

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

*Hebrews 6:19*



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**Lutheran Hour is Sundays at 7am on 92.5 FM & 11am on 1450 AM  
You can also listen online or via podcast at [www.lutheranhour.org](http://www.lutheranhour.org)**

*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 August 22-29**

Sunday/22	9:00a	Worship w/ Coffee Bar Before & After Service
Wednesday/25	5:30p	Back to School Social
Sunday/29	9:00a	Worship

### **Office Hours (office is located in the school)**

Week of August 22-28: Tues, Wed, & Thurs, 8:00am-1:00pm

August 31 School Begins. Office is open when school is open.

No school Sept. 3 & 6. Dismisses 11:40am on Sept 7.

***Be sure to get your September calendar dates  
to the office this week!***

***Mission Statement: To be an anchor of hope in Christ!***

August 22, 2021

## **Daily Office, Matins (p. 219)**

Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost

### Hymns

**Opening Hymn:** 543 – What Wondrous Love Is This

**Hymn of the Day:** 865 – Lord, Help Us Ever to Retain

**Hymn:** 575 – My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

**Closing Hymn:** 596 – All Christians Who Have Been Baptized

### Readings

**Old Testament Reading** – *Isaiah 29:11-19*

**Epistle** – *Ephesians 5:22-33*

**Holy Gospel** – *Mark 7:1-13*

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

**Officiant:** Rev. David Weirauch

**Organist:** Paula Streich; **Reader:** Sheila Provo

**Deacons:** Matt & Pat Quaine; **Usher:** Josh Altman

### **Those Sharing Their Faith With Us**

August 8: Attendance: 40

August 15: Attendance: 69; Communed: 65

### **Offerings for August 8**

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$1920

Mission: \$135; General Fund Memorials: \$20

M & I: \$220; School Tuition: \$7403.50

Church Parking Lot Project: \$100; Immanuel B/C Payment: \$851

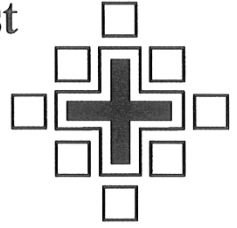
### **Offerings for August 15**

Current envelopes: \$2569; M & I: \$255; Mission: \$165

Radio Fund: \$10; Door Offering School Supplies: \$113.37

# Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 22, 2021



**INTROIT**      *Ps. 26:1–2, 6–7; antiphon: Ps. 26:8*

O LORD, I love the habitation | of your house\*  
and the place where your | glory dwells.

Vindicate me, O LORD, for I have walked in my in- | tegrity,\*  
and I have trusted in the LORD without | wavering.

Prove me, O LORD, and | try me;\*  
test my heart | and my mind.

I wash my hands in innocence and go around your altar, | O LORD,\*  
proclaiming thanksgiving aloud, and telling all your | wondrous deeds.

**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.**

O LORD, I love the habitation | of your house\*  
and the place where your | glory dwells.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and merciful God, defend Your Church from all false teaching and error that Your faithful people may confess You to be the only true God and rejoice in Your good gifts of life and salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**GRADUAL**      *Ps. 34:9, 19, alt.*

Fear the LORD, | you his saints,\*  
for those who fear him lack | nothing!  
Many are the afflictions of the | righteous,\*  
but the LORD delivers him out | of them all.

## DAILY READINGS

**August 22:** 1 Kings 2:1–27; 1 Cor. 13:1–13; **23:** 1 Kings 3:1–15; 2 Cor. 1:1–22; **24:** 1 Kings 5:1–18; 2 Cor. 1:23–2:17; **25:** 1 Kings 7:51–8:21; 2 Cor. 3:1–18; **26:** 1 Kings 8:22–30, 46–63; 2 Cor. 4:1–18; **27:** 1 Kings 9:1–9; 10:1–13; 2 Cor. 5:1–21; **28:** 1 Kings 11:1–26; 2 Cor. 6:1–18.

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## ***In Our Prayers the Week of August 22***

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-ins at Home**

Mark Bruning; Rosie Bruning

### **Shut-in Orchard Manor**

Shirley Wenzel

### **Shut-ins Birch Lane**

#### **Adult Foster Care**

Royce Grulke

#### **Recovering after Surgery**

Hazel Yerks is recovering at home.

#### **Service Men & Women**

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine

Carissa Lantz, Elizabeth Wickersham



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### **In Loving Memory of Gary Pidgen**

*A gift was given by Fay Graham-Voice  
to the St. John School Memorial Fund*

### **In Loving Memory of Sharon Gregus**

*A gift was given by Ron & Delia Greve  
to the St. John Church Choir Fund*

### **In Loving Memory of Lenita May Schroeder**

*A gift was given by Walter & Darlene Boeder and  
David & Marlice Duescher to the Church Parking Lot Project*

### **In Loving Memory of Sandra Elliot**

*A gift was given by Willy & Linda Brege to the Radio Fund*

### **In Loving Memory of Jocelin Newhouse, Janet Elowsky**

#### **Alice Arlt & Nancy (Gapczynski) Murphy**

*A gift was given by Ken & Monica Fleming  
to the St. John School Heating Campaign*

**COFFEE  
FELLOWSHIP**



**Coffee Bar Today** will be going before and after church. Join us for a great time of Sunday fellowship.

**Thank You to All Who Donated to the Noisy Can:** God is Good! We took in \$113.37 toward backpacks and supplies for the Back to School Community Outreach, sponsored by Peace Lutheran Church. Peace plans to fill 120 packs.

**Help Peace Fill Packs:** The Peace congregation invites anyone, who would like to help, to come fill backpacks with them on August 23, 6:00pm, at Peace Lutheran Church.



**Gathering Ladies of Faith:** Prayer Warriors, Ladies Aid, and all ladies are invited to a meeting with Pastor Weirauch on August 30 at 10:00am. See you then.

**Temporary Part-Time Job Opportunities:** St. John Lutheran School will need a custodian, after care attendant and lunch attendant until about mid-November. Please let us know if you are interested or spread the word to those you think might be. Thanks.

**Audit Committee Needs Your Books:** The Audit Committee is beginning to process the 2020 financial accounts for the church & school. Please deliver your books to the school office ASAP. For additional information, please read your e-mail from Donna Hopp. Also you can call Dorothy Daniels (989-734-4260) with any further questions. Thank you for your immediate assistance.

**Attention 2021-22 Confirmation Families:** Confirmation Classes will begin September 13, 2021 and will go through April 4, 2022 with the Rite of Confirmation taking place on Palm Sunday, April 10. Please contact Pastor Weirauch or the office if you have a child in your family, who is eligible to begin Confirmation Classes this year.

**Soap Bar Collection:** Lutheran World Relief is again collecting soap bars for distribution wherever needed. People in many parts of the world cannot buy soap because it is unavailable or too costly. If you would like to help, a basket will be in the Narthex until Sunday, October 3 for your contribution of new, unwrapped soap bars. Thank you!



**Back to School Night**  
**Tuesday, August 24**  
**6-8 p.m.**

at Peace Lutheran Church

The cost of school supplies can be a burden to many families, so one of the goals of this event is to serve families in Jesus' name by helping ease the cost while asking nothing in return.

All are welcome!

12-inch rulers  
Youth scissors  
Markers  
Calculators  
Colored pencils  
Glue (sticks/bottle)  
Kleenex packages

Notebooks  
Crayons  
Highlighters  
Pencil boxes/pouches  
Loose-leaf notebook paper  
Hand sanitizer

