Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus For the week of January 19 - 26, 2020

Serving in Special Ways Today

Communion Assistants this Week:

Saturday 5 PM – Rob Edwards Sunday: 9 AM – Chris Knapp and Larry Ehmen

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Saturday 5 PM - Rob Edwards

Sunday: 9 AM - Brad Ehmen and Nathan Hoebing

Ushers: Saturday: 5 PM – Darrell Drescher Sunday: 9 AM – Larry Foster, Monica Foster,

Jerry Lunt, Becky Lunt, Mike Herschler

Greeters: Sunday: 9:00 AM: East – Larry & Monica Foster West - Ruth & Howard Snowden

Altar Care: Ruth Snowden, Mary Herschler,

Jane Haschemeyer, Sharon Vaughn,

Gretchen Wolfmeyer

Birthdays This Week

- 21 Ellie Bowles
- 23 Kris Kutcher
- 24 Lynnette Carpenter
- 24 Kathy Hyer
- 24 Connor Smith
- 25 Steve Kaiser

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 19 Tory Hufendick
- 19 Jonah Tronsgard
- 19 Alison Zehnle
- 20 Eldon Schoch
- Norma Begeman 21
- 22 Donna White
- 24 James Jones III
- 25 Rachel Boerema
- 25 Harrison Knapp

Anniversaries This Week

21 David and Glenna Nicholson 9 years

Thank you for your support of the ORLC Scrip **program.** During the 2019 year, a total of \$5,550 was gifted back to the congregation.

Week ending:	29-Dec	5-Jan	12-Jan
Profit:	\$67.61	\$116.73	\$52.61
# orders:	14	16	11
Avg Profit/order:	\$4.83	\$7.30	\$4.78
Overall Profit:	\$5,629.98	\$116.73	\$169.35

HOMEMADE SOUP AND BREAD FUNDRAISER

Take it easy and enjoy a night off from cooking by letting the **LWML** ladies do the cooking for you! Preorder a quart of Chili, Chicken Noodle or Cheesy Vegetable soup and a 4 oz. loaf of bread for only \$8! Oyster is \$9. The sign-up sheet is on the table in the narthex or you can call the church office. Orders will be taken until Jan. 26th. Your soup and bread will be ready for pickup on Feb. 1st and 2nd after each church service. Delivery is available upon request. Payment is made at the time of pickup or delivery. Thanks for your help in supporting our missions!

ORLC YOUTH GROUP On January 26 from 1:00 to 3:00, the ORLC Youth Group is hosting a fun and games fellowship time at Our Redeemer for the Youth Group and their families. The youth groups and families from St. James and St. John's are also invited. Please let Jamie know if you plan to join in the fun so that we'll have enough refreshments. Bring your favorite game and call Jamie at 217-430-4760 or email jamie62359@hotmail.com.

2019 Giving Statements are now available by the new offering envelopes!

Snow Removal Help Needed for the sidewalks at church. This is a paid activity. Please contact the church office if interested.

New member adult instruction class starting in February. If you are interested, please let Pastor Eden know so that he may coordinate everyone's schedules.

St. James 7/8 Marine Lab Fundraiser Craving some soup and sandwiches? Head on over to Zoup on Tuesday evening! January 21 - Zoup! 5 to 8 pm. Present flyer when ordering. Flyers are available in the Narthex.

Souper Bowl of Caring Soup Luncheon - This is a fundraiser scheduled for Tuesday, January 21st from 11am-1pm at the WCU Hall, 516 Maine Street. The cost is \$6.00 each for all you can eat chili or chicken noodle soup, one ham sandwich, dessert and beverage. New this year.... enjoy live entertainment from our very own Non- Perishables Band!!! Proceeds from the luncheon will benefit the food pantries of Horizons, Luther Memorial Church, Lutheran Church of St. John, Quanada and Quincy Catholic Charities. Carry outs are available.

American Heritage Girls are collecting new clothing and personal care items for Quincy Public Schools. Many children show up at school without coats, mittens or hats. They are currently in dire need of sizes 3,4,5, & 6, both girls and boys.. We will be helping children from Pre-School through 6th grade. After the holidays we will be going out to shop the bargains, so we will also gladly accept monetary donations. See Donna Haire if you have questions. 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.

Position Available - Director of Worship Arts If you have a passion for music, a love of worship and strong leadership skills then this could be the position for you. The Lutheran Church of St. John is seeking a Director of Worship Arts to coordinate and lead music for both a traditional and contemporary worship service. The ideal candidate will also have strong interpersonal skills to recruit and develop a strong volunteer base to support not only music, but all aspects of the worship experience. This is a full time position which includes medical and retirement benefits. Interested individuals can submit a resume to the Lutheran Church of St. John (3340 State Street) or call the St. John's church office (222-8579).

2020 Illinois Essay Contest by Lutherans For Life for students in Grades 6 through 12. Any Lutheran student may enter. Entries should be submitted digitally using Microsoft Word via email to cathy.benning.os@gmail.com by April 1, 2020. There will be a \$100 first place award and \$50 second place award. Grand Prize for the national winning entry at each level: \$250 plus free conference registration to a 2020 Regional Conference and one night stay at the conference hotel. For topics and more details see the form on the Narthex table.

A Special Thank You to our brothers and sisters in Christ for your Christmas gift. It was greatly appreciated. We pray for you and give thanks for you!

The Drescher Family

Come and Join us for Bible Bowl Sunday, February 23rd in the old Chapel during the Sunday School hour. It will be a review of the lessons we've studied from Dec. 1 – Feb. 16.

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.

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, IL

217-222-8267

YOU'RE INVITED to join us in worship Wednesday mornings from 8:45 – 9:15 am. Every trimester our offerings are designated to a nonprofit. This trimester our offerings are going to help support the St. John Food Pantry.

SAVE THE DATES – A percentage of sales will be given to help support our 7th/8th grade trip to Marine Lab in Florida next summer. Thank you for your support.

Jan. 21 – Zoup! 5-8 pm. Present flyer when ordering.

Feb. 9 – Papa Johns – All day with flyer or tell them when ordering, or at counter when paying.

<u>RIGHT TO LIFE POSTER WINNERS</u> - Congratulations to the following students for winning the *Right To Life* poster contest at St. James. The theme this year was *Defend Human Life Boldly*. First place winners in their grade category were **Gabby Vaughn, Emma Schell, Grace Vaughn**. Second place winners were **Bella Jackson, Harrison Vander Ley, Sarah Kim**. Third place winners were **Falynn Craig, Amelia Knapp, Anna Ehmen** and Fourth place winners included **Emaline Garman, Bennett Soltwedel** and **Grace Marner**. All posters are currently being displayed at the Quincy Mall until January 26th and the Right to Life Resource Center display window, 109 N. 8th, during the following weeks! Also, congratulations to **Phoebe Hayes** for entering her essay on *Defending Human Life Boldly*.

THE DOT FOOD \$5000 CHALLENGE GRANT has been met! We will now receive an additional \$10,000 to help enhance our technology structure at St. James. Thank you DOT Foods for this remarkable opportunity and to all who helped reach this goal.

SPRING FLING - Join us for the 16th Annual Spring Fling Dinner and Auction Saturday, March 7th at 5:00 pm at the Senior Center!! This year's theme is *Old Hollywood*. Dressing up is not required, but definitely encouraged. Mark your calendars now so as not to miss this tremendous event.

<u>EAGLES VISION</u> 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, January 19: Epiphany 2

9:00 AM Holy Communion

10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School

1:00 PM Meet at LCoSJ for Confirmation Retreat at Camp CILCA

Monday, January 20: Martin Luther King Day (No School)
Confirmation Retreat at Camp CILCA

4:00 PM Newsletter Deadline 7:00 PM PLuS Meeting

Tuesday, January 21: 1:30 PM Holy Communion at Good Samaritan Home

5:00 PM Zoup! (present flyer) for 7-8th grade trip (until 8 PM)

7:00 PM Senior Choir

Wednesday, January 22: 8:45 AM Chapel at St. James School

1:00 PM Bible Study

2:00 PM Banner Committee

4:15 PM Youth Choir

5:00 PM Confirmation (until 6:30 PM)

Thursday, January 23: 6:45 AM Bible Study at the Coach House

9:00 AM Quilters

Friday, January 24: 11:00 AM Bulletin Crew

Saturday, January 25: 8:00 AM St. James LWML Applebee's Pancake Breakfast (until 10 AM)

5:00 PM Holy Communion

Sunday, January 26: Epiphany 3

9:00 AM Holy Communion

10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School

11:10 AM Voters' Meeting

1:00 PM Youth Group & Family Game Time! (until 3 PM) 5:00 PM Annual Banquet at Camp CILCA (until 8 PM)

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	January 12, 2020	Offerings	January 12, 2020
Saturday 5:00 PM	35	Needed Each Month	\$25,626.85
Sunday 9:00 AM	83	Received Last Month	\$30,941.25
Total Attendance	118	Received This Month	\$15,133.07
Holy Communion	104	Needed This Year	\$307,521.00
Adult Bible Class	25	Received This Year	\$15,133.07
Sunday School	11	Received This Week	\$3,205.00

Upcoming Events

February 1 & 2: LWML Soup & Bread Fundraiser **February 2**: Lutheran Hour Ministries Sunday **February 8**: 2020 Altar Care Brunch **February 9**: Barrel February 9: Ba

February 9: Bake Sale at LCoSJ (PreK - 8 sing) **February 9:** Papa John's Night (present flyer) **February 23:** Bible Bowl Sunday at ORLC

March 19: Papa John's Night (present flyer)

March 29: Confirm. Questioning & New Member Dinner

April 4: Applebee's Pancake Breakfast Youth Group Fundraiser 8-10 AM

April 5: Confirmation and Palm Sunday **April 16:** Papa John's Night (present flyer) **April 24 - 25:** LWML Rummage Sale

May 17: Armed Forces Sunday

May 21: Papa John's Night (present flyer)

July 20-30: Montana Adventure

September 20: Church Picnic 2 PM – 7PM

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

Beta Sigma Psi - Alpha Chapter offers a \$1,500 scholarship given out to a Lutheran male freshman attending the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in Fall 2020. Digital application forms may be found online at: https://www.betasigmapsi.org/scholarships-for-high-school-students. The application is due by March 20th at 11:59PM. Runner-ups may be eligible for \$500 awards. There is no obligation to join Beta Sigma Psi or be related to a member of the fraternity to receive this award. If you have any questions please email UIUCscholarship@betasigmapsi.org.

January 26, 2020: Camp CILCA Annual Banquet Join us at Our Savior's in Springfield to celebrate 70 years of outdoor blessings with Guest Speaker *Rev. Jonathan Fisk*! The night includes great food from Nelson's Catering, musical entertainment, Rev. Fisk, and a presentation about the camp. Tickets are \$40 and can be reserved by contacting the camp office by **January 23**rd. Here are the essentials:

WHEN: **January 26th, 5-8pm** (Tickets are \$40 and must be reserved by January 23rd by calling or emailing the camp office.)

WHERE: Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Springfield, IL

WHO: Guest Speaker Rev. Jonathan Fisk on why the First Article matters.

WHAT: Live Brass Ensemble, great food from Nelson's Catering.

WHY: The Annual Banquet is an evening celebrating God's work of Creation and Redemption, especially as those works are proclaimed and taught at Camp CILCA. Join us for an evening of music, food, great speakers, and friends.

Contemplate March 5-7, 2020: St. Louis Seminary for college-age or older potential students provides an opportunity to learn more about life at the seminary & the preparation that leads to LCMS service.

Camp CILCA 2020 Summer Camp registration open now! Give the gift of camp to someone you love. **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.

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.

KFUO Radio, a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUO.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at kfuo.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: @**KFUOradio** on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

For the week of **January 19**: This week on KFUO.org, dig into curious theological topics on *Cross Defense* with Pastor Bryan Wolfmueller (**1/20** at 2:00 p.m. CT), study in-depth questions about our Lutheran faith on *Concord Matters* (**1/21** at 2:00 p.m. CT), and worship with us in daily chapel services from the LCMS International Center (weekdays at 10:00 a.m. CT).

For the week of **January 26**: This week on KFUO.org, we celebrate Lutheran Schools Week on *The Coffee Hour* with local Lutheran Schools (weekdays at 9:15 a.m. CT), continue in the Gospel of Matthew in the Sharper Iron series "All Righteousness Fulfilled" (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and study Joshua 9-13 on *Thy Strong Word* (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT). Find these programs on demand wherever you get your podcasts!

Many Thanks to all the members who were Greeters for services this past year. You have made our members and guests feel welcome at our services and included in our church fellowship. As stated in 2 Corinthians 13:12, "Greet each other warmly, in the Lord." **If you would like to be a Greeter, please contact Sandy Callahan at (217) 334-5301.**

Pastor & Donna Troxel with Suzanne have a new address. They can now be reached at 180 Waukee Ave, Waukee, IA 50263-9776

Trinity Lutheran School in Springfield, Illinois is hiring. They are currently interviewing candidates for the following two early childhood positions: **Part-Time Lead Teacher for Two-Year Olds** and **Part-Time Teacher Aide for Two-Year Olds** (with potential for additional hours in other early childhood classrooms). Hours would be Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday mornings from 7:30 AM - noon starting in **January 2020**. Pay would be based on experience and degree. If interested, please email resume and letter of recommendation to Trinity's Early Childhood Director, Alicia M. Klug, at aklug@trinity-lutheran.com.