

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**21 May 2017**

**8:00 a.m. Matins Service**

**OPENING HYMN #556 stz. 1-5** *Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice*

**OPENING VERSICLES** p. 219

**PSALMODY** pp. 220-221

**Easter Antiphon**      L The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia  
                                C O come, let us worship Him.

**Additional Psalm** Psalm 66 (v. 8) Responsively by half-verse

**Office Hymn** #821      *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

**READINGS** pp. 221-222

**Easter Responsory** p. 222

**Sermon Hymn** #556 stz. 6-10 *Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice*

**SERMON** John 14:15-21 – Sem. Carl Wendorff

**CANTICLE**

**Te Deum** #941 *We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God*

**The Offering**

*As the offerings are collected, the "Record of Fellowship" may be filled out and passed down the pew. When it reaches the end of the pew, please pass it back. As the offerings are brought forward, all stand to sing the Doxology, LSB 805.*

**PRAYER** pp. 227-228

Each petition ends: P “let us pray to the Lord:”  
                                C “Lord, have mercy.”

**CLOSING HYMN - #725** *Children of the Heavenly Father*

## *St. John Weekly News – May 21, 2017*

### ***Spring Church Potluck –TODAY, May 21 – 12:00 noon***

**"Mighty Fortress" Vacation Bible School** is June 18-22 at Wyneken: REGISTRATION IS OPEN for potty trained children – 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Invite your friends and neighbors to join us! Dinner is provided EVERY night for your whole family! The registration link can be found on the homepage of the church website. We encourage all St. John & Wyneken families to be a part of this time of faith formation and church fellowship. Please also consider how your family can assist with VBS. We need lots of youth and adult volunteers!

Please stop by our VBS booth on Thursday May 18<sup>th</sup> at the Wyneken Fine Arts Night to register, sign up to volunteer, & pick up your family's VBS CD. Following the concert we will have a very brief 15 minute volunteer meeting in the Wyneken Algebra Room. We need lots of youth and adult volunteers! Please contact Mr. Horning if you have questions about volunteering for VBS. See you next Thursday evening

**Cancer Bed Pad Sewing:** Just a reminder that sewing has been moved to May 23, 2017. Hope to see you all there.

**Teacher Needed - Wyneken Lutheran School:** Wyneken Memorial Lutheran School Board is accepting applications for an additional 2nd grade teacher. It is preferred that all candidates have LCMS synodical and theological teacher training. Please contact Mr. Gavrun in the school office (639-6177) with any names for consideration.

### **+FAMILY CORNER+**

**Today in the Sunday School Opening** we will hear about Jesus' promise to send the Holy Spirit.



**Today in Sunday School** Today is the last day of Sunday School before we take a break during the summer months. The children will be studying John chapter 9 “Jesus Heals a Blind Man.” Parents could ask, “What ways does sin blind us in our life of faith? How do the Word and Sacraments give us ‘eyes of faith’ so that we can believe?” Jesus came into this world to grant us faith and forgive us – spiritual sight. He gives sight to our souls by forgiving us our sins and sending the Holy Spirit to Sanctify and keep us in the one true faith.

**Today in Bible Class** we will hear from Seminarian Carl Wendorff about his vicarage assignment and from the recent travelers to Germany about their Luther Tour.

***All children and adults are encouraged to join us in the Parish Hall for Sunday School and Bible Class at 9:15 a.m.***

**Installation of Pastor Josef Henning** You are invited to the installation of Pastor Henning today at 3 p.m. at Emmanuel Lutheran Church (Soest). A potluck dinner will immediately follow the installation service.

**Spring Flower Sale:** LAST CHANCE TODAY!! Gift certificates to Mains, Grainery and Heller's will be available at the scrip table. This is Wyneken's 7<sup>th</sup> grade Washington DC fundraiser. Thank you for your support.

**60th Anniversary Celebration:** Dear members of St. John, You are invited to an Open House celebration in honor of Otto & Marlene Fuhrman's 60th wedding anniversary on Saturday, May 27 from 4-8pm at the Preble Fireman's Park Pavilion. Otto & Marlene were married on June 1, 1957 at St. John. Please no gifts, your presence and good wishes would be most appreciated.

## **+ STEWARDSHIP CORNER +**

**John 14:15** “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.” Jesus is clear: our obedience to His Word comes from our love for Him. But from where does that love come? Jesus tells us that as well, “She was forgiven much, so she loved much” (Luke 7:47). Christ shows us His love and gives us the forgiveness of our sins – and this causes love to well up in us, which in turn causes us to keep the commandments of Jesus. For after all, the summary of the Law is “Love.”

Offerings Received at 05/09/17 Count	\$15,040.58
Offerings Received thru 05/08/17	\$134,568.59
Total 2017 Salary & Maintenance Budget	\$594,789



## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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### 10:30 a.m. Divine Service, Setting III

**OPENING HYMN** #556 stz. 1-5 *Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice*

**CONFESSiON AND ABSOLUTION** pp. 184-185

**SERVICE OF THE WORD** pp. 186-193

**Hymn of the Day** #556 stz. 1-5 *Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice*

**Sermon** John 14:15-21 – Sem. Carl Wendorff

#### **Prayer of the Church**

After each petition:

P “let us pray to the Lord:”  
C “Lord, have mercy.”

#### **Offering**

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**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT** pp. 194-202

*Communicants at this altar are to be in full confessional fellowship with The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod. Visitors are kindly asked to read the communion statement below.*

*Distribution Hymns: #616, #821, #655, #477*

**CLOSING HYMN** #725 *Children of the Heavenly Father*

### Holy Communion at St. John Lutheran Church

Confessing the Word of the Lord in love for all who worship here, and acknowledging the biblical truth that unity with Christ at His altar in Holy Communion embodies Christ's gift of unity in faith and practice, we welcome to the Lord's Supper all who are communicant members in good standing of an LCMS congregation. Communicants are asked to register their participation in the "Record of Fellowship," noting their home LCMS congregation if other than St. John, Bingen. If you have any questions about our communion practice, or the Lutheran faith in general, please speak with our pastor after the service.