**2nd Sunday after Trinity June 26, 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’re in doubt, please see Pastor or an Elder.

Prelude

**Opening Hymn of the Day:** “A Multitude Comes from the East and the West”
 ~ ***LSB* #510 (memory)**

**ORDER OF SERVICE:** “Divine Service, *Setting 4”* ***LSB* pp.203ff.**

 *Introit* (see 1st white insert**;** read responsively by half Verse)

 “Growing as One” (see green insert)

 Readings (see back of 1st white insert)

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

**Hymn of the Day:** “Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared” **~ *LSB* 622 (memory)**

**Sermon**: “The Way Thing Ought to Be”Eph. 2*:13-22*

**Distribution Hymns:** “Just as I Am, without One Plea” ~ ***LSB* #570**

“Built on the Rock” ~ ***LSB* #645**

 “I’m But a Stranger Here” ~ ***LSB* #748**

**Closing Hymn:** “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing” ~ ***LSB* #686**

Postlude

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Flowers on the altar are placed by **Marv and Vicki Koglin** in thanksgiving for **43 years of marriage** on June 30.

  **STEWARDSHIP OF PARTICIPATION**

**DATE: SERVICE             ATTENDANCE   COMMUNION**

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| 6-19: 8:00  | 44 | 40 |
| 6-19: 10:00  | 39 | 31 |
| 6-19: Total |  83 | 71 |

 **STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE**

**TODAY**

**Organist:** Tom Grills

**Ushers (8/9:30):** Marvin Woodke, Larry Johnson, Jeff Kowaleski / Greg Woodke, Ty Woodke, Robert Schulte

**Elder(s) (8/9:30):** Greg Woodke / Don Clark

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

**Altar Guild:** Deanna May / Joyce Harwood

**NEXT SUNDAY
Organist:** Kristen Weiss

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

**Elder(s) (8/9:30):** Galen Young / Larry Reinke

**Acolyte** **(8/9:30):** Brad Iseler/ xx

**Altar Guild**: Carol Woodke

 **LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT SUNDAY**

**READINGS** **HYMNS**

**Psalm**: 103:1-13 611
**O.T.:** Micah 7:18-20 608, 965

**Epistle:** 1 Timothy 1:12-17 818, 728, 774
 or 1 Peter 5:6-11

**Gospel:** Luke 15:1-10 966

 or Luke 15:11-32

 **July – September *Portals of Prayer*** are available in the entryway.

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

 **July 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 in writing 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 |
|  | 10:00 | Divine Service w/ Holy Communion, p.203 |
| **Sun – Tues.** |  | Pastor & Larry Finkel @ District Convention  |
| Next Sun: | 8:00 | Divine Service w/ Holy Communion, p.203 |
|  | 10:00 | Divine Service w/ Holy Communion, p.203 |

Monday (Kathy)  **1pm – 4pm**  Tuesday: **OFFICE CLOSED** Wednesday (*Pastor*): **9am – 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 $149,305.00 Finance Board 6-13-22) $ 295.00

Amount Still Needed: $ 40,695.00

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

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| **January - December 31, 2022** |
| Needed per count Received (6-13-22) Needed year to date Received year to date  |  $ 8,235.00 $ 7,715.00 $90,585.00 $73,645.00  |

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

***The Gospel Call Goes Out to All***

 Wisdom has issued an Invitation to the Divine Feast: “*Come, eat of My Bread and drink of the Wine I have mixed. Leave your simple ways, and Live, and walk in the Way of Insight*” (Prov. 9:5–6). This is the call of the Spirit of Christ to believe the Gospel and to receive His Saving Gifts in the Holy Supper. Many make excuses and reject this Invitation, even as the Jews did in the days of Jesus, yet the Master’s House will be filled. The Gospel call therefore goes out to the lowly and despised, into the highways, even to all the Gentiles (Luke 14:15–24). For “*you who once were far off have been Brought near by the Blood of Christ*” (Eph. 2:13–22). In Christ, believing Jews and Gentiles are no longer strangers but fellow members of the Household of God. The enmity of class and race is put to death through the Cross. Having been Reconciled in the one Body of Christ, we are Enabled to “love one another” (1 John 3:13–18) as we await the “Marriage Feast of the Lamb in His Kingdom which will have no end.”

**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**

Joyce Koglin; Carol Hunter; Irene Pilaske; Erv Schave; Yvonne Fuhrman

**SHUT-INS**

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| Arnold Brown | Jack Noble (Meadow Lane, B.A.) | Jeffrey Schave |
| Yvonne Fuhrman   | Russell/Jeanette Piotter(Lakeview E.C., H.B.) | Wally Schave |
| Charlie Koglin  | Julie Rote(Carriage House, Bay City) | Jeannie Woodke(Huron Co. Medical) |
| Elmer/Ruth Leese  |  Gary Schave(Meadow Lane, B.A.) | Arlene Zelz(Lakeview E.C., H.B.) |

**FRIENDS**

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

Reecilyn Joy (daughter of Michael and Julie Joy)

Gordon Summers

Lloyd Karg (brother of Carol Clark)

Karen Kreh (daughter of Joyce Koglin)

Sally Brade (friend of Marv & Vicki Koglin)

Daryl Sengstock

Lori Pedrotte (daughter of Rodney & Janet Weiss)

Suzi Smith (Linda & Darwin Krueger’s daughter)

**2022 Flower Chart is** up on the wall in the entryway. Please sign up on your special occasion dates to provide flowers to beautify our Chancel; or call Vicki Koglin at 1-989-225-7060.

**LWML:** The Michigan District LWML Convention will be July 7-9, 2022. The Convention has been moved from Gaylord to Frankenmuth. Any ladies interested in attending, please contact Corinne Abraham. Carpooling may be available for those not interested in staying at a hotel The Michigan District LWML Convention will be July 7-9, 2022. The Convention has been moved from Gaylord to Frankenmuth. Any ladies interested in attending, please contact Corinne Abraham. Carpooling may be available for those not interested in staying at a hotel.

**A Smile from Kathy:**

Knock knock!

Who's there?
Luke.
Luke who?
Luke through the peephole and find out.