorations at church.

### **Adult Bible Class Opportunity**

Adult Bible Class are being offered for anyone interested. The studies will be held at 10:00am on Wednesdays with location alternating each week between St. John and Immanuel. Our first topic of study will be the Book of Exodus and we will be utilizing a prepared study put out by Lifelight. If you are interested in coming please let Pastor know or just show up. As always invite your friends, the more the merrier. This week's class, Jan. 27, will be at St. John.

**Ladies Bible Study** will meet on February 8, 2021 at 6:30 pm in the basement at St. John Lutheran Church. We will be studying **Chaper 24 Confession and Absolution.**

### **Christmas Poinsettias**

If you purchased a Christmas poinsettia you may take one home.

## **In Loving Memory of Steve Hein**

*Gifts were given by Ken & Trudy Hilla  
Norm & Peggy Kowalski and Joel & Robin Idalski  
to the Church General Fund*

*Gifts were given by Jim, Carol & Jordon Fleury  
Al & Colleen Seitz and Neil & Sherryl Altman  
to the Choir Fund*

*A gift was given by Jerry & LaVerne Wolgast  
to the St. John Preschool Fund*

*A gift was given by Fritz & Jackie Langlois  
to the St. John Scholarship Fund*

*Gifts were given by Art & Rose Bronikowski  
Norm & Lilah Elowski, Mike & Katie Fairbanks  
Keith & Margaret Gordon, Jerry & Theresa Heinzl  
Mike & Sue Lietzow, Anthony & Mary Przybyla and  
Cheryl Kortman to the St. John School Memorial Fund*



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## **School News**

### ***National Lutheran Schools Week Is Here***

Lutheran Schools will be celebrated with much fun & learning this week.

We hope you will join us for St. John's Worship at church on Sunday, January 31 for our wrap-up of the joyous week. The students will be singing in thanks of God and our sponsoring congregation. Refreshments will follow and awards will be given for the NLSW Art Contest. The children will have a week to draw their Pastor, Jesus or Martin Luther.

### ***Order Your Scrip Cards***

Orders will be placed on February 8 and 22, so get your orders in by those dates. Thanks for supporting our school.





# **SUPER SUB SALE**

**at St. John Lutheran Church**

**Get a tasty sub with ham, turkey,  
salami, cheese, toppings &  
bag of chips to raise funds for  
“Church General Fund”**

**Pick Up Subs on February 7  
after 9am worship service until noon**

Cost: \$10 Per Sub

Orders Due: January 31

**Orders may be returned to the box in the  
St. John Church Narthex or St. John School office.**

*Masks will be required as well as social distancing.*

**Contact Ruth Brege (734-4615)  
or the office (734-3580)  
with questions or to order by phone.**

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Subs \_\_\_\_\_

***Make checks out to St. John Lutheran Church.***