

## Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 29:17-24

<sup>17</sup>Is it not yet a very little while  
until Lebanon shall be turned into a fruitful  
field,  
and the fruitful field shall be regarded as a for-  
est?  
<sup>18</sup>In that day the deaf shall hear  
the words of a book,  
and out of their gloom and darkness the eyes of the  
blind shall see.  
<sup>19</sup>The meek shall obtain fresh joy in the  
LORD,  
and the poor among mankind shall exult in the  
Holy One of Israel.  
<sup>20</sup>For the ruthless shall come to nothing  
and the scoffer cease,  
and all who watch to do evil shall be cut off,  
<sup>21</sup>who by a word make a man out to be  
an offender,  
and lay a snare for him who reproves in the gate,  
and with an empty plea turn aside him who is in  
the right.  
<sup>22</sup>Therefore thus says the LORD, who redeemed  
Abraham, concerning the house of Jacob:

“Jacob shall no more be ashamed, no more shall  
his face grow pale.  
<sup>23</sup>For when he sees his children,  
the work of my hands, in his midst, they will  
sanctify my name;  
they will sanctify the Holy One of Jacob  
and will stand in awe of the God of Israel.  
<sup>24</sup>And those who go astray in spirit will  
come to understanding,  
and those who murmur will accept instruction.”

## GRADUAL Ps. 34:1-2

I will bless the LORD at | all times;\*  
his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.  
My soul makes its boast | in the LORD;\*  
let the humble hear | and be glad.

## Epistle: 2 Corinthians 3:4-11

<sup>4</sup>Such is the confidence that we have through Christ to-  
ward God. <sup>5</sup>Not that we are sufficient in ourselves to claim  
anything as coming from us, but our sufficiency is from  
God, <sup>6</sup>who has made us competent to be ministers of a new  
covenant, not of the letter but of the Spirit. For the letter  
kills, but the Spirit gives life.

<sup>7</sup>Now if the ministry of death, carved in letters on stone,  
came with such glory that the Israelites could not gaze at  
Moses' face because of its glory, which was being brought  
to an end, <sup>8</sup>will not the ministry of the Spirit have even  
more glory? <sup>9</sup>For if there was glory in the ministry of con-  
demnation, the ministry of righteousness must far exceed it  
in glory. <sup>10</sup>Indeed, in this case, what once had glory has  
come to have no glory at all, because of the glory that sur-  
passes it. <sup>11</sup>For if what was being brought to an end came  
with glory, much more will what is permanent have glory.

## Holy Gospel: Mark 7:31-37

<sup>31</sup>[Jesus] returned from the region of Tyre and went  
through Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, in the region of  
the Decapolis. <sup>32</sup>And they brought to him a man who  
was deaf and had a speech impediment, and they  
begged him to lay his hand on him. <sup>33</sup>And taking him  
aside from the crowd privately, he put his fingers into  
his ears, and after spitting touched his tongue. <sup>34</sup>And  
looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him,  
“Ephphatha,” that is, “Be opened.” <sup>35</sup>And his ears  
were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke  
plainly. <sup>36</sup>And Jesus charged them to tell no one. But  
the more he charged them, the more zealously they  
proclaimed it. <sup>37</sup>And they were astonished beyond  
measure, saying, “He has done all things well. He  
even makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.”

## DAILY READINGS

**August 19:** 2 Sam. 11:1-27; 1 Cor. 11:17-34; **20:** 2 Sam. 12:1-25; 1  
Cor. 12:1-13; **21:** 1 Kings 1:1-4, 15-35; 1 Cor. 12:14-31; **22:** 1 Kings  
2:1-27; 1 Cor. 13:1-13; **23:** 1 Kings 3:1-15; 2 Cor. 1:1-22; **24:** 1 Kings  
5:1-18; 2 Cor. 1:23-2:17; **25:** 1 Kings 7:51-8:21; 2 Cor. 3:1-18.

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† **The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity** †

**August 19, 2018**

**VERSE:** Alleluia. Sing aloud to God our strength; shout for joy to the God of Jacob. Alleluia.  
(Ps. 81:1)

**PRAYER:** O God, fill our ears with Your Word and loose our tongues to proclaim the Good News of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**Sermon:** "Christian Love Proclaims" (Mark 7:31-37)

**Preacher & Liturgist:** Pr. Matthew Moss

**Kantor:** Dr. Crystal Rossow

**Prelude:** My Soul, Now Praise Your Maker (Jan Bender)

**Offering:** Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier (J. S. Bach)

**Postlude:** Fantasia on "Nun danket alle Gott" (Siegfried Karg Elert)

Altar Guild: Jan Stieg and Lois Anderson

Worship Assistants: 8:00 am: Tom Eversman  
10:30 am: Todd Haag

Acolytes: 8:00 am: Joey Heisler  
10:30 am: Shelby Horning

Ushers: 8:00 am: Dana Christophersen, Tom Gardner,  
Ray Kaiser, Don Kalk, Davey Kulberg  
10:30 am: Mike DeSplinter,  
Russ Reznecheck, Craig Schutte

Money Counters: Scott Brockberg, *Dave Giefer*,  
Courtney Oakland, Deb Weinand

**Those Serving This Week, Monday, August 20<sup>th</sup>:**

Worship Assistants: 7:00 pm: John Radintz

Acolytes: 7:00 pm: Gabriel Lodholz

**THIS WEEK:** The congregations in our circuit are praying for Rev. Matthew Harrison, our Synod President and all our elected officers and board members in the LCMS.

**PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH & SCHOOL:** This week we pray for Property & Grounds Deacons Kevin Pomerence & Dan Holthus and the Board Members, and our Maintenance Manager John Draskovich, and also for our Kitchen Managers, Heather Bursch & Lynn Schutte, along with all of the lunch helpers.

**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. 70:2b, 4a, 5b; antiphon: Ps. 70:1-2a

Make haste, O God, to de- | liver me!\*

O LORD, make haste to | help me!

Let them be put to shame and con- | fusion\*  
who | seek my life!

Let them be | turned back\*

and brought to dishonor who de- | sire my hurt!

May all who seek | you rejoice\*

and be | glad in you!

You are my help and my de- | liverer;\*

O LORD, do | not delay!

**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.**

Make haste, O God, to de- | liver me!\*

O LORD, make haste to | help me!

Let them be put to shame and con- | fusion\*  
who | seek my life!

**COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Almighty and merciful God, by Your gift alone Your faithful people render true and laudable service. Help us steadfastly to live in this life according to Your promises and finally attain Your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

† **Twelfth Sunday after Trinity** †

• 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).

**INTRO HYMN:** LSB 820

**CONFESSION:** LSB 203

**INTROIT:** (bulletin)

**KYRIE:** LSB 204

**GLORIA:** LSB 204

**SALUTATION:**

P: The Lord be with you

C: And also with you

**COLLECT:** bulletin

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

Gradual: bulletin

Responses: LSB 205

**CREED:** LSB 206 (or inside back cover)

**HYMN OF DAY:** LSB 545

**SERMON**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**THE OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY:** LSB 955 "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"

**COMMUNION LIT:** LSB 208ff

**DIST HYMNS:** LSB 790, LSB 794

**CLSG CANTICLE:** LSB 211  
("Nunc Dimittis")

**CLOSING HYMN:** LSB 846

**BIRTHDAYS THE WEEK OF  
August 19 – August 25**

| SUNDAY  | THURSDAY                     |
|---|------------------------------|
| Delina Magnuson<br>Dean Noren   | Travis Cook<br>Amos Kuehne   |
| MONDAY  | FRIDAY                       |
| Gretchen Kliche<br>Ramona Von Ende<br>Tifanne Wolter                              | Jake Eckard<br>Mara Robinson |
| TUESDAY   | SATURDAY                     |
| Angie Picotte   | Leonie Meyer<br>Alexa Zupfer |
| WEDNESDAY   |                              |
| Rebecca Brantner<br>Melody Felber<br>Jerome Fritz<br>Carol Jobes<br>Justin Maurer |                              |

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

**Jr./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!

**GET TOGETHER:** Please see information in the regular bulletin announcements!



**SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:** 8:00 -12:00 Monday through Friday

If you have urgent pastoral needs, please contact Pastor Matthew Moss:  
pastor.moss@stjlutheran.org or 763-496-5350

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

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Items received by midnight Wednesday will be included in the Sunday bulletin. Kindly please submit your request timely to ensure your announcement gets published as needed. email: secretary2@stjlutheran.org

**† The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity †  
August 19, 2018**

**SPECIAL FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK:** St. Bartholomew (Aug. 24): Prov. 3:1-8; 2 Cor. 4:7-10; Luke 22:24-30

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**Members who are sick and in need of healing and comfort**— Rick Bymark (wife Jackie, son Hank), Lynn Slauson, Pam Linton (daughter of LaVerne & Arlene Bagne), Katie Titler (daughter of Joe & Cilla Nadeau), Troy Eder, Kristine Eversman, Bob Malwitz, Ron Conley, and Alvin Cook. 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, and Ilene Shepherd.

**All those serving in our Armed Forces**— Agena Christophersen (Belgium), 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**— 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, the family of Caroline Lucht, and the family of Dorothy Schutte.

**And we remember those who have recently lost loved ones**— Paul & Diane Radintz (at the loss of their son Bill), John Malikowski & family (at the loss of his mother Frances), Cindy Cook & family (at the loss of her sister Jackie), the family of William Cahlander, and Kathleen Cooper & family (at the loss of her father John Giguere).

**THE SERVICE OF INDIVIDUAL CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION** is available by individual appointment through the summer. 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! 763-420-2426 email: secretary@stjlutheran.org

† Announcements †



**ALTAR FLOWERS** are in celebration of Jill and Greg Christopher's 30<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

**TRINITY SEASON:** – From ancient times the Church Year has had two halves: Festival Time (Advent - Pentecost) and Ordinary Time (Trinity Sunday - the Last Sunday of the Church Year). Our Historic Lectionary takes the Ordinary Time to group lessons together to teach on main topics related to the major festivals that occur during this half of the Church Year.

**The Fruit of Faith-** We have finished our series on **Christian Faith** and now our historic lectionary takes us through seven weeks that teach us about the fruit of faith in Christ, namely **Christian Love:** *Proclaims what He has done (8/19), Shows mercy (8/26), Gives thanks (9/2), Bears another's Burden (9/9), Consoles the Mourning (9/16), Is Free (9/23), Loves Christ (9/30)*



**SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY WITH PASTOR JOHNSON:** In our study of the Book of Exodus, we have reached the Wilderness. It should only have been a short stay at Mount Sinai to receive the Law, but things go wrong through Sin. God who is merciful and just, therefore, institutes a place of worship, The Tabernacle, where He might dwell with His people and forgive their sins.

**This week:** The Covenant Is Renewed (Exodus 34)

**Next week:** The People Respond to God's Grace (Exodus 35-39)

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



**THE SUMMER MONDAY NIGHT DIVINE SERVICE:** Every summer we add a Monday night service at 7:00 pm which has the same liturgy, Scripture readings, and sermon as the previous day's Divine Service. The weekly summer evening services will run through Monday,

August 27<sup>th</sup>.

**TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY:** We study the *Book of Proverbs*, meeting 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 reflect on Jesus Christ, the Wisdom from on High. All knowledge *begins* with the Fear of the Lord and many practical insights flow from that knowledge- the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.



**CONSTITUTION & HANDBOOKS:** Members of St. John's, At the request of the Constitution Committee, the Council of Deacons has decided to form a committee to study several issues addressed in a document developed by a legal firm associated with our Synod called "Protect Your Ministry". Our goal in this endeavor is to clarify proactively what we believe and teach at St. John's, thus avoiding possible future misunderstandings and or legal issues surrounding questions of sexual orientation and gender identity. This would involve updating handbooks and documents of both the church and school including the Constitution. Anyone interested in serving on this committee should please notify Greg Christopher or any one of the deacons. For more specific information please contact Phil Schutte at 763-420-3379 or Pastor Moss. You may also visit our Synod's website for information on such issues and to access the "Protect Your Ministry" guidebook: [www.lcms.org/social-issues/free-to-be-faithful](http://www.lcms.org/social-issues/free-to-be-faithful)



**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Calling all members, parents and grandparents!!! Sunday school is just around the corner and we are in need of teachers. Please consider volunteering and sharing the word of God with the little ones of our congregation. Please contact Tara Eder at [tara.eder@gmail.com](mailto:tara.eder@gmail.com) if you wish to teach or would like more information. First class starts 9/9.

**This Week at St. John's Lutheran**

|              |           |  |
|--------------|-----------|--|
| <b>TODAY</b> | 8:00 am:  | Divine Service with Lord's Supper              |
|              | 9:30 am:  | Bible Study                                    |
|              | 10:30 am: | Divine Service with Lord's Supper              |
| <b>MON:</b>  | 7:00 pm:  | Divine Service with Lord's Supper              |
|              | 8:00 pm:  | Young Adult get-together (E.S.P./Youth Room)   |
| <b>TUES:</b> | 9:00 am:  | Adult Bible Study                              |
|              | 7:00 pm:  | Board Meetings                                 |
| <b>WED:</b>  |           |  |
| <b>THUR:</b> | 7:00 pm:  | Adult Instruction Class                        |
| <b>FRI:</b>  |           |  |
| <b>SAT:</b>  |           |  |
| <b>SUN:</b>  | 8:00 am:  | Divine Service with Lord's Supper              |
|              | 9:30 am:  | Bible Study                                    |
|              | 10:30 am: | Divine Service with Lord's Supper/Installation |
|              | 11:30 am: | Installation Reception (Fellowship Hall)       |

**Those Serving Next Week, Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>:**

|                     |           |  |
|---------------------|-----------|--|
| Altar Guild:        |           | Jan Stieg and Lois Anderson  |
| Worship Assistants: | 8:00 am:  | Erik Preus   |
|                     | 10:30 am: | Ross Meyer   |
| Acolytes:           | 8:00 am:  | Jeremy Kappel & Zach Kappel  |
|                     | 10:30 am: | Ava Kanz & Bella Kanz  |
| Ushers:             | 8:00 am:  | Dana Christophersen, Tom Gardner,<br>Ray Kaiser, Don Kalk, Davey Kulberg   |
|                     | 10:30 am: | Mike DeSplinter,<br>Russ Reznecheck, Craig Schutte                         |
| Money Counters:     |           | Randy Bredenberg, Cindy Kiekow,<br>Nichole Schilling, <i>Craig Schutte</i> |

**Those Serving Next Week, Monday, August 27<sup>th</sup>:**

|                     |          |             |
|---------------------|----------|-------------|
| Worship Assistants: | 7:00 pm: | Erik Preus  |
| Acolytes:           | 7:00 pm: | Sophia Beck |



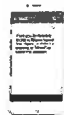
**SAVE THE DATE:** The Fall Congregational Assembly will be held on Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>.

# Ways to Give ~~



## In Person...

Place checks or cash in an offering envelope and drop it in the offering plate as it goes by.



## Text... St. John's New "Text to Give" # 763-225-2689

Set up a one time or recurring donation by texting the amount you wish to give.



## Giving App...

Download the 'GivePlus Church' app to set up one-time or recurring donations. You can also manage and view your giving from the convenience of your smartphone!



## Online...

Visit [www.stjlutheran.org](http://www.stjlutheran.org) to set up and manage your one-time and recurring gifts.

|                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <b>ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK</b> | Sunday, August 12 <sup>th</sup> ~ 8:00 am: CT: 113 CM: 95 |
|                             | 10:30 am: CT: 91 CM: 74                                   |
|                             | Monday, August 13 <sup>th</sup> ~ 7:00 pm: CT: 35 CM: n/a |



## FINANCIAL UPDATE

|   | <u>Last Week</u><br>08/12/18 | <u>Year-to-date</u><br>since 07/01/18 |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Total General Fund Receipts                 | \$ 19,709                    | \$ 114,069                            |
| Amount Needed                               | \$ 44,026                    | \$ 327,698                            |
| Amount Ahead (Behind)                       | \$ (24,316)                  | \$ (213,629)                          |
| % Ahead (-Behind)                           |                              | -65%                                  |
| Current Building Mortgage Balance (July 31) |                              | \$ 609,880                            |



## Important Notes:

Amount Needed above includes the prior years cumulative deficit budget of \$136,101 as of June 30, 2018, plus the pro-rated portion of the \$53,217 Congregation-approved deficit for the current budget year beginning July 1, 2018.

Please contact Board of Admin Deacons Mike Gaffer ([mtgaff@comcast.net](mailto:mtgaff@comcast.net)) or Tom Eversman ([Theversman@gmail.com](mailto:Theversman@gmail.com)) if you have any questions.

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**CROSS...FOOD NEEDS:** Each month CROSS collects food items to be donated to the needy. Items desired from STJL during the month of **AUGUST** are: Crackers and Deodorant. Thank you for helping when you can; your contributions placed in the narthex area are greatly appreciated.



**PROPERTY & GROUNDS:** Thanks to all the volunteers who have helped this summer to prepare our facility for the upcoming school year. Here is a list of the volunteer work that has been completed: conference room has been moved, cabinets were installed in the new second grade room, a sink and cabinet were installed in the new pre-K room, a fence was installed by the pond, the parking lot lines were repainted, the gym was painted, new drinking fountains were installed, and exterior lights around the gym and main entrance were replaced.



There is more work to do with one specific job that needs to be done before school starts. Due to normal play on the main playground, the rock gets kicked off the area where it is needed and needs to be raked and shoveled back into place. Let one of the deacons know if you can help with this task or if you'd like to be contacted when there is other work to do.



**NIGERIA TRIP:** Pr. Briel's September Nigeria trip to teach classes at the Jonathan Ekong Lutheran Seminary in Uyo, Nigeria is quickly approaching. Sincere thanks to those of you who have already demonstrated your support; sincere appeal to others for additional donations needed to offset expenses for travel and supplies. Although roughly \$1380 has been gifted, funding has not yet covered the expected \$5580 expenditure total. ...Offerings for this special trip should be made payable to St. John's, and designated as "Briel Nigeria Trip". Thank you for the generosity you have shown in responding to this financial assistance request; your contributions are greatly appreciated!

**DAY CAMP:** North Star Boys' Choir is offering a day camp for boys ages 5-12 at Immanuel Methodist Church, 10025 Brockton Ln. N, Corcoran. Join them for singing, games, crafts, archery, and swimming. All of this and a T-shirt is only \$45. Camp runs **Aug. 20-24**, 9:00-2:00 for 5-7 yr. olds, 9:00-3:00 for 8-12 yr. olds. Register your son at [www.northstarboyschoir.org](http://www.northstarboyschoir.org) or come early the first day. It's a great way to try out the Boys' Choir experience.



**GET TOGETHER:** Before college classes resume or work picks up, we want to invite our young adults to get together and enjoy time to catch up with one another. Monday, Aug. 20, following the Divine Service (~ 8pm) we will meet in the E.S.P./Youth Room for pizza and fellowship. Pastor Moss will join the group also to get to know you better before the school year starts. You do not have to be in college or going away to school to attend.



**GOLF TOURNAMENT:** It's time to register for the fifth annual St. John's Lutheran Golf Tournament! This fun event will take place at the beautiful Rush Creek Golf Club on Saturday, September 15th. Put together a team and register now -- or sign up as an individual and we'll find you a team. Simply go to <https://tinyurl.com/StJohnsGolf2018> or fill out a paper form. Sponsorships are also available. Event proceeds go toward tuition assistance and roof repairs for the church and school. Contact Stu Glock with questions [lizzystu@aol.com](mailto:lizzystu@aol.com), 612-309-5861.

**PT JOB OPPORTUNITY:** ESP will be hiring at least three new assistants for the new school year. Responsibilities will include supervising children after school with homework and playtime. Availability Mon-Fri 2:15-5:30; flexible days & hrs. Please contact Julie Zemke for more information: 612-940-6065, [julie@zemke.com](mailto:julie@zemke.com)

