

St. John Lutheran Church Missouri Synod

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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.

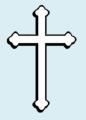
May our Lord Jesus Christ grant you the will and the wisdom
to renounce the world and to live as His follower and disciple.

VOTERS MEETING

The quarterly Voter's Meeting will be held this Sunday, Mar. 14, immediately following the 9am Worship Service. Please plan on attending.



St. John Calendar March 14-21



03-14-21

Sunday/14	9:00a	Worship
	10:00a	Sunday School
		Voters Meeting
		Greeting Card Sale
Monday/15	3:30p	Confirmation
Wednesday/17	10:00a	Bible Study Immanuel
	6:30p	Lenten Service Immanuel
Sunday/21	9:00a	Communion
	10:00a	Sunday School

St. John Office Hours This Week (office is in the school)

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

Divine Service, Setting Four (p.203) Fourth Sunday in Lent

Hymns

Opening Hymn: 543 – What Wondrous Love Is This

Hymn of the Day: 571 – God Loved the World So That He Gave

Hymn: 555 – Salvation Unto Us Has Come **Closing Hymn:** 743 – Jesus, Priceless Treasure

Readings

First Reading – Numbers 21:4-9

Epistle – *Ephesians 2:1-10* **Holy Gospel** – *John 3:14-21*

Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

Officiant: Rev. David Weirauch
Organist: Paula Streich
Deacon: Mark Fleming

Ushers: Ethan Grulke & Kaitlin Nowicki

Those Sharing Their Faith With Us – March 7

Attendance: 76; Communed: 69

Offerings for March 7

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$4306

Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$3500

Mission: \$160; M & I: \$285; Lent: \$181

General Fund Memorials: \$750; Ash Wednesday: \$10 Initial: \$5; St. John School Payment: \$834.43

Bible Study Books: \$90; Radio Fund Memorials: \$540

Please fill out the Record of Fellowship Sheet

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

Fourth Sunday in Lent

March 14, 2021

INTROIT

Ps. 27:3-5; antiphon: Ps. 27:1

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom | shall I fear?*
The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall
I | be afraid?

Though an army encamp against me, my heart | shall not fear;* though war arise against me, yet I will be | confident.

One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek | after:*

that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his | temple.

For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of | trouble;*

he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high up- on a rock.

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 is my light and my salvation; whom | shall I fear?*

The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I | be afraid?

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, Your mercies are new every morning; and though we deserve only punishment, You receive us as Your children and provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant that we may heartily acknowledge Your merciful goodness, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

GRADUAL Heb. 12:2

[O come, let us fix our eyes on] | Jesus,* the founder and perfecter | of our faith,

who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despis- | ing the shame,* and is seated at the right hand of the | throne of God.

DAILY READINGS

March 14: Gen. 41:28–57; Mark 11:20–33; 15: Gen. 42:1–34, 38; Mark 12:1–12; 16: Gen. 43:1–28; Mark 12:13–27; 17: Gen. 44:1–18, 32–34; Mark 12:28–44; 18: Gen. 45:1–20, 24–28; Mark 13:1–23; 19: Gen. 47:1–31; Mark 13:24–37; 20: Gen. 49:29–50:7, 14–26; Mark 14:1–11.

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In Our Prayers the Week of March 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 Weirauch. You may also use the Prayer Request Form.

Service Men & Women

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine Carissa Lantz, Elizabeth Wickersham

Shut-in Sally's Care

Betty Rusch

Shut-in at Home

Mark Bruning

Shut-in Orchard Manor

Shirley Wenzel

Shut-ins Birch Lane Adult Foster Care

Ralph Kreft Royce Grulke

In Loving Memory of Sharon Gregus

Gifts were given by Elroy Bade Family Valerie Pardike, Boyd & Ellen Haut to the Radio Fund

In Loving Memory of Allan Grulke

Gifts were given by Gary & Helen Westerholm and Elroy Bade Family to the Church General Fund

A gift was given by Bill & Darla Budnick to the Ladies Aid Fund



Maundy Thursday Communion Invitation

We have a time slot sign-up available for those wishing to receive communion on Maundy Thursday, who are uncomfortable attending the public worship due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

To be scheduled for a Communion time, add your name to the online sign-up, using the provided link, or call us in the office. Maundy Thursday is April 1. Time slots for Communion are available between the hours of 10:00am and noon.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C49A8A629A2FEC61-family

Greeting Card Sale

Ladies Aid will be selling Greeting cards on March 14 after church. Thank you for your support.

LWML Thanks & Mission Grant Highlight

LWML Mites: Thank you so much to all who supported the work of the LWML last year. Your giving supports many grants this organization votes to help. As of this last LWML Quarterly all but three out of 21 have been fully paid. We collected for the recorded year \$773.50. The Thanksgiving mites of \$584.50 were not sent until January so will be recorded for 2021.

Preparing Leaders for Tomorrow, School Ministries – \$80,000

To address the critical shortage of school administrators, the School Leadership Development program has been redesigned to better equip educators with the tools needed to lead Lutheran schools in the 21st century, directly affecting thousands of students to grow as disciples of Christ. This will provide training to equip 30 qualified candidates for placement as administrators in LCMS schools.

School News



Your AmazonSmile Impact

You can benefit the school by making your Amazon purchases via smile.amazon.com. There is no extra cost to you, but the school receives a percentage back from Amazon. Thank you to everyone, who has helped us through the smile program. Your smile.amazon.com orders have provided the school \$692.70 so far.

Scrip Cards for Sale

Scrip gift cards will be on sale at church this Sunday, March 14 and April 11. Also, next orders will be placed on the following Mondays: March 22, April 12 & April 26. You can locate the order form in the school office, on the church bulletin board or on our web site. There will be a gift card sale at school on Friday, April 9 from 2:30-3:30pm, and cards are available for purchase in the office, during school hours. Questions, call 766-8114.

Easy to Give and Receive with Thrivent

Thrivent Choice—our member-advised charitable grant program—gives eligible clients (YOU) with membership the opportunity to influence how Thrivent distributes some of its charitable funding. Thrivent clients who have designated Choice Dollars® can direct them to OUR organization, St. John Lutheran Church and School. However, some clients may not know our organization is enrolled in the Thrivent Choice program. Please realize how even a small Choice Dollars direction can add up to make a powerful impact. Thrivent Choice Dollars® helps St. John Lutheran School specifically by offsetting hot lunch and breakfast expenses for low income families who attend our school. Please direct your donation by Mar. 31, 2021.

Those donating to Hot Lunch Reduction Prices for Families include:

Katherine G Bruning, Donna Marie Genord, Mary Grulke, Jesse & Julie Kleiber, Vernon & Jacquelyn Langlois, Bette J Rhode and Dennis. Susan & Robert Rhode

Italian Dinner Chef Needed

This position is not a solo endeavor. Several kitchen staff and auction volunteers will be assisting the Chef. Additionally, the Chef will be working with our previous Chef, Heidi Pilarski, as she mentors the new Chef.

Duties include:

- Being responsible for creating the menu for our Annual Italian Dinner/Auction
- Cooking Italian dishes at Annual Italian Dinner/Auction
- Coordinating kitchen volunteers
- Developing a master shopping list
- Retrieving grocery items from list
- Preparing food
- Storing food properly
- Respecting safety standards
- Working with Senior Chef, Heidi Fleming, as a mentor

Please prayerfully consider this important role for our event's continued success!

Box Tops App: For one entry a day there is a chance to win 5,000 Bonus boxtops for SJLS. Lucky Charms Sweepstakes ends March 31. Thanks for your support. If you have questions call 766-8114.



March 31, 10:00am BIBLE STUDY at St. John

April 1, 6:30pm MAUNDY THURSDAY COMMUNION SERVICE at Immanuel

April 2, 1:00pm GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP at St. John & Broadcast on 99.9 FM

April 4, 9:00am EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP at St. John & Broadcast on 99.9 FM

April 4, 10:30am EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP at Immanuel

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

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

Items include:

ShampooBar SoapToothpaste & Toothbrushes
DeodorantToilet PaperLaundry Soap & Dish Soap