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 Third Sunday after Epiphany

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> The Sermon: "Fulfilled" The Text: Luke 4:16-30

The Opening Hymn: "Preserve Your Word, O Savior" LSB 658

The Sermon Hymn:

"Almighty God, Your Word is Cast" LSB 577

**The Communion Hymns** 

"Faith and Truth and Life Bestowing" LSB 584

"Hark the Glad Sound" LSB 349

"Jesus Shall Reign" LSB 832

The Closing Hymn: "Rise, Shine, You People" LSB 825

**+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. Gluten free wafers are available. If you prefer a gluten free wafer please let the pastors know.

## This Week at St. Johns

Monday	Staff Meeting	8:45 AM
Tuesday	Bible Study	8:30 AM
Tuesday	TOPS	9:00 AM
Tuesday	Parish Planning Council Meeting	6:00 PM
Wednesday	Release Time	8:25 AM
Wednesday	Bible Study	10:30 AM
Wednesday	Communion Service	NOON
Wednesday	Confirmation	3:30 PM
Wednesday	High School Youth Group	5:00 PM
Wednesday	Bell Practice	5:00 PM

## **Next Sunday**

Worship	8:00 AM
Sunday School	9:15 AM
Bible Study	9:30 AM
Worship	10:30 AM

ON MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH: Rev. Michael Salemink, Executive Director, Lutherans for Life, presents this year's "Life Sunday Message" based on John 15:12-17. "This Is The Life" program: "Like Father Like Son" - A father's example leads to his son making questionable choices at school. Main Street Living is broadcast Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on KVRR Fargo-Moorhead or watch online at www.mainstreetliving.com, "North (Fargo)."

<u>LISTEN</u> 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 sermon is "Caught" with speaker Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler.

**2021 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS** are available in the front lobby. If they are not picked up by January 30, they will be mailed out.

**2022 OFFERING ENVELOPE PACKETS** are available in the front lobby. Please note that envelope numbers were reassigned this year as we decreased the number of packets we purchase. If you cannot find yours, please check with the church office.

ARE YOU USING the Give Plus mobile app for offerings? It's being phased out for a new app, Vanco Mobile, after January 31. To switch go to your app store and download the Vanco Mobile app. Log in with your Give Plus user name and password, then follow the prompts. If you have questions or problems, give the church office a call.

**TODAY'S SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON** for PK-7th grade is "Forever Food - *The Lord's Supper*."

<u>PASTOR NEWTON</u> has received a call to St. Salvator Lutheran Church in Venedy, Illinois. Please keep Pastor and Sarah in your prayers as they consider this call to serve.

<u>A SPECIAL OFFERING</u> will be taken today after each service for the Pregnancy Resource Center for Sanctity of Life Sunday.

**YOUTH GRADES 5-12** will be going to Sky Zone today. Cost is \$13.00/person. Lunch is included. We will meet at the church at noon and return around 6:00 p.m.

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP** will meet this Wednesday from 5:00-6:30 p.m..

**A MARCH FOR LIFE** will be held on Saturday, January 29. Meet in front of the court house at 11:00 a.m.. Snacks will be available at St. Peter's Catholic Church following the half hour walk.

**BEAT THE COLD** with a nice fleece shirt. Shirts with a St. Johns logo are available for \$40.00. Proceeds will go to the National Youth Gathering. Also, there are a few bags of coffee left and we are selling them at a reduced price of \$12.00 per bag.

IT'S TIME TO RENEW or start a new Lutheran Witness subscription. The cost is \$22.56 (same as last year) and is due by January 31. There is a special Lutheran Witness envelope in your offering packet. Please put your name and address on the back of the envelope to help us double check for correct addresses.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Att. - 17. Offering - \$10.00. **LAST SUNDAY:** Att. 8:00 a.m. - 103. 10:30 a.m. - 50. Total - 153. Offering: Unified (Envelopes) - \$10,540.00. Unified (Electronic) - \$872.63. Plate - \$287.00. Thanksgiving - \$50.00. Christmas Day - \$50.00. Baptism Gift - \$200.00. Lutheran Witness - \$92.68. Front Entry - \$50.00. Healthy Balance - \$100.00. Youth - \$1,000.00. Total - \$13,242.31. **WEDNESDAY NOON COMMUNION SERVICE:** Att: - 7.