

SERVING US THIS WEEKEND

Preacher: Pastor Troy Countryman

Organist: Kristen McCartney

Elders: (4:30 pm) Rick Reed (8:00 am) Rick Reed (10:30 am) Jim Rosenau

Ushers: (4:30 pm) Bill McCartney, RJ Hall, Jim Wixson (9:00 am) J. Ann Downing, Bruce Bangel, Matt Peterson, Julia Peterson (10:30 am) Dave Driml, Sara Elise Driml, Marissa Driml, John Brockett, Dan Curlin, Dennis Korb, Wes Journay, Ryan Rosenau

Altar Guild: Eunice Johnson, Cathy Adams, Barbi Fitzgerald, Christian Fitzgerald

A/V: Shannon Velzen, Patrick Velzen

WEEKLY EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:

Wednesday Morning Midweek Bible Study, 9:45 am. Join us every Wednesday as we dig into a study on the Gospel of Mark.

WEEKENDS AT ST. JOHN

Traditional Services in the Sanctuary:

Saturdays 4:30 P.M. | Sundays 9:00 A.M.

Contemporary Services in the Dwelling Place:

Sundays 10:30 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 placed by Jene Ott in memory of her son, Tanner Lucas' birthday.

Flowers in the Dwelling Place are placed by Bill and Jean Lance in celebration of their 51st wedding anniversary.



St. John Lutheran
CHURCH & SCHOOL

“Pray Boldly”

Luke 11:1-13

July 27-28, 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

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?

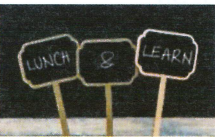
Did you know there is a blood shortage? Please consider donating today, July 28th. The drive will take place in the Art Room from 9:30 am-1:00 pm. If you have questions or would like to sign up, contact J. Ann Downing, 317-861-5673.



Little Wings Childcare is Enrolling: If you or someone you know needs childcare, please consider Little Wings Childcare Ministry. We have openings for infants through children up to 5-year olds. Our program is Christ-Centered, and education focused. We also assist children in developing both small and large motor skills. If you have questions, please feel free to visit us at stjohnindy.org/little-wings You may also call Lori Forgey at 317-352-9196 x34 or email at lforgey@stjohnindy.org.



Lunch and Learn: Join us on Thursday, Aug. 1st from 11:30-1:30 pm. Melinda Winnie of CICOA will present about "Dementia Awareness." Cold cuts, chicken salad and beverages are provided. Please bring a dish to share. Contact Don Van Pelt with questions, donvanpelt1@gmail.com 317-934-6206.



Thank you from Pastor Luke: Greetings in the name of Christ! I would like to thank you for welcoming me to Indianapolis. I appreciate the many gifts and acts of kindness that I have received in my short time here. I am excited to serve at such a caring congregation, and I look forward to our time together as we get to know one another in our walk with Christ. God be with you!

Thank you from Pastor Jim: I want to thank all those who took the time to speak to me or gave me cards and tokens of appreciation upon my retirement. Your spoken and written kind words mean the world to me; and the tokens of appreciation are special, too. I told Connie that we can go out to eat for a month on the gift cards; and I can play free golf (and smoke a cigar or two) also. I was and am truly blessed to spend time in your midst. Thank you, thank you; and to God be the glory!

Other Ministries

Golf Outing: The 27th Annual LHS Golf Outing, presented by *Service Pipe & Supply* to benefit the school's financial aid fund, is on Saturday, August 10 at Southern Dunes Golf Course. Check-in 7:30 am, shot-gun start 8:00. The \$100 entry fee includes 18 holes of golf with cart, prize entries, and buffet lunch. Register at lhsi.org. Questions? Contact jpflug@lhsi.org, or call 317-224-1108.

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR NEW SONG

Invocation

- Only Ture God

Confession/Absolution

- Nothing But the Blood of Jesus

Prayer

Scripture: Genesis 18:17-33; Colossians 2:6-19; Luke 11:1-13

Sermon: "Pray Boldly"

Nicene Creed

Tithes and Offerings: Our tithes are our first fruits returned to God in joyful and faithful response to His grace. Offerings are special gifts for ministries and other needs over and above the tithe.

- Let Us Pray

Prayers

Lord's Prayer

Communion

- The Power of Your Love
- Word of God Speak
- How Could You Love Me So Much
- Cry of My Heart

Benediction

- I Will Call Upon the Lord