

Announcements

St. John Lutheran Church, ELCA

701 N. 6th St., Beatrice, NE 68310

www.stjohnbeatrice.org

7th Sunday of Pentecost

July 18th & 19th, 2020

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- The Voice of St. John is given by Dorothy Parde in memory of Norman Parde and thier 65th wedding anniversary on July 17th.



The Church Council has voted to start the second phase of the basement improvement project which will include Epoxy flooring in the Kitchen, serving area just south of the Kitchen, and the west stairway that goes up to the Narthex. Carpet Squares will be used as a floor covering for the seating area of the Fellowship Hall. The estimated cost of this project will be about \$17,000. The Basement Flooring Project fund has \$4,600 remaining from past donations, which will leave approximately \$13,000 to be raised.

At this time, donations can be made by check or cash mailed or dropped off to St. John. Please note 'Flooring Project' in the memo or on the offering envelope.

After the total amount needed has been raised, a Task Force will be organized to select the colors and finish the project.



Holy Communion

We will have Drive-in communion again the last weekend of July! Saturday, July 25th at 6:00 PM or Sunday, July 26th at 11:15 AM. Please bring your own bread and grape juice.



Remember in prayer

Gloria Kellerman, Mark Yeck, Dennis Baehr

~Registration Extended~

Reserve your VBS tote now! Get 5 days' worth of fun and learning - sign up by July 19th!

Contact the church office or [reserve online](#) today!



In light of the cancellation of the 2020 Nebraska Synod Assembly, Bishop Maas would like to take this opportunity to share more about what it means to be the Nebraska Synod. Bishop Maas

will be presenting, in three brief videos, available the final week of July, on how the synod is Growing Disciples, Walking Together, and Serving God's World.

As follow up to the videos, the Bishop and Synod Staff would also like to invite congregations to join them on **Wednesday, August 19 at 7:30pm** or **Sunday, August 23 at 7:30pm** live online to discuss What's Next. We encourage you to watch the videos, then attend one of the discussion sessions. It is in this time of physical distancing that it is more important than ever for us to connect and find ways to continue to be the church together. Video links and information available at:

<https://nebraskasynod.org/>



Flowerbed Clean-up
July 26th 7-8 PM

Thank you to everyone that helped clean up the front flowerbeds. A second evening has been scheduled to finish up the project. If you cannot help physically, donations of bagged mulch would be appreciated!

July 19th-26th

Sunday (19)

9 AM Worship in the Sanctuary & Facebook LIVE
11:15 AM Drive-In Worship

Monday (20)

9 AM Food Pantry (B1)
7 PM Zoom Adult Bible Study

Tuesday (21)

10 AM Homestead Cluster Meeting

Wednesday (22)

9 AM Staff Meeting
7:40 PM Youth Group Zoom

Thursday (23)

9 AM Food Pantry (B1)

Friday (24) Office Closed

Saturday (25)

6 PM Drive-In Worship

Sunday (26)

9 AM Worship in the Sanctuary & Facebook LIVE
11:15 AM Drive-In Worship

July Memory Verse:

For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 8:38-39



Spiritual Direction Formation Program from the Nebraska Synod

For more information about this program and to receive the application materials contact Connie



Stover: conniestover@nebraskasynod.org;
308-440-4450. The application process needs to be completed by August 1, as this cohort will begin their journey of formation and training on August 17, 2020.

Serving in worship – July 19th

Reader: Janet Byars
Children's Message: Heidi Price
Cantor: Eric Hansen



thrivent[®] Financial Education Workshop Series - Tuesdays at 6:30

- Will Your Taxes Affect Your Retirement? - July 21
- Medicare 101 - Aug 4
- Social Security: Timing is Everything - Aug 18

To register for these webinars, go to:
<https://tinyurl.com/thriventseries>



You are invited to Carol Joy Holling Camp's

Quilt Auction

Saturday, July 25, 2020



Quilts handcrafted by individuals, congregations, and groups from Nebraska and beyond will be auctioned.

View quilts, absentee bidding instructions, schedule, and COVID-19 procedure information at

CJHCenter.org/quilt-auction

Free parking & admission!

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