
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 April 11-18



Sunday/11	9:00a	Worship
	10:00a	Sunday School
	10:00a	Scrip Sale at Church
Monday/12	3:00p	Scrip Orders Due
	3:30p	Confirmation
	6:30p	Ladies Study at St. John
Tuesday/13	1:00p	Church Council
Wednesday/14	9:00a	Chapel Worship w/SJLS
	10:00a	Bible Study at St. John
Sunday/18	9:00a	Communion
	10:00a	Sunday School

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

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

Divine Service, Setting One (p.151) **Second Sunday of Easter**

Hymns

Opening Hymn: 480 – He’s Risen, He’s Risen

Hymn of the Day: 470 – O Sons and Daughters of the King

Hymn: 849 – Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

Closing Hymn: 920 – Forth in the Peace of Christ We Go

Readings

First Reading – *Acts 4:32-35*

Epistle – *1 John 1:1-2:2*

Holy Gospel – *John 20:19-31*

Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

Officiant: Rev. David Weirauch

Organist: Deanna Karsten

Deacon: Tyler Idalski

Ushers: Ethan Grulke & Kaitlin Nowicki

Those Sharing Their Faith With Us

April 2: Attendance: 65

April 4: Attendance: 131; Communed: 100

Offerings for April 4

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$3780

Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$3500

Mission: \$154; M & I: \$351; Lent: \$20; Good Friday: \$1131

General Fund Memorials: \$150; Maundy Thursday: \$126

Easter: \$2539; Portals of Prayer: \$20

Immanuel’s Insurance Share: \$851



In Loving Memory of Sharon Gregus

*A gift was given by Arlene, Dave & Dan
Mulka Families to the Church General Fund*

Second Sunday of Easter

April 11, 2021



INTROIT *Ps. 105:1–5, 8; antiphon: 1 Peter 2:2–3*

Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk,
that by it you may grow up to sal- | vation—*

if indeed you have tasted that the | Lord is good.

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call up- | on his name;*

make known his deeds among the | peoples!

Sing to him, sing prais- | es to him;*

tell of all his | wondrous works!

Glory in his | holy name;*

let the hearts of those who seek the | LORD rejoice!

Seek the LORD | and his strength;*

seek his presence con- | tinually!

Remember the wondrous works that | he has done,*

his miracles, and the judgments he | uttered.

He remembers his covenant for- | ever,*

the word that he commanded, for a thousand gener- | ations.

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.

Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up to sal- | vation—*

if indeed you have tasted that the | Lord is good.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, grant that we who have celebrated the Lord's resurrection may by Your grace confess in our life and conversation that Jesus is Lord and God; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

GRADUAL *adapt. from Matt. 28:7; Heb. 2:7; Ps. 8:6*

Christ has risen | from the dead.*

[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and | honor,

He has given him dominion over the works | of his hands;*

he has put all things un- | der his feet.

DAILY READINGS

April 11: Ex. 20:1–24; Luke 4:1–15; **12:** Ex. 22:20–23:13; Luke 4:16–30; **13:** Ex. 23:14–33; Luke 4:31–44; **14:** Ex. 24:1–18; Luke 5:1–16; **15:** Ex. 25:1–22; Luke 5:17–39; **16:** Ex. 31:1–18; Luke 6:1–19; **17:** Ex. 32:1–14; Luke 6:20–38.

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In Our Prayers the Week of April 11

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 Sally's Care

Betty Rusch

Shut-in at Home

Mark Bruning

Shut-in Orchard Manor

Shirley Wenzel

Service Men & Women

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine

Carissa Lantz, Elizabeth Wickersham

Shut-ins Birch Lane

Adult Foster Care

Ralph Kreft

Royce Grulke



Ladies Bible Study will be held at 6:30pm on April 12 at St. John. We will be studying Chapter 26: Sacrament of the Altar Continued.

Rogers City VFW Post 607 is having a homemade sauerkraut and roasted pork dinner on April 17 from 4:30-7:00pm or until sold out. Menu includes roasted pork, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes with gravy, glazed carrots and dessert. Price is \$10. Takeouts Only. Questions: 734-2260.

A Message From Your Treasurer

THE CHECK IS IN THE MAIL OR IN YOUR BANK ACCOUNT!

Many American citizens were the recent recipients of a \$1,400 "stimulus payment" which was intended to help foster the economic recovery from the COVID-19 Pandemic. This payment was a blessing to those who were unemployed or suffered loss of income due to the pandemic. On the other hand, the "stimulus payment" may be seen by others as an unexpected "windfall." In any event, please remember the needs of your church as you consider your alternatives. Your gift may be included with your weekly envelope or as a separate contribution.

Remember: "God Loves A Cheerful Giver"

In His Service, Donald C. Schaedig, Treasurer

April Schedule for Adult Bible Class

Everyone is welcome to our Adult Bible Class, where we are continuing our study of the Book of Exodus. The studies are held at 10:00am on Wednesdays with location alternating each week between St. John and Immanuel.



April 14: St. John

April 21: Immanuel

April 28: St. John

School News



Schedule an Open House Tour

The school will be hosting Open House Tours on Wednesday, April 21 with time slots available between 4-7pm. Participants will meet the teachers and principal; tour the classrooms/school; review curriculum; have questions answered; learn about financial assistance & programs; be given a picnic box lunch & SJLS Swag; and be encouraged to sign up for a \$100 Tuition Voucher.

Select your time at the following link or give us a call in the office:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508094BA4AD2EA4FD0-open>

Check Out Our New Promotional Video

Our video is getting rave reviews. If you haven't seen it, you don't want to miss out. You can find it with the following link or on our web site.

https://youtu.be/d-P2_CZ4b9k

Thank You, PTL!

St. John Lutheran School PTL has graciously agreed to pay for our teachers to attend the Connections Conference in November. In addition, the PTL also paid for \$1,000 worth of art supplies for the student body and approved funds to continue math intervention with Mrs. Ehrke. How blessed we are!

Cleaning Our Community

If you see a maroon-wearing flock of peeps pecking around the recycling center, beach, nature trails and grounds of Family Fare, that's just us, cleaning up God's Earth. You are welcome to join the effort!

A decorative border surrounds the page, featuring various cleaning supplies such as a bucket, gloves, a scrub brush, a spray bottle, a mop, a vacuum cleaner, and a broom, all rendered in a simple, stylized grey and white color scheme.

Service Project

So...new year, new project! In partnership with our sister congregations Peace and Immanuel, the members of St. John's will be collecting cleaning items for the Franklin Avenue Mission in Flint.

If you are able, please take one of the brown paper sacks (located by the Hygiene Pantry) and fill it with cleaning items such as:

toilet bowl cleaner

Spic & Span

paper towels

Comet cleanser

window cleaner

sponges, etc.

To make it easier, you can opt to pick up one item each time you go shopping and just add it to your sack!

The bags need to be returned by May 9. Shortly thereafter, members of the mission will pick the items up for delivery to Flint.

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them. (Ephesians 2:8-10)

Thank you for your support in this Mission Project!