

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of February 2 - 9, 2020

Communed: Todd Schroeder, Marilyn Schroeder, Mary Hurley, Brenda Scharnhorst, Bill & Eleanor Schlegl, Marcia Clevenger, Wayne Buesking, Bud Lohmeyer, Martha Canada

Communion Assistants this Week:

Saturday: 5 PM – Brad Essington
Sunday: 9 AM – Jerry Lunt and Tom Killday

Communion Assistants next week:

Saturday: 5 PM – Brad Essington
Sunday: 9 AM – Mike Herschler and Chet Vahle

Ushers: Saturday: 5 PM – Dennis Baker
Sunday: 9 AM – Larry Ehmen, Brad Ehmen, Jeff Wolfmeyer, Randy Wolfmeyer, Clayton Hibbert

Greeters: Sunday: 9 AM

East – Wanda Spohr and Glenna Nicholson

West – Ellie Bowles and Mary Lazzeri

Altar Care: Kathy & Gary Hyer, Michele Clevenger, Renee Benedetto, Mary-Ann & Steve Hyer

Birthdays This Week

5 Sheldon Foulk
5 Clint Gooding 50
5 Dan Hufendick
5 Jeffrey Smith
7 Becky Lunt

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

2 Monica Foster
3 Darrell Drescher
3 Barb Hall
3 Luke McElfresh
5 Kirk Vahle
6 Melanie Zehnle
8 Eric Fischer

Anniversaries This Week

5 Rob and Naomi Tipton 14 years
8 Charlie and Pam Church 17 years

Scrip Inventory Highlights: Headed to any of the following spots for a bite to eat? We currently have some gift cards in stock for Applebee's (\$25), Golden Corral (\$25), IHOP (\$10, \$25), and Steak 'n Shake (\$10). We also have some cards for Claire's (\$10), Target (\$10), and Bath & Body Works (\$10). Stop by the scrip table for these cards and many others!

| Week ending: | 12-Jan | 19-Jan | 26-Jan |
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| Profit: | \$52.61 | \$95.82 | \$135.25 |
| # orders: | 11 | 13 | 19 |
| Avg Profit/order: | \$4.78 | \$7.37 | \$7.12 |
| Overall Profit: | \$169.35 | \$265.17 | \$400.42 |

HOMEMADE SOUP AND BREAD FUNDRAISER

Your soup and bread is **ready for pickup** after church service. Delivery is available upon request. Payment is due at the time of pickup or delivery. Thanks for your help in supporting our missions!

2019 Giving Statements are available by the new offering envelopes!

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

Parents, would you like to have a night out on February 14th, Valentine's Day? Bring your 6th – 12th graders to church from **6 to 8 PM**. We will be baking & decorating cookies while you go out. A sandwich meal will be provided for them. Please let Jamie know (217-430-4760) so enough supplies can be provided!

Thank you very much from *Elaine Hyer* to the LWML for the Christmas gift. God Bless You All!!

Thanks to all who have provided Snacks for the confirmation class students!

St. James School 7th & 8th Grade Marine Lab Trip Fundraisers for February: **Monday, February 3** - Papa Murphy's - all day. Online code: SCHOOL
Thursday, February 20 - Papa John's - all day, with flyer

Sunday, February 23 - Bake sale at the Lutheran Church of St. John

Thursday, February 27 - Culver's - from 4 to 8, no flyer needed. 10% of sales from drive thru & in store.

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.

Lenten Meal Schedule so far is:

February 26 LWML
March 4 Youth Group
March 11 Youth Group
March 18 St. James School Marine Lab Trip
March 25 St. James School Marine Lab Trip
April 1 Open

If your group would like to host the April 1 meal, please let the church office know.

Altar Care Brunch, February 8, 2020. This is an informative and fellowship brunch for those serving on the **Altar Care Committee** and anyone else curious about what they do or interested in helping our Congregation in this way.

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).

The Men's Club of Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Golden, IL invites the men of our congregation to their annual Soup Supper on **February 20th, at 6 PM** in the church basement. They will serve Oyster and Chili Soups. Please RSVP approx. number attending to Robert Heinecke at 217-430-4835 by February 17th.

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL, QUINCY, ILLINOIS

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.

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.

BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION – We received a check for \$353.70 which helps fund our school library. Thank you and keep saving those labels!

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, February 2:** *Epiphany 4 (Lutheran Hour Ministries Sunday)*
LWML Soup & Bread Pick-up
9:00 AM Holy Communion
10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School
- Monday, February 3:**
- Tuesday, February 4:** 9:00 AM Circuit Pastors' Meeting
7:00 PM Senior Choir
- Wednesday, February 5:** 8:45 AM Chapel at St. James School
1:00 PM Bible Study
4:15 PM Youth Choir
5:00 PM Confirmation (until 6:30 PM)
- Thursday, February 6:** 6:45 AM Bible Study at the Coach House
6:30 PM LWML Meeting
- Friday, February 7:** 11:00 AM Bulletin Crew
- Saturday, February 8:** **9:30 AM Altar Care Brunch**
5:00 PM Holy Communion
- Sunday, February 9:** *Epiphany 5*
9:00 AM Holy Communion
10:10 AM Adult Bible Class and Sunday School
10:15 AM Pre-K – 8th Grade Sing at LCoSJ
Papa John's Night (present flyer)

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

| Attendance | January 26, 2020 | Offerings | January 26, 2020 |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Saturday 5:00 PM | 45 | Needed Each Month | \$25,626.85 |
| Sunday 9:00 AM | 128 | Received Last Month | \$30,941.25 |
| Total Attendance | 173 | Received This Month | \$25,057.56 |
| Holy Communion | 149 | Needed This Year | \$307,521.00 |
| Adult Bible Class | 28 | Received This Year | \$25,057.56 |
| Sunday School | 19 | Received This Week | \$4,626.25 |

Upcoming Events

- February 14:** Youth Group cookie baking & decorating 6-8 PM
- February 17:** PLuS Meeting 7PM
- February 20:** Holy Cross Men's Club Soup Supper (for men)
- February 23:** Bible Bowl Sunday at ORLC
- February 23:** Teens Pizza & Paint Party 11:15 AM until 1 PM
- February 26:** "Misjudging Eyes" Ash Wednesday Worship 7 PM *meal served by LWML at 5:45 PM*
- March 19:** *Papa John's Night (present flyer)*
- March 29:** Confirmation 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 19:** *Horizons Meal*
- 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*

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 December 1 – February 16.

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

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.

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.

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.

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*For the week of **February 2:** This week on **KFUO.org**, hear meditation on scriptures on Moments of Assurance with Pastor Mark Hawkinson (weekdays at 12:00 p.m. CT & weekends at 7:45 a.m. CT), dig into curious theological topics on Cross Defense with Pastor Bryan Wolfmueller (**2/3** at 2:00 p.m. CT), and continue in the Gospel of Matthew on Sharper Iron's "All Righteous Fulfilled" series (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT). Find programs on demand wherever you get your podcasts!*

*For the week of **February 9:** This week on **KFUO.org**, dig into a Mental Health topic on The Coffee Hour with Deaconess Heidi Goehmann (**2/10 at 9:00 a.m.** CT), continue studying the Gospel of Matthew on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and dive in-depth into our Lutheran Confessions on Concord Matters (**2/11 at 2:00 p.m.** CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org!*

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.

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

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.**