

SERVING US THIS WEEKEND

Preacher: Pastor Troy Countryman

Organist and Adult Choir Director: Pamela Johnson

Elders: (7:00 am) Rick Reed and Greg Hausz (9:00 am) Thom Hanson and Bud Ingle (10:45 am) Derek Smith and Joe Tilford

Ushers: (7:00 am) Bill McCartney, RJ Hall, Jim Wixson (9:00 am) Dave Driml, Sara Elise Driml, Marissa Driml, John Brockett, Dan Curlin, Matthew Holm (10:45 am) Dennis Korb, Wes Jounay, Ryan Rosenau

Acolytes: (9:00 am) Nathan Schaefer (10:45 am) Alden Asher

Altar Guild: Judy Bernath, Sarah Bernath, Jodi Wambsganss, Barbi Fitzgerald, Christian Fitzgerald, Stephanie Terry, Sarah Rothe

A/V: Sandy Pride, Ryan Rosenau

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

Children & Youth Classes meet in the following classrooms.

PreS-PreK: Room 205, **K-1st:** Room 203, **2nd-3rd:** Room 204, **4th-6th:** Room 202, **7th-12th:** Room 107 ***There are no classes this week.***

Adult Class Offerings: There are no classes this week

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

Bible Studies for Adults: led by Paul Johnson will meet in the Art Room.

Two New Classes will begin April 8th. Join us for “Reaching the Summit and Holding On to Hope: 1 Corinthians 15 and the Resurrection” or for “Financial Peace University.”.

OTHER EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:

Ladies’ Bible/Book Study, Tuesday 9:30-10:45 am We are studying the book, *Demystifying the Proverbs 31 Woman* by Elizabeth Ahlman. 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 *We are studying some of the Psalms.* Paul Johnson invites you to join us at any time! Enter through Door C8. Coffee is on.

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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Missions Update:

We continue to pray for Martin and Joan Weber while they serve and mentor in Cameroon with Lutheran Bible Translators.

We also pray for Pastor Samuel Ruiz who serves as the Hispanic Missionary at Large for the Central Region of the Indiana District., and is now based at Trinity Lutheran Church, Indianapolis.



St. John Lutheran
CHURCH & SCHOOL

“I Know That My Redeemer Lives!”
Job 19:23-26

April 1, 2018



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LUTHERAN CHURCH - MISSOURI SYNOD

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?

Calls Issued: St. John has issued a 7th Grade/ Social Studies Teacher call to Mr. Timothy Galligar. He currently serves as 5th-8th Grade Social Studies Teacher at Peace Lutheran School in Bremerton, WA. Mr. Galligar visited our services this past weekend and was at our school this week.

St. John has also issued a call to Mr. John March to serve as Principal. He currently serves as Principal at Our Savior's Lutheran School in Colonie, New York. Mr. March plans to visit the school on April 6th and will attend services that weekend.

This past Sunday, St. John issued a call to Jennifer Tinkey to serve as our Kindergarten teacher. She currently serves as a Kindergarten teacher at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Napoleon, OH. Miss Tinkey visited our school this week as well.

Please keep them, their families, and their schools in your prayers.

Easter Lilies: Our Easter Lilies are another way to share the good news of Easter with loved ones, neighbors, or friends. The lilies in the Sanctuary are available for you after the 7:00 am Easter service, and the lilies in the Dwelling Place are available for you to take after the 10:45 am Easter service. The lilies are free; they just need your time to deliver to someone.



Decorated Flower Pots: The children from Little Wings Childcare have decorated flower pots and planted pansies for each of the shut-ins. They will be on display the weekend after Easter in the Commons. Please drop by and sign a card for the shut-ins. If congregational members will be visiting a person on our shut-in list the week of April 8th, please take a flower and card to share with them.

David Britton: David Britton will be leading us in our worship next weekend. **Please note ALL SERVICES will be in the Dwelling Place.** The Sunday Service times are as follows: 8:00 am and 10:30 am. (The two late services will be combined). The Saturday Service time will remain at 4:30 pm.

New Adult Bible Classes: Join us beginning April 8th as we begin two new Adult Bible Classes, "Reaching the Summit and Holding On to Hope: 1 Corinthians 15 and the Resurrection," and "Financial Peace University."

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Blood Drive: Sign up to donate blood at the Blood Drive on April 9th from 3:00-6:30 pm. Sign-ups are at the Welcome Center, coffee bar, and online. There is always a need for blood on hand at hospitals! Any questions can be sent to J. Ann Downing at 317-861-5673 or Jaladown@sbcglobal.net.



SpringFest: Mark your Calendars for Sunday April 15th 1:30-4. All families invited are invited to watch a movie in the Gymnasium. Concessions will be available. All monies raised through concessions go towards the 2019 National Youth Gathering. Bring a blanket/floor pad/lawn chair.

Lutheran High School News

LuFest 2018: Visit lufest.org to reserve your place at LuFest on Friday, April 13 at Lucas Oil Stadium or to preview items ready for bidding. For info call 317-787-5474.

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR NEW SONG

Greeting

Invocation

- St. John Students: "Alleluia! Sing, Christ is Risen!"
- "Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds"

Confession and Absolution

- "Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed"

Scripture: Isaiah 25:6-9; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Mark 16:1-8

Nicene Creed

- "I Know That My Redeemer Lives (Jesus Shall Reign- Hymncharts)"

Sermon "I Know That My Redeemer Lives"

Announcements

Offering/Fellowship Cards

- "Worthy is the Lamb"

Prayers

Holy Communion

- "What a Beautiful Name"/ "My Savior Lives"/ "Because He Lives"

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Benediction

- "My Redeemer Lives"