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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REFORMATION SUNDAY

October 30, 2022 We will follow the printed order of service.

The Sermon: "We Know"
The Text: Romans 3:19-28

The Anthem: "Come Follow Me" - Sunday School/Sr. Choir

This Week at St. Johns

Monday	Staff Meeting	8:45 AM
Tuesday	Bible Study - Provoking Proverbs	8:30 AM
Tuesday	TOPS	9:00 AM
Tuesday	Board Meetings	6:00 PM
Wednesday	Release Time Classes	8:25 AM
Wednesday	Bible Study - Learning the "J" Word	10:30 AM
Wednesday	Communion Service	NOON
Wednesday	Confirmation	3:30 PM
Wednesday	Bell Choir	5:00 PM
Wednesday	Youth Group	5:30 PM
Wednesday	Senior Choir	6:00 PM
Wednesday	Blended Practice	6:45 PM
Thursday	Cub Scouts	6:00 PM

Next Sunday - All Saints Sunday

Blended Worship	8:00 AM
Sunday School	9:15 AM
New Member Welcome/Pastor Appreciation	9:30 AM
Worship (Comm.)	10:30 AM
Cub Scouts	4:00 PM

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR were given by Mary and Jim Dennis in honor and celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary. Congratulations!!

TODAY'S SUNDAY SCHOOL lesson for PK - 8th grade is "The Egypt Exit - Exodus."

YOUTH BIBLE CLASS will not meet today. You are invited to join the adult study in the social hall.

HAVE YOU turned in your volunteer opportunity sheet? There's a basket by the church office for them along with extra forms. Thank you to everyone who has turned in a form. You are modeling our stewardship emphasis to be "generous in every way."

ON MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH: Rev. Rick Jones, Dakota Boys & Girls Ranch, Minot, ND, presents the message, "Word Unbound, Life Unbroken." This is the Life: "Tina" - Two lonely people, a woman and a child, come together through Jesus. 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 Ihm.org/sentradio. Today's sermon is titled "Give Your Brother a Call" (Luke 19:1-10) with speaker Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. God cares that we relate to Him with childlike faith and relate to others with Christlike love.

LEARNING THE "J" WORD is the topic for Wednesday morning Bible study for the next four weeks which meets at 10:30 a.m. in the social hall. Justification is the chief teaching of the church, but how can we better understand this complex but wonderful word and believe that we are right with God through Jesus?

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

<u>PLAN TO JOIN</u> the fellowship board next Sunday, November 6 between services for a special reception welcoming our new members and observing Pastor Appreciation Sunday. Special treats will be served and our newest members will be introduced. YOU MAY NOT be seeing much about Hurricane Ian on the news now, but the storm left a trail of destruction. Connie Fondow has been in contact with Pastor Robert Davis of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and School in North Fort Myers, Florida. They were hard hit. There's pictures on the announcement slides showing some of the damage. Four staff members lost everything and the school was only recently able to re-open. We are hoping to assist them as they work to rebuild. To that end, there will be a special offering next Sunday, November 6 to help them purchase items that are most needed right now. You can read more about Good Shepherd and our plans to help in the November newsletter.

BREAKFAST IN BETHLEHEM will be held on Saturday December 3. Please watch the bulletin and newsletter for more information.

NOVEMBER ELDERS: 8:00 - (11/13) Emil Burgau & Tim Ranisate, (11/27) Jerry Eischens. 10:30 - (11/6 & 11/20) Mike Poole.

NOVEMBER ACOLYTES: 8:00 - (11/6) Sophia Neubauer & Aiden May, (11/13) Walter Harrison & Will Sanquist, (11/20) Alex Lof & Kolt Safratowich. (11/27) Luke Eskola & Samantha Fiemeyer. 10:30 - (11/6) Jada Lapping & Mellaney Hall. (11/13) Addie DeVore & Kryton Nilson. (11/20) Mellaney Hall & Sawyer Harvey. (11/27) Brock Knutson & Taylor Arola. Thanksgiving - (11/23) 5:30 p.m. - Khloe May. (11/24) 9:00 a.m. - Kaitlyn Maves.

NOVEMBER ALTAR GUILD: Jan Belshan.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Att. - 23. Offering - \$12.00.

LAST SUNDAY: Att. 8:00 a.m. - 101. 10:30 a.m. - 52. Total - 153. Offering: Unified (Envelopes) - \$3,172.00. Unified (Electronic) - \$795.63. Plate - \$198.00. Front Entry - \$40.00 (given in memory of Ed Frith). Funeral/Coffee Fund - \$75.00. Total - \$4,280.63.

NOON COMMUNION SERVICE: Att. - 16.