

SERVING US THIS WEEKEND

Preacher: Pastor Jim Myers

Organist and Adult Choir Director: Pamela Johnson

Elders: (4:30 pm) Rick Reed (8:00 am) Noah Schroeder (10:25 am) Doug Pingel (10:45 am) Derek Smith

Ushers: (4:30 pm) Bill McCartney, RJ Hall, Jim Wixson (8:00 am) Jeff Moeller, Ron Wampner, Jarred Burns, Pete Bolden (10:25 am) Dennis Korb, Wes Journay, Ryan Rosenau (10:45 am) Dave Driml, Sara Elise Driml, Marissa Driml, John Brockett, Dan Curlin

Acolyte: (4:30 pm) Penelope Morrow (8:00 am) Evan Peterson (10:25 am) Cora Lipkovitch (10:45 am) Hana Craig

Altar Guild: Nancy Steele, Carolyn Darnell, Sarah Rothe, Cindy Angrick

A/V: Sandy Pride, Thom Hanson

SUNDAY EDUCATION . . . 9:30-10:15 am

Children and Youth Classes will meet in the following rooms: PreS/PreK-Room 205, K/1st-Room 203, 2nd-3rd-Room 204, 4th-6th in Room 202, Youth in Room 107

Bible Study with Pastor Troy - We will continue our discussion what of Martin Luther's Two Kingdom Theology. In essence, the conversation is rooted in what it means to be a citizen of the Kingdom of Heaven and a citizen of the United States of America.

Current Events thru the Eyes of Faith: led by Rick Kerr, meets in the Media Center.

OTHER EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:

Ladies' Bible/Book Study, Tuesday 9:30-10:45 am We are studying the book *The God of All Comfort* by Donna Pyle. All ages are welcome! We meet in the Commons by the Courtyard. If interested, contact Summer Burns, (812) 361-6450.

Wednesday Morning Midweek Bible Study, 9:45 am Join us every Wednesday as we dig back into the book *Echo*.

WEEKENDS AT ST. JOHN

Traditional Services in the Sanctuary:

Saturdays 4:30 P.M. | Sundays 8:00 A.M. & 10:45 A.M.

Contemporary Services in the Dwelling Place:

Sundays 10:25 A.M.

The order of service for contemporary worship is available on our app.

Our nursery is located in the Commons by the Courtyard and is staffed on Sundays from 9:00 a.m. to Noon.

Assisted hearing equipment:

Available for every service. For the Sanctuary, call Jim Lehenbauer at 317.862.5302. For the Dwelling Place, visit the AV desk.

Go further on our website:

Weekly sermons are available on the Church website. Questions? Contact John Marohn, at 317.869.9208.

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**“The Manifold Wisdom of God
is Revealed”
Ephesians 3:10**

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WHERE DO I BEGIN?

Welcome! We are so thankful that you chose to attend St. John Lutheran Church. You may be a life-long Lutheran or taking your first step on a spiritual journey. Wherever you are on your path, you are welcome here.

If you'd like to connect with someone from our church or learn more, please fill out the guest card (available on the seat in front of you) or come to our guest desk in the Commons.

Children of all ages are welcome in our service. If you need the nursery, please see an usher or volunteer and he/she will direct you there.

OUR MISSION

- PROCLAIM God's forgiveness.
- PREPARE God's people.
- PROJECT God's love.

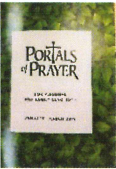
To learn more about our church, school and childcare center, please visit StJohnIndy.org

FOR THOSE WHO WISH TO COMMUNE

In care for those desiring communion at our altar for the first time, we ask that you speak with Pastor prior to Communion.

- Holy Communion is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, under the bread and wine, for us Christians to eat and to drink, instituted by Christ Himself.
- Our Lord has instructed us to examine ourselves before participating in this meal (1 Corinthians 11:23-32).
- In preparation for the sacrament, you should ask yourself the following questions:
 - Am I a sinner, and am I sorry for my sins?
 - Do I believe that Jesus Christ is my Lord and Savior?
 - Do I believe that Christ gives me His body and blood together with the bread and wine for the forgiveness of my sins?
 - Will I try, with God's help, to amend my sinful life?

Portals of Prayer: Devotions for January – March 2019 are now available at the Welcome Center. If you are not familiar with these devotional booklets, pick one up and enjoy the moments of Scripture, reflection, and prayer that they provide during your busy day.



Ladies Aid Luncheon: All ladies are invited to join us Thursday, January 10th at 11:30 am for "Brunch for Lunch." Our program will include Bible Stories "told" by the stained-glass windows in the Sanctuary. If you have any questions, please contact Jo Ann Hartley, 317-356-4127 or joannhartley8901@comcast.net.



Mites for Missions: LWML is asking for any small change you may have around your house or car if you'd like to donate to their mission grants. Please leave your donation in one of the large Mite boxes.

Night to Shine: St. John Lutheran Church is proud to be an official host church for Night to Shine, sponsored by the @TimTebowFoundation on February 8, 2019! Night to Shine is an unforgettable prom night experience, centered on God's love, for people with special needs, ages 14 and older. To volunteer visit stjohnindy.org.



Other Ministries

Camp Lakeview: Registration for Camp Lakeview begins Friday, February. 1st. You can find information regarding the camp dates and prices at lakeviewministries.com.

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR NEW SONG

Invocation

- O Praise Him (All This for a King)

Confession and Absolution

- We All Bow Down

Scripture: Isaiah 60:1-6, Ephesians 3:1-12, Matthew 2:1-12

Children's Message

Sermon *"The Manifold Wisdom of God is Revealed"*

Apostles' Creed

Announcements

Offering

- I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light
- One Small Child. More Precious than Silver

Prayers

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

- Sing to the King