

*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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LWML Sunday

October 2, 2022

We will follow the special order of service.

The Sermon: "For Us and With Us"

The Text: Romans 8:31-39

The Communion Hymns: (10:30 a.m.)

"Jesus, Priceless Treasure" LSB 743
"Children of the Heavenly Father" LSB 725
"How Firm a Foundation" LSB 728

+ Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 10:30 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	8:45 AM
Tuesday	Bible Study - <i>Provoking Proverbs</i>	8:30 AM
Tuesday	TOPS	9:00 AM
Tuesday	Board Meetings	6:00 PM
Wednesday	Release Time Classes	8:25 AM
Wednesday	Bible Study - <i>World Religions</i>	10:30 AM
Wednesday	Communion Service	NOON
Wednesday	Children's Chime Choir	3:30 PM
Wednesday	Acolyte Class	3:30 PM
Wednesday	Bell Choir	5:00 PM
Wednesday	Senior Choir	6:00 PM
Thursday	Cub Scouts	6:00 PM

Next Sunday

Worship (Comm.)	8:00 AM
Sunday School	9:15 AM
Bible Class	9:30 AM
Worship	10:30 AM

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR this morning were given by Jan Belshan in loving memory of her son, John.

TODAY IS LWML SUNDAY: In recognition of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League, our LWML ladies will be handing out carnations today inviting all ladies to join us for Bible studies, ladies work days, fellowship and fun. Join us – we have some fun things planned!

ON MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH: Rev. Brett Hartwig, Trinity, Sabin, MN, presents the message: "Increase Our Faith" based on Luke 17:1-10. This Is The Life" program: "The Sound of Closing Doors" – A man in mid-life crisis and the effect it has on his family. Main Street Living is broadcast Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on KVRP 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 sermon is titled "You've Got It in You" with guest speaker, Rev. Dr. John Nunes. Faith in Christ is something that's in you, but you didn't put it there.

TODAY'S SUNDAY SCHOOL lesson for PK - 8th grade is "A Call to Action - Abram."

IT APPEARS that our "magic black box" for live streaming has bit the dust so worship is in person only until we can get a new and improved one.

A SURVEY regarding the call process and needs here at St. Johns was sent out to members. We will have a question and answer time about the survey and the call process at 9:15 a.m. in the social hall today. Please prayerfully study the survey questions, mark your responses and return the survey to the church by October 9. There are copies available in the pews and by the church office or you can download it on our website. On Sunday, October 16 we will have a special voters meeting between services to go over the results of the surveys. The call committee plans to make a recommendation to the voters at that time as to our next steps in the call process.

BIBLE STUDIES AVAILABLE: Tuesday morning Bible study led by Pastor Neubauer meets at 8:30 a.m. in the church library. The topic is "Provoking Proverbs." Wednesday morning Bible study meets at 10:30 a.m. in the church library. Pastor Harvala's topic is "World Religions and American Church Bodies."

ACOLYTE CLASS will conclude this Wednesday, October 5 and confirmation will begin on October 12.

REGULAR MONTHLY BOARD MEETINGS are scheduled for this Tuesday. Directors, please contact your board members to confirm the time you will be meeting.

SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE: We will soon be creating the 2023 Sunday coffee worker schedule. Please let us know if you have had a phone number change in the last year or if your status for serving/furnishing treats needs to be altered. Are you a new member who would like to contribute in some way to Sunday morning coffee time? Please contact the church office (218-732-9783) or Connie Fondow (218-330-1684) with any information you would like us to have concerning the new schedule.

ALL LADIES are invited to the Women's LWML Zone Rally on Thursday, October 13 from 9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran in Walker. Check out the poster on the LWML bulletin board in the hall by the kitchen for details.

OCTOBER ELDERS: 8:00 - (10/09 & 10/23) Larry Hetrick & Jerry Eischens. 10:30 - (10/02 & 10/16) Mike Poole.

OCTOBER ALTAR GUILD: Diane Bateman & Twyla Togle.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Att. - 25. Offering - \$12.00.

LAST SUNDAY: Att. 8:00 a.m. - 110. 10:30 a.m. - 65. Total - 175. Offering: Unified (Envelopes) - \$8,032.00. Unified (Electronic) - \$1,555.83. Plate - \$363.45. Front Entry - \$200.00. Local Lutheran Hour - \$600.00 (given in memory of Ed Frith). Total - \$10,751.28.

NOON COMMUNION SERVICE: Att. - 15.