

**Night to Shine:** In less than two weeks, Feb. 7, we will be an official host church for Night to Shine, sponsored by @TimTebowFoundation! We already have over 130 guests registered to attend. We NEED more volunteers to make this an unforgettable experience for our guests. To volunteer visit [stjohnindy.org](http://stjohnindy.org).

**LuFest:** LHS seeks donations of new, high-quality items, services, or experiences to include in the live and silent auctions at LuFest (Friday, April 3, 2020 at The Nest Event Center in Greenwood). Drop off items at the LHS office weekdays 7:30 am – 4:00 pm. Please call the Development Office, 317-224-1108, with questions. Get more info and reserve your table or individual tickets at [LuFest.org](http://LuFest.org).

**Camp Lakeview:** Registration for Camp Lakeview begins Monday, February 3rd at 9:00 am. You can find information regarding the camp dates and prices at the Welcome Center or online at [lakeviewministries.camp](http://lakeviewministries.camp).

#### ORDER OF SERVICE FOR NEW SONG

##### Invocation

- School Choirs: Joy of the Lord

##### Confession/Absolution

- Bless the Lord (10,000 Reasons)

##### Prayer

**Scripture** Psalm 45:1-7; 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24; John 1:14-18

**Sermon** "The Sweet Joy This Sentence Gives"

##### Nicene Creed

**Recognition of St. John Lutheran School and Little Wings Faculty and Staff**

##### Tithes and Offering

- We Believe

##### Prayers

**Lord's Prayer**

##### Communion

- How He Loves; But for Your Grace; Come Thou Fount; Psalm 46 (Lord of Hosts)

##### Benediction

- I Know that My Redeemer Lives

#### SERVING US THIS WEEKEND

**Preacher:** Pastor Troy Countryman      **Organist:** Pamela Johnson

**Choir Directors:** Pamela Johnson, Jennifer Tinkey, Paul Johnson   **Elder:** (10:45 am) Chris Hinton

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

**Acolytes:** (8:30 am) Evan Peterson

**Altar Guild:** Brenda DeWitt, J. Ann Downing, Cathy Adams

**A/V:** Doug Hoferkamp, Patrick Velzen



## Celebrate National Lutheran Schools' Week!

- With 1,950 schools in 35 Districts
- Where 21,764 teachers daily impact the lives of more than
- 200,000 students, their families, and their community

**Praise God for the blessing of our St. John Lutheran School!**

**What our students say about St. John Lutheran School . . .**

Dear Congregation,

Thank you so much for the support you give us and the money you give us. This could not be done without you and look how far it's come!

Remember, Jesus loves you.

Sincerely, Wyatt, Grade 5

"I'm thankful for coming here. It's the best. You get to learn about God in 4<sup>th</sup> grade. You get to help with a lot of things. You should go! You will love it!"

"St. John is truly the best! I came in fourth grade and I was instantly welcomed by both my class and the school. I have made many friends, and all the way, I'm learning so much about God! The teachers and staff are always ready to help you out, and they're all super nice. I don't ever want to leave this amazing place!" Sophia, Grade 7

"I love my school because I get to see every teacher every day. I also love St. John because the teachers teach us about Jesus so we can teach other people about Jesus." Josie, Grade 3

"I am thankful for the Bible. Faith comes from hearing and hearing through the Word of Christ. Romans 10:17" Layton, Gr. 2

**National Lutheran Schools Week:** We're celebrating National Lutheran Schools

Week along with 250,000 students in over 2000 Lutheran Schools and Early Childhood Centers around the world. We will also join thousands of others as we participate in an online mission trip to Mongolia sponsored by Lutheran Hour Ministries. Along with these activities, we will have daily dress days to help us recognize and celebrate the blessings we have as followers of Jesus Christ and members of a Lutheran school community.



**Mrs. Valerie Schultz**, our Second Grade Teacher, has officially notified the Board for Child Christian Education that she will be retiring at the end of this school year after 30 years in education. We praise God for Valerie and her 24 years of ministry at St. John. We ask Him to bless Valerie's transition to retirement and all her plans to continue serving the Lord and his Church. A Call Committee has been formed to fill the vacancy.

**Mrs. Pamela Johnson**, our Fourth Grade Teacher and Director of Music, has officially notified the Board for Child Christian Education that she will be retiring at the end of this school year after 34 years in education. We praise God for Pamela and her 29 years of ministry at St. John. We ask Him to bless Pamela's transition to retirement and all her plans to continue serving the Lord and his Church. A Call Committee has been formed to fill the vacancy.

**New Member Class:** Starting today, St. John is holding new member classes for all those interested in membership. Transfers are welcome to join us too. These 16 classes will take place on Sundays from 9:55-10:35 am. Each class is designed to cover a different topic, such as Baptism, Lord's Prayer, Lord's Supper, etc. each week. Any one is welcome to attend these classes, even if you would like to get a refresher on a topic. If you have questions about these classes, contact Pastor Luke at [lwatt@stjohnindy.org](mailto:lwatt@stjohnindy.org).

**School enrollment** for current sibling and new St. John students: To enroll a new student, or a sibling of a current student for the 2020-21 school year, please email Lori Howard at [lreno@stjohnindy.org](mailto:lreno@stjohnindy.org) so she can send you a link to the New Student Enrollment form.

**Endowment Board Annual Meeting:** The St. John Endowment Fund for Church and School Ministry will hold its Annual Meeting on **Sunday, February 9th**, following the 8:30 am Service. You can grab a cup of coffee and find us at a table near the Courtyard. The meeting will be brief and, hopefully, informative. This would be a great way to find out a little more about a funding source here at St. John.