**2nd Sun. after the Epiphany January 16, 2022**

St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church

(The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod)

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**WELCOME**! It’s our privilege to have you join us in being in the Presence of our Lord and Savior! At St. John, we follow the historic Liturgy of the Christian Church, which highlights the Biblical understanding of the True worship of God: *first and foremost*, that He Comes into our presence to give us His Saving Gifts (“Divine Service”) in His Word and Sacraments; and then in *response* we thank and praise Him in word and song, and pray for His continued Blessings.

**Who should receive Holy Communion at St. John?:** *All Confirmed members* are invited to Commune, who are sorry for their sins and wish to be Forgiven and Strengthened. Also, *visitors from other L.C.-M.S. and T.A.A.L.C. churches*, who fit the same description, are welcome. So that no one else might eat and drink in Judgment of their sins (1 Cor. 11:29), *all others are asked to refrain* from Communing. If you are in doubt, please see Pastor or an Elder.

Prelude

**Opening Hymn of the Day:** “I Love Your Kingdom, Lord” ~ ***LSB* #651**

**ORDER OF SERVICE:** Divine Service, *Setting 4*, ***LSB* pp.203ff.** *Introit* (See first white insert**;** read responsively by half Verse.)

 “Growing as One” (See green insert.)

 Readings (See back of first white insert.)

 Gradual (See front of same insert; read responsively by half Verse.)

**Hymn of the Day:** “The Only Son from Heaven”~ ***LSB* #402 (memory)**

 **Sermon**: “Marriage Restored By Love” *Epiphany* *5:22-33*

**Distribution Hymns:** “The Church’s One Foundation” ~ ***LSB* #644** “Come, Join in Cana’s Feast” ~ ***LSB* #408**  (“Gracious Savior, Grant Your Blessing” ~ ***LSB* #860)**

**Closing Hymn:** “Alleluia! Let Praises Ring” ~ ***LSB* #822**

Postlude

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***2022*** **Offering envelopes** are now available in the entryway.

**2022 Flower Chart** is up on the window in the entryway. Please sign up on your special occasion dates to provide flowers to beautify our Chancel; or call Vicki Koglin at **989-225-7060.**

 **STEWARDSHIP OF PARTICIPATION**

**DATE: SERVICE             ATTENDANCE   COMMUNION**

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| 1-09-22: 8:00  | 57 | 50 |
| 1-09-22: 9:30  | 37 | 30 |
| 1-09-22: Total | 94 | 80 |
| 1-12-22: Bible Study | 6 |  |

 **STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE**

**TODAY**

**Organist:** Tom Grills

**Ushers (8/9:30):** Galen Young, Kevin Arndt, Trent Popour, Garth Popour /
Don Clark, Dylan Burton, Randy Schulte
**Elder(s) (8/9:30):** Galen Young / Larry Reinke

**Acolyte (8/9:30):** Jentry Zimmerman / Brady Iseler

**Altar Guild:** Linda Schave/ Irene Pilaske

**NEXT SUNDAY
Organist:** Kristen Weiss

**Ushers** **(8/9:30):** Galen Young, Kevin Arndt, Trent Popour, Garth Popour /
Don Clark, Dylan Burton, Randy Schulte

**Elder(s) (8/9:30):** Joe Landenberg / Les Weiss

**Acolyte** **(8/9:30):** Wyatt Hoody / Logan Iseler

**Altar Guild**: Linda Schave/ Irene Pilaske

**LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT SUNDAY (“LIFE SUNDAY”)**

 **READINGS** **HYMNS**

 **Psalm**: 110:1-4 616

 **O.T.:** 2 Kings 5:1-15a 401
 **Epistle:** Romans 1:8-17 618, 628, 632
or Romans 12:16-21

 **Gospel:** Matthew 8:1-13 528

 **Jan. – March** ***Portals of Prayer*** are available in the entryway.

 The **January *Lutheran Witness*** (with ***Michigan In Touch***) are available on the entryway table.

 **January newsletters** are in your mailboxes.

 **A friendly reminder: Newsletter submissions** are due to the

 church office by the 15th of the month preceding the month to

 publish. **Bulletin announcements** are due to the church office by

 Wednesday (9:00am) before the Sunday to be published in writing.

 **Barnabas Fund:** This fund is for the purpose of providing financial help for those in emergency need. Please consider donating toward this endeavor.

**THIS WEEK at ST. JOHN**

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| Sun:  | 8:00 | Divine Service w/ Holy Communion, p.203 |
|  | 9:30 | Divine Service w/ Holy Communion, p.203 |
|  | **10:45** | **Quarterly Voters’ Meeting** |
| Mon: | 5:30 | 7th Confirmation Class  |
|  | 7:00 | Ladies Aid Meeting |
| Tues: | 4:00 | 6th Confirmation Class |
|  | 7:00 | Trustees |
|  | 7:00 | Elders |
| Wed: | 10:30 | Bible Study  |
| Next Sun: | 8:00 | Divine Service w/ Holy Communion, p.203 |
|  | 9:30 | Divine Service w/ Holy Communion, p.203 |
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Monday: (*Pastor*) **9am – 1pm** (*Kathy*):**1pm – 4pm**  Tuesday (*Pastor*): **9am – 12pm** Wednesday: (*Pastor*) **10:30am – 1pm**Thursday: (*Pastor & Kathy*): **9am – 12pm**  Friday: (*Pastor & Kathy* ): **9am – 12pm**Please call ahead to ensure that someone is in at 989-428-4140.

**Stained Glass Window Fund**

Total Needed: $190,000.00

Received so far $139,925.00 Finance Board (1-10-22) $ 1,325.00

Amount Still Needed: $ 50,075.00

 **BUDGETED FINANCE REPORT - *Not Including Special Accounts***

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| **January - December 31, 2021** |
| Needed per count Received (1-10-22) Needed year to date Received year to date  |  $ 8,235.00 $ 8,780.00  $ 8,235.00 $ 8,780.00  |

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Bulletins provided by Ramsey Funeral Home, Harbor Beach, MI Phone 800-251-8699 **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

***Jesus’ First Miracle Reveals God’s Glory***

The Coming of the Messianic Kingdom means the Restoration of creation. The Sign of this Restoration is that “*the mountains shall drip sweet wine*” (Amos 9:11–15). When the elements of a fallen creation fail and run short at a wedding feast, our Lord Jesus steps in to Restore creation and Miraculously Changes water into an abundance of the very best wine (John 2:1–11). With this Sign, Christ “Manifests His Glory.” The “*Back*” of God (Ex. 33:12–23) is Revealed to those who believe. The Hour will come when Jesus will again ”Manifest His Glory” by Taking creation’s curse into His own Body to Release us from its power. The Bridegroom will give His Life for the Bride (Eph. 5:22–32), and from His side will flow Water and Blood, the Holy Sacraments by which She is Cleansed and made one with Him. Through this Sacrificial Love of Christ we are Enabled to “*love one another with brotherly affection . . .”* and to “*outdo one another in showing honor*” (Rom. 12:6–16).

**PRAYER LISTS** The following members and friends areknown to be in the

hospital, ailing or recovering and are in need of our prayers, cards, and visits.

**MEMBER PRAYERS**

Ron Mausolf; Jack & Carol Noble; Phyllis Will; Willard & Ramona Reinke; Yvonne Fuhrman; Family of LeRoy Schave; Roy Mattice’s & his family; Family of Howard Schmaltz

**SHUT-INS**

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| Arnold Brown | Elmer/Ruth Leese  | Gary Schave(Lakeview E.C., H.B.) |
| Sharon Fuhrman  | Jack/Carol Noble (Meadow Lane, B.A.) | Jeffrey Schave |
| Yvonne Fuhrman   | Russell/Jeanette Piotter | Wally Schave |
| Charlie Koglin  | Willard/Ramona Reinke | Arlene Zelz(Lakeview E.C., H.B.) |

**FRIENDS**

Brendan Durkee (grandson of Merle & Patsy Eggert)

Riley Durkee (granddaughter of Merle & Patsy Eggert)

Isabel Mix (great-granddaughter of Elmer & Ruth Leese)

Reecilyn Joy (daughter of Michael and Julie Joy)

Gordon Summers

Lloyd Karg (brother of Carol Clark)

Howard Schmaltz (brother of Janet Weiss)
Karen Kreh (daughter of Joyce Koglin)

Sally Brade (friend of Marv & Vicki Koglin)

Daryl Sengstock

Lori Pedrotte (daughter of Rodney & Janet Weiss)

Bonnie Keiser (Susan Reinke’s daughter)

Andy Osentoski, brother to Angie Koglin

**A Smile from Kathy:**



 **In Loving Memory of Hugh Harwood, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Trustees Fund:** Nancy Schelke; Rich & Darlene Tyler

**Memorial in Loving Memory of Ted Pochert who entered Glory 22 years ago on Jam 10th, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Trustee Fund:** Ray & Sue Emerick

**In Loving Memory of Elaine Eggert, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Stained Glass Fund:** Ramona & Willard Reinke; Jason& Staci Zimmerman & Family; the St. John Ladies Aid; Arnie & Mary Eggert

**In Loving Memory of Elaine Eggert, Pastor Albert Bahr, Pastor Richard Nelson, & Hugh Harwood, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Trustee Fund:** David & Irene Schelke

**In Loving Memory of Hugh Harwood, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran General Fund:** Marvin & Jane Williams; Kay McTaggart; Jerry & Debbie Lackowski; Jeff & Lori Kowalski

**In Loving Memory of Hugh Harwood, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Stained Glass Fund:** Joyce Koglin; Mrs. Pat Koglin & Family; Herb & Betty Leese; the St. John Ladies Aid; Butch & Brenda Friedland; Darla Pankow; Artie Sengstock; Larry & Joyce Harwood; Jason & Staci Zimmerman; Janet Schave; Lee & Kathy Pochert; Karen Iseler, Larry & Kathy Reinke; Larry Finkle; Rob & Jodi Porzandek; Roy & Elaine Reinke; Alan & July McTaggart; Gregg & Gretchen Witherspoon; Arnie & Mary Eggert; Cliff Hartz; Albert & Janice Bender; Chris & Kari Ann VerEllen; Gary Eggert; Joann Muter; Ken & Angie Osentoski; Rick & Ronnie Will; Brian & Jennifer Iseler; Marvin Finkel

**In Loving Memory of Rev. Richard Nelson, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Stained Glass Fund:** Joyce Koglin & Family

**In Loving Memory of Ester Fager, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Stained Glass Fund:** Marv & Vicki Koglin

**In Loving Memory of Karl W. Seidler, a monetary gift has been given to St. John Ev. Lutheran Stained Glass Fund:** Albert & Janice Bender

**Fish Fry, January 21, 3 to 6:30** at the Grindstone Port Hope Sportsman, 6101 Huron City Rd. in Port Hope. Fried Fish, baked potatoes, baked beans, cole slaw, macaroni salad, bread and homemade desserts. **Drive Thru or Dine in.**
 $12.00 a person.

**Roasted Pork Dinner, January 23, 3 to 6:00** at the Grindstone Port Hope Sportsman, 6101 Huron City Rd. in Port Hope. Roasted Pork, mashed potatoes, gravy, dressing, carrots, cole slaw, and desserts. **Drive Thru or Dine in.**
 $10.00 a person.