

Look at the Week Ahead

Sun Apr 28	9:00 AM	Worship Service
	10:00 AM	Sunday School
	10:00 AM	9th Grade Confirmation
	10:00 AM	Coffee Hour
	11:00 AM	Stewardship Committee
	11:00 AM	Rock'n the Church
	1:00 PM	Kolacky Pageant Parent Meet
Wed May 1	6:30 PM	NA Meeting
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts
	10:00 AM	Bible Study
	3:05 PM	After School Youth Group
	6:00 PM	7 th & 8 th Grade Confirmation
Fri May 3	7:00 PM	Bells of St John
	8:00 PM	AA/Al-Anon Meeting
Sat May 4	11:00 AM	Eagle Scout Court of Honor
	5:00 PM	Worship Service

It is time to do another **St. John Pictorial Directory**.

Co-Chairs of this committee are Erin Krautkremer and Abby Brockway. More information coming soon.

TWO GREAT WAYS THRIVENT FINANCIAL CAN HELP IN OUR MINISTRY HERE AT ST. JOHN

Do you know how to designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars to St. John Lutheran?

Do you know how to create Thrivent Action Teams that can help by assisting with projects (\$250 per qualifying project) within the life of St. John Lutheran?

If your answer to either of these two questions is no, please check with Pr. Jason, Missy, or the Church Council.



After school Youth Group for 3rd - 6th graders, meets at the church on the *first* Wednesdays of the month from 3:05-4:05 PM. *Next group meeting is May 1st.*

The Youth Board will be accepting Senior Scholarship Applications now through Sunday, April 28th. Applications are available on the church website under info center or on the youth bulletin board. Scholarships will be awarded during a coffee hour reception for the Graduates on Sunday, May 19th.

Becca's closet is in need of volunteers. Kassidy is off to college and we are looking for a few senior high girls and a couple of adult to help us with the closet and keep this wonderful mission going. If you are interested, please contact Missy.

SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED WITH OUR SERVICE TODAY

Reader
Steve Pan
Head Usher
Liz Krocak

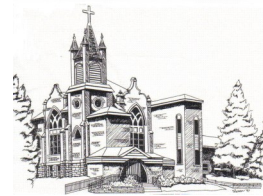
Ushers/Greeters
Cindy Westerhouse
Brenda Petersen
Kathy Derhaag
Volunteer Needed

Communion Assistants
Carol Kiekow
Karen Vlasak
Youth Volunteer

Acolyte
Mecca Nightingale

Altar Guild
Maridan Nesmo

Saturday's Service
*Thank you to our
volunteer ushers and
others helping with this
service.*



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Second Sunday of Easter
April 28, 2019

Jason Pollington, Pastor 507-667-9000
Carol Kiekow, Congregation President
Sara Kuchinka, Sunday School Superintendent
Melissa Gregor, Youth Ministry Director/Secretary
Kathy Heyda, Music Director/Organist
Roman Jindra, Custodian
Diane DeWitte, Organist

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Gathering Song *"Thine is the Glory"*#376

Kyrie.....page 147

Hymn of Praise *"Glory to God"*page 148

Prayer of the Day (in unison).....Insert

Special Music (Sunday) *"A Joyful Psalm"*Bells of St. John

First Reading: *Acts 5:27-32*

Psalm *Psalm 118:14-29*

Second Reading: *Revelation 1:4-8*

Gospel Acclamation *"Alleluia"*Page 151

Gospel: *John 20:19.31*

Children's Sermon

Sermon

Hymn of the Day *"We Walk by Faith"*#635

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Lord's PrayerPage 154

Communion

Blessing

Sending Hymn *"That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright"*#384

Dismissal

Welcome to Worship at St. John!

May you find peace and joy as we worship together on this day. We invite you to please sign the guest book located near the elevator. For those with children, we are grateful you are here. Activity bags and children's bulletins are available and are located at the top of the stairs. *All baptized Christians* who believe in Christ's real presence in Holy Communion may receive it. During the distribution of Holy Communion, children are invited to come forward to receive a blessing and a cookie. Gluten free wafers and portioned cups of grape juice are available for Communion. Wine is distributed in the larger chalice and grape juice is distributed in the smaller chalice. Large print bulletins and inserts are available in the back of the church. Ask the head usher for these materials.

Worship Offering Last Weekend: General Fund \$ 7,511.45 Restoration Fund \$178 ~ \$3,457.00 is needed weekly to meet the 2019 General Fund budget

Attendance Last Weekend: Maundy Thursday 154 ~ Good Friday 54 ~ Easter ~300



Remember in your Prayers... Adeline Tiede (niece of Billi Larson), Gwen Hanzlik, Emil & Theresa Knish, Jean Hartman (Aunt of Bruce Smith), Ken Meyer, Katie Lockrem, Jean Waugh, Jessi, Betty Jindra, Dianne Schultz, Scott Petersen, Gerry Smith, Tom McClune, Betty Braun, Rycky Kes, Glenn & Mary Kerkow, Cathy Herrmann, Nancy Vollmar, Tom Trenda, Greg Vlasak, Rev. Bob Boda, Phyllis Swidorski, Amy Korthuis (Judy Ferguson's sister-in-law), and Nancy Creger.



Please remember in your Prayers the following who are serving our country: Travis Ferguson, Shane Morris, Adam Vlasak and Sam Westerhouse.

Trondhjem Lutheran Church invites you to Step into the Border Immersion Experience Sunday, April 28th at 6:30PM @ Trondhjem In January 2019, five people from the Southeastern Minnesota Synod visited the United States/Mexico border. In partnership with Border Servant Corps and Peace Lutheran Church, they spent a week engaging in a variety of learning and service opportunities in the El Paso/Las Cruces region. Join Kathy Chatelaine (Assistant to the Bishop for Global Mission) and D.J. Chatelaine (AMMPARO Team) as they share stories and photos as together we explore what it means to live out our synod's mission statement of following Jesus into this changing world. A free will offering will be taken.

New Weekly Daily Discipleship Bible Study There is a new Wednesday morning Bible study will starting at 10 AM on May 1st at Church. This Bible study will be a lectionary based which means that we will be discussing the up-coming reading that we will use in our services. One great thing about this Bible Study is that you can join in at any time, even if you happen to miss a week. It is open to all members of our congregation and community that are able to join us.

Spring Grief Support Group will met at 7:00 pm, weekly beginning May 14th - June 18th The six week group will meet at the church and is open to anyone in the community. The group is free of charge, however, participants are asked to register to ensure that enough materials are available and group size is limited. For more information or to register, call facilitator, Brenda Peterson at (701) 269-1439.

Save the date for the May Flower Sale. Friday, May 3rd 3-7 PM and Saturday, May 4th 8:15 AM– 2 PM in the parking lot of Todd's Auto Parts (NAPA).

We have confirmed reports that flocks of pink flamingoes will be landing in yards in our area from Monday, May 5th through Sunday, May 19th. Please fill out a flamingo flocking fundraiser form to place an order. These forms are located on the youth bulletin board and can be placed in the church office lock box.



On Sunday, May 5th, during coffee hour, Missy will be talking about fundraising opportunities we have through Hands Of the Kingdom, a non profit organization created by Adam Sery to help groups fundraise. We hope to do some Bell Tower fundraising with these opportunities. Families interested in raising funds to put in a family account to be used for future Mission Trips, summer camps, etc should also attend.