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

*Hebrews 6:19*



## **St. John Lutheran Church Missouri Synod**

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**St. John Service can be heard Sundays at 10:30am on 99.9 FM**

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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.*

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### **COMMUNION POLICY**

As an expression of our faith and fellowship as the Missouri Synod Lutherans we welcome to the Sacrament those baptized Christians who:

- confess and repent of their sins; believe in the Triune God, and in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior;
- believe that they receive Christ's true Body and Blood with the Bread and Wine for forgiveness of sins, new life and salvation;
- promise to change their sinful life with the help of the Holy Spirit.

Oneness at the altar requires oneness in doctrine, faith, and life (Acts 2:42). Therefore, “Let each person examine himself, and thus eat of the bread and drink of the cup” (1 Corinthians 11:28)

**Visitors and Guests** - please speak with the Pastor or a Deacon before the worship service.

**Visitors and Members** - please fill out a communion registration card found next to the hymnals. Please hand it to an usher or place it in the offering plate.

**Visitors** – please write your names and addresses in our Guest Book in the entry way of the church.

**Parents** – we encourage you to bring your children up with you during the communion celebration for a pastoral blessing. Remember Jesus' words: “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these” (Mark 10:14).

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

March 6, 2022

## **Divine Service, Setting Four (p. 151)**

First Sunday in Lent

### Hymns

**Opening Hymn:** 424 – O Christ, You Walked the Road

**Hymn of the Day:** 657 – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

**Distribution Hymns:**

544 – O Love, How Deep

746 – Through Jesus' Blood and Merit

521 – Christ, the Lord of Hosts, Unshaken

**Closing Hymn:** 716 – I Walk in Danger All the Way

### Readings

**Old Testament Reading** – *Deuteronomy 26:1-11*

**Epistle** – *Romans 10:8b-13*

**Holy Gospel** – *Luke 4:1-13*

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### Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

**Officiant:** Rev. Kersten; **Organist:** Deanna Karsten

**Reader:** Candace Kowalski; **Deacons:** Tyler Idalski & Bill Shay

**Acolyte:** Tanner Wirgau; **Usher:** Ken Winfield & Bill Shay

### Those Sharing Their Faith With Us

February 22: Attendance 122; Communed: 111

February 28: Attendance 91

### Offerings for February 22

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$2861

Mission: \$150; M & I: \$140; Radio Fund: \$27

### Offerings for February 28

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$2680

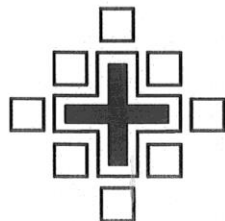
Mission: \$155; M & I: \$60; Religious Material: \$9

School Tuition: \$1936

Immanuel Share for Benefits: \$383.55

# First Sunday in Lent

March 6, 2022



**INTROIT** *Ps. 91:9–13; antiphon: Ps. 91:15–16*

When he calls to me, I will answer him;

I will be with him in | trouble;\*

I will rescue him and | honor him.

With long life I will sat- | isfy him\*

and show him my sal- | vation.

Because you have made the LORD your | dwelling place—\*

the Most High, who is my | refuge—

no evil shall be allowed to be- | fall you;\*

no plague come | near your tent.

For he will command his angels con- | cerning you\*

to guard you in | all your ways.

On their hands they will | bear you up;\*

lest you strike your foot a- | gainst a stone.

You will tread on the lion and the | adder;\*

the young lion and the serpent you will trample | underfoot.

**Glorify 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.**

When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in | trouble;\*

I will rescue him and | honor him.

With long life I will sat- | isfy him\*

and show him my sal- | vation.

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

O Lord God, You led Your ancient people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide the people of Your Church that following our Savior we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; 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 6:** Gen. 4:1–26; Mark 2:18–28; 7: Gen. 6:1–7:5; Mark 3:1–19; **8:** Gen. 7:11–8:12; Mark 3:20–35;

**9:** Gen. 8:13–9:17; Mark 4:1–20; **10:** Gen. 11:27–12:20; Mark 4:21–41; **11:** Gen. 13:1–18; Mark 5:1–20;

**12:** Gen. 15:1–21; Mark 5:21–43.

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## ***In Our Prayers the Week of March 6***

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

### **Being Treated for Tumor**

Pastor Schreiber

### **Shut-ins at Home**

Mark Bruning; Rosie Bruning

### **Service Men & Women**

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine

### **Shut-in Medilodge**

Royce Grulke

### **Adopt-A-Seminarian Student**

Steven Resner

### **Recovering**

Ken Winfield; Nancy Snow

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### **Loss of Loved One**

June Grulke, Margaret Hopp and family in the loss of Helen Shoeneith  
Robin & Joel Idalski & family in the loss of Joel's mother, Kathleen Idalski  
Family of Jackie Wirgau in the loss of Jackie

## **St. John Calendar Mar. 6-13**



Sunday/6	9:30a	Sunday School
	10:30a	Communion
Monday/7	3:00p	Confirmation
	5:30p	Handbells Practice
Tuesday/8	12:30p	Deacons
	1:00p	Church Council
Wednesday/9	10:00a	Bible Study at St. John
	4/7p	Lenten at St. John
Thursday/10	10:30a	Ladies Aid
	4:00p	Open House
Sunday/13	9:30a	Sunday School
	10:00a	Ladies Aid Card Sale
	10:30a	Worship

## Lenten Calendar

**March 9: St. John has Meal at 4-6:30pm; Service 7pm**

**March 16:** Peace Lutheran (6pm Meal; 7p Service)

**March 23:** St. Michael's (6pm Meal; 7p Service)

**March 30:** Immanuel Lutheran (6pm Meal; 7p Service)

**April 6:** Holy Cross in Onaway (6pm Meal; 7p Service)



*Thank you for the prayers, cards and concerns over my surgery and healing. My recovery is going well.*

*– Ken Winfield*

### **Parking Lot Safety**

Hopefully the sun will start to shine more as we enter March. As the snow starts to melt, please be careful as you drive / walk through the church parking lot. If it looks wet, please take it as being SLIPPERY and use caution. We will try our best to keep the main entranceway salted. – Thanks, Trustees

### **Come Quilt or Iron**

Quilters meet on the first and third Thursdays each month at 9:00am. You don't need to sew to be a help. Other important tasks are needed, too. The quilters can always use some ironing volunteers to iron the quilt tops and backs. Ironing can be done at home or in the church.

### **Serve As Usher**

Please contact Ivan Wirgau at 351-8842 if you are willing and able to serve as an usher for the church. Thank you.

### **It's Update Time**

We are updating our church records, if you receive an envelope it means we are missing some of your information. Please send back in self-stamped envelope. Thank you for your help.

## **New Month, New Location**

Through March, the Lifelight Bible Study will meet at the same time, Wed. at 10:00am, but new place. Join us at St. John Church. All are welcome!

## **Direct Your Dollars**

80,000 left to add to our total. Thanks for turning your Family Fare receipts into SJLS to accomplish this goal to help with curriculum. Thanks again.

## **Win a Gift Card “Contest”**

Purchase Scrip business gift cards to help with a student’s tuition and to help them win the contest. You can include your family, friends and neighbors. Use your student name on each purchase. The student name with the highest EARNINGS from the % earned will win their choice of \$10 gift card. Contest ends at noon on March 28. It begins now! QUESTIONS 766-8114.

### **In Loving Memory of Jackie Wirgau**

*A gift was given by Lila Wenzel  
to the St. John Radio Fund*

*A gift was given by Ron & Joan Altman  
to the Church General Fund*

### **In Loving Memory of Allan Grulke**

*A gift was given by Connie & Don Standen  
to the St. John School Memorial Fund*

### **In Loving Memory of Helen Shoeneith**

*A gift was given by Ron & Joan Altman  
to the Church General Fund*

### **In Loving Memory of Kathleen Idalski**

*A gift was given by Ron & Joan Altman  
to the Church General Fund*

### **In Loving Memory of Dick Grulke**

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



## ORDER BLANK FOR EASTER LILIES

Lilies are needed to decorate our church for Easter. You can purchase a plant in honor of a special occasion or in memory of loved ones. The cost of the plants this year is \$9.00 each. They will come in a 6" pot.

If paying by check, please make it out to: *St. John Ladies Aid*

Please fill out the information below. If you have any questions, please call Robin Idalski at 734-2750 after 5:00 p.m. Orders may be placed in the appropriate box in the narthex.

FINAL order deadline is Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

**Remember to pick up your plants after the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service on April 17<sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday.**

**GIVEN BY:**

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**In Loving Memory of:**

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**In Honor of:**

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