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.

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).

April 10, 2022 Divine Service, Setting Five

Palm Sunday

+ STAND

Prelude Bells Opening Hymn: 837 "Lift High the Cross" (Sts. 1-4) Invocation

+ INTROIT Ps. 24:7–10; antiphon: Ps. 118:26

Blessèd is he who comes in the name | of the LORD!*
We bless you from the house | of the LORD.
Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O | ancient doors,*
that the King of glory | may come in.
Who is this King of | glory?*
The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in | battle!
Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O | ancient doors,*
that the King of glory | may come in.
Who is this King of | glory?*
The LORD of hosts, he is the King of | glory!
Blessèd is he who comes in the name | of the LORD!*
We bless you from the house | of the LORD.

+ Kyrie
Pastor: Lord have mercy.

People: Christ have mercy.

Pastor: Lord have mercy.

+ Salutation

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray.

+ COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 32:36-39 Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

Epistle: Philippians 25:5-11 Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God. Hymn of the Day: 442 "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" (Sts. 1,3,5) + Holy Gospel: John 12:12-19 Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 12th chapter. People: Glory to You, O Lord. Reading Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord. People: Praise to You, O Christ. Creedal Hymn: 953 "We All Believe in One True God" Sermon: "Who Is Your Rock?" + Prayers of the Church: p. 215-216 Offering **Rite of Confirmation** Choir: "Walk Worthy" Service of the Sacrament: p. 216-217 (NOTE: The newly confirmed and their families will please come forward in the first table.) Preface, Lord's Prayer, Words of Our Lord: p. 216-217 Sanctus: 507 "Holy, Holy, Holy" (St. 1) Pax Domini: Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always. People: Amen. Agnus Dei: 434 "Lamb of God, Pure and Holy" (St. 1) **Distribution:** p. 217-218 **Distribution Hymns:** 685 - "Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus" 438 – "A Lamb Goes Uncomplaining Forth" 556 - "Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice" + Post-Communion Collect: p. 218 + Benedicamus and Benediction: p. 218 Closing Hymn: 441 – "Ride On, Ride in Majesty" Postlude

DAILY READINGS

April 10: Ex. 8:1–32; Heb. 1:1–14; **11:** Ex. 9:1–28; Heb. 2:1–18; **12:** Ex. 9:29–10:20; Heb. 3:1–19; **13:** Ex. 10:21–11:10; Heb. 4:1–16; **14:** Ex. 12:1–28; Heb. 5:1–14; **15:** Ex. 12:29–32; 13:1–16; Heb. 6:1–20; **16:** Ex. 13:17–14:9; Heb. 7:1–22.

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Those Serving the Lord This Weekend

Officiant: Pastor Lemley; Organist: Deanna Karsten Reader: Candace Kowalski; Deacons: Willy Brege & Terry Bellmore Ushers: Karl Kowalewsky & Kaitlin Nowicki

Those Sharing Their Faith With Us Last Week

Attendance: 130; Communed: 105

Offerings for April 3

Current envelopes (Excel in Giving and loose plate): \$4876 Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$3500

Mission: \$226; M & I: \$404; Lent: \$120; Easter: \$25 General Fund Memorials: \$55; Radio Fund Memorials: \$135 Maundy Thursday: \$5; Easter: \$25

In Our Prayers the Week of April 10

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 Lemley. 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 Medilodge</u> Royce Grulke

<u>Recovering</u> Nancy Snow

Being Treated for Tumor

Pastor Schreiber

Service Men & Women

Alexa Quaine, Megan Quaine

Adopt-A-Seminarian Student

Steven Resner Campus Post Office 801 Seminary PL St. Louis, MO 63105-3196

St. John Calendar April 10-17

Ĵ	Sunday/10	9:30a 10:30a	Sunday School Palm Sunday Communion & Confirmation
	Monday/11	12:00p 5:30p 6:30p	Scrip Orders Due Handbells Practice Ladies Study
	Tuesday/12	10:30a 12:30p 1:00p	Ladies Aid Deacons Church Council
	Thursday/14	10a-12p 7:00p	Maundy Thursday Communion at St. John Service at Immanuel
	Friday/15	1:00p	Good Friday Service at St. John
	Saturday/16	10:30a	Choir Rehearsal
	Sunday/17	10:30a	Easter Communion

Office Hours This Week (office is located in the school)

Monday-Thursday, 8am to 2:45pm; Closed on Good Friday

Call for Your Updates

Help us update our Membership List. If you have received a letter in the mail, please return. Thanks, Willard Brege.

Scrip On Monday

Hey, the second Monday is coming up, April 11, a day to get your gift card order in because it's the day WE order your GIFT CARD purchase orders. Remember, you can have the % go toward your students tuition or scholarship. THANKS FOR READING THIS.

In Loving Memory of Myron "Mike" Peltz

A gift has been given by Delores Zampich to the St. John Radio Fund

A gift has been given by Vernon & Jackie Langlois to the St. John School Furnace Fund

A gift has been given by Deanna Karsten to the Maintenance & Improvement Fund



Gifts have been given by Willy & Linda Brege and Ron & Joan Altman to the Church General Fund



LWML MISSION GRANT HIGHLIGHTS

Horses Help Heal the Invisible Wounds of War - \$95,000

Using horses, the Spirit Warrior program addresses the need to provide pastoral/diaconal care to veterans and those in the military community. This grant will provide funding for 58 veterans to participate in the program.

Helping Hands for Lutheran Deaf Outreach - \$50,000

This grant will assist the expansion of Jesus Signs Training Workshops through the sharing of resources, by assisting pastors, and by instructing individuals to lead the workshops.