SERVING US THIS WEEKEND

Preacher: Pastor Troy Countryman

Organist: Pamela Johnson

Elders: (4:30 pm) Rick Reed, (8:00 am) Greg Hausz (10:25 am)

Jon Knoll (10:45 am) Joe Tilford

Ushers: (4:30 pm) Jim Stapert, Tom Williams, Marsha Williams (8:00 am) Jeff Moeller, Ron Wampner, Jarred Burns, Pete Bolden (10:25 am) Tom Lee, Mark Holm, Matthew Holm, Andrew Holm, George Weber (10:45 am) Randy Forgey, Darrell Carmichael, Joe Allen

Altar Guild: Eunice Johnson, Carolyn Darnell, Marie Wagner,

Cindy Angrick

A/V: Zach Noggle, Mat Noggle

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

Children & Youth Classes will not meet until September.

Adult Classes:

Ephesians Study: Join us in the Music Room as Pastor Countryman leads us in a study on Ephesians 4.

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

OTHER EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:

Ladies' Bible/Book Study, Tuesday 9:30-10:45 am We are studying the book, *Forgiveness* 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 Pastor Troy invites you to join us as we begin a study of the new book by Pastor Jonathan Fisk called *Echo*.

You are invited 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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Flowers in the Sanctuary are in thankfulness of 63 years of marriage for Bill and Donna Bonitz.









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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 vou 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?

My St John Updates: It's been a while since we have updated the



photos in My St. John. Life Touch Studios will be at St. John August August 19-20th. You may sign up on-line to schedule your appointment, or at the Welcome Center. If you don't have online

access, contact Heidi Mielke. There is no obligation to purchase the pictures, we would just like to have new pictures for our online Member Directory. Questions, please contact Heidi Mielke at hmielke@stjohnindy.org 317-352-9196.

Photo Host/Hostess Needed: We are in need of greeters for the photo sessions. You will need to welcome families as they come in to get their pictures taken and make sure their information is correct. If you can help out for an hour or two, you can sign up at the Welcome Center, or contact Heidi Mielke at hmielke@stjohnindy.org 317-352-9196.

Jr. High Confirmation: A letter was mailed home to all 7th-8th



students regarding Confirmation Classes. If you did not get one and were supposed to, please contact the office. If you got one, and were not supposed to, please contact the office. The first Public School/Homeschool class will be on

Wednesday, September 5th from 5:30-6:45 pm. If you have any questions, please contact the church office at 317-352-9196.

Dine to Donate: The Dairy Queen will be hosting a Dine to Donate event to support our school. If you mention St. John when ordering, Dairy Queen will donate 20% of all orders. We invite you to join us on Tuesday, August 21st from 5-8 pm at the Dairy Queen on Thompson Rd. (Across from Kroger).

Lutheran High School

LHS Homecoming: Homecoming 2018 is Friday, September 7. Alumni, you are welcome to join us for Saints Games at 2:00 pm and then come to the Homecoming Football game at 7:00 pm as the Saints take on the Twisters of Oldenburg Academy.

Ruth Lilly Distinguished Speaker Series: Sonny Beck, CEO of Beck's Hybrids, will speak in the Ruth Lilly Auditorium at 9:30 am on Friday, September 21. The event is free, but reservations are required. Register at Ihsi.org, or call Julie Pflug, 317-224-1108, for information. Presented by Raymond Adler, Attorney – Noblesville. Grandparents Day: Grandparents of current Lutheran High students are invited to join us at 9:00 am on Friday, September 21. You will watch Sonny Beck's talk, go to class with your grandchild, and have lunch with them. Register at Ihsi.org or call 317-224-1108.

Other Ministries

Lakeview Ministries: The 4th Annual Lakeview Ministries Sprint Triathlon, 5K Run/Walk, Children's Fun Run will be held on Monday, September 3, 2018. The day's sporting events will be followed by a community day. Fellowship, food, and entertainment for the whole family will be provided. Visit our website for more race day information and registration packets: www.lakeviewministries.com/triathlon

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR NEW SONG

Invocation

Only True God

Confession/Absolution

Be Lifted High

Scripture Readings

Proverbs 9:1-10, Ephesians 5:6-21, John 6:51-69

Children's Message

Sermon "Walking as the Light of Christ"

Apostles' Creed

Announcements

Offering/Fellowship Cards

- I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light
- Soul on Fire

Prayers

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Shine, Jesus, Shine

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