



St. John Lutheran Church and School
 The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod
 Reverend Jeff Caithamer

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Divine Service II with Holy Communion **Page**

**stand as you are able*

Prelude- (8:00) "Go Into the World"	Natalie Sleeth	
	4-8 th Grade Day School Choir	
(10:45) Prelude on "Galilean"		
Hymn Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling		827
*Invocation, Confession, Absolution		167
*Introit		dated insert
*Kyrie		168
*Hymn of Praise (<i>This is the feast...</i>)		171
*Salutation & Collect		172
First Reading		
(8:00) Gradual		dated insert
(10:45) "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"		Mixed Choir
Epistle Reading		
*Alleluia and Verse		173
*Gospel Reading		
(8:00) Children's Devotion		
Hymn Hail to the Lord's Anointed (sts. 3 men, 5 women)		398
Sermon "Miraculous Power" Luke 5:1-11		
*Apostles' Creed		175
*Prayers		175
Gathering of Tithes and Offering		
(10:45) "For You, O Lord, Have Delivered My Soul from Death"		
	Mixed Choir	
*Offertory		176
*Service of the Sacrament		177
Communion Hymns- 940, 831, 960, 805		
*Post Communion Canticle (<i>Thank the Lord</i>)		181
*Collect and Benediction		183
Postlude- Postlude on "Old 100 th "		

WELCOME TO ST. JOHN! We ask members and guests to fill out an attendance card located by the hymnals; indicate your attendance at Holy Communion. Cards may be placed in the offering plate. Note that there are two glasses in the center of each tray with diluted wine.

ABOUT THE LORD'S SUPPER: Our congregation is a member of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, a family of congregations who pledge themselves to teach and to believe the same doctrines. We invite those persons who are members in good standing of a congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod or of a church in fellowship with the LCMS to receive the sacrament. We want to express our sincere welcome to guests and to assure them that it is in their spiritual interest that we practice closed communion. Guests desiring to learn more about our beliefs are asked to make an appointment to speak with our pastor.

SERVING TODAY – Preaching & Presiding: Rev. Jeff Caithamer. **Organist & Choir Director:** Keith Williams. **Elders:** 8:00 - Larry, Kendall, Rex & Robert; 10:45 - Terry, Jeremy, Dan & Dan.

OUR CONGREGATIONAL FAMILY - The altar flowers are given today by John & Char in honor of granddaughter Reagan's Baptism Anniversary today. We also remember the following people in our prayers: *for peace and comfort:* Ruth at the death of close friend, and friend of St. John's, Merv; *for healing and recovery:* Linda, John, Rebecca - daughter of Marvin & Esther, Nancy -mother of Pam, Roger, Clint -son of Gary, Esther, Herb, Helen, Roy -father of Anne, Michael, Eunice, Joe, Judy, Judy -sister of Larry, Bill - son in law of Dave & Donna, Dan -brother of Bonnie; Bruce, Rachel -niece of Judy, Lois, Ellie, Todd, Tom; *for strength and endurance:* Sanna & Ellen; *for successful treatments:* Phillip -son in law of Steve & Pam; Phyllis, Roxy, Todd -husband of Kim, Dan -father of Beth, Philip -son of Starley, Joan, Jeanette, Nancy, Shawn -sister of Maxine; *for those in the military:* Nick, Mitchell, Taylor, Andy, Brandon, Suzzanna, Ben, Allyson, Zachary;; *for our homebound:* Phyllis, Leona, Floyd, Betty

For requests for the prayer chain or to be added to the chain:

<http://stjohnmedia.org/church/PrayerList.html>

Voter's Meeting, Sunday February 24 th , at 1:00pm in the Fellowship Hall.

EDUCATION HOUR TODAY

Adult Bible Class – Fellowship Hall - Pastor Caithamer

Sunday School Opening will be in the Sanctuary for K-8th grade at 9:30. Preschool (3/4yrs) will have their opening in Room 4C. Come and join us!

3/4yrs	Room 4C	5 th /6 th	Room 4B
Kindergarten	Room 1A	7 th /8 th	Room 3B
1 st /2 nd	Room 2C	High School	Youth Room
3 rd /4 th	School Library		

Announcement - The organ is coming (but first it's going away). The project to enhance our church's organ is well underway in the factory. You are invited to visit Buzard Pipe Organ Builders (112 West Hill Street) this coming Saturday, February 16th at 11am, to tour the factory and see the work in progress. Please speak to Keith if you're interested in visiting the shop. Starting tomorrow (2.11) we will be removing some of the pipes of the organ to the factory for improvements, so that they will be made even more effective and blend with the new sounds that are being added to the instrument. The entire organ will be out of service starting March 4th while the additions are installed (talk about giving up something for Lent). We are planning lots of instrumental music to fill in the gaps - let Keith know if you'd like to help by playing along on a hymn or two.

St. John Cookbook - If you would like a copy, please take the time to fill out and return the form on the narthex table to give Mary Martha an idea on how many cookbooks to order. Return the form by February 28th or call the church office with your request.

Youth Group Service Project - We are asking the congregation to donate newspapers, which the youth will fold for the Humane Society. We are also collecting items from their wish list. For a complete list, see the Youth Bulletin Board or visit the Champaign County Humane Society website at www.cuhumane.org and look under "Donate" and "Wishlist". Boxes for newspapers and other donations will be in the coatroom. The last day to bring in items will be Sunday, March 10. The youth will meet that afternoon to fold papers and play games in the gym.

Contribution Statements were mailed on the 31st of January. If you have not received yours please call the church office.

2019 Altar Flower Chart - If you would like to reserve a date in memory or in honor of someone or an occasion, available upcoming dates are March 3rd, 31st and April 28th.

Radio Ministry sign-up sheet has moved and is now located by the altar flower chart and greeter sign-up in the overflow.

St. John Webstore - The webstore is open and ready for ordering. There are many different items as well as personalization and text options. Orders will be processed as they are received. The school office will contact you when items are ready for pickup. Visit <https://stjohnstore.martinonesource.com> to select your items.

OUR WEEK AHEAD

Today	<i>5th Sunday after Epiphany</i> ; 8:00 Holy Communion; 9:30 Adult Bible Class, Sunday School; 10:45 Holy Communion; 1:00 Adult Information Class, Youth Group Bowling @ Old Orchard
Monday	9:15 MOPS; 6:00 Finance Board; E.A.T. Night @ Monical's (11am to 10pm)
Tuesday	6:00 Elders
Wednesday	8:10 Chapel; 10:00 Adult Bible Class; 5:45 Midweek School, Lighthouse; 6:00 Handbells; 7:15 Holy Communion
Thursday	<i>No School</i> ; 7:00 Men's Prayer Breakfast; 9:30 Lighthouse; 10:00 Evangelism; 1:30 Mary Martha; 6:00 Men's Choir; 6:45 Mixed Choir
Friday	<i>No School</i>
Saturday	9:00 VBS Meeting
Sunday	<i>6th Sunday after the Epiphany</i> ; 8:00 Holy Communion; 9:30 Adult Bible Class, Sunday School; 10:45 Holy Communion (Men's Choir), 1:00 Adult Instruction Class

Youth Group February Event - We will meet at Old Orchard Lanes today at 1:00-3:00pm for bowling and pizza. Sign up on the Youth bulletin board if you would like to join us.

E.A.T. @ Monical's - The February E.A.T. night is at Monical's on Mattis Ave. tomorrow from 11:00am-10:00pm. Monical's is giving back 20% of our purchases. Bring in the flyer on the narthex table to make sure that 20% of the proceeds will be donated to St. John Lutheran School. Don't forget to get your Monical's Gift Card from Ram Rebate.

Vacation Bible School – It is time to start planning for this year's Vacation Bible School. The theme for this year is Miraculous Mission. It will be held on June 17th-21st. Our first planning meeting is Saturday, February 16th, at 9am in the Fellowship Hall. Please contact Sara if you are interested in volunteering. Thank you.

LWML invites the women of St. John to a Soup Supper and Bible Study at the St. John LWML Monday, February 18, 2019 in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30pm (this was rescheduled due to its cancellation in January). Please come and enjoy fun and fellowship with warm soup and pie including a helping of God's Word.

Reading Buddies will meet Tuesday, February 19th, at 1:00pm.

Open House - We will be hosting an Open House for Little Lamb Preschool and St. John Lutheran School on Tuesday, February 26th at 5:00-6:30pm. This will be an opportunity for prospective families to meet our teachers, see the classrooms, and ask questions about our school. Please invite friends, neighbors, family members, or anyone else who may be interested in sending their child to St. John or Little Lamb this upcoming school year.

This Week at St. John Lutheran School and Little Lamb Preschool – Feb 11-17: Monday – E.A.T. @ Monical's, ALL DAY; Tuesday – VB @ Danville Lutheran, 6p; Wednesday – Chapel, Thursday – Parent Teacher Conferences, No School; Friday – No School

LEARN BY HEART
THE FAMILY ALTAR

The families of St. John are encouraged to learn these words from the Small Catechism by heart this week:

Confession

What is the Office of the Keys?

The Office of the Keys is that special authority which Christ has given to His church on earth to forgive the sins of repentant sinners, but to withhold forgiveness from the unrepentant as long as they do not repent.

Where is this written?

This is what St. John the Evangelist writes in chapter twenty: The Lord Jesus breathed on His disciples and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive anyone his sins, they are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven." [John 20:22–23]

What do you believe according to these words?

I believe that when the called ministers of Christ deal with us by His divine command, in particular when they exclude openly unrepentant sinners from the Christian congregation and absolve those who repent of their sins and want to do better, this is just as valid and certain, even in heaven, as if Christ our dear Lord dealt with us Himself.

Bible Passage: For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 8:38-39

Hymn 409 *Hail, O Source of Every Blessing* (st. 2)

Psalm 91

Bible Readings for the Week:

King Hezekiah of Judah – 2 Kings 18:1-8

The Destruction of Sennacherib's Army – 2 Chronicles 32:1-23

King Hezekiah's Life Is Extended – 2 Kings 20:1-11