

# THE DAY OF PENTECOST



**St. John Lutheran Church and School**  
The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod  
Reverend Jeff Caithamer  
School Principal: Tim Gabbert

**June 9, 2019**  
8:00am & 10:45am

## Divine Service II with Holy Communion

*\*stand as you are able*

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**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 - Kurt, Rex, Kendall, Bob; 10:45 - John, Chris, Larry, Terry. **Acolytes:** 8:00 - Jack, Joel & Peter. **Ushers:** 8:00 - Makenzie & Billy; 10:45 - David & Jordan.

**OUR CONGREGATIONAL FAMILY** - The altar flowers are given today by Earl & Barb in celebration of their 64<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. We also remember the following people in our prayers: *for healing and recovery:* Jeff -brother of Tim, Karen, Merv, Nicholas, Joan -mother of Bill, Judy -mother of Rochelle, Rebecca -daughter of Marvin & Esther, Roy -father of Anne, Eunice, Joe, Dan -brother of Bonnie, Lois, Ellie, Todd, Tom; *for successful treatments:* Linda, Phyllis, Roxy, Todd -husband of Kim, Philip -son of Starley, Joan, Jeanette, Nancy, Shawn -sister of Maxine; *for those in the military:* Adam, Joshua, Nick, Mitchell, Taylor, Andy, Brandon, Suzanna, Ben, Allyson, Zachary; *for our homebound:* Phyllis, Mavis, Opal, Lavina.

For requests for the prayer chain or to be added to the chain:  
<http://stjohnmedia.org/church/PrayerList.html>

**Today** makes the final Sunday for our Alleluia Ringers and Mixed Choir for the season. Please thank them for their service and leadership throughout the year.

## EDUCATION HOUR TODAY

**Adult Bible Class** – Fellowship Hall - Pastor Caithamer

**Sunday School Opening** will be in the Sanctuary for K-5<sup>th</sup> grade at 9:30. 6<sup>th</sup>-High School go to their classrooms. Preschool (3/4yrs) will have their opening in Room 4C. Come and join us!

3/4yrs	Room 4C	3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup>	Room 1C
K-2 <sup>nd</sup>	Room 2C	6 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	Youth Room

**A Very Sincere Thank You** to everyone who in any way expressed their condolences. At times such as this, you truly appreciate your church family. Linda, Brent and Paul

**New Organ Stop Of The Week** - This morning's Postlude showcases the new Pedal Posaune 16' stop, with the organist's feet playing the tune of LSB 497. We invite you to return this afternoon at 4:00 to hear all of the stops (new and old) of our organ, when it will be rededicated to the Glory of God, and Keith will play an organ concert. All are welcome to attend this concert, which will be followed by a reception in the Fellowship Hall hosted by the St. John Choirs.

**Summer Sunday School** has begun. For today K-5 will meet in the Sanctuary for an opening. Everyone else will meet in their classrooms. We look forward to seeing everyone in Sunday School through the summer where we can strengthen our faith and build friendships. Please see the sign-up sheet on bulletin board by the fellowship hall. We are in need of volunteers to teach through the summer to give our teachers a break. You will find it a joy and a blessing to work with the children. Weekly lessons will be in the church office in a labeled folder. All supplies will be in the classrooms. Any questions contact Cindy. Thank you.

**Vacation Bible School 2019 - Miraculous Mission** - June 17-21, 9-11:30am – In this big vast, amazing universe, we sometimes feel small and on our own. Yet God loves us each so much he sent Jesus, His Son, to be our Savior. Join us as we explore God's miraculous mission and we learn about His plan of salvation, from creation to the cross. Registration is open for children 3 yrs. old (and potty trained) to completed 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Come along with us as we sing fun songs, do crazy crafts, eat yummy snacks, play awesome games, and more. We cannot wait to see you there. Register online at [www.vbsmate.com/stjohnchampaign](http://www.vbsmate.com/stjohnchampaign). E-mail [vbs@stjohns.com](mailto:vbs@stjohns.com), for more information or if you have any questions.

**Be A Part of Miraculous Mission VBS** - Youth (completed 6<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> grade) and adult volunteers are needed. If you can help full or part time, we have many ways to be involved to suit your schedule and interests. A sign-up sheet is posted by the Fellowship Hall. Email if you have any questions. Also watch on the bulletin board in the coming weeks for ways you can donate supplies to make our VBS a success.

## OUR WEEK AHEAD

**Today** *Pentecost*; 8:00 Holy Communion; 9:30 Adult Bible Class, Sunday School; 10:45 Holy Communion; 4:00 Organ Concert

**Monday** 6:00 Finance Board; E.A.T. @ Scotty's Brewhouse 4-9 (bring flyer)

**Tuesday** 6:00 Elders

**Wednesday** 10:00 Adult Bible Class; 5:45 Summer Book Club; 7:15 Holy Communion

**Thursday** 7:00 Men's Prayer Breakfast; 1:30 Mary Martha

**Sunday** *Holy Trinity*; 8:00 Holy Communion; 9:30 Adult Bible Class, Sunday School; 10:45 Holy Communion; *Father's Day*

**Book Study Group** - It's not too late to sign up for the *Faith that Sees through the Culture* book discussion group this summer. Even if you can't make a few sessions we encourage you to join us when you are able. If you have not yet signed up to receive a book contact Elizabeth Crawford, so that we can place another order of books as quickly as possible.

**E.A.T. @ Scotty's Brewhouse** - The June E.A.T. night will be at Scotty's Brewhouse on South Neil St. on Monday, June 10<sup>th</sup> from 4-9pm. Scotty's is giving back 10% of our purchases. Flyers are available on the narthex table. We look forward to seeing you there.

**Mary Martha** will meet on Thursday, June 13 at 1:30pm. All women of the church are welcome to attend.

**VBS Donation Sheets** are on the bulletin board by the fellowship hall. Please consider grabbing one or more to help out. Thank you.

**Church Fall Softball** will start this September. If you are interested in participating, please reach out to Phil Martin at [pmartin@martinonesource.com](mailto:pmartin@martinonesource.com). More information to follow.

**The Trustees** are asking for your help. We would like to develop a landscaping program for our church property and need the help from a landscape architect. If you can assist with this project, please speak with Rick Craig or any of the Trustees.

**Summer Office Hours** - The Church Office will be open 10am to 2pm during the week. Pastor Caithamer will be available in his office during regular office hours Monday through Thursday for all Pastoral needs.. He will not be available to let people in the building before 10 or after 2, so if you will need access to the building during that time, please contact the church office about obtaining a key fob. The School Office will be open 9:00-Noon. Tuition/Fee payments can be made online on the Parent Portal or mailed to the office.

**Old Theology, New Technology** - Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's teachings include: The Vocation of Father, The Doctrine of the Trinity, The Gloria in Excelsis, The Apostle Barnabas, The Council of Nicaea, The Prophet Elisha and more. You can listen live or at your convenience at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org) and on the LPR mobile app.

**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:

The Apostle's Creed

The Second Article - And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

*What does this mean?* I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death, that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity. This is most certainly true.

Bible Passage: "But we have this treasure in jars of clay, to show that the surpassing power belongs to God and not to us. 2 Corinthians 4:7

Psalm 117