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 May 9-16		
^	Sunday/9	9:00a	Worship
. <u> </u>		10:00a	Sunday School
		10:00a	Scrip Sale
	Monday/10	3:00p	Scrip Orders Due
		6:30p	Ladies Bible Study
	Tuesday/11	1:00p	Church Council
	Wednesday/12	9:00a	Chapel Worship w/SJLS
		10:00a	Bible Study at St. John
	Thursday/13	3-6p	Garage Sale Set Up SJLS
	Friday/14		NO SCHOOL
	,,	3-6p	Garage Sale Set Up SJLS
	Saturday/15	9a-4p	Garage Sale
	Sunday/16	9:00a	Communion
		10:00a	Sunday School

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

Office hours are Mon-Thur, 7:30am-2:30pm, CLOSED FRIDAY

Divine Office, Matins (p.219) Fifth Sunday of Easter

<u>Hymns</u>

Opening Hymn: 602 – The Gifts Christ Freely Gives **Hymn of the Day:** 556 – Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice **Hymn:** 655 – Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word **Closing Hymn:** 660 – Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

<u>Readings</u> First Reading – Acts 10:34-48 Epistle – 1 John 5:1-8 Holy Gospel – John 15:9-17

Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

Officiant: Rev. David Weirauch Organist: Deanna Karsten Deacons: Willard Brege & Terry Bellmore Ushers: Ethan Grulke & Kaitlin Nowicki

<u>Those Sharing Their Faith With Us – May 2</u> Attendance: 123; Communed: 98

Offerings for May 2

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$4069 Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$3500

Mission: \$113; M & I: \$212; Lent & Easter: \$40; School Tuition: \$8962.18; Portals of Prayer: \$5 M & I Memorials: \$50; Radio Fund Memorials: \$70

CALLING ALL TO BE VBS HELPERS:

Vacation Bible School will be held from 9am to 12pm on July 12-15 at St. John Lutheran School with a VBS Program during the Sunday Service on July 18. Call the office or Pastor Weirauch if you are able to volunteer. Remember, it takes the whole village of His servants.

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 9, 2021

INTROIT *Ps. 66:1–2, 8–9, 20; antiphon: Ps. 66:16* Come and hear, all you who | fear God,* and I will tell what he has done | for my soul. Shout for joy to God, | all the earth;*

sing the glory of his name; give to him | glorious praise!

Bless our God, O | peoples;*

let the sound of his praise be heard,

who has kept our soul among the | living*

and has not let our | feet slip.

Blessèd | be God,*

because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his steadfast | love from me! 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.

Come and hear, all you who | fear God,*

and I will tell what he has done for my soul.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, the giver of all that is good, by Your holy inspiration grant that we may think those things that are right and by Your merciful guiding accomplish them; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, 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

May 9: Num. 3:1–16, 39–48; Luke 14:25–15:10; **10:** Num. 8:5–26; Luke 15:11–32; **11:** Num. 9:1–23; Luke 16:1–18; **12:** Num. 10:11–36; Luke 16:19–31; **13:** Num. 11:1–23, 31–35; Luke 17:1–19; **14:** Num. 11:24–29; 12:1–16; Luke 17:20–37; **15:** Num. 13:1–3, 17–33; Luke 18:1–17.

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In Our Prayers the Week of May 9

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

<u>Shut-in at Home</u>

Mark Bruning

Shut-in Orchard Manor

Shirley Wenzel

<u>Shut-ins Birch Lane</u> Adult Foster Care

Ralph Kreft Royce Grulke

Loss of Loved One

Sharon Hein in the loss of her husband, Roger

Carl & Jolene Heller and Family in the loss of their daughter, Karen

Service Men & Women

Alexa Quaine Megan Quaine Carissa Lantz Elizabeth Wickersham

CARE NOTES:

Sharon Gregus Family

If you would like to reach out with care and consolation to the family of Sharon Gregus, you may send notes to her sister, Arlene (McLennan) Mulka.

> Arlene Mulka 2710 Colgate Ct. SW Wyoming, MI 49519

Alivia Idalski

Alivia's birthday was not included on the May calendar. If you would like to send her a big wish her special day is May 18.

Happy Birthday, Alivia!

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In Loving Memory of Roger Hein

A gift was given by Roger Fleming to the Radio Fund.

In Loving Memory of Sharon Gregus

A gift was given by Dorothy Daniels to the Ladies Aid Fund

A gift was given by Rosemarie Trafelt to the Choir Fund

In Loving Memory of Karen Heller

A gift was given by Don & Marilyn Schaedig to the Radio Fund

A gift was given by Lisa & Mike Grenier and Jim & Kendra Schaedig to the St. John School Memorial Fund

In Loving Memory of Christine Brege

Gifts were given by Ken & Monica Fleming Cadillac Products Automotive Company and Rod, Shirley & Rachel Goehmann to the St. John School Memorial Fund



Adult Bible Class: May Schedule

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. May 12 & 26, our class will be held at at St. John, May 19 at Immanuel.

Ladies Bible Study will be 6:30pm on May 10 at St. John.

LWML Bible Class will be held at Immanuel in Moltke at 1:00pm on May 17. We hope to see you there.

Preparing for Graduation Sunday

We will be honoring the 2021 Graduates from our Congregation on Sunday, June 6 during the 9 a.m. church service. A reception will be held in the narthex following the service to celebrate with them. Hope you will join us to celebrate the years of hard work these students put in and the Blessings God has bestowed on them!

School News



May Mission

Throughout May, we will be bringing forward as offerings in chapel items for service member care packages. If you would like to contribute a list of ideas has been posted on the school bulletin board in the narthex and in the school newsletters sections on our StJohnSoars.com web site.

Interested in Buying or Selling Stuff?

The Eighth Grade Class is renting booth space for a May 15 Garage Sale to be held in the St. John School gym. Call us at 734-3580 to have an area set aside for you or just come on May 15 to search out good deals. Cost for each booth space is \$20. Garage Sale runs from 9:00am-4:00pm.

Harborside Wants to Help Us

Harborside Bath and Body is starting a new program called Helping Hands and on Thursday, May 20, they will be helping St. John School by donating 15% of that day's proceeds to the school. Please, mark your calendar and support our school by shopping at Harborside that day.

Scrip Sale Ideas & Dates

Mother's Day and Memorial Weekend are coming up. Remember to place an order or purchase Scrip Gift Cards for your gift or holiday needs. Gift cards have not taxes or fees. The percentage earned can go to tuition or scholarship. Scrip orders are due May 10 & 24 by 3:00pm. Cards will be sold at the school on May 7 for parents/community from 2:30-3:30pm. Cards will be sold at church, following worship on May 9, and can also be purchased during school hours in the office. E-cards are available for many brands, and some offer reloadables.