

# Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus

For the week of November 17-24, 2019

**Communed:** Todd Schroeder, Marilyn Schroeder, Michael & Missy Simminger

## Serving in Special Ways Today

### **Communion Assistants this Week:**

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Dennis Go

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Gary Hyer and Steve Kaiser

### **Communion Assistants next week:**

Saturday: 5:00 PM – Dennis Go

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Brad Ehmen and Ryan Vaughn

**Ushers:** Saturday: 5:00 PM – Rob Edwards

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Nathan Hoebing, Steve Hyer, Dave Pellman, Stan Yelton, and Jeff Wolfmeyer

**Greeters:** Sunday: 9:00 AM:

East – Bev Post and Lori Post

West – Rosie Meyer and Wanda Spohr

**Altar Care:** Laura Essington, Shelly Holtman, Ruth Ann Snowden, and **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

### **Birthdays This Week**

19 John Baker 50

20 Jesse Schweitzer

22 Rod Allensworth

22 Heather Feinstein

22 Matt Wepler

23 Dexter Goetz

23 Lori Post

### **Baptismal Birthdays This Week**

17 Lori Klauser

19 Amy Killday

22 Angie Nixon

23 Dexter Goetz

23 Ace Weisenburger III

### **Anniversaries This Week**

20 Ryan and Tina Vaughn 15 years

22 Larry and Reva Ehmen 57 years

**You can help earn rebates for the ORLC Scrip Fund that will benefit the education of children attending St. James Lutheran School.** As you plan your weekly and monthly purchases, keep SCRIP in mind! Stop by the SCRIP table: 1) for a full list of retailers, or go to: [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com), 2) for additional order forms as you plan your purchases, and 3) to ask any questions you have about the program. We are happy to help you learn how to use scrip!

Week ending:	27-Oct	3-Nov	10-Nov
Profit:	\$128.63	\$124.40	\$101.92
# orders:	15	14	17
Avg Profit/order:	\$8.58	\$8.89	\$6.00
Overall Profit:	<b>\$4,301.75</b>	<b>\$4,426.15</b>	<b>\$4,528.07</b>

**Volunteers Needed** - Any members not presently serving as **ushers or communion** assistants who would be interested in helping please contact the church office (217) 223-1769 or Larry Foster (319) 572-9558. We are making the 2020 schedules soon. We also need **Altar care** helpers.

**Come join us at Sunday School**, study the Scripture, grow in your knowledge of God's Word, and then join us for **Bible Bowl Sunday on Sunday, November 24!** Sunday School will be hosting! We have a new buzzer system, and it's ready to be put to use! Questions will cover the Bible Stories that have been studied this fall quarter. A list of weekly Lessons is available in the Narthex.

**A Soup-and-sandwich supper** will be served by LWML on **Wednesday, December 4**, prior to the first Advent service, serving from about **5:30 to 6:45 pm**. Come and join us for food and fellowship!

We are also looking for others groups to serve meals before Advent Services.

**American Heritage Girls** from now through New Years, we are **collecting new clothing and personal care items** to be donated to Quincy Public Schools. Often children do not come to school adequately dressed, often they need personal care items to take care of daily needs. Things that we often take for granted. We will be helping children of all ages from Pre-School through 6th grade. After the holidays we will be going out to shop the bargains, so if you do not like to shop we will gladly accept monetary donations. Watch for our Christmas tree and box. See Donna Haire if you have questions. We know the need is great and we thank you for helping in our quest to lend a helping hand. Donation suggestions include the following and all sizes are needed: Personal care items like toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, soap, Winter boots, Coats, Gloves and Mittens, Hats, Gym shoes, Sweatpants and shirts, Underwear, Socks

### **Quincy Neighborhood Federation – Christmas Items:**

Rhonda, the leader of this organization was so excited when we dropped off approximately 70 shoe boxes last month! Thank you ORLC members! Now we can help fill those same boxes with Christmas gifts for the children who attend the Federation. They are in need of white socks of varies sizes and "magic winter gloves". Magic gloves are gloves that expand to the size of any hand. Our goal once again will be to collect at least 100 pairs of socks and gloves. There will be a tote located in the same spot we collected the mac n cheese and shoe boxes for the other donations. Rhonda did not ask this but please donate only new socks and gloves as these are their Christmas presents.

**Sunday School needs** someone to *play the piano* during the Sunday School opening. It would be from approximately **10:10 AM until 10:30 AM**. If you would like to look over the sheet music, please stop by the Sunday School office, or talk to Melissa Knapp, to check out a packet that you could take home and look over as you decide.

**The next Mobile Food Pantry** delivery to Lampe is **Saturday, December 21, from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.** We will meet at Lampe at **10:15 a.m.**

**Voter's meeting packets** are available on table in the Narthex, for the meeting next Sunday, November 24 at 11:15 AM.

**Thrivent Members' Annual BAKE SALE, December 7 & 8.** Profits go to the Concordia Seminary Food Bank in St. Louis. The future of the LCMC depends on the willingness of these men to enter our seminaries and study for the ministry. It can create challenges for them and their families. This sale will be held before and after all services that weekend. Please come and pickup some homemade goodies and make a donation. Donations will be sent to the food bank before Christmas to help their families celebrate.

**Sunday, November 24th at 3:30 pm** at The Lutheran Church of Saint John they are putting together and gathering up materials for Thanksgiving Baskets. Try to be there before 3:30. Pastor Steve said this is for High school servant event

**7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade BAKE SALE TODAY in the lounge.**

**THANK YOU** for your support of the St. James 7th/8th grade students attending the Marine Lab trip next summer. Your generous donations for the soup and bread fundraiser were greatly appreciated!

**ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL**

217-222-8267

**ST. JAMES K-8 STUDENTS** are singing at Our Redeemer this morning at **9:00 am**. Thank you to all our families for making this possible for your child to participate.

**VETERANS DAY** – St. James School celebrated with about 30 veterans last Monday as they visited our school for a time of recognition for their service to our country. We thank them for their service and for allowing us to share our appreciation with them and their time with us.

**CHRISTMAS TREES NEEDED** – We are in need of 3 Christmas trees (5-7 ft.) to decorate for the Christmas programs **December 10<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>**. If you have one to donate or lend, please contact the school office.

**YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US** for chapel every **Wednesday at 8:45 am** in the church.

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS** – Our PreK – Kindergarten program (*Hooray for Baby Jesus!*) will be **Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**. The first – eighth grade program (*Red-Letter Christmas*) will be **Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup>**. Both programs will begin at 6:00 pm. Please plan to join us.

**FOOD DRIVE CONTINUES**-For Chapel offering this month, school and church families are encouraged to bring nonperishable food for the Food Pantry. The class who brings in the most items will receive a free recess! Thank you for helping to serve others.

**EAGLE VISION** **EVERYONE** deserves our respect **ACT** with kindness **GOD’S LOVE** is our greatest strength

**LOVE** one another **EVERY DAY** live for Jesus **SHOW OTHERS** we are Christian

**This Week at Our Redeemer**

**Sunday, November 17:**

**Pentecost 23**

**9:00 AM Holy Communion** (St. James School Children Sing)  
**BAKE SALE for 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade Trip**

10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School

**Monday, November 18:**

4:00 PM **Newsletter Deadline**

**Tuesday, November 19:**

*Circuit Pastors’ Conference in Clayton*

9:30 AM Women’s Bible Study

1:30 PM *Holy Communion at Good Samaritan Home*

7:00 PM Senior Choir

**Wednesday, November 20:**

1:00 PM Bible Study

4:15 PM Youth Choir

5:00 PM Confirmation

6:30 PM Montana Meeting

**Thursday, November 21:**

6:45 AM *Bible Study at the Coach House*

9:00 AM Quilters

**Friday, November 22:**

11:00 AM Bulletin & Newsletter Crew

**Saturday, November 23:**

**5:00 PM Holy Communion**

**Sunday, November 24:**

**Pentecost 24 (Last Sunday in Pentecost)**

**9:00 AM Holy Communion**

10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School (**Quiz Bowl Sunday**)

**11:15 PM Voters’ Meeting**

**Response Last Weekend to God’s Grace**

<b>Attendance</b>	<b>November 10, 2019</b>	<b>Offerings</b>	<b>November 10, 2019</b>
Saturday at 5:00 PM	50	Needed Each Month	\$28,060.85
Sunday at 9:00 AM	101	Received Last Month	\$24,824.13
Total Attendance	151	Received This Month	\$12,413.82
Holy Communion	127	Needed This Year	\$336,730.20
Bible Class	22	Received This Year	\$258,512.75
Sunday School	18	Received This Week	\$5,797.82

**A note of Thanks from the Troxel Family:** Suzanne Troxel completed 25 radiation treatments and did pretty well with them. She did have burns from which she is recovering pretty well. She has now completed treatment and is now on maintenance hormone therapy which she will probably continue for the rest of her life. Her bone and CAT scans have come back clear & free of Cancer. We all know that this is for the moment, but we will praise God no matter what. We offer up prayers of praise for God's Grace acting in her life. She feels good, looks good, and is ready to get on with life. The next big prayer is for a job!

The prayers of all of our ORLC people make such a difference! We cannot begin to say thank you adequately for all of the cards, calls, texts, warm thoughts---any and all of it has been and will be most appreciated! We miss our folks so very much and hope and pray all is going well with you. Please stay in touch. *Love, Donna Troxel*

**Upcoming Events**

**November 30:** Church Christmas Decorating 9 AM

**December 3:** Senior Singles at Sprouts Inn 11:30 AM

**December 7:** AHG Meeting

**December 7 & 8:** Concordia Seminary Goodie & Bake Sale

**December 8:** Christmas Caroling

**December 21:** Mobile Food Pantry at Lampe 10:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

**December 31:** New Year's Eve service at The Lutheran Church of Saint John 6 PM

## **2020 Events**

**January 5:** Serve at Horizons

**January 26:** Annual Banquet at Camp CILCA

**February 8:** 2020 Altar Care Brunch

**March 29:** CID Bible Bowl

**March 29:** Confirmation Questioning and New Member Dinner

**April 5:** Confirmation and Palm Sunday

**May:** LWML Rummage Sale

**September 20:** Church Picnic 2 PM – 7PM

**July 9-13, 2022:** National Youth Gathering in Houston, TX

**Christmas Cookies on your to-do-list?** St. James Katie's Ladies can help! **HOMEMADE COOKIE DOUGH** Chocolate Chip, Peanut Butter, Snickerdoodles, Sugar \$10 for 3 dozen cookie dough rounds. \$5 for one dozen cookie dough rounds. (Ask about special deal) Call Sharon at 223-6965 or St. James Church office 222-8447 to place your order. Orders taken through **November 24**. Pickup **Dec. 7, 10am -2pm**. Thanks for supporting LWML.

**There are GOOD NEWS magazines** available in the Narthex for only **\$3.00 each**. These are a great way to witness to your neighbors, friends, and family. Thank you – The Evangelism Committee

**Contemplate March 5-7, 2020:** St. Louis Seminary for college-age or older potential students. It provides an opportunity to learn more about life at the seminary & the preparation that leads to service as a pastor, missionary, chaplain or deaconess in The Lutheran Church.

**Adopt a Lutheran School Student** This fund is to help the families of children that are currently attending St. James school. If making a donation, please specify if it is for our children in need or for the tuition Endowment Fund which we are building to help the church and families with tuition in the future.

**Concordia Lutheran School** in Springfield is seeking a part-time teacher for middle grades to work three afternoons a week for 3 hours per day. Please contact Jan Burmeister or the school office at 217-529-3307 or [school@concordiaspfld.org](mailto:school@concordiaspfld.org).

**Listen to KFuo.org** as we share Christ with you via Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs at [kfuo.org](http://kfuo.org)! Find us on social media **@KFUOradio** on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#). For the week of **November 17 on KFuo.org** hear curious theological topics with Rev. Bryan Wolfmueller on Cross Defense (11/18 at 2:00 p.m. CT), study Psalm 29 and Isaiah 42-45 on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 p.m. CT), and hear Pastor "Jolly" John Lukomski and Pastor Matt "Youngblood" Clark wrestle the basics of Scripture on Wrestling with the Basics (11/23 at 9:00 a.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at [kfuo.org](http://kfuo.org) or your favorite podcast app!

**CID youth Bible Bowl** coming on **March 29, 2020:** The Topic is "The Acts of the Apostles." Study this Bible book with your youth (6th-12th graders) and learn about the spread of the gospel of Jesus Christ and God's power and protection for His people. Then participate in your District Bible Bowl in Springfield.

Camp CILCA is observing National Take a Hike Day today with an hour-long hike at 3:30pm around the 225 acres of God's creation at the camp. Meet up at the Dining Hall today, **November 17**, with your hiking boots on. The hike will end with a campfire and s'mores at 4:30. See you there!

**Save for next year's LWML Rummage Sale in May of 2020.** Call Mary Morse with any Questions.

**Sunset Home** is looking to make the holiday season joyful for their residents. Please send gifts or cash donations to purchase gifts to Sunset Home, 418 Washington, Quincy, IL 62301. We would like to have all donations by **Monday, December 16, 2019**. Thank you for making our resident's Christmas special. Thanks, Tasha Rothweiler, Life Enrichment Coordinator (*There is a list of items they are looking for on the bulletin board.*)

**A Hymn Festival** entitled "Praise and Thanks-giving" will be held on **TODAY at 3:00 PM** at Christ Lutheran Church, Normal, IL. As a part of the festival, there will be devotional readings on ten Lutheran hymns from the Lutheran Service Book (LSB) followed by singing each hymn along with special accompaniments. Following the Hymn Festival there will be fellowship and dessert in the Parish Hall. Please come and join in learning more about our Lutheran hymnody in word and song