

*Our mission is to glorify God as we seek to make disciples of all nations
by bringing the gospel of Jesus Christ to all people within and outside
of the one holy Christian Church.*

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The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 22, 2021

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The Sermon: *"What Is Honor?"*

The Text: *Isaiah 29:11-19*

The Opening Hymn:

"Lord, Help Us Ever to Retain" LSB 865

The Sermon Hymn:

"The Clouds of Judgment Gather" LSB 513

The Communion Hymns: (8:00 a.m.)

"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word" LSB 655

"Oh, Blest the House" LSB 862

"Let Children Hear the Mighty Deeds" LSB 867

The Closing Hymn: *"Alleluia! Let Praises Ring!"* LSB 822

+ Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 8:00 a.m. service today. Guests, it is our desire for you to commune with us. In the Lord's Supper, in with and under the bread and the wine, we receive Christ's body and blood for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith. You should also know that when you commune with a group of Christians, you are saying you agree with the teachings of that church body. If you are a member of a different church body, please use this time for prayer and reflection upon God's Word. We then invite you to speak with one of the pastors about how you, too, can share in this wonderful gift. If you believe what Christ says about His supper and share the beliefs we have at St. Johns, an LCMS congregation, you are welcome to join us for communion.

This Week at St. Johns

Monday	Staff Meeting	8:00 AM
Tuesday	TOPS	9:00 AM
Wednesday	Communion Service	NOON
Wednesday	Senior Choir	5:30 PM

Next Sunday

Special Front Entry Dedication Worship Service	9:00 AM
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FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR this morning were given by Linda Swanson in loving memory of her husband, Mike, on his birthday today.

ON MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH: Rev. Daniel Voth, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Grand Forks, ND, presents the message "13th Sunday after Pentecost," based on Isaiah 29:11-19, Ephesians 5:22-33, and Mark 7:1-13. "This Is The Life" episode: "But Not For Lunch" - A man has difficulty adjusting to retirement until he turns his time over to the Lord. Main Street Living is broadcast Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on KVRR Fargo-Moorhead or watch online at www.mainstreetliving.com, "North (Fargo)."

LISTEN to the Lutheran Hour Sundays on KPRM 870 AM at 9:30 a.m., or KTIG 102.7 and 95.9 FM at 5:00 p.m. You can also listen on Sirius XM Family Talk Channel 133 on Sunday at 9:00 a.m. or any time on lhm.org/sentradio. Today's Archives August sermon is given by Dr. Dale Meyer and based on Ephesians 5. The New Testament book of Ephesians instructs wives to obey their husbands—but what does it say to husbands?

BEING RECEIVED into God's family through Holy Baptism this morning at the 10:30 a.m. service is Blake Donald Gartner, infant daughter of Brandon and Shannon Gartner. "To, You, Lord, this child we bring. Receive him, Shepherd, to Your fold that he to You in faith may cling."

SUNDAY SCHOOL will be hosting a meet and greet party for children in grades Pre-K thru 8 grade today from 2:00-4:00 p.m. There will be a bounce house, dunk tank, popcorn, ice cream, and more. Bring your children and meet their fellow students and teachers for the upcoming year!

HELP ABC PRESCHOOL get ready to welcome students back to the "hive." Choose an item or two from the bulletin board in the front lobby and return it to the church by next Sunday. The pandemic has greatly increased operating expenses for ABC. General cash donations to help cover expenses are greatly appreciated!

JOIN US next Sunday, August 29 at 9:00 a.m. for a front entry dedication worship service and reception. Please note we will only have one service that day!

THE EVERGREEN PARK trip is on! All youth in 5th-12th grade are invited to meet at the church at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 31. We will take the church bus to the park and return around 4:00 p.m. Cost is \$5.00. Friends invited. Please sign up by the front lobby or talk to Pastor Newton.

BABY SHOWER: The Fellowship Board is planning a gift card shower for Sarah and Pastor Newton. Watch for the date and time in the bulletin and on posters around church.

WEDNESDAY NOON COMMUNION: Attendance - 13.

LAST SUNDAY: 8:00 - 124. 10:30 - 59. Total - 183. Offering: Unified (Envelopes) - \$3,577.00. Unified (Electronic) - \$1,725.63. Plate - \$587.05. Church Remodel - \$1,000.00. Kitchen - \$175.00. Healthy Balance - \$100.00. ABC Preschool - \$155.00. Lutheran Hour - \$230.00. Building Fund - \$400.00. Total - \$7,949.68.