

# Announcements

St. John Lutheran Church, ELCA

701 N. 6<sup>th</sup> St., Beatrice, NE 68310

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# 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent

February 29 & March 1, 2020

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- The Voice of St. John is given by Pam Hellige in honor of her mother Helen Wilhelm's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday.
- This week's bulletins are given by Don and Joyce Zimmerman.
- We extend our sympathy to the family of Joe Manes whose funeral was held at St. John on Wednesday.



**St. John VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2020: MAY 26-29!**  
**On Earth As In Heaven!**  
**Register now for a week of learning and fun!**

Preschool – 5<sup>th</sup> grade with middle schoolers, high schoolers, & adults volunteering. Register on the St. John website to participate or volunteer.

Contact Heidi Price with questions.

**Scholarships Available** – Applications for continued education aid are available in the office for High School graduating Seniors and secondary education students. **Due date is March 31<sup>st</sup>.**



**March Memory Verse:** The LORD will watch over your going out and your coming in, from this time forth forevermore. Psalm 121:8

There will be a **Foundation Committee** meeting March 1<sup>st</sup> at 10:10 in the Library.



**2020 Church Directory!** [appt.lifetouch.com](http://appt.lifetouch.com) to schedule your photo session. Use the drop-down menus to find St. John and then pick

your group size, day, and time! Appointments available April 14<sup>th</sup>-May 2<sup>nd</sup>, please see the Directory table for the specific dates and times.

## Remember in prayer

Margaret Morrow, Gloria Kellerman, Jason Christ, Scott Christ, Helen Roeber, Jennifer Schmitz.

**Can we count you in?** The Church Council will be considering names for the Call Committee. The Call Committee screens, interviews, and recommends candidates to the Church Council, and the church, for consideration. If you would like to be considered for the Call Committee, please contact the office or a member of the church council.

St. John is hosting Mother-to-Mother's Bunco Bash! **Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup> from 2:00-4:00 PM** in the fellowship hall. Tickets are \$25 per person. Come for "Bites, beverages, and bunches of bunco fun and prizes!"



**With all of the luncheons and meals being served throughout these coming weeks, please don't forget to pick up your bowls, pans, or containers in the kitchen!**

## Lent Schedule



Join this Wednesday for a meal from 5:00-6:30 PM with a service following at 7:00 PM. This week's meal will be served by the Worship & Music committee with a fee-will offering going to Worship & Music projects.

St. John will be participating in **Monday's in Lent**. This is a six-week series of worship services sponsored by churches of Beatrice. Join us each Monday at 12:05. A light lunch is served at 12:30. A free will offering will go to the Adult & Teen Challenge and Mother-to-Mother Ministry.



Date	Host	Homilist
March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Holy Cross Lutheran	Rev. David Bigley
March 9 <sup>th</sup>	St John Lutheran	Fthr. Robert Barnhill
March 16 <sup>th</sup>	St Joseph Catholic	Rev. Zac Wolfe
March 23 <sup>rd</sup>	First Christian	Rev. Mark Schutt
March 30 <sup>th</sup>	First Presbyterian	Rev. Leah Lawson
April 6 <sup>th</sup>	Centenary United Methodist	Rev. Kathee Forrest

St. John is hosting March 9<sup>th</sup> and we will need salads and cookies to serve with our meal. If you are willing to help, please call Kathy Steinkamp at (402) 228-1844. Thank you!

## Week Beginning March 1st

### Sunday (8)

- 9 AM Worship/Communion
- 10:10 AM Adult Forum (FH), Sunday School
- 10:10 AM Foundation Committee Meeting (Library)
- 11:15 AM Worship
- 1 PM Girl Scouts (U7)
- 2 PM Mother to Mother Ministry BUNCO Night

### Monday (2)

- 9 AM Food Pantry (B1)
- 3:45 PM F.U.E.L. Grades K-2 (U7)
- 4 PM Evangelism Committee
- 7 PM Stewardship Committee
- 7 PM Boy Scouts (BC)
- 8 PM Al-Anon (B4)

### Tuesday (3)

- 10 AM Homestead Cluster Meeting
- 3:45 PM F.U.E.L. Grades 3-4 (U7)
- 6:30 PM Narcotics Anonymous (B9)

### Wednesday (4)

- 9 AM Staff Meeting (Library)
- 2 PM Crochet Group
- 5 PM Wednesday Night Lent Meal
- 5:30 PM Cherubs (U7)
- 5:30 PM Choristers (Chapel)
- 5:30 PM Praise Ringers (Stage)
- 5:30 PM Yoga (BC)
- 6 PM Jubilate (Chapel)
- 6 PM Bells of St. John (Stage)
- 7 PM Ash Wednesday Service
- 7:44 PM Confirmation Event (FH)
- 7:45 PM Chancel Choir
- 7:45 PM Youth Group (HS YR)

### Thursday (5)

- 9 AM Food Pantry (B1)
- 10:30 AM Seasoned Saints
- 3:45 PM F.U.E.L. Grades 5-6 (U7)
- 7:30 PM Thrivent Webinar (Narthex)

### Friday (6) Office Closed

### Saturday (7)

- 6 PM Worship/Communion (Chapel)

### Sunday (8) Daylight Savings

- 9 AM Worship
- 10:10 AM Adult Forum (FH), Sunday School
- 11:15 AM Worship/Communion
- 5 PM Growing Together Ministry Team
- 7 PM Sunday Night Fellowship

### Young Adult Service Learning Trip

If you are a graduating senior or under 24, this is for **YOU!** Join us **May 18-22** on a trip to the Black Hills. Cost will be a max of \$300/person. Contact Heidi for more information! 402-239-9072 [education@stjohnbeatrice.org](mailto:education@stjohnbeatrice.org)



**THRIVENT® Thrivent Webinar**  
Be Wise With Money™ **March 5 7:30-8:30 PM**

#### **Identity Theft: What You Need to Know**

This discussion will help participants learn how identity theft can occur, how to take steps to prevent it, and what to do if their identity is stolen. Meets in the Narthex.

**Food Pantry Needs:** Chunky Soup, Catsup, Mustard, Jelly, Sugar, Flour, Pop Tarts, Popcorn, Fruit snacks, Snack crackers



## Serving in Worship

March 1	Sunday 9 a.m.	Sunday 11:15 a.m.
<b>Reader</b>	Marilyn Higgins	Alanda Daubendick
<b>Children's Message</b>	Pr. Leah	Pr. Leah
<b>Acolytes</b>	Mackenzie Barnard Mak Hatcliff Lauren Pieper	Austin Rhoden Preston Saathoff Kalynn Jeardoe
<b>Greeters</b>	Bryan & Sarah Jelinek Dale & Kathy Linsenmeyer	Ryan & Brandee Norris Rob & Andrea Schafer

**Cantor**— Eric Hansen

**Communion Assistants**— Danny Toland & Norbert Harms

**Sun. Office Duty**— Linda Sturgill

**Sat. Musician**— Donna Miller

### Worship Attendance Last Weekend

† Saturday 6 p.m. Feb 22 ... 45

† Sunday 9 a.m. Feb 23 ... 140

† Sunday 11:15 a.m. Feb 23 ... 93

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