

Old Testament Reading: Ezekiel 37:1-14

¹The hand of the LORD was upon me, and he brought me out in the Spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of the valley; it was full of bones. ²And he led me around among them, and behold, there were very many on the surface of the valley, and behold, they were very dry. ³And he said to me, "Son of man, can these bones live?" And I answered, "O Lord GOD, you know." ⁴Then he said to me, "Prophesy over these bones, and say to them, O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: Behold, I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. ⁵And I will lay sinews upon you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live, and you shall know that I am the LORD."

⁷So I prophesied as I was commanded. And as I prophesied, there was a sound, and behold, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. ⁸And I looked, and behold, there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them. But there was no breath in them. ⁹Then he said to me, "Prophesy to the breath; prophesy, son of man, and say to the breath, Thus says the Lord GOD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live." ¹⁰So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army.

¹¹Then he said to me, "Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel. Behold, they say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are clean cut off.' ¹²Therefore prophesy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord GOD: Behold, I will open your graves and raise you from your graves, O my people. And I will bring you into the land of Israel. ¹³And you shall know that I am the LORD, when I open your graves, and raise you from your graves, O my people. ¹⁴And I will put my Spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you in your own land. Then you shall know that I am the LORD; I have spoken, and I will do it, declares the LORD."

GRADUAL

During the celebration of Easter and Pentecost, the Gradual is omitted and the Verse is expanded.

DAILY READINGS

April 8: Ex. 20:1-24; Luke 4:1-15; **9:** Ex. 22:20-23:13; Luke 4:16-30; **10:** Ex. 23:14-33; Luke 4:31-44; **11:** Ex. 24:1-18; Luke 5:1-16; **12:** Ex. 25:1-22; Luke 5:17-39; **13:** Ex. 31:1-18; Luke 6:1-19; **14:** Ex. 32:1-14; Luke 6:20-38.

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Epistle: 1 John 5:4-10

⁴For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. ⁵Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

⁶This is he who came by water and blood— Jesus Christ; not by the water only but by the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. ⁷For there are three that testify: ⁸the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three agree. ⁹If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater, for this is the testimony of God that he has borne concerning his Son. ¹⁰Whoever believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself. Whoever does not believe God has made him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has borne concerning his Son.

Holy Gospel: John 20:19-31

¹⁹On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." ²⁰When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." ²²And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of anyone, they are forgiven; if you withhold forgiveness from anyone, it is withheld."

²⁴Now Thomas, one of the Twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe."

²⁶Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." ²⁸Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

³⁰Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; ³¹but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

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† The Second Sunday of Easter †

Quasimodo Geniti

April 8, 2018

VERSE: Alleluia. He has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee. Alleluia. Eight days later Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Alleluia. (Matt. 28:7b; John 20:26a, c)

PRAYER: Lord Jesus Christ, let us always live in the peace of our baptism, dying with You in repentance and rising with You in faith. Amen.

Sermon: "The One-Way for One About to Be Born" (John 20:26-27)

Preacher: Pr. Matthew Johnson

Liturgist: Pr. Matthew Moss

Kantor: Dr. Crystal Rossow

Prelude: Fantasia in G Minor (J. S. Bach)

Offering: I Am Content (Wilbur Held)

Postlude: Passacaglia in D Minor (Dieterich Buxtehude)

Altar Guild:		Beth Giefer & LeAnn Cummins
Worship Assistants:	8:00 am:	Jerry Rogge
	10:30 am:	Jack Wold
Acolytes:	8:00 am:	Maddy Gangelhoff & Jake Gangehoff
	10:30 am:	James Wicht & Evan Pulju
Ushers:	8:00 am:	Myron Cooper, Sam Kulberg, Al Mazurowski, Mark Radintz, Dennis Schwecke
	10:30 am:	Dan Holthus, Dan Picotte, Ernest Underwood
Money Counters:		Ruth Droogsma, Paul Radintz, Craig Schutte, Mark Schutte

THIS WEEK: The congregations in our circuit are praying for St. Paul Lutheran, Osseo, and Pastor Daniel Burns.

PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH & SCHOOL: This week we pray for our Safety Team, our PTL Members, and our Middle School English Teacher Gretchen Dolan.

SCHEDULE FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER: At the Reformation the Lutheran Churches celebrated the Lord's Supper "every Sunday and on other festivals" (Apology XXIV, 1). We follow this fine custom and so offer the Lord's Supper every Sunday at both morning Divine Services. Individual glasses are used in the 8:00 a.m. Divine Service on the first Sunday in the month and in the 10:30 a.m. Divine Service on the second Sunday in the month. All other celebrations use the chalice.

TWO LARGE PRINT LSB HYMNALS NOW AVAILABLE: (4 NOTE-BOOKS) Please ask the ushers about the notebooks that are now available for those who have difficulties with small print hymns.

PARENTS: We're happy you've brought your children to worship today. Jesus says, "The kingdom of God belongs to such as these." If you must leave during the service for any reason, please be aware that there are also exits at the front of the sanctuary to the left and right; that you will be able to hear the service over loudspeakers in the entrance area and in the upper room to the left of the sanctuary; and that there is a changing table in the restroom near the elevator.

THE DIVINE SERVICE The Divine Service is the time when God serves His people with His forgiving grace in Word and Sacrament. It is not a time to be entertained. To show she is not a sect or cult the Lutheran Church retained the historic liturgy as much as was possible. The liturgical service makes no attempt to meet current cultural norms or personal needs but is the time when God comes in Word and Sacrament to meet our deepest spiritual needs. The Lutheran Church uses an ordered liturgy so that God's holy "priesthood" can participate and "declare the praises of Him who called us out of darkness into His marvelous light" (1 Peter 2:9). The Augsburg Confession concludes, "It is quite clear that among us nothing in doctrine or ceremonies has been accepted that would contradict either Holy Scripture or the universal Christian Church (AC, Conclusion).

INTROIT Ps. 81:1, 7 a, 10, 16b; antiphon: 1 Peter 2:2a

Like newborn infants, Alle- | luia,*
long for the pure spiritual milk [of the Word.] Alle- | luia.
Sing aloud to | God our strength;*
shout for joy to the God of | Jacob!
In distress you called, and I de- | livered you;*
I answered you in the secret place of | thunder.
I am the | Lord your God,*
who brought you up out of the land of | Egypt.
Open your mouth wide, and I will | fill it;*
and with honey from the rock I would sat- | isfy you.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
Like newborn infants, Alle- | luia,*
long for the pure spiritual milk [of the Word.] Alle- | luia.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, grant that we who have celebrated the Lord's resurrection may by Your grace confess in our life and conversation that Jesus is Lord and God; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

† The Second Sunday of Easter †

- Since the Lord's Supper is testimony of our unity in the faith, the Sacrament is reserved for members in good standing of congregations of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod.
- Visitors from sister LCMS congregations who agree with our doctrine and practice should announce your desire to commune to a pastor before joining us at the Lord's Table.
- Members may prepare by reading Luther's "Questions & Answers for those who intend to go to the Sacrament" (LSB 329-330).

OPENING HYMN: LSB 597

CONFESSION: LSB 151

INTROIT: (bulletin)

KYRIE: LSB 152

HYMN OF PRAISE: LSB 155

SALUTATION:

P: The Lord be with you

C: And also with you

COLLECT: bulletin

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Gradual is omitted

Responses: LSB 156

Alleluia Verse: LSB 266

HYMN OF DAY: LSB 471

SERMON

CREED: LSB 158

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY: LSB 159

COMMUNION LIT: LSB 160ff

DIST HYMNS: LSB 472

LSB 468

CLSG CANTICLE: LSB 164

("Thank the Lord")

CLOSING HYMN: LSB 603

**BIRTHDAYS THE WEEK OF
April 8 - April 14**

SUNDAY	THURSDAY
Kevin Pomerenke	Mark Ellinger Nicoleen Meyer
MONDAY	FRIDAY
Annika Dufault Todd Haag Krista Mellum	Derek Goerke Victoria Millen
TUESDAY	SATURDAY
Kyle Bode Peter MacMillan Kristine Remer	Jasmine Brockberg Jill Gehl Diana Stockfisch
WEDNESDAY	
John Ellavsky Donald Kalk Coralyn Koehler Michael Minnihan Daniel Picotte	

If you notice an update is needed, kindly advise the church secretary to make sure we have the correct information to publish.

Ir./Sr. High Youth

GET CONNECTED: Are you in 6th-12th grade? Are you a parent of a youth in 6th-12th grade? If you answered yes to either of those questions, then I want to hear from you! We have many youth group events throughout the year and I want to make sure YOU know about them. Please email me (Jayme Kruse) so that I can put you on the email list and keep you informed throughout the year! - jayme.kruse@gmail.com Also, be sure to request to join the "St. John's Youth Group" private group on FB!

COURSAGE SALE: Sunday, May 13 ---- Mother's Day corsage sale

WHIRLY BALL: Saturday, April 21, Maple Grove (Parents provide transportation), 1:00 - 2:00 pm, \$8.00 per person and waivers necessary

BIBLE CLASS TOPICS:

4/8... Christians have been persecuted since the beginning of Christianity. Where are some "hot spots" today? Why is this happening? What can we do about it?

4/15... Surprise topic!

**Please lock all doors before leaving this building.
If you unlock to enter, please lock as you leave!**

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Items received by the end of the day on Wednesday will be included in the Sunday bulletin. If there is an accompanying flyer or insert, kindly provide the information by the Monday before to allow processing time to accommodate your request. Thank you! email: secretary2@stjlutheran.org

† **The Second Sunday of Easter** †
April 8, 2018

SPECIAL FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK: *no special feast days this week.*

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Members who are sick and in need of healing and comfort— Rick Bymark (wife Jackie, son Hank), Lynn Slauson, Bill Radintz (son of Paul & Diane), Bill Wacker, Pam Linton (daughter of LaVerne & Arlene Bagne), Doris Gangelhoff, Katie Titler (daughter of Joe & Cilla Nadeau), Troy Eder, and Vivian Kuns. Our Lord Jesus, who reached out to heal and comfort the sick and dying, continues to reach out with His healing Word through us. Cards, phone calls, and prayers are always appreciated. If you know of someone who is sick or hospitalized, please inform your pastors.

Our homebound members are Linda Bredenberg, Dorothy Cooper, Sue Erickson, Audrey Hansen, Marlys Johnson, Inez Koehler, Steve Orbin, Gerald Oswald, Mark Pruhs, Amy Schalo, Betty Schmiede, Ilene Shepherd, and Bill Wacker.

All those serving in our Armed Forces—Agena Christophersen (Oklahoma), Nicholas Malikowski (California), Kevin Mazurowski (Idaho), Nathan Mazurowski (Texas), Brian and Veronica Pruhs (Hawaii), Joseph Radintz (home), Marty Schiltz (home), and Andrew Zupfer (home).

Those who have lost loved ones during the past year—Lori Kaiser & family (at the loss of her father Raymond Kinzler), Ed Kemna & family (at the loss of his brother Ted), the family of Marcella Faue, the family of Elaine Underdahl, Katy Briel & family and Erik Preus & family (at the loss of their mother Donna Preus), Dan Kolander & family (at the loss of his father Donald), Marv Cummins & family (at the loss of his brother Larry), Gloria Burns & family (at the loss of her mother LaVonne Richert), the family of Caroline Christophersen, Mark Coombs & family (at the loss of his father Paul), Karen MacMillan & family (at the loss of her mother Yvonne Johnson), Scott Gehl & family (at the loss of his father William), the family of Alex Hansen, the family of William Dodds, and the family of Caroline Lucht.

And we remember those who have recently lost loved ones—the family of Dorothy Schutte.

THE SERVICE OF INDIVIDUAL CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION is available the first Thursday of every month in the sanctuary from 6:30 until 7:00 pm or by appointment. Take advantage of this opportunity to hear God's Word of forgiveness spoken to you individually in Jesus' Name. "If we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (1 John 1:9)

EACH QUARTER: FIVE COPIES OF LARGE PRINT PORTALS OF PRAYER will be available to share with those who need this magazine in larger print.

"LUTHERAN HOUR" this week on WCCO 830 AM at 6:00 a.m., WWJO 98.1 FM at 7:30 a.m., and KRWC AM Buffalo at 9:30 a.m.

SCHEDULING CHURCH AND SCHOOL EVENTS AT ST. JOHN'S:

Please remember to check with the church/school secretary about scheduling any event; all church and school events need to be coordinated through this main calendar. Thank you!

email: secretary@stjlutheran.org

† Announcements †

THIS JOYFUL EASTERTIDE! Easter is not one, single day. It's a *season!* A great feast that lasts seven weeks! This Sunday, we see the risen Christ instituting the Office of the Holy Ministry and giving Holy Absolution to His Church on earth. Like newborn infants (*Quasimodo geniti*), let us each long for this pure, spiritual milk, the Word of our forgiveness.

ALTAR FLOWERS: are given by the Kruse family in memory of Paula Kruse - beloved Wife, Mom, and Grandma - who was taken from this valley of sorrows to her home in Heaven on April 5, 2013.



SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY WITH PASTOR MOSS: In our study of the Book of Exodus, we have reached a heightened *drama!* God is about to show His mighty wonders and signs. The Ten Plagues on Egypt are about to ensue! Pharaoh will repeatedly repent, but without faith God's merciful removal of each successive plague only serves to harden Pharaoh's heart.

This week: New Member Reception and Nigeria Mission Trip Overview

Next week: The Exodus (Exodus 13)

Video Recordings Available at: <http://tinyurl.com/lutheranbiblestudy>

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY: Pastor Moss is taking the class through the *Book of Hebrews*. We meet Tuesdays at 9am in the Auxiliary Room. You can also watch live online using Facebook Live; just go to St. John's Facebook page. Join us as we study this beautiful epistle which will enlighten our hearts and confirm our faith in Jesus Christ the Great High Priest.



NEW MEMBER RECEPTION: there will be a reception celebration of all St. John's new members that have been recognized since February 2017 **TODAY** Sunday, April 8th, at 9:30 am.

THANK YOU FROM THE YOUTH GROUP: The Easter Breakfast was again a success, in large part because of YOU! Thank you for the food donations, the monetary support and for joining with us in fellowship to celebrate Easter. We enjoyed it and hope you did too!

PASTOR BRIEL'S PRESENTATION: Join us after the second service **TODAY** Sunday, April 8th, when we will provide a light pizza lunch for Pr. Briel's presentation of his fascinating trip and mission work in Nigeria.



CONFIRMANDS: The Risen Lord Jesus taught His disciples to see the fulfillment of all the writings of the Old Testament in Him (see Luke 24). May His teaching continue to be passed on to the confirmands of this congregation as they prepare for the day when they will publicly confess their faith in Christ and their confidence in God's Word--and Luther's doctrine drawn from it. Please keep the following youth in your prayers: Alexis Brockberg, Michael Brown, Samantha

Brustuen, Allison Cate, Dalton Cate, Mackenzie Coombs, Noelle Dolan, Madelyn Gangelhoff, Faith Grant, Emma Kanz, Adam Kiesow, Benjamin Kiesow, Kristian Lodholz, William Schutte, Jack Stoffels, Eric Toelle, and Colin Vetsch.

This Week at St. John's Lutheran

TODAY	8:00 am:	Divine Service with Lord's Supper
	9:15 am:	Sunday School
	9:30 am:	New Member Reception
	10:30 am:	Divine Service with Lord's Supper
	11:30 am:	Pr. Briel's Nigeria Presentation
	4:00 pm:	Adult Open Gym
MON:		
TUES:	9:00 am:	Adult Bible Study (Conference Rm)
	6:30 pm:	PTL Meeting (Aux Room)
WED:	6:00 pm:	Public School Catechism
	6:15 pm:	Brass Practice
	7:00 pm:	Choir Practice
THUR:	3:30 pm:	Pro-Life Meeting (Conference Room)
	7:00 pm:	Deacons Council Meeting (Conference Room)
	7:15 pm:	Table Tennis
FRI:	8:00 am:	Chapel ~ 8 th sings
SAT:		
SUN:	8:00 am:	Divine Service with Lord's Supper
	9:15 am:	Sunday School
	9:30 am:	Bible Study
	10:30 am:	Divine Service with Lord's Supper
	4:00 pm:	Adult Open Gym

Those Serving Next Week, Sunday, April 15th:

Altar Guild:		Beth Giefer & LeAnn Cummins
Worship Assistants:	8:00 am:	Tom Eversman & Greg Christopher
	10:30 am:	Dean Noren & Ed Kemna
Acolytes:	8:00 am:	Andrew Wandersee & Faith Grant
	10:30 am:	Colin Vetsch & Alex Vetsch
Ushers:	8:00 am:	Myron Cooper, Sam Kulberg, Al Mazurowski, Mark Radintz, Dennis Schwecke
	10:30 am:	Dan Holthus, Dan Picotte, Ernest Underwood
Money Counters:		Scott Kulberg, Tim Lodholz, Bob Stashenko, Jack Wold

CROSS...FOOD NEEDS: Each month CROSS collects food items to be donated to the needy. Items desired from STJL during the month of **APRIL** are: Dish Soap & Cleaners (Toilet Bowl Cleaner, All-purpose, Etc.). Thank you for helping when you can; your contributions placed in the narthex area are greatly appreciated.



BAPTIZED IN THE PAST YEAR: The Risen Lord Jesus commanded that His disciples, eyewitnesses of His resurrection and "ear-witnesses" of His teaching over three years and now following His own resurrection, were to go into all the world and make disciples of all nations by baptizing in the Triune Name of God and teaching the baptized all things He had commanded and given. Please pray for those baptized at St. John's since last Easter: **Charles Orbin, Adalynn Stewart, Jack Ashland,** August Anderson, Jacob Briel, Isabella Lewis, Landon Essig, Paisley Hamilton, Piper Peterson, Nia Bredenberg, Regina Thomford, Louis Thomford, Emma Pulju, Micah Sumstad.



MARRIAGE RETREAT: The Pastors and Parish Ed. Board would like to gauge your interest in having an overnight marriage retreat. Please submit one anonymous survey per couple via paper bulletin insert and return to the box on the church office counter, or complete the survey online at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/G8JCFPR>

WELCOME PRO-LIFERS: If you have a heart for saving babies & protecting life at all ages, please join our "Gift of Life" team. We have a short meeting this Thursday, April 12th at 3:30pm in the Conference Room.

CHURCH DIRECTORY PHOTOS: Lifetouch photographers will be at St. John's taking photos for the Church Directory. They will be here April 3rd - 7th, and then again April 11th - 14th. Please sign up in the narthex on Sunday mornings after each of the services, or go to the St. John's website (<http://www.stjlutheranchurch.org>) and look for the sign-up picture on the front page to schedule your session.



CHURCH TREASURER: Want to become more involved at St. John's? The church's current Treasurer, Chad Brown, is not seeking re-election when his term is up in September 2018. Consequently, the Board of Administration is seeking a qualified volunteer for this role. A strong financial accounting background and/or experience with Quickbooks is highly desirable. The time commitment is estimated at 8-10 hours per month. Activities would include preparing monthly financial reports and projections, reviewing financial transactions and budgets, performing bank reconciliations, communications with the congregation and other financial-related volunteers, working with the church bookkeeper, and coordinating proper treatment and acknowledgement of larger gifts and donations. If interested and for more information on the Church Treasurer role at St. John's, please contact Deacons Mike Gaffer (mtgaff@comcast.net) or Tom Eversman (Theversman@gmail.com).

PROPERTY & GROUNDS will be hiring a part-time worker to assist the janitor during the summer months. Duties include cleaning, maintenance, and painting. We prefer someone of college age. Please contact one of the P&G deacons or the church office if you are interested in applying.



CEMETERY RESTORATION: P&G is looking for volunteers who would like to lead an initiative to do some restoration work in the cemetery. We would like to clean and restore the grave markers and record the names and dates on them before the information on the older stones is lost due to further decay. Please contact one of the P&G deacons if you are interested in helping.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION:

InFaith Community Foundation is offering 3 scholarships of \$9,000 each through the Immanuel Evangelical Church of Minneapolis Scholarship Program.



Beta Sigma Psi at IA State University is offering three \$2000 scholarships. See printouts on the narthex table.



ADMINISTRATOR CALL COMMITTEE is still continuing our search as we're committed to finding the best long-term fit for St. John's. While we've had some visits in recent weeks, at this time we are not ready to start the Call process. If you have any names you'd like for us to consider, please feel free to contact David Huth at 763-242-7103 or david.huth@bsci.com.

CHOIR/BRASS: resume rehearsals this week. Thanks for your marvelous music last week! ~Dr. Rossow

RETIREMENT RECOGNITION: After 41 years of being an educator, Mrs. Julie Preus is retiring at the end of this 2017/18 school year. We would like to thank Julie for her service here at St. John's as its 4th Grade Teacher and the many other responsibilities she has shouldered throughout the years. Please join us, in concert with PTL, for a retirement celebration in Julie's honor, Thursday, May 31st after Closing Service/8th Grade Graduation. Congratulations Julie!



BOARD OF EDUCATION: Is seeking candidates for two positions for the 2018/19 school year (1) Full time, 4th Grade Teacher and (1) Full time, Jr. High Social Studies /K-5th Grade Resource Teacher. The Board is pursuing the fulfillment of these positions via multiple, in concert efforts, to capture the best field of candidates for these positions. These positions have been accounted for in the recently passed 18/19 budget. If you are aware of someone that we should consider, please pass their contact information onto Board Chair, Brian Callahan. Thank you! brian.callahan@centurylink.com 763-242-3837

EAGLE FAMILY FUNDAY SAT, APRIL 28TH: Many donations are needed to make this annual school fundraiser a success, and we need your help! You may donate gift baskets, items, services and talents for the silent auction. Simply fill out the online form www.stjlutherschool.org, click on Giving, Eagle Family FUNDAY. Or contact Lori Kiesow: 612-201-5090, lorikiesow@gmail.com



ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK			
Monday, March 26 th :	7:00 pm:	CT:	44
Tuesday, March 27 th :	7:00 pm:	CT:	48
Wednesday, March 28 th :	7:00 pm:	CT:	71
Thursday, March 29 th :	7:00 pm:	CT: 168 CM:	153
Friday, March 30 th :	12:30 pm:	CT:	102
Friday, March 30 th :	7:00 pm:	CT:	#not available
Saturday, March 31 st :	7:00 pm:	CT:	#not available
	Sunday, April 1 st :	6:00 am:	CT: 94 CM: 76
		8:00 am:	CT: 320 CM: 226
		10:30 am:	CT: 198 CM: 131

FINANCIAL UPDATE	<i>Last Week</i> 04/01/18	<i>Year-to-date</i> since 07/01/17
Offerings Received	\$ 20,298	\$ 560,506
Amount Needed	\$ 13,635	\$ 545,400
Amount Ahead (Behind)	\$ 6,663	\$ 15,106
% Ahead (-Behind)	49%	3%



Please contact BOA Deacon Mike Gaffer, BOA Deacon Tom Eversman, or Church Treasurer Chad Brown if you have any questions on St. John's financial condition.



Interest in a Marriage Retreat – Survey

PLEASE fill out this survey with your spouse's input, you do not need to put your name on it.

Submit only one survey per couple. Completed surveys may be returned to the box on the Church Office counter.

Thank you!

1. How long have you been married?

< 2 years

2 – 10 years

11 – 20 years

21 – 30 years

> 30 years

2. If St. John's offered a one-night overnight Marriage Retreat, led by our pastors, how interested would you be in attending?

Not at all interested

Not so interested

Somewhat interested

Very interested

Extremely interested

Comments:

3. How much would you be able and willing to spend on the cost of registration?

(This will help us select the venue and plan the dining options)

4. What topics or questions would you like to have covered (either as a whole group study or in smaller sectionals)?