

## SERVING US THIS WEEKEND

**Preacher:** Pastor Troy Countryman

**Organist:** Angela Goldenetz

**Handbell Director:** Lisa Lindh

**Elders:** (4:30 pm) Joe Tilford (8:00 am) Noah Schroeder (10:25 am) Thom Hanson (10:45 am) Rick Reed

**Ushers:** (4:30 pm) Jim Stapert, Rick Wenzel (8:00 am) J. Ann Downing, Bruce Bangel, Matt Peterson, Julia Peterson (10:25am) Randy Forgey, Darrell Carmichael, Joe Allen (10:45 am) Tom Lee, Mark Holm, Matthew Holm, Andrew Holm, George Weber

**Acolyte:** (4:30 pm) Emily Cathey (8:00 am) Gretchen Bernath (10:25 am) Ethan Lecher (10:45 am) Cole Snow

**Altar Guild:** Eunice Johnson, Brenda DeWitt, Sarah Rothe, Marie Wagner

**A/V:** Shannon Velzen, Patrick Velzen

## 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, 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup>-Room 204, 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> 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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**Flowers in the Sanctuary** are given by the Arnold family in celebration of Viola's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday.



**St. John Lutheran**  
CHURCH & SCHOOL

**“I Believe in the  
Resurrection of the Body”**

February 16-17, 2019



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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](http://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?

**Assistant/Associate Pastor:** The call committee held its initial meeting this past Wednesday. The congregation may submit candidates's names for the committee's consideration until March 1st by submitting them to committee chair Kelly Walker at [kellyroth@gmail.com](mailto:kellyroth@gmail.com) An information session will be held on Sunday, February 24, following the late services.

**Lenten Small Groups:** Join us for our new Red Letter Challenge Small Groups beginning, March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Groups will meet on Sundays from 9:25-10:10 am. The Small Groups will meet the six weeks of Lent. To find out more and to sign up visit [stjohnindy.org](http://stjohnindy.org).



**Chili Fest:** Mark your Calendar for the St. John Chili Cook, Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, Noon-3pm. Cook and Compete or Just Come to Eat. Chili Cook-off, Silly Safaris Live Animal Show, Youth Group Dessert Bake Sale, Live Dessert Auction, Fellowship Fun and Games. Volunteers needed. To register to attend, submit a chili for the cook-off, or provide a dessert, visit [stjohnindy.org](http://stjohnindy.org). Contact Phil Belk, (317) 727-3763 or [philbelk@hotmail.com](mailto:philbelk@hotmail.com) to volunteer or with questions. All proceeds will benefit the youth attending the National Youth Gathering. **Please note: On Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> we will have services at 8:00 am and then combined at 10:30 am.**



**Human Care Board Collection:** The Human Care Board is collecting clean gently used winter coats and sweaters. These items will be delivered to the Emmaus Food Pantry after March 4<sup>th</sup>. Please place coats and sweaters in the boxes located by the Welcome Center and in the Commons by the Courtyard. Contact J. Ann Downing, 317-861-5673 with any questions.



**LuFest Gift Gathering:** On Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, we will be collecting items to be donated to LuFest held on April 12th. Donations can be cash (to be used to purchase an all church gift) or a gift. Gift suggestions are gift cards, electronics, jewelry, toys, gift baskets, and getaways, etc. Contact Sandy Weber, [sandygweber@gmail.com](mailto:sandygweber@gmail.com) with questions.



**Active Shooter Training:** Have you ever wondered what an active shooter looks like? What are your options if you were ever

involved in an active shooting? Come to the Active Shooter Training at St. John on Saturday, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10 am. Contact Thom Hanson, [thomhanson@comcast.net](mailto:thomhanson@comcast.net) for more info.

**Viola Arnold turns 100:** You are invited to the Altenheim on Saturday, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> anytime from 2:00-5:00 pm to help Viola and family celebrate her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Lutheran High School

**Into the Woods:** Get your tickets today for Stephen Sondheim's *Into the Woods* February 22 – 24 on stage in the Ruth Lilly Auditorium. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for students and seniors 65+ and may be purchased at [lhsi.org](http://lhsi.org).

**Winter Preview Night:** If you're still thinking about high school, or if you have a 7th grader, please join us for our winter Preview Night at LHS. We'll start at 6:30 pm on Thursday, February 28th in the Auditorium. Meet teachers and students and learn about the opportunities that await you at Lutheran High School!

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR NEW SONG

Invocation

- Our God Saves

Confession and Absolution

- Sing of Your Great Love

**Scripture:** Jeremiah 17:5-8, 1 Corinthians 15:1-20, Luke 6:17-26

Children's Message

**Sermon** *"I Believe in the Resurrection of the Body"*

Apostles' Creed

Announcements

Offering

- Fear Not
- Love Crucified, Arose

Prayers

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

- Heaven Is in My Heart