We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure... *Hebrews 6:19*



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St. John Service can be heard Sundays at 9:00am on 99.9 FM

Livestream can be viewed on Facebook. Search stjohnlutheranchurch Select yellow circle with "S" inside: St. John Lutheran Church Live

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

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 Cale	endar O	<u>ct. 31-Nov. 7</u>
_ ا لہ	Sunday/31	9:00a 10:00a	Worship Sunday School
Ĵ	Monday/1	5:00p 1:00p	Trunk & Treat NO SCHOOL Grief Support at Peace
		3:00p 5:30p	Confirmation Handbells
	Tuesday/2 Wednesday/3	6:00p 10:00a 1:30p	Board of Education Bible Study at Immanuel Deacons
	Saturday/6 Sunday/7	10:30a 9:00a 10:00a	Choir Rehearsal Communion Sunday School

Office Hours This Week: Tuesday-Friday, 8am-3pm

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Reformation Day

<u>Hymns</u>

Opening Hymn: 555 (1-4, 8-10) – Salvation unto Us Has Come Hymn of the Day: 656 – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God Hymn: 645 – Built on the Rock Closing Hymn: 578 – The Strong Word <u>Readings</u>

First Reading – Revelation 14:6-7 Epistle – Romans 3:19-28 Holy Gospel – Matthew 11:12-19 (Printed below)

Matthew 11:12-19 (ESV)

¹²From the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven has suffered violence, and the violent take it by force. ¹³For all the Prophets and the Law prophesied until John, ¹⁴and if you are willing to accept it, he is Elijah who is to come. ¹⁵He who has ears to hear, let him hear.

¹⁶"But to what shall I compare this generation? It is like children sitting in the marketplaces and calling to their playmates,

¹⁷"'We played the flute for you, and you did not dance; we sang a dirge, and you did not mourn.'

¹⁸For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, 'He has a demon.' ¹⁹The Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, 'Look at him! A glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners!' Yet wisdom is justified by her deeds."

Reformation Day

October 31, 2021

INTROIT *Ps.* 34:1–2, 11, 22; antiphon: *Ps.* 119:46

I will speak of your testimonies before kings, [O Lord,]* and shall not be put to shame. I will bless the LORD at | all times;* his praise shall continually be | in my mouth. My soul makes its boast | in the LORD;* let the humble hear | and be glad. Come, O children, lis- | ten to me;* I will teach you the fear of the LORD. The LORD redeems the life of his | servants;* none of those who take refuge in him will be condemned. 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. I will speak of your testimonies before kings, [O Lord,]* and shall not be put to shame.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

GRADUAL *Ps.* 48:1a, 12–14a

Great is the LORD and greatly | to be praised* in the city | of our God! Walk about Zion, go around her, number her | towers,* consider well her ramparts, go through her | citadels, that you may tell the next gener- | ation*

that this is God, our God forever and | ever.

DAILY READINGS

October 31: Deut. 32:28–52; Matt. 20:17–34; November 1: Deut. 34:1–12; Matt. 21:1–22; 2: Jer. 1:1–19; Matt. 21:23–46; 3: Jer. 3:6–4:2; Matt. 22:1–22; 4: Jer. 5:1–19; Matt. 22:23–46; 5: Jer. 7:1–29; Matt. 23:1–12; 6: Jer. 8:18–9:12; Matt. 23:13–39.

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Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

Officiant: Rev. David Weirauch Organist: Deanna Karsten Reader: Kenneth Schroeder Deacons: Matt Quaine & Pat Quaine Ushers: Scott Hardies & Ken Hopp

Those Sharing Their Faith With Us This Week

Oct. 24 Worship: 86 In-person

Offerings for October 24

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$2537 Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$3500 Mission: \$150; M & I: \$230; Portals of Prayer: \$3

In Loving Memory of Robert Tulgetske

A gift was given by Ilene Felax to the Church General Fund

In Loving Memory of Kaci Weirauch's Grandma

A gift was given by Deanna Karsten to the Church General Fund

Loving Memory of Faye Stockwell A gift was given by Dennis & Susan Rhode to the Radio Fund



In Our Prayers the Week of October 31

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.

<u>Shut-in Sally's Care</u> Betty Rusch

<u>Shut-ins at Home</u> Mark Bruning; Rosie Bruning

<u>Shut-in Orchard Manor</u> Shirley Wenzel

<u>Shut-in Medilodge</u> Royce Grulke

Service Men & Women

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine Carissa Lantz, Elizabeth Wickersham

Loss of Loved One

Pastor, Kaci and family in the loss of Kaci's Grandma Greken, and also safe travels to and from Ohio



New Addresses

Alexa Quaine 7305 Pearly Heath Rd Colorado Springs, CO 80908 aquaine12@outlook.com Megan Quaine 1190 Main St Dover, DE. 19904 quainemegan@outlook.com

Grief Support Class at Peace Lutheran Church: Mondays at 1:00pm. This class is for anyone experiencing a loss of any kind – loved one, health, job, pet. All are welcome. Please contact Shirley Haan at 734-3939 or shirleyhaan1@gmail.com if interested.

R.C. Area Christmas Outreach: Do you or someone you know need help putting gifts under the tree this year? Call us – We can help! 734-7656 or 989-351-0429. Referrals accepted October 10-December 1 for the following areas: 49779, 49743 & 49776

Postage Stamps

Thank you to those who cut out postage stamps to help support Lutheran Bible Translators, but we just received word there is no longer a need for flag stamps. Any others are still acceptable. Trim them to 1/8 inch of stamp. Thank You.

Information for Shut-In Service

LCMS puts out a shut-in service that is ½ hour long. You can go to worshipanew.org. The pastor has a brief sermon and different choirs sing hymns that are familiar and are usually from our Lutheran Service Book. You can watch this anytime throughout the week.

Welcome to Youth Nights

There will be many youth nights led by Pastor and Kaci. Please continue to give them your ideas and desires for future events.

Planning for Our 150: In 2023 St. John Lutheran Church will be having its sesquicentennial celebration. A committee is needed to decide how to celebrate this event. If interested, please call Matt Quaine (989-916-5016) or Ruth Brege (989-255-3613). Thank you.

TRUNK AND TREAT

October 31, 5:00-7:00pm

GHOSTS & GOBLINS WELCOME

St. John Church Parking Lot.



We need you and your Trunk. Come with a decorated trunk and spread the invitation to local families. *If you have questions call Joan at 734-2228.* *Ladies Bible Study* will be held at 6:30pm on November 8 at St. John. The study will be about Hagar. She was a servant of Abraham and Sarah.

Wednesday Bible Study Reminder: The November classes will be held at 10:00am at Immanuel Lutheran Church. All are welcome!

Ladies Aid Greeting Card Sale will be held in the St. John narthex before and after the November 14 and December 12 worship services. Each box of cards is \$8. Cards offered: Christmas, Birthday, Sympathy, Get Well and Thinking of You.

Gift Cards from Auction Available for Purchase in Office

- 2 \$25 Bishop oil change certificates
- \$20 Charly O's in Hillman Pizza
- \$25 Jeans Gifts
- \$50 Brewbakers cert.
- \$12 P. I. County on Aging 4 meals
- \$50 Renewed Blessings Certifiate
- 2 \$20 Rosa's Certificates



Thank You to Everyone Who Helped Make the Dinner & Auction Fun and Successful!

Chapel Mission Project: We are again collecting offerings for Operation Christmas Child. If you would like to join us in our mission, bring your donations to the school office.

Help with Kraut & Cookies: We could use help canning kraut at 1pm on Nov. 3 in the school kitchen for the Kraut & Cookies for Camp Sale to be held on Nov. 12 & 13 from 9am-1pm at the school. Leftovers will be sold on Nov. 14 at St. John Church. Helpers on sale day would be super, too.

Scrip Cards are great for Halloween, Thanksgiving, Dinner, Christmas, New Years. Popular cards sold in office. Orders will be placed Nov. 8 & 22.

Immanuel Lutheran Church of Moltke Township 7134 Church Hwy., Rogers City

Ladies Aid Bazaar and Luncheon November 6, 2021 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Chicken n' Biscuit Luncheon: Eat In or Take Out Bazaar Options: Order Ahead & Pick Up or Shop in Person ********

AVAILABLE TO ORDER AHEAD

Bake Sale Items:



Pumpkin Roll (\$8 ea.) Pies: Berry, Pumpkin, Apple (\$10 ea.) Breads: White, Whole Wheat, Swedish Rye, Colonial,Oatmeal Raisin (\$4 loaf) Stollen: (\$8 ea.) Fruit Cake -1 lb. (\$8 each) Cookies-Christmas Cutouts, Pecan Sandies, Phefferneusse Springerle'-8 in unit (\$4 doz. or unit)



Christmas Wreaths: (\$20)

Rada Knives and Kitchen Items-Prices vary

(Other items will be available at the church.)

Chicken n' Biscuit Luncheon:

Eat In: Adults \$8; Children (5-12) \$4; Under 5 – Free

Take out: 1 pint creamed chicken with two biscuits - \$10 1 quart creamed chicken with four biscuits - \$20

To order ahead: Call 734-4969 or 733-4056 by October 31st. Quantities are limited.



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

"St. John Ladies Aid"

Pick Up Subs on November 14 after 9am worship service until noon

Cost: \$10 Per Sub Orders Due: November 8

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

Contact Joan Altman (734-2228) or the office (734-3580) with questions or to order by phone.

Name

Phone _____

Number of Subs	
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Make checks out to St. John Ladies Aid.



Order Form For Christmas Wreaths

St. John Lutheran Church is selling Christmas wreaths. Proceeds go to St. John Lutheran School Scholarship Fund.

Wreaths cost \$23.00 each. If you would like to place an order, please fill in your information and indicate quantity desired below.

The wreaths are made with fresh balsam and cedar, decorated with pine cones, Christmas bulbs, and a red bow.

Wreaths can be picked up at St. John Church November 28.

Please make checks out to: SJLS Scholarship Fund

Leave your order and payment in the "Wreath Order Box" in the church narthex, or you can drop your order off at the school office.

Any questions, call Nan Fleming at 734-3390.

Order deadline is November 14. Thank you.

Quantity: